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PERSONALS

Robert Dean was in Wellsville, Friday.

Mrs. H. W. Ward is at Cuba Lake this week.

Floyd Richardson was a caller in town, Sunday.

J. M. Brundage was a week-end visitor in Buffalo.

Mrs. Elizabeth Bess passed Saturday in Hornell.

Frank Burrows was a business caller in Hornell, Tuesday

Frank Maitland of Allentown, was a caller in town, Sunday.

John Casey and son, Frances, were Friday visitors in Wellsville.

Martin Strickland of Wellsville, was a Sunday visitor in town.

Mrs. J. S. Phillips of Hornell was a visitor in town, Wednesday.

Frank Horan was a business caller in Wellsville, Saturday evening.

Edward Murphy of Wellsville, was a business caller in town, Tuesday.

Mrs. U. W. Stratton is passing a week with Elm Valley relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. James Cannon were business callers in Hornell, Tuesday.

Mrs. Adrian of Wellsville, has been visiting Mrs. R. A. Pease, this week.

J. S. Phillips and children of Hornell, were Andover visitors, Sunday.

Miss Elizabeth Gallagher was the guest of friends in Hornell, Saturday.

Miss Bessie McManus was at her home in Hornell Saturday and Sunday.

Horace Williams and his two daughters motored to Wellsville, Friday.

Carl Hopkins of Almond, was a business visitor in Andover, Wednesday.

Wm. Sheldon of Alfred attended the minstrel show here, Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Gallagher of Salamanca, were callers in town Monday.

Rev. H. D. Bacon was calling on Andover friends the last of last week.

Dean Horan of Wellsville, was a Sunday guest of his father, Henry Horan.

D. Lee Baker came to Andover, Saturday, for a visit with Andover relatives.

Mrs. R. B. Burrows was in Friendship, Monday, in the interest of suffrage work.

Porter Richardson, Leo Raufenbarth and Ligouri Lynch were Sunday callers in Hornell.

Mrs. Floyd Mulholland and two sons are guests of Perry, N. Y., friends for two weeks.

Dr. F. E. Comstock of Wellsville, was in Andover on professional business, Saturday.

Miss Jessie Bloss and Lawrence Hunt of Wellsville, were Sunday visitors in Andover.

Mrs. T. F. Kelley and family of Salamanca, are guests of her mother, Mrs. Ellen Regan.

Miss Kathryn Doran of Canisteo, was a Sunday guest of her mother, Mrs. Eliza Doran.

Mr. and Mrs. Hartrum of Baker street, entertained company from Wellsville, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Kramph of Olean, were week-end guests at the home of P. Mulcahy.

Geo. Moses, of the Andover Silk Company, is spending a few days with his brother, in Geneva.

Miss Ella Riley of North Main street, is visiting her brother, John Riley, of Genesee, Pa.

Mrs. Geo. McAndrew and sons were calling on friends in Alfred one day the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Richardson and son, Max, left Monday evening for New York and vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. Marcy of Buffalo, were guests the first of the week, of her mother, Mrs. Rourck.

Rev. R. O'Brien of Wellsville, was in attendance at the Lyceum play in Andover Friday evening.

Miss Alice Clarke was visiting her sister-in-law, Mrs. Betsey Clarke, at Alfred Station, Tuesday.

Miss Grace Smith of Hornell, was the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Smith, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Stephens and Miss Mary White were Hornell and Canisteo visitors, Monday.

Postmaster and Mrs. Wm. O'Connell autoed to Wellsville, Friday evening to attend the Carnival.

Miss Carolyn Hincher started Monday morning for a few weeks vacation at Thousand Island Park.

Miss Anna Snyder, of Elm Valley, is visiting her brother and other friends in Rochester, this week.

Geo. Cummings was called to his home in Eldred, Pa., Friday, on account of the illness of his sister.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Van Houghton of Canisteo, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Gray, Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sullivan and son, Bruce, started for their home in Albany by motor, Tuesday morning.

W. F. O'Connell of Antrim, Pa., was visiting Mr. and Mrs. Edward Cable, a few days the first of the week.

Fred Rice of Wellsville, was in Andover Sunday, delivering a new Studebakar car to Henry Horan of this place.

Mrs. Loren Prince of Shingle House, Pa., is the guest of Mrs. Sarah Burbanks, to-day, Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. F. W. Burrows went to Friendship, Thursday, to pass two weeks visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Donigan.

Colin D. McCarn starts to-night for Ithaca, where he will take a short course at Cornell University in poultry husbandry.

Dell Clair and B. S. Baker have been visiting John, Moses and Isaac Baker, at Coudersport, Pa., several days this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Forest Geo. were called to Stanards Thursday to attend the funeral of his grandmother, Mrs. Peter Gostley.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Earley and daughters of Rochambeau Ave., and nephew, Ray Corwin, of Michigan, visited Rock City, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Barrett of Corwin Hill stock farm, entertained Mr. and Mrs. Pardon and other friends from Buffalo, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Dodge returned Tuesday from Bolivar, and vicinity, where they were visiting relatives and friends, several days.

Miss Nellie Lynch, who has been teaching at Lackawanna, the past year, is passing the vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Lynch.

Mrs. D. W. Driscoll of Wellsville, and sister, Mrs. Helen Jackson of St. Genevieve, Mo., were guests of Mrs. Edward Cable, Saturday and Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. F. M. Baker are entertaining Mrs. Baker's sister, Mrs. Prof. T. W. Stewart, daughter, Jean, and son, Kenneth, of Big Flats, N. Y.

Lloyd Robinson returned Wednesday morning from Wellsville, where he has successfully completed his course in the Wellsville Training Class.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Graves and daughter, Dorion, of Panama, N. Y., were visiting their daughter, Mrs. J. C. Lever, the past week, returning home Tuesday.

Prof. Wm. Randall, of New York City, arrived in Andover Tuesday morning to pass a portion of his vacation guest of his parents, Rev. and Mrs W. H. Randall.

Robert Stout returned Friday night, to New York City, after nearly three weeks visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Stout, and Andover relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Noble and daughters, Bessie and Alice, were in Stanards, Thursday, to attend the funeral of Mrs. Noble's mother, Mrs. Petre Gostley.

E. A. Richardson was home from Walden, N. Y., over Sunday. He returned Monday, taking his family with him. They are soon to remove from Andover to Walden.

J. H. Faisant, Leo Raufenbarth, Dan Mulcahy and Herbert Snyder expect to make a trip to Hammondsport to see the Trans-Atlantic hydroplane, "America," to-morrow.

Monday R. Corwin went to Wellsville, to visit his uncle, Mr. A. W. Corwin and family. From there he will start Wednesday, July 1st for his home in Dewegiac, Mich.

Allen W. Corwin and family of Wellsville, and Mrs. D. P. Corwin of Andover, were calling on friends on Corwin Hill, Sunday p. m.

Quite a delegation of relatives and friends took the early train at Andover Wednesday a. m. of last week, and went to Glenwood, to attend the Mullen-McAndrew reunion.

Lou Bloss returned from Mexico, N. Y., Friday evening, for a week's visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Bloss, returning to-day to carry on the homeproject work in Mexico.

Harold D. Hardy, who has been attending the Michigan Agricultural College at Lansing the past year, is spending his vacation with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Roswin Hardy.

O. B. Trowbridge returned from Polaski, N. Y., Friday evening, for a week's visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Trowbridge, after which he will carry on the homeproject work in Polaski this summer.

Rev. and Mrs. H. B. Williams and son, Thomas, started on a three weeks vacation Wednesday morning. They will visit Mackinac, on Lake Michigan, Detroit and Cleveland, and later be guests of relatives in central and southern Ohio.

Rev. F. M. Baker is in Buffalo this week where the Conference Quartette have charge of a part of the music at the great International Epworth League convention. It is expected that 25,000 will be in line in the Fourth of July parade of the delegates.

M. J. Frazier left Sunday evening for his home in Waterbury, Conn. Mr. Frazier came to Andover four years ago to work in the Cutlery plant and has lived her since. His many Andover friends wish him much success in his future. Glenn Cheeseman accompanied him and will remain for a few week's visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Howe and their two children, Donald and Katherine, from Michigan, and Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Hayle of Clyde, N. Y., were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Geo. H. Beebe this week. They made the trip here in a large touring car. Wednesday morning they continued their trip to Clyde where they expect to remain for two weeks.

FAMILY REUNION

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Smith, Mr. and Mrs. John Streit and Miss Hope Speight attended the Smith reunion last Saturday, at Mills, Pa. It was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Smith. H. D. Rogers took the party in his auto. There were 80 of the relatives and friends present. A sumptuous dinner was served after which a fine program was given.

The next reunion will be held the last Saturday in June 1915, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Carey on Fox Hill, Pa.

Mr. Gerald Edwards and Miss Florence Edwards of Harrison Valley, photographed the group.

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TOLL BILL RESULT OF MEXICAN OIL FIGHT

England. Changed Attitude Toward Huerta in Return for Passage of Exemption Measure---Aid for Rebels.

(From the Buffalo Evening News)

Washington, July 7.—A most remarkable, and, if true, a most important circumstantial story has come to the News dealing with the Mexican situation and the reasons why President Wilson was so insistent that the Panama canal free-tolls should be repealed.

It will be remembered that in his message to Congress on this bill Mr. Wilson referred to diplomatic reasons considered by him of vital importance and which, in his opinion, required the passage of the repeal measure, and, although pressed by many influential men, including the members of the committee on foreign affairs in both the House and Senate, to give such reasons, he has never done so; at least, not publicly.

The report reaching the News is that the grave, diplomatic reasons which actuated Mr. Wilson had to do with the Mexican situation. According to the story the struggle in Mexico has been between Lord Cowdray on one side and the Rothschilds, on the other, over the Mexican oil and railway interests. Lord Cowdray and his friends were standing behind Huerta and the Rothchilds were backing Carranza through the Waters-Pierce Oil Company, which they are reported to control.

Brought Up Before

Lord Cowdray and his party were getting the best of it, and Sir Lionel Carden, the British minister at Mexico, was backing up Huerta, presumably with the knowledge and approval of the British government. The Rothschilds, disappointed at the lack of vigorous support for the Constitutionalists from the Wilson administration which they had been led to expect by their advices from Mr. Pierce, who was represented in Washington by Captain Sherbourne Hopkins, were on the verge of refusing to make further monetary advances to the Carranza-Villa party, when the tolls question was revived.

It will be remembered that Great Britain had brought this question up during the Taft administration and was apparently satisfied with free tolls for our coastwise commerce as long as the American ships carrying inter-country commerce paid tolls the same as those of other nations.

The Understanding

At the same time England was alive to the advantage of a repeal of the free-tolls provision. On the other hand the Rothschilds are reported as being heavily interested in the Hamburg-American line and possibly the North German Lloyd, the two great German ship companies.

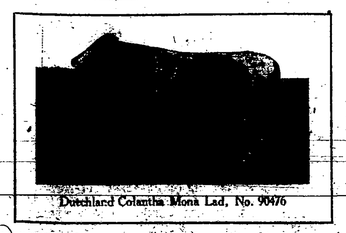
The proposition then framed itself up that the United Stae would repeal the law giving its coastwise shipping free passage of the canal, which would benefit both the English and the Germans, in return for which England was to change its friendly attitude toward Huerta and the Rothschilds were to loosen their purse strings for the Constitutionalists.

Repeal Bill Passes

Congress, under pressure from Wilson, carried out its part by passing the repeal bill. Sir Lionel was transfered from Mexico to Brazil and the present British minister has apparently acted in harmony with the Wilson policies, even to the extent of following our example and warning British subjects to leave Mexico. The Constitutionalists have, from some source or other, received a fresh and plentiful supply of funds which has enabled them to purchase all arms and ammunition they can use, which, in turn, through the kindness of this administration, they have been able to land in Mexico.

This story contains much self-corroborative evidence. Only recently it was authoritatively explained in the British parliament that England had not pressed the tolls question; that Mr. Wilson's insistence for repeal was voluntary.

Finally, England has been quiescent, permitting Mr. Wilson to handle the Mexican case in his own way, although British subjects have suffered loss of life and property.



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To illustrate what some of our Andover farmers are doing in the way of stocking their farms with pure-bred cattle we publish herewith the cut of Dutchland Colantha Mona Lad, owned by M. A. Crandall & Sons of Andover, [illegible] as ever-brother of the world's champion milk producing Jr. three-year-old [illegible] Colantha Mona, with a record of 33,845.6 pounds [illegible] in Association [illegible] a three [illegible] At any rate it is a remarkable story.

CHARLES H. MARTIN

A sad death occurred Friday evening at Swink's Hotel when Charles H. Martin died of heart and kidney troubles. Mr. Martin was salesman for the Toledo Scale Company, and traveled out of Columbus, Ohio, but his home was in Carroll, Ohio. He had been suffering with Brights disease for a number of years.

In August 1912 Mr. Martin married Jessie B. Carter, and they were visiting her mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Bess, when he was taken suddenly seriously ill, a week ago last Monday. Everything was done that was possible. Trained nurses administered to his comfort. Dr. Jack and Dr. Kelley of Hornell, was called in consultation with the local physicians but all without avail. The end came about 7 o'clock Friday night.

Besides his wife he leaves a brother, Edward Martin of Columbus, Ohio, and a sister, Mrs. F. K. Brown of Carrol, Ohio.

Funeral services were held at the Hotel Swink, Monday afternoon, Rev. H. D. Bacon of Portville, officiating. The funeral was private. The interment was in Valley Brook cemetery.

Those from out of town attending the funeral were Ex-Senator Gillette, of Columbus, Ohio; Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Ellis, of Arkport, N. Y.; Mrs. A. B. Knight and Mrs J. A Shaut, of Hornell and Germain Swink of Springville, N. Y.

BLODGETT—PAGE

Clarence L. Page and Miss Erma L. Blodgett, young people of Andover, were married on Friday evening, July 3rd, at the Baptist parsonage. The ring service was used and Rev. W. H. Randall officiated in the presence of a few friends.

The young couple will make their home in Andover.

CARD OF THANKS

The undersigned wish to thank the Andover police and city officials for their forethought and kindness in keeping the unusal noise, attendant on the Fourth of July, from annoying those in mourning at our home.

Mrs C. H. Martin
Mrs. E. M. Bess.

QUESTIONS THE NEWS KANSAS WHEAT STORY

Unfortunate Michigan Editor Cannot Understand the Bunker Crop Story--Never Saw Any Big Crops.

The Decatur (Mich.) Republican, in a recent issue, seems to question the veracity of some of the statements of our contributer, who recently sent us a story regarding the rapid growth of Kansas wheat. If the skeptical Michigan editor would take a little trip outside of his water-soaked, lumber woods county to the fertile fields of Kansas, or even good old Allegany County, New York State, he might "view with wonder and delight" crop that can but make a Michigan editor envious. Poor man, he isn't to blame; he undoubtedly never saw a real wheat crop! We admit that one has to see for himself some things before they become believable.

One thing, however, is evident from the Michigan scribe's musings,—we have him worried. He knows full well that Eli Hincher wouldn't stick to a thing, even a newspaper, unless it was good. The only wonder is that he has stuck to Michigan as long as he has.

We see it all now. Eli has been telling the Decatur editor something of the grandure and fertility of Old Allegany County farms, until the scribe has become nervous. "Ich gebibble."

Following, along side of and practically covering the entire page of the issue of the Republican in which it takes exception to our wheat story are advertisements of mortgage foreclosure sales, of poor Michigan property owners, undoubtedly farmers who have gone bad financially because of poor crops. No wonder the editor has mental jimjams, sleepless nights and fevered brows. He is wondering if the pumpkin crop, too, is going back on them, so he cannot swap subscriptions for pumpkins.

The Michigan editor, because of his environment, cannot appreciate a bunker crop story, without questioning it, but he can write. His criticism of the News' story is so clever that we want all our readers to enjoy it, so we give it entire. Here it is:

BETWEEN NEW YORK AND KANSAS

Question of Veracity Which May Be Left to Wilson and Huerta For Peaceful Settlement

Back in Andover, New York, where Eli Hincher lived before he got his eyes open and moved to Michigan, a patient country editor prints the Andover Weekly News, just the same as likewise here.

Mr. Hincher has taken the News fifty years and it sticks to him now like a mortgage to a farm of creamy soil. He couldn't drop it and it couldn't drop him.

Last week the News went out to Hutchinson, Kansas, and picked up such a remarkable piece of information that it has to say right out in the beginning that it was a true story to get it's New York patrons to believe it. The statement would not have been necessary to us Michigan readers.

According to the paper an exploring party from the Agricultural department at Washington became lost in the wheat fields of Barton, Co. It was made up of officials of the Department sent out to investigate the conditions of Kansas wheat.

The party had not been heard of in nearly a week and grave fears were entertained that they had found wheat graves in the immense fields. A relief expedition was sent out.

The foregoing allegation is susceptible of two elucidations, the officials of the Agricultural Department made the fatal error of attempting to enjoy the junket themselves instead of sending subordinates who had seen wheat fields before, or it is a piece of simon pure fabrication sent back to New York by rapacious real estate vendors to entice the innocent easterner to the Sun Flower grasshopper state. At any rate it is a remarkable story and the Andover News will get credit for spreading a large amount of hot air if it is not taken seriously.

COMPLETED COURSE

Successful Year's Work at Alfred Agricultural School

The New York State School of Agriculture at Alfred University, Alfred, New York, closed its first spring term Friday, June 26th. In the past the school year has closed about April first, but this year arrangements have been made so that a spring term is held and students may complete the course in three years of six months each or in two years of nine months each, as they may elect.

The following students completed their work this spring:

H. F. Bowles, New York City; H. F. Bowles, New York City; Mrs. Amy Buck, Canisteo, New York; R. S. Griffiths, Burlington Flats; Mis Mary Ingalls, Hornell, New York; Miss Alma Lytle, Angelica, New York; R. W. Ormsby, Alfred, N. Y.; Robert Morehouse, Pine Island; John Sanford, Little Genesee; Earl Sardeson, Ferdonia, New York.

TAKES UP REAL ESTATE

Chas. Whitwood Buys Interest in Allegany County Real Estate Agency

Charles L. Whitwood, of Friendship, formerly a drug clerk in Andover, recently purchased W. J. Henderson's interest in the Allegany Co. Real Estate Agency in Bolivar. Mr. Whitwood has also taken over Mr. Henderson's fire insurance agency. The deal was closed on Monday.

Mr. Whitwood is now manager of the real estate agency, with an office in the Mason block. The other members of the real estate firm are A. J. Matson and W. L. Nichols.

WHEN THE LIGHT CAME

"Since the Suffrage convention met in our town," said a factory worker in a certain county in New York State, "great things have happened in our factory."

"What was that?"

"The morning after the convention when we went to work we found 'Votes for Women' written on a window that hadn't been washed for twenty years. The foreman was mad and he washed it off. The next morning we found 'Votes for Women' written in the dust on another window. The foreman was madder than ever and again washed it off. The third morning, when we went to work we found someone had written 'Victory—November, 1915.' The foreman was so furious that he ordered all the windows washed.

"'Well—what happened?'

"Then the light streamed in."

The suffragists were pleased with Speaker Clark's reply to their appeal, and disappointed if not chagrined by the President's reply to the same question. The position taken by the President was, however, substantially the same as that taken by the Speaker. Mr. Clark said he favored suffrage for women and when that question was submitted in Missouri he would support it. President Wilson said: "It is my conviction that this is a matter for settlement by the States and not by the Federal government." Both men are State rights Democrats, and both stand on the Baltimore platform which denounced as usurpation the efforts to deprive the States of any of the rights reserved to them and to enlarge and magnify by indirection the powers of the Federal government. That doctrine is as old as the Democratic party.

CANNON EXPLODES; CHILD IS INJURED

Hornell, July 5.—Dewey Mess, the 11-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Mess, residing at 40 Catherine street, was quite seriously injured yesterday when his improvised cannon exploded, tearing an ugly hole in his thigh and causing other severe injuries. He had been using a piece of iron pipe as a cannon, collecting his powder from firecrackers, and then stopping both ends with plugs, would use a hammer to set it off. A physician was immediately summoned, and all measure possible were taken for the prevention of tetanus. It is thought that unless other complications set in the child will recover.

THE RETURN OF PROSPERITY

Democrats See Evidences of Good Times Just Ahead---Republicans Fail to See the Business Boom.

There was another prosperity debate in the Senate to-day. Democratic Senators are discovering as the fall campaign approaches that business conditions are getting better and that the country is entering on a period of tremendous commercial activity, with attendant financial returns.

Republican Senators, on the contrary see nothing but trouble as they approach the biennial campaign which involves so much in political future to them.

The Democratic Senators to-day made response to the so-called "calamity bowlers." They declared that business conditions in the United States at present are better than they are anywhere else in the world. Reports from various sections of the country were quoted to prove these assertions. The fact was noted that a new tube plant had been established at McKeesport, Pa., and that the Singer Sewing Maching Company, which has heretofore declared a vacation of two or three weeks each summer, closing down its plant in New Jersey, would limit the vacation this year to one week due to press of business.

Senator Simmons, chairman of the finance committee and joint author with Representative Underwood of the new tariff law, caused to be read a letter from Secretary McAdoo, congratulating him upon the successful revenue results of the new tariff act.

"I heartily congratulated you on the result of the operations of the new tariff and income-tax laws for the fiscal year just ended," wrote Secretary McAdoo. "After paying all ordinary disbursements of the government there was a surplus of $33,784,452 and after paying all the Panama canal expenditures for the year, there was a deficit of only $1,010,058. These figures are subject to revision upon an analysis of complete returns."

Senator Gallinger, leader of the Republicans expressed gratification which was not reflected in his countenance after the reading of the letter. He was glad, he said, to know that the figures were so satisfactory.

WOMANS MISSIONARY SOCIETY

The W. F. M. S. of the M. E. church will hold its regular meeting in the church next Tuesday, July 14th and part of the time will be devoted to a memorial service for our departed sister, Mrs. Brown. Hope there will be a goodly number present.

TO CLOSE ROAD.

Within a few days it will be necessary to close Chestnut Street on account of the new pavement. It will be closed for some six weeks or more.

RURAL PROGRESS

Conference Will Be Held at New York State School of Agriculture At Alfred University, August 24-25, 1914

The purpose of the Agricultural School is to improve the home and community as well as the fields and farm. A conference on Rural Progress will help to find the facts regarding the condition of the rural community and the home and will enable rural leaders to base their action on these facts. The places on the program will be filled by men who have earned a reputation for doing things which have resulted in advancement of conditions in the country. Pres. Clark of Salem University, Dean Fiske of Oberlin University and other rural leaders will instruct the conference. It is intended to make the meeting a general annual rally for better homes, better schools, better churches, better farm incomes and better farmers in Southern New York. All are invited. There will be good ideas for everyone. Arrange the summer vacation to attend the First Annual Conference on Rural Progress to be held at Alfred, August 24-25, 1914.

ADDITIONS TO THE MERCY HOSPITAL NEARLY COMPLETE

Are Adding a Children's Ward to St. James' Hospital—Nurses' Home Also Enlarged

Hornell, July 6.—The new addition to the nurses' home is now practically complete, and the new apartments are certainly very cozy and comfortable, materially enhancing the happiness of the young ladies who make their home there. The appearance of the grounds is also considerably improved by the new structure.

A portion of the veranda has been walled in, to allow more ward space on the first floor. Another important feature is the addition of a children's ward. The pavilion in the rear of the brick structure is undergoing changes and room will be made for a children's ward. Heretofore it has been necessary for the student nurses to spend three months' time in the Women's and Children's Hospital at Buffalo to obtain practical work in this particular feature. However, in the future, this inconvenient absence of three months will not be necessary and the entire training can be secured in Hornell.

SILVER LAKE INSTITUTE

The seventh annual session of the Silver Lake Institute for young people, held at Silver Lake Assembly, will open this year on July 17th and extend through until July 26th.

The purpose of this institute is to bring together a crowd of young people, who have some desire to fit themselves for work in the League and Church; to aid them in finding God's place for them in the work to which they have been called. At the same time an outing is provided, which is of great benefit to them physically, and it will prove a fellowship that they will long remember. The work covers all the different departments in the League and Church besides the Boy Scouts and Campfire Girls work.

The faculty is composed of clergymen and women interested in the league work who are taken from the Genesee Conference.

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