FIGHT AGAINST TAMMANY RULE

The Great Battle Hotly Raging In New York.

AS MR. WOODRUFF SEES IT.

Letter of Republican State Chairman to the New York Evening World, In Which He Discusses in Plain Language the Issues and the Candidates. Bannard Business Man—Hearst Insincere—The Evils Which the Tammany Government Imposes.

New York, Oct. 23.—Chairman Timothy L. Woodruff in reply to a request from the New York Evening World to state his views on the issue and candidates in the mayoralty campaign in Greater New York sent the following letter:

To the Editor of the Evening World:

Dear Sir—You have asked me to express through your columns to the readers of the Evening World my views regarding the municipal campaign in which we are now so hotly engaged and particularly my views as to the probabilities of the election of the fusion ticket.

Judge Gaynor's charge that the columns of the Evening World have been sold to his opponents has caused me to hesitate to respond to your request, and I only do so upon the understanding that you will make it as clear that I have not purchased them as you have that others whom Judge Gaynor has charged with subsidizing your paper have not done so. I am sure that the influence of the Evening World cannot be purchased, and it is inconceivable to me that Judge Gaynor should think that it can be.

Bannard Will Win.

But enough of Judge Gaynor. I firmly believe that he will not be elected. The next mayor of New York city will be Mr. Otto T. Bannard. You and your readers may wonder why I speak with so much positiveness. I will tell you. The people of New York have for a great many years, as long as I can remember, cried out for a mayor who has had large and practical experience in the conduct of great business enterprises. Such an experience Mr. Bannard has had to an exceptional extent. His value to the institutions of a financial and business character with which he has been connected may be measured by the fact that as president of one of these institutions his salary is at the present time $50,000 per annum. The salary of the Mayor of New York is $15,000. That he is a man capable of the accomplishment of that which the people of New York require and demand—namely, a complete reorganization of the methods by which the city's affairs are now conducted—is evident from the fact that, although Mr. Bannard is an attorney of recognized ability, the president of one of the largest financial institutions in the country, an officer and director of many business concerns he has been physically and mentally able to serve on the New York board of education and as such to greatly improve the conditions prevailing in the public schools of the city; that he has also found time to engage actively in philanthropic and social work, serving as vice president of the Charity Organization society, on nearly all of whose standing committees he is one of the most active members; that he is president of the Provident Loan society, which he often refers to as one of the philanthropic institutions in which he has taken the greatest personal interest, because it has made 70,000 depositors among the poor people, aggregating a very large sum of money which otherwise would not have been properly cared for, and that he is also president of the National Employment Exchange, an institution organized during the recent period of depression to secure work for the unemployed, in which his efforts were very successful, ameliorating thereby the conditions of privation and want from which so many families were suffering.

Bannard a Business Man.

Mr. Bannard is the first business man who has been a candidate for mayor since the creation of the greater city. All the other candidates have been active practitioners of the law or, as in the case of Mayor Van Wyck, a judge or, as in the case of Mayor Low, a college president. There is no limit to the advantages which the people of New York would derive from the administration of a man who has had such a vast experience in the handling of great commercial and financial affairs as Mr. Bannard has had. His election would insure a great reduction in expenditures through the stamping out of graft and waste and the substitution therefor of honesty and care. Such methods would insure a large reduction in taxes and therefore a tendency toward the reduction in rents. Important as is the question of lower taxes, just think what a businesslike administration would accomplish in a speedy development of our present inadequate transit facilities, both by subways and surface ways, and what a sound application of business principles would accomplish in an improved condition of our present thoroughfares both as to pavements, cleanliness and the minimizing of obstructions!

Just think how many seats could be provided for school children now on half time or even out altogether if the salaries of the dummies on the payrolls of the city were saved for that purpose!

Just think how many hospitals for the care of tuberculosis patients who in many instances are now admitted to them could be built out of the difference between the actual value of land condemned by the city for public purposes and the price which the city now pays to the Tammany politicians who acquired it for their own personal profit in their pursuit or what they brazenly call "honest graft!"

Just think how much might be done to secure adequate inspection of milk and other food with the money criminally spent for gasoline used by city employees in their personal use of city automobiles out of business hours, nights and Sundays!

Just think how many playgrounds for the children could be purchased with the money spent for water which is wasted through incompetency in the handling of the water supply, to say nothing of the startlingly lavish waste of millions of the city's funds on the proposed Catskill water reservoir!

Just think what an administration really interested in the welfare of the great mass of the city's population could do to improve the conditions prevailing in the tenement districts!

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Just think how much sunshine and happiness might be brought into the homes of the children living in the tenements if the Tammany Hall leaders could be induced to allow the Sunday excursions to Coney Island, Rockaway and other places of amusement at his professions of deep regard for those who live in them when we have before us the proof in the records of the tenement house department that the tenement houses owned by him have been condemned by the department of health to a much greater extent than almost any other tenement house in New York city today.

Why Bannard is a Candidate.

It must be obvious to any one that he has no personal advantage to Mr. Bannard in either being a candidate for mayor or being mayor. Every influence that could properly be brought to bear upon him was used to secure his consent to be the candidate of the Citizens' Union, the committee of one hundred, the Cleveland Democracy, the Taxpayers' league and the Republican party. Before being nominated he had been for months under most favorable consideration by the Citizens' Union and other independent organizations. He finally gave his consent while on the way from New York to Chicago on the afternoon of the Republican city convention solely because he conscientiously believed that it was his duty to accept and that to decline would be an act of selfishness.

Mr. Bannard has never posed as an orator. He is just a plain business man. He made seven speeches night before last, five in Brooklyn and two in Manhattan, no two of which were alike. In fact, several of them were devoted to the discussion of questions which were not referred to in the other speeches. Taking them all in all, they were as effective campaign speeches as it has been my privilege to hear during thirty years of participation in campaign work. Mr. Bannard is growing stronger every day, gaining steadily in the estimation of the people of the city. It seems to me that the other candidates are growing weaker.

It is incredible that the great citizenship of this metropolis should prefer a judge of no business experience whatever especially after the experience with Judge Van Wyck during the first four years of the city's existence, or a newspaper publisher whose only claim to fame since he emerged from California is based upon his ability to advertise himself. This is money in his pocket. Bryan, who was getting out a weekly in St. Louis when he first came in the capital of Nebraska and has amassed an independent fortune through his political activities. Hearst's great public achievements appear only in the columns of the newspapers which he owns, and his great services to the people are recognized chiefly by the men on his staff whose salaries he pays.

The World of this morning has a cartoon which illustrates the utter inconsistency of Mr. Hearst with the methods of the bosses under which he has once marched and afterward defiled, according as it suited his personal ambition and political methods. Hearst has pictured men in stripes and plastered them with mud whenever they have opposed his dual politico-journalistic campaigns for self glorification. Twice he took a nomination for congress from the same Tammany Hall which he now berates. Afterward he secured the nomination and nominated and elected him. Once he ran for governor with a nomination handed to him by Charles F. Murphy, who gave Gaynor his present mayoralty nomination. He has denounced his nominee while in a prison suit, but so long as there was hope that Murphy's followers would vote for him he and his payroll patriots "hung their swords on the wall" and sheathed their pens during the truce. He and his papers thrive on discontent. They fatten on class hatred. They swell their pockets on the pennies collected from the sales of his papers, which within a few years have been barred from scores of libraries and reading rooms because they are considered unfit for decent, law abiding citizens to read. Has he changed his stripes since then any more than the Tiger has? Did he shed the leprosy garment of foul editorship when he whitewashed the stripes of Murphy's coat? His present pose is simply another evidence of his insincerity which has heretofore prevented conservative citizens from trusting him with public responsibilities.

And I want to say right here that at no time while Hearst's representatives remained in conference with the fusion organizations this year was there any suggestion of Hearst as a possible fusion candidate for the mayoralty or for any other office.

Hearst says that Gaynor was an unworthy judge; that while on the supreme court bench he was in league with race track men to nullify the race track law; that he is the creature of Ryan and is supported by traction trust magnates. If these things are true Judge Gaynor is not fit to be mayor. If they are not true Hearst is not fit to be mayor. The man who is fit to be mayor is the nominee of both Mr. Hearst, Mr. Gaynor and the public and the press is Mr. Bannard.

No one, not even Hearst's advertising managers, thinks for a minute that he has any chance of being elected. The question is therefore simply this: Do the people of New York city prefer for mayor such a man as has been nominated by all the independent organizations as the fusion candidate on a ticket composed of four Republicans and four Democrats for members of the board of estimate and apportionment, or Tammany Hall? When Gaynor finally found Tammany Hall the other night the people found out Gaynor.

"There was a young lady of Niger
Who smiled as she rode on the tiger.
They returned from the ride with the lady inside
And a smile on the face of the tiger."

The Curse of Tammany.

The public believes and the commissioners of accounts have proved that the rule of Tammany during the past six years has made living more costly for all our citizens, most of whom could ill afford it, particularly during the past two years. Indeed, the Tammany stockholders, directors and officers have been about the only ones who could afford it. As during the four years of the Van Wyck administration, the people have been robbed in every direction. Public improvements have been made and held up in the interest of Tammany graft. All classes have been subjected to demands for contributions. All forms of vice have been protected by Tammany, and the purveyors of vice have uniformly been paying the tribute of protection to Tammany agents. The Tammany organization exists for private profit and not for the blackmail private rights for personal gain. It is a strictly all the year around business concern conducted for the personal profit of its officers, directors and stockholders. It strives to control the great corporation of New York city as a subsidiary company to be milked at the expense of its citizens, that the controlling concern may reap a constant harvest of graft for individual inside distribution among its leaders.

Padded payrolls, swollen lists of civil officers, improper inspection of buildings, lack of adequate school accommodations, a demoralized police force, the fattening of political contractors at firm, contributions exacted from the peddler and great merchant alike, inequitable and excessive taxation, failure to make necessary improvements, even to the extent of neglecting to provide for the utilization of bridges and other improvements when completed; an enormous and altogether unnecessary increase in the city's debt, actually preventing an increase of transit facilities in the interest of those controlling the inadequate facilities which now exist, are the principal evils which we propose to correct if the Tammany administration [illegible] Mayor Wilson, A. Prendergast for comptroller and John Purroy Mitchel for president of the board of aldermen.

TIMOTHY L. WOODRUFF.

Oct. 23, 1909.

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The vicinity of Dutch settlement eight miles from Canaseraga was visited by a cyclone of unusual violence on Thursday evening and much damage was done. One of the most remarkable features of this cyclone was the complete destruction of the church which was located there. The church was picked up bodily and carried a distance of 50 feet. It was then dropped with such violence that it was completely demolished not a board over seven or eight feet long being left. Shingles from the church were carried over a mile by the hurricane.

One of the most peculiar features of the cyclone was the carrying of the bible from the pulpit of the church across the road where it landed open at the passage, "And a judgment shall be upon ye."

Several other barns and houses in the settlement were badly damaged and unroofed by the storm, which was the worst ever experienced in that section.

Notice to Persons Having Claims Against the Town of Andover.

Notice is hereby given that the Town Board of the town of Andover N. Y., will hold its annual session at the village hall in the village of Andover, N. Y., Thursday, Nov. 4th 1909. Notice is also hereby given to all persons having claims against said town of Andover, N. Y. to present the same to said Board, duly verified, on that day and date.

By order of the Town Board of Andover, N. Y.,

Orange Smith, Supervisor

Dated, Oct. 15, 1909. 44

Accidentally Shot.

Archie Clayson, six years old, and his brother, aged 13, were playing with a 22-caliber rifle at the home of Frank Clayson on Wolf Run, near Cuba, last week, when Archie was accidentally shot. The bullet entered one inch below the right eye and lodged in the bone. The boy will probably recover.

Don't Neglect That Cough!

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For Those Who Wear Glasses

To prevent steam from settling on your eye glasses when out of doors in cold weather, rub both sides of the lenses with soap, rub off with a soft cloth and polish with rouge paper.—Woman's Home Companion for November.

C. R. Kluger, the Jeweler, 1060 Virginia Ave., Indianapolis, Ind., writes: "I was so weak from kidney trouble that I could hardly walk a hundred feet. Four bottles of Foley's Kidney Remedy cleared my complexion, cured my backache and the irregularities disappeared, and I can now attend to business every day and recommend Foley's Kidney Remedy to all sufferers, as it cured me after the doctors and other remedies had failed."

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To the Electors of The Town of Andover, N. Y.

Notice of questions to be submitted: State of New York, County of Allegany, Town of Andover, Clerk' office. To the electors of the town of Andover, N. Y. Notice is hereby given, in pursuance of the petition filed in this office, that at the next ensuing annual town meeting, to be held at the same time and place of the next ensuing general election, on Tuesday, the second day of November 1909, there will be submitted to the electors the following resolutions:—

Question 1. Selling liquor to be drunk on the premises where sold.—Shall any person be authorized to traffic in liquors under the provisions of sub-division 1 of section 8 of the liquor tax law, namely, by selling liquor to be drunk on the premises where sold in the town of Andover, N.Y.?

Question 2. Selling liquor not to be drunk on the premises where sold.—Shall any person be authorized to traffic in liquors under the provisions of sub-division 2 of section 8 of the liquor tax law, namely, by selling liquor not to be drunk on the premises where sold in the town of Andover, N. Y.?

Question 3. Selling liquor as a pharmacist on a physician's prescription.—Shall any person be authorized to traffic in liquors under the provisions of sub-division 3 of section 8 of the liquor tax law, namely, by selling liquor as a pharmacist on a physician's prescription in the town of Andover, N. Y.?

Question 4. Selling liquor by hotel keepers only.—Shall any person be authorized to traffic in liquors under the provisions of sub-division 3 of section 8 of the liquor tax law, but only in connection with the business of keeping a hotel, in the town of Andover, N. Y., if the majority of votes cast on the first question submitted are in the neative?

John Common, Town Clerk.

Foreclosure Sale

COUNTY COURT.

ALLEGANY COUNTY

Crayton L. Earley, Plaintiff,

—VS—

Roy Wood, Hattie Wood, John Angood, William Youmans, Jennie Youmans and Edna Perry,

Defendants.

By virtue of a judgment of Foreclosure and Sale granted by this Court in the above entitled action, and entered on the 2nd day of August, 1909, in the Office of the Clerk of the County of Allegany, the undersigned, J. S. Phillips as Referee, duly appointed in this action for such purpose, will sell at public auction on the 30th day of November, 1909, at 2 o'clock P. M. of that day, at the Law Office of Crayton L. Earley in the village of Andover, N. Y.

ALL THAT TRACT OR PARCEL OF LAND, situate in the town of Andover, County of Allegany and State of New York, portion of Great Lot No. 65, Town 2, Range 7, bounded and described as follows: Commencing at a point in the center of Baker street or Highway 16½ feet north-easterly measuring along the said Highway from the north-easterly corner of a crtain piece or parcel of land conveyed by Joseph J. Brown and wife to C. L. Earley by Deed dated August 16, 1907, and recorded in the Allegany County Clerk's Office in Liber 206 page 231; running thence in a northerly direction on a line parallel with division line between lands now owned and occupied by Merilla Calhoun and lands formerly owned by the Andover Stamping Company to a point in the easterly line of the Stearns farm; thence southerly along said Stearns east line to the north-west corner of what is known as the John Sheriff lot; thence easterly along the northerly line of the Sheriff lot 8 rods to Sheriff's north-east corner; thence southerly along said Sheriff's easterly line 20 rods to the center of said street or highway; thence easterly along the center of said street or highway to the place of beginning, containing about two acres of land, be the same more or less. Subject to any existing offers and gas leases thereon, if any.

J. S. Phillips, Referee

Dated this 6 day of October, 1909. 47

Remarkable Rain of Meteors

According to a cable dispatch from Honolulu, forty meteors were seen to fall into the sea near that place one night. At certain seasons of the year meteors are likely to be more abundant than at others. September is not celebrated for such a visitation, though, and it is not unlikely that what the Hawaiians saw was a single meteoric shower, broken into many pieces. It would not need to be very large one to make a display of this sort, for the great majority of these curious objects are no bigger than pebbles. Some, indeed, are scarcely larger than grains of sand.

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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 Board of Supervisors, duly verified, on or before the third day of said session.

CHARLES STILLMAN,

Clerk of the Board of Supervisors.

Dated, Alfred, N. Y., Oct. 15, 1909. 45

Notice to Creditors

Pursuant to an order of Hon. Elba Reynolds, Surrogate of Allegany County, New York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims or demands against the estate of Mary P. Chase, late of the Town of Andover, in said county, Deceased, that they are required to present the same with proper vouchers thereof, to the undersigned Eugene Caple, the Executor under the Last Will and Testament of said deceased, at his residence in the Village of Andover, N. Y., on or before the 3rd day of March, 1910.

Dated Sept, 1, 1909.

Jesse S. Phillips, Atty. for Executor, Andover, N. Y., — Eugene Caple, Executor.

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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Effective Thursday, Aug. 19, 1909.

Train No. 340 leaves Genesee at 7.51 a. m., Wellsville 8.32 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 3:32 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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Summons

State of New York.
COUNTY COURT.
COUNTY OF ALLEGANY

John Feeley, Plaintiff,

—VS—

Frank Dailey, Anna Carmody, Dennis Dailey & Monte 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 by default for the relief demanded in the complaint.

Trial to be held in the County of Allegany.

Dated this 30th 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 30th 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. 47

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MISSOURI PHYSICIAN TELLS MAIL ORDER HOUSE WHY HE DOES NOT BUY OF THEM—NOT ALL CONSISTENT.

Through an exchange we learn that a physician of Missouri wrote Sears, Roebuck & Company the following letter in response to a personal letter from them in which they stated: "If there is any reason why you do not buy of us, please give us your reasons in the enclosed stamped envelope and we will strive to remove the cause." The physician wrote as follows:

"Your letter of recent date, asking why I had not traded with you for a long time, is received, and as you ask me to tell you frankly why, I will give you a few reasons. First, I am in business in this community and am looking to this community, with its varied industries for my support. I cannot ask the merchants of this town for their support if I do not give them mine. Second, in looking over my books I fail to find either Mr. Sears', Mr. Roebuck's, or other of your company's members names, which reminds me that neither of these gentlemen have ever given me a penny's patronage. Why is this? Am I too far away, or have neither of them needed a physician, or are they afraid of the mail-order plan when it comes to the practice of medicine? I can certainly give as good satisfaction by mail as you house can, and will appreciate a call from either of them when in need of medical service. Third, in looking over the subscription lists for improving our streets and public highways, I have failed to find the name of either member of your firm down for one penny to assist in the work. Also, I have been unable to find your name on any of the charity lists where help has been rendered to our poor. In other words, you are not down as a contributor to our Helping Hand society. In fact, in all the movements for the betterment of our condition, where our community has needed the united efforts of her public-spirited citizens, I have failed to find your name among the list of our contributing merchants. Your name is not on our city tax-books, nor do I find where you have paid a city license to do a mercantile business in competition with our home merchants. These are a few answers to your questions, and I trust you will see the justice of them."

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The Longest Telegraph Circuit

Few persons are aware that Teheran, the capital of Persia, is one terminal of the longest telegraphic circuit in the world. London is the other terminal, and the distance between these two cities by wire is four thousand miles. The operator at one end communicates directly with the man at the other, because an automatic repeating apparatus takes the place of an operator at each of the ten relay stations along the circuit.

Lowestoft, in Norfolk, is the first repeating station from London. There the wires enter the North Sea and run beneath the water for a distance of two hundred miles, emerging at Emden, Hanover, where the second automatic repeater catches the message. Berlin, Warsaw, Rouno, Odesso, Kertch, Sukhum, Kaleh, Tiffs and Taurus then transmit it in turn until the operator at Teheran receives the "wire".

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JOHN BOWLES FOUND LIFELESS IN BARN AND HIS WIFE AND TWO LITTLE DAUGHTERS IN HOME IN CONSCIOUS CONDITION.

CANISTEO, Oct. 24.—One man was found dead and two women dying under most mysterious circumstances today in this village. It is one of the most peculiar cases that the Coroner's office has had to deal with in many years and the whole village has been excited by the strange case. The dead man is John Bowles, one of the leading men of the village. The women are his wife, and Mrs. Libbie Scribner, of Greenwood, a guest at the Bowles home where the tragedy occured.

The discovery of the case was made shortly after ten o'clock this forenoon by Mrs. Guy Rathbun, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bowles. Mr. Bowles who is known to every one in Canisteo as "Jack" Bowles was one of the best known men of the place. With his wife he resided in the house at the corner of East Academy and Railroad streets. Mrs. Bowles had been in poor health of late and had been unable to leave her bed. Mrs. Scribner, who is the wife of Rev. W. A Scribner of Greenwood came to take care of her.

Appalling Sight.

This morning Mrs. Rathbun, who lives nearby went to the Bowles home to see how her mother was feeling. She found the door locked and no one unlocked it in response to her knocks. Fearing that something was wrong she went to the window that opens from the porch. The window was partly open but was protected by a wire screen. She tore the screen off and entered. The sight that met her gaze was an appalling one.

Sitting upright in a chair in the living room was her father, already dead. Mrs. Scribner lay unconscious on the floor nearby and Mrs Bowles was in bed in the adjoining room, also unconscious and apparently dead.

She at once summoned the neighbors and several doctors were called. It was found that Mr. Bowles had been dead an hour or more and that there was no hope for the two women. Both were unconscious and it was only after an hour's work that breathing was restored. Neither of the women, however recovered consciousness enough to talk or explain the strange case.

Case Mysterious One.

The first theory was that the members of the household had been asphyxiated. An investigation of the case, however, proved that this theory was almost impossible. The gas stove was burning and the gas lamp in the room was also lighted. The window was also raised. Had there been escaping gas in the room an explosion would have resulted. No odor of gas could be detected.

It was also deemed possible that the family might have been poisoned but the fact that Mrs. Bowles, who has been unable to eat, was affected in the same manner discredits this theory. The doctors were unable to assign any definite cause of death.

Coroner Williamson was called and will perform an autopsy on the body of Mr. Bowles. The case has some peculiar features that will be carefully investigated.

Mr. Bowles was almost a lifelong resident of this place. He was about sixty-nine years of age and had for years been a leading member of the First M. E. church. He has a number of children of whom Mrs. Rathbun of this village and Harry and George Bowles of Hornell, were with them much of the time. Another son, Ira Bowles, lives at Galeton.

Will Hold Autopsy.

Mrs. Bowles is about two years older than her husband. She will probably die before morning. Mrs. Scribner is reported to have a slight chance for recovery. Coroner Williamson, who arrived in Canisteo late to-night, will hold an autopsy of the remains of Mr. Bowles to-morrow.

LATER.—The coroner has pronounced death due to the inhalation of burned gas. The chimney was found to be stopped up, causing imperfect combustion and preventing the fumes from going up the chimney.

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The First Aeroplane Built By A Woman

Typewriter, secretary, lawyer, aeronaut—Miss Lillian Todd has been all these, and she tells about it in the Woman's Home Companion for November. She is the only woman who has built an aeroplane—and she designed it herself.

From earliest childhood she has been interested in machines has patented a number of inventions. Like the Wrights, she has worked very quietly and perfected her machine without fuss or feathers. Her description of the machine has a feminine touch.

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Hon. F. S. Smith Honored.

Hon Frank S. Smith of Angelica has been appointed by the judges of the court of appeals as a member of the state board of law examiners in the place of the late Judge Celora E. Martin of Binghamton. This law examiners are appointed for three year terms and receive salaries of $2,000 with such additional compensation as the court of appeals may direct.

Wedding in Greenwood

On saturday evening George W. Carter, of Canisteo, and Miss Rosella Andrews, of the same place were united in marriage at Greenwood. Rev. Alma Booker, of the L. S. D. church officiating.

The Suffragettes' Grievance.

In spite of all that has been said and written about the suffragettes, few people in America understand why they go through their curious performances, or what they hope to gain by it.

For the last sixteen years, a majority of the House of Commons has been in favor of woman suffrage. Bills to grant the Parliamentary franchise to women upon the same terms as to men have passed their second reading over and over again, by constantly growing majorities. Such a bill passed its second reading in the present House of Commons by a vote of three to one. But the Cabinet, like Uncle Joe Cannon, has the power to smother any bill by keeping it from coming up for third reading final vote. For three years the suffrage bill has been thus treated. Some of the more ardent suffragists have got out of patience, and have set out deliberately to make the lives of the Cabinet Ministers a burden to them until they let the suffrage bill come to a vote.—Woman's Journal.

The Weather Bureau

The United States Weather Bureau now costs $1,500,000 a year and employs 200 men in different parts of the United States, who send twice a day to the national capital the principal facts about the weather—velocity of the wind, temperature, rainfall, barometric readings and other details. By means of the system of rural free delivery of mail, the bureau's forecasts go each day into the homes of $1,000,000 farmers.

At the annual meeting of the Allegany Medical Society recently held in Belmont, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, F. H. VanOradale Belmont Vice President, Edith W. Stewart, Hume; Secretary and treasurer, C. R. Bowen, Almond; Delegates to 8th District Branch, H. F. Gillitte, Cuba. Virgil C. Kinney, Wellsville; Delegate to State Society, F. E. Comstock, Wellsville; Censors, Drs. F. E. Howard, L. C. Lewis, A. J. Remington and W. O Congdon.

The retiring president, Dr. Ayars, appointed as Bacteriological Laboratory Committee, Hon. George H. Witter, H. F. Gillette, F H. VanOradale.

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