

WHITESVILLE MAN INSTANTLY KILLED

CARL TEATER MET DEATH WHILE WORKING ON HAY PRESS—CORONER AYARS ISSUED BURIAL PERMIT, DEATH BY ACCIDENT.

(Special to the News.)

Whitesville, N. Y., Jan. 25.—Carl Teater, the son of Mr. and Mrs. William Teater of this village, was instantly killed while working on a hay press in this village this afternoon.

The hay presses were just finishing up their work on the job at which the machine was set having only a little more loose hay to press. Carl Teater and another man were tending the machine. The wire had been exhausted, and Mr. Teater went to replenish it. Just at that time, the man feeding the machine, heard it snatch, and looking up, saw the door fly up hitting Teater under the chin a terrible blow, breaking his neck and fracturing his skull. Death was almost instant.

Coroner E. W. Ayars of Alfred was summoned, and made out the certificate as death by accidental cause.

Carl Teater was about nineteen years old and was well thought of by all, having many friends. His sorrowing parents have the sympathy of the entire community in their affliction.

The deceased is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Teater, five brothers, Frank, William, Jr., Ray, and Harold; and two sisters, Ella and Sophia, all living at home.

Funeral services will be held at 3 p. m. Thursday at the Universalist church, Elder Herrick officiating. Interment in the local cemetery.

RAILWAY MAIL CLERKS WANTED

The Government Pays Railway Mail Clerks \$800 to \$1,200, and other Employees up to \$2,500 annually.

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Gasoline from Gas

The Bolivar Gasoline Company incorporated with a capital stock of \$50,000 will erect a \$300,000 plant on the farm of S. B. Smith at South Bolivar for the manufacture of gasoline from natural gas. The process is a secret, which those interested have been experimenting with for many months, which they now pronounce as a success. They claim to manufacture over a gallon of gasoline from every 1000 feet of "dry gas."

The President of the company is E. B. Moore, Secretary, D. V. McCarty and Treasurer, Ash P. Root.

BOTH LEGS TAKEN OFF

Engineer William Potter has Double Amputation as Result of an Accident.

As the result of an accident that occurred nearly two years ago, William Potter, a well known Erie engineer had both legs amputated at St. James' Mercy Hospital on Saturday. One leg was amputated just below the knee and the other one at the knee.

Mr. Potter, who lives in Alfred, has been on the Allegany division of the Erie for many years. In a wreck at Wellsville some two years ago he had one leg badly broken and splintered. It never healed properly and the tissues decayed, the trouble soon extending to the other leg and rendering him nearly helpless. It became necessary to amputate them in order to save his life.

It was stated Monday afternoon that he was resting comfortably and that he would probably recover. His many friends will sympathize with him in his misfortune.—Hornell Tribune.

Sleigh Ride and Surprise Party

The Employee's of the Cutlery Plant enjoyed a sleigh ride and surprise at the home of Frank J. Witter and family on Thursday evening, Jan. 20th. Games were played in which Mr. Floeing and Thadd Hebers were awarded valuable prizes. Music was furnished by Mrs. Pearl Stillwell, Mrs. Sadie Ellis and Ray Williams and Harry Hebers. At 12:30 an oyster supper was served and at 2:30 the guests departed for their homes, reporting a fine time.

Those in attendance were: Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Platts, Mr. and Mrs. Zeke McKelvey, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Galutia, and family, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Stillwell, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Slocum, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Updyke, and family, Miss Martha Updyke, Chas. Bines, John Hoard, Thadd and Harry Hebers, Ray Williams, Mr. Floeing, Mr. Avery, Earl Avery and Ernest Witter.

WM. UPDYKE FOUND DEAD IN DYKE CREEK

Coroner's Investigation Still in Progress Thursday P. M.—Some Believe He Became Entangled in Ice and Wire Fence Across Creek, Others Suspect Foul Play.

The dead body of William Updyke was found in Dyke Creek, close to the Shields bridge on Barney Street, early Wednesday morning, by Miss Margaret Cummings, at about 8 o'clock as she was going after milk.

William Updyke was a farmer, who lived with his wife about 5 miles east of this village, on the Greenwood road. The last his family saw of him was on Monday morning, when he started for the Andover market with a load of potatoes. At Andover, it was ascertained that he came with his produce all O. K. After unloading his potatoes, he tied his team on Main Street and went out for a "good time." He was seen around our streets all day until 10 or 11 o'clock, Monday night, and then his companions supposed he went home.

His father, Hugh Updyke, being in Andover on business, Monday evening, found the team and had them cared for. The first tidings the unfortunate family had of him after leaving Monday morning, was the message to them that he had been found dead in Dyke Creek, Wednesday morning.

Coroner, E. W. Ayars, of Alfred, had started on his way to Whitesville, to investigate the cause of the death of Carl Teater, and had just arrived at Andover, about the time the body was discovered. He took immediate charge, and ordered the remains removed to C. E. Brown's Undertaking Parlors, where a post-mortem examination was made on the return of the coroner from Whitesville, by doctors Loughhead and Mitchell. The result of their examination has not yet been made public, the stomach being sent away for expert analysis.

The whole village was very much excited over the unfortunate ending of a human life. Swarms of men lined the walk and undertaking parlors until late in the evening, eagerly awaiting the coroner's decision of the cause of death, but he was unable to complete his report.

The deceased was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Updyke and was about 25 years of age. He leaves a wife and no children. District attorney Joseph Rice of Friendship was here and assisted in conducting the work of investigation.

Whatever the Coroner may decide was the cause of the death of William Updyke, there is no gain-saying the statement that it was whiskey that did it.

THE HADLEY EXHIBITION

Auditorium, Wednesday eve. Feb. 2.

The exacting public has come to the conclusion that the Hadley pictures are the highest standard and all points of view far outclass all competition.

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Admission, 25 and 35c. Children 15c.

Sophia F. Metzger.

Mrs. Sophia F. Metzger, died at her home, corner of Pleasant Avenue and Church Street in this village, Thursday morning, Jan. 13th, 1910 after a lingering illness of Bright's disease. Mrs. Metzger, who was the widow of Daniel Metzger, has been a life long resident of Andover, with the exception of a few years passed in Elmira, N. Y. Deceased is survived by a daughter, Louise A. Jobson, of Philadelphia, Pa., two sisters, Mrs. Louisa Dickinson of Willard, N. Y., Mrs. E. B. Loxley of Andover and a brother, Jason A. Hunt, also from this village.

Funeral service was held at the home, Jan. 15, conducted by Rev. J. W. Wright of the Methodist church of which Mrs. Metzger has been an active member, assisted by Rev. H. D. Bacon. A quartette, Mrs. Maud Frost, Miss Wilma Wright, C. A. Robinson and Dr. G. W. Mitchell sang three selections. The body was laid to rest in the family plot in Valley Brook Cemetery.

The increase of work in our job department is the best evidence of its quality.

Horan-Snyder

Miss Lillie Horan and Lou Snyder were united in marriage, Wednesday morning at nine o'clock by Rev. J. J. Sheehy at the Parochial residence. A wedding dinner was served later at the home of the bride's father, Henry Horan on South Hill. Mr. and Mrs. Snyder left Andover on train 101 for a wedding journey, they are both popular young people and their most of young friends wish them a long life of happiness together.

ADVISES TO KEEP UP THE POLICIES

SPECIAL DEPUTY SUPERINTENDENT OF INSURANCE, ARTHUR T. SAXTON, WRITES LOCAL PEOPLES MUTUAL COLLECTOR TO THAT EFFECT.

Local Collector, Calvin Slocum of the People's Mutual Life Insurance Association and League has received advice from the State Insurance department that in his judgment policy holders in the People's Mutual would do well not to let their policies expire. Following is the letter:—

Mr. Calvin Slocum, Andover, N. Y. Dear Sir: Pursuant to an order granted on January 18, 1910, by Hon. William S. Andrews, Justice of the Supreme Court, the Hon. William H. Hotchkiss, Supt. of Insurance, has been placed in possession of the People's Mutual Life Insurance Association & League, and has appointed me Special Deputy Supt. of Insurance as his agent to conduct the business of said Association until further order of the Court.

This order means that the New York State Department of Insurance will conduct the business and affairs of the People's Mutual solely in the interests of its members.

This Association has approximately three million dollars (\$3,000,000.) in assets, and each individual who has a certificate in force at the present time has an equity in said assets, and the department wishes all its members to continue payments due under their certificates. I would ask you as collector of this Association to co-operate with the Department in assuring the members that their interests and equities will be fully protected and conserved and that they should keep their certificates in force.

Until further order of the Court is made, disability and death claims will be paid promptly, and the dividend payments will be continued as heretofore.

Until further notice, I would ask you to continue to make the collections of this Association at the compensation heretofore paid you, and have all checks or drafts made payable to the order of the Association, when sending your remittance.

Yours respectfully, Arthur F. Saxton, Special Deputy Supt. of Insurance.

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DESCRIPTIVE OF THE LIFE OF YOUR UNCLE SAMUEL'S DIET BOYS—TOLD BY SERGEANT E. HEMP.

The word discipline in the means law, and a very stern at that. Army Regulations require this law to be administered with firmness and kindness by those in authority, that justice be given every officer and soldier in the service. In some cases these regulations are slightly modified or increased where circumstances warrant it. All realize the importance and necessity of this discipline, not only our protection but for our benefit. If a soldier was permitted to at his superior officer, or make an affront every time he was corrected we would have a mob in place well regulated army, and in time war, who could rely on a mob? The punishment for a breach of regulations, ranges anywhere from a few days confinement in the guard house to life imprisonment, even death in some cases. In of war the penalty is of course severe in such instances as deserting on post, or behaving in a disloyal manner. Any of these sure to bring about the offender's death in payment for the crime.

There has been a big change in the pay of the army during the few years. The War Department came to the conclusion that in order to keep good men in the army they must pay them according to their service, therefore, the standard pay of thirteen dollars with but a few dollars increase for non-commissioned officers is a thing of the past. The private's pay at the present time is fifteen dollars with three dollars additional per month for each re-enlistment.

The most noticeable change in the case of non-commissioned officers who now receive from one to one hundred dollars per month according to rank and service.

Every spring the company goes on target range for one month. Each soldier has an allowance of \$12.50 worth of ammunition furnished him by the government, also a fine range to over with every advantage and for known to the science of marksmanship, which is provided with the intention of helping the soldier qualify himself as high as possible. There are three qualifications for increase his pay during the term of his enlistment, as Marksman, two dollars per month, Sharp shooter, three dollars, Expert Rifleman, five dollars. Presented with a silver badge representing his qualification.

The clothing allowance is for three years. The amount each soldier is kept in the

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