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LOCAL AND GENERAL.

NEIL BURGESS.

MONDAY was a beautiful day.

RALPH BINGHAM, Tuesday evening.

SECURE your seats for Widow Bedott.

UNTIL Lent is over, weddings are not fashionable.

THIS is thought a good time to clip grape vines.

ST. PATRICK'S day in the morning will soon be here.

WIDOW BEDOTT Monday evening next, at Mercur Hall.

THERE are several persons sick of diphtheria at Grover.

THE knowing ones predict a good fruit crop next summer.

SUBSCRIBE for the REPORTER and get all the home news.

THERE is nearly twelve hours of daylight in each day now.

SMITH BROTHERS have purchased H. Elsbree's milk route.

SERVICES will be held each day during Lent in Christ Church.

THE new bank building at Athens is nearly ready for occupancy.

ADAM STEMBURG has purchased the "Watts Island" at this place.

THE small-pox scare appears to be subsiding throughout the country.

TEMPERANCE Meeting at the M. E. Church this (Wednesday) evening.

C. L. TRACY lost a valuable horse Sunday night. It died of "pink-eye."

RALPH BINGHAM, the Boy Orator, at Mercur Hall, Tuesday evening next.

NEIL BURGESS as "Widow Bedott," Mercur Hall, Monday evening, March 6.

THE peach prognosticating fiend starts out with the assurance of a fine prospect.

CONSIDERABLE matter prepared for this department is unavoidably crowded out.

THE crossing between the Ward House and the *Argus* building should be repaired.

LEMON juice, in warm water, taken twice or thrice a day, is said cures rheumatic gout.

ANOTHER year of peace for the ward politician. He can join Vennor and the ground-hog.

LAPORTE had a thunder shower, a snow storm and its Borough election on Tuesday of last week.

JOSEPH A. BELL has been appointed Post Master at East Troy, and T. B. Moore at Passetts.

FIVE hundred feet of new hose has recently been purchased for the use of the Fire Department.

THE Presbyterian Sociable meets at the residence of James Macfarlane, Esq., this (Wednesday) evening.

THE letters of our correspondents at Troy and Sayre did not reach us in time for insertion this week.

THE Sunday schools at Burlington and West Burlington are reported as in a very flourishing condition.

THE $20 United States silver certificate has been counterfeited and the counterfeits are in circulation.

THE Canton *Sentinel* last week entered upon its twelfth year of publication. It never was better than now.

SAMUEL PALMER, of LeRaysville, has leased Amos Baldwin's farm in Pike, and will take possession April 1st.

DIPATHERIA it very prevalent in Owego. There were three deaths from it on one street in that village last week.

ALL the urchins have taken advantage of the mild weather and commenced the spring game of playing marbles.

IT looks now as if four persons would be convicted of murder in Susquehanna County at the next term of court.

THE census of 1880 ranks Pennsylvania third among tobacco growing States; Kentucky first and Virginia second.

THE Tunkhannock *Republican* is now printed from new type, which makes that excellent paper much more easily read.

FEBRUARY was a month of almost unparalelled mildness, notwithstanding the ground-hog predictions to the contrary.

RUMOR says that three children of Patrick Barrington, of South Waverly, are now sick with small-pox, in a mild form.

THE editor of the *Argus* has found the editorial pencil lost some months since. There were two original editorials last week.

CHURCH of the Messiah, (Universalist), Rev. O. L. Ashenfelter, of Jersey City, will preach next Sunday, morning and evening.

THE Cornet Band of Wyalusing will give a a grand concert in the Academy Hall, in that village, to-morrow, Friday, evening.

CONSTABLES elected on Tuesday of last week, should not fail in attending the special term of Court to be held on Monday next.

THE tanneries of Tioga County consume the bark from thirty-five acres of land every day, or ten to twelve thousand acres annually.

JUSTICES of the Peace will bear in mind that they must file acceptances in writing to the Prothonotary within fifteen days after their election.

BUSINESS was brisk at the Court House last week. Judge McCollom held court in the Court Room, and Judge Morrow in the Grand Jury Room.

THE next Presbyterian Sociable of Monroeton will be held at the house of Mr. J. M. Griggs, Tuesday evening, March 7th. All are invited.

—E. M. Farrar, of Orwell, gave us a pleasant call on Friday. He is the man who makes "leetle the nicest" maple sugar of any person in "these parts."

THE disease known as typhoid pneumonia prevails to a considerable extent in and about Owego. Several deaths have occurred from it within the last few days.

THE LeRaysville *Advertiser* says that Miss Laura Peck, a little girl of ten years, and daughter of Rev. L. Peck, has just finished piecing a quilt with 1340 pieces in it.

THE *Argus* man wants the Deputy Prothonotary put out. Better try putting him out yourself, Ashmun, it would be a good excercise and relieve your mind.

THE friends of Rev. A. W. Hood of Athens paid him a donation visit at the band room on Wednesday evening of last week, the amount received was nearly $30.

SAYS the Athens *Gazette* of last week: "There will be a meeting held at the school house at Greene's Landing, on Saturday, March 4th, for the purpose of taking up the matter of organizing a new township from Athens, Ulster and Smithfield. All interested are requested to be present."

SAMMY JEWELL and Percy Maxwell of Troy, lost their clothing etc., at the recent burning of the Chester Military Academy where they were attending school.

ROSENFIELD is now opening his spring stock of clothing. It is a very large and fine one, and he invites the public to call and inspect it. See his new ad in another column.

THE Post Office Department has ruled that no advertisement or hand-bill shall be allowed to be put on the wall or anywhere in a room the rent of which is paid by the government.

COL. OVERTON and N. C. Elsbree Esq., propose to put under cultivation about a hundred acres of cranberry marsh, situated on the Barclay Mountain, which they are the owners of.

A RECENT donation for the Rev. Alex MacGowen, pastor of the Baptist Church, Canton, held at the residence of Burgess Estell, in that village, netted the Rev. gentleman the sum of $100.

THE case of Brady vs. Lockwood, which has been in our courts for the past twenty-one years, was last week brought to trial and resulted in the jury finding a verdict in favor of the defendant.

THE prognostications are that we are to have an early spring; at least the meagre amount of frost in the ground will not require many warm days to get it into condition to commence plowing.

IT is rumored that several of the business places of Waverly will ere long start branch stores in Athens. Better have the main stores in Athens and the branches in Waverly, in our judgment. Athens is a growing town.

REV. C. H. MUTCHLER of the Reformed Church, having accepted a call from Overton Mission, will preach in the M. E. Church at Dushore on Sunday March the 6th, at 10½ o'clock A. M., and at Overton at 3, P. M.

HENRY SPEAR, an employe in the bridge shops at Athens, had both feet badly crushed Saturday, February 18th, by a large piece of iron falling on them. Fears are entertained that he may lose a portion of both.

ONE of the Owego Divines announced as the subject for his discourse the following: "The best man in Owego." All of the editors of that place attended, each one feeling impressed that he was the individual referred to.

SHERIFF DEEGAN, of Sullivan county, last week, brought back from New Jersey, Remsnyder, who was committed to jail in that county last summer, on a charge of highway robbery, but made his escape before his trial came on.

YOUNG Hickey, of Canton, who had his skull fractured and jaw broken by a kick from a horse two weeks since and who did not regain consciousness until four or five days after the accident, it is now thought will get well in time.

WHY does the mythical bear that came out and looked at the weather on Candlemass resemble a newspaper man? There is a conundrum that some of our contemporaries can wrestle with.—*Huntington Journal.* Because he cannot tell a lie.

THE revival meetings of the Waverly Baptist Church, which have been held since the "week of prayer," closed Thursday evening. About fifty have professed conversion. Seventeen have thus far been received into the church by baptism.

IT cost Pittston $828 to pay damages where a man received injuries by a fall upon a rotten sidewalk. There are pitfalls in Towanda ready to inflict personal injuries, and it is only the town's good fortune that accidents of a similar nature have not occurred.

A. W. WILSON, now a resident of this place, was employed as engineer and blacksmith at the oil well that was sunk between here and Alba some years ago, and he asserts equivocally that oil was found. Deeper drilling and torpedoes might have produced oil in paying quantities.—*Canton Sentinel.*

THE Wellsboro *Agitator* says: "We understand that Mr. A. S. Turner, of Elmira, has bought all the hemlock timber of Messrs. Hoyt Brothers, in Morris, and will at once build a large saw mill near Babb's. It is said that Mr. Turner will manufacture about twenty million feet of timber annually."

FRANK DALY, of Leona, has been putting new machinery in his carriage shop and fitting it up in first class order. Machinery from the shops of the Elmira State Reformatory has been procurred which will add largely to the productive power of Mr. Daly's establishment.

THE Dimock correspondent of the Montrose *Republican*, writing under date of Feb. 20th, says: "Oliver Gage of Standing Stone, left this place on Sunday last, rather mysteriously, without the knowledge of any one. He had some money, and it is feared he has been foully dealt with."

DURING Lent (until Holy Week,) services will be held at Christ Church as follows; Sundays, (except the first Sunday of the months,) Holy communion at 9 a. m.; other services as usual; Mondays, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays, evening prayer at 4 p. m.; Wednesdays, Matins and Lenten Reading at 11 a. m.,

THERE is much excitement, and a prospect of considerable trouble over the result of the recent election in South Waverly. The bridge party elected their entire ticket by fourteen majority. It is now understood that warrants have been issued, and nine of those who voted in favor of the bridge will be arrested for illegal voting.

ON a clear evening during this month the heavens present their most magnificent display. Jupiter, Mars, Saturn, and Venus, are visible, while in the southern part the bright star Sirius, the grand constellation Orion, the Hyades and Pleiades are all on a line westward; in the north the Polar star with the brilliant constellations add to the lustre of the view.

THE Literary Society of the Graded School elected the following officers for the ensuing term on Monday evening:

President—Martin Bunn.
Vice President—Harry L. Burns.
Secretary—Benj. Kuykendall.
Treasurer—Guy Peck.

The Society meets Monday evenings.

THE Waverly correspondent of the Elmira *Advertiser* sent that paper the following under date of Saturday last: "It is reported that Miss Place died quite suddenly at her residence near this place, Wednesday. It was her birthday, and arrangements had been made for an extensive social occasion at her residence that night. Miss Place moved from Towanda about a year ago."

THE matinee, yesterday, was very largely attended, and at night the opera house was crowded—not even standing room after the curtain rose. At both entertainments the audience was delighted beyond measure. Neil Burgess and his company will be sure to halt at Toledo on their return from the Pacific coast, and a royal reception will await them.—*Toledo Commercial, May 23d.*

Two barns and a tool house on the premises of Seth Bacon, Delmar township, Tioga county, were destroyed by fire on the 17th. About 16 tons of hay, 50 bushels of buckwheat, a ton of feed and a lot of implements were burned in the buildings. Mr. Bacon estimates his loss at $2,000, upon which there was an insurance of $1,300. The fire is believed to have been accidental.

ONE of the largest audiences ever assembled in Mercur Hall, was that of Monday evening, to witness the production by Gorman Church Choir Company, of Gilbert and Sullivan's "Patience." In our judgment the piece is not equal to Pinafore, yet it is nevertheless amusing, and contains many sharp hits at the aesthetic lunacy. Although the solo singing was not remarkable, the choruses were excellent, and the acting, for "church choirists," very good. We believe the audience, as a whole, were pleased with the entertainment.

BECAUSE we published a brief extract from an editorial in the Tunkhannock *Worker*, the editor thereof says we have been laboring under a "severe attack of diamphoolishness!" We acknowledge the corn; and had we printed the whole article from which the extract was taken, we have no doubt our readers would be at the present time clamoring for our incarceration in an insane asylum.

A. C. ELSBREE is building several new houses in Athens.—REPORTER. Correct, with one exception: Alec is building no new houses in Athens, although he couldn't do better with his heaps of money. Seth Elsbree, one of our most energetic boys, has built four new houses, and has bought a lot on West Bridge street and will build three more this spring. Such men are worth something to a town.—*Athens Gazette.*

JOHNNY WATKINS, a little son of Clarence Watkins, of Greene's Landing, came near being seriously injured on Thursday last, says the Athens *Gazette* of Saturday. He was with his grandfather in the woodyard and by some means a pole rolled from the pile and swung around striking the boy knocking him down and bruising his face severely. Fortunately he fell in a depression which prevented the stick from crushing out his life.

THE next lecture in the Institute course will be given by Prof. E. C. Eldridge of Elmira. His theme will be Art. Long study on this subject in this country and Europe especially fit him for its discussion. Competent judges have pronounced his addresses very fine. We trust a large audience will greet him. The lecture will be on Monday evening March 6th, at 7:30 p. m. The lecture like others of the kind will be fine.

AN infant child of Peter Welch, of South Waverly, died of small pox Tuesday afternoon, and was buried that night. Mrs. Welch, the mother of the child, is dangerously ill of the dread disease and recovery is very doubtful. The family are in poor circumstances but the authorities have secured two nurses for them and render them all necessary assistance. The three children of Patrick Barrington who have been ill of the disease, are doing well.

S. N. HAVENS, editor of the Blossburg *Register*, narrowly escaped a journey "beyond the river," one day last week. The Wellsboro *Agitator* gives the following particulars: Not feeling well, he went to the drug store of Dr. Ingham and called for some medicine. It was put up accordingly and laid on the counter. On leaving, he picked up the wrong package, carried it home and took a dose, and, but for the timely aid of a physician, Mr. Havens would probably have "passed in his checks."

THERE has heretofore existed a prejudice against "snow ice" in favor of clear ice, which would seem from a test reported by an exchange to be not very well founded. It says that two cakes of equal size, one of "snow ice" and the other of clear ice, were placed in a tank of water to dissolve. The cake of snow ice lasted three hours longer than the cake of clear ice. From that test it would look as though ice harvesters had been rejecting as worthless that which is really the most lasting.

BY special request, Ralph Bingham, the Boy Orator, will visit this place again on Tuesday evening next, March 7th. Mercur Hall has been secured for the entertainment, and no doubt will be well filled. The programme of readings and recitations will be entirely different from that rendered by Master Ralph on his previous visit here. The price of admission will be 35 cents, no extra charge for reserved seats. Children under 12 years of age 25 cents. Tickets for sale at Kirby's.

SAYS the LeRaysville *Advertiser* of last week: "John Foster, an employe of Jas. Marsh, while rolling logs on Saturday last, accidentally let the log roll back on his leg, and in which position he was unable to extricate himself. He yelled to the full capacity of his voice when Miss Hattie Marsh came to his rescue, and released him from his uncomfortable position. Mr. Foster got terribly squeezed, (by the log we mean) and we are glad to say that he is able to hobble about.

ON Wednesday evening of last week ex-Sheriff VanFleet, J. P. Keeney, Esq., and George Fairchild, escorted Mrs. Susan Mann, William Brown, Sherman Bradley, and Judson McCarrick, to Cherry Hill, near Philadelphia. The last named four will be guests of the Eastern Penitentiary for a number of months in the future. Mrs. Mann for four years and one month; Mr. Brown, one year and three months; Mr. Bradley two years and six months, and Mr. McCarrick two years and one month.

IT is amusing, says the Elmira *Advertiser*, to watch a man when he is about to work off a punched coin with a hole filled with tin foil. He takes it from the handy place where he recently deposited it and throws it down, while his eyes wander far off in another direction. The surprise depicted on his countenance when the defect is pointed out is painful to witness. He wonders where he got it and fumbles around for another piece, which undergoes a scrutiny quite in contrast with his former snap froid.

SATURDAY, the 18th inst., was a day, prolific in accidents for the Afwaga A gricultural Works at Owego, as three of its employes were injured on that day; Frederick B. Gould, had his right hand caught in a belt. The forefinger of his hand was broken and the flesh of the second finger was crushed. Earl Ferguson cut a deep gash, three and one-half inches long, in his wrist with a knife, with which he was whittling a stick. Frederick Van Gorder, had his hand caught in the machinery and injured.

THE Grand Army Boys of this place, commemorated Washington's Birthday, by "lighting a camp fire" at Military hall on Wednesday evening of last week. Capt. Witt presided and Comrade Albert delivered an address appropriate to the occasion. He was followed by Senator Davies and Col. H. B. McKean. The familiar camp-fire song "Beans," was sung and then beans, hard tack and coffee were served. The occasion was a very pleasant one to all present. Comrade Albert's address has been solicited for publication.

SOLDIERS' GRAVE STONES.—The United States government is now prepared to furnish neat marble grave stones, free of charge, for all soldiers of the late war who died prior to Feb. 3, 1876, and whose graves are not already marked. The names of all such whose graves are located at Towanda or surrounding townships should be sent to Capt. Geo. V. Myer of this place immediately, with the following information: Soldier's full name, age when killed or died; date of death, rank, company and regiment, name and location of cemetery in which buried.

THE return of Widow Bedott to this house is one of the events of the season. In the impersonation, Mr. Neil Burgess certainly has no equal. The sallies of laughter which nearly every moment break from the audience at the expression of features, or of speech by the Widow, fully attest the great pleasure afforded by the performance. Mr. Burgess is supported by his own company. Mr. Stoddart deserves a goodly share of honor for his artistic impersonation.—*Boston Post, December 21st.* Will appear at Mercur Hall, Monday evening, March 6th. Tickets may be had and seats reserved at Kirby's.

THE dwelling house of C. L. Squires, of Pike, was destroyed by fire on Friday night, the 17th. It is supposed to have caught from a spark of fire snapping from the stove into some shavings which were in front of the stove. The LeRaysville *Advertiser* says Mr. Squires was away from home at the time, and Mrs. Squires and the children slept up stairs. They were awakened by suffocation from the smoke, and Mrs. Squires, who is always thoughtful, at once tied a sheet to the children and let them down from the chamber window, and she slid down a plank which was placed there by Barbara Garris, the hired girl—thus all escaped without injury. Nearly all of the household goods were destroyed, and the loss largely exceeds the insurance.

THERE were very interesting and entertaining services at the Graded School house, in this place, on Wednesday of last week, that were listened to by a large and appreciative audience. The services were in memory of Washington and Longfellow, and were held in the high school room, which was appropriately and tastefully decorated for the occasion. The programme was somewhat lengthy but well sustained throughout. Rev. Dr. Taylor, delivered an address in the afternoon on Longfellow. In richness of thought; in beauty of word painting, and finish in illustration, it was one of the Reverened gentleman's best efforts, and was listened to with that close attention, by both adults and children, from beginning to edinng, that only denotes interest in an understanding of a speakers words.

A SULLIVAN county correspondent of the Tunkhannock *Republican* writes thus about the country in the vicinity of where the "Wyoming Oil Well," is being bored: "The portion of Colley township not on "the Mountain," lies along the upper waters of the Mehoopany creek. It includes a part of "Sciota Hollow," which is being made famous by the oil well recently bored. On one side of Sciota is the conical hill known as "Round Top" on the other side is the narrow, but high ridge, known as the "Tyler Mountain." This mountain was once covered with magnificent white pines and was the paradise of the shingle makers; for the owner of the land lived abroad and collected no rent. Those who love a fine prospect should visit this mountain on a fine day. From its northern brow it appears as if all northern Pennsylvania and a part of York State were visible. An interminable vista of hills and "wood and waters and the abodes of men," are spread out before the spectator. The eye is delighted and bewildered by the vast panorama. The Tyler divides Sciota from Colley Corners, which is the business centre of the township and the place where elections are held."

PERSONAL.

—Mrs. Henry Walbridge is quite ill.

—R. S. Thurber is ill with rheumatism.

—Sheriff Horton is still confined to his room.

—Miss May Adams is visiting friends in Rochester.

—Ed. Walker has returned from his trip to Tennessee.

—Mrs. M. J. Long is visiting in Waterbury, Connecticut.

—Mrs. P. L. Hinman died in Elmira, Tuesday morning last.

—Miss Ida Blood, of Athens, is visiting friends in Albany N. Y.,

—Mrs. Delos Rockwell, of Troy, is visiting at W. A. Chamberlin's.

—Ola Heaverly has taken a position in the Citizens' National Bank.

—H. M. Allen, of this office, has been quite ill for several days past.

—Mrs. Clarence Hunt of Orwell, who has been dangerously ill of late is convalescent.

—Ex-Sheriff Van Fleet is assisting in the Sheriff's office during the illness of Sheriff Horton.

—Mrs. Henry Carpenter, of Athens, who has been ill for three months past, is convalescing.

—There is no truth in the reported illness of Mr. R. A. Packer, at his winter home in Florida.

—Rev. C. H. Wright, of the M. E. Church, has been a sufferer for some little time past from asthma.

—William Phelps, one of the oldest and most respected citizens of Smithfield township, died on Saturday night last, of pneumonia. This is the third death in the family since January 10th from the same disease.

—C. E. Terry, Esq., of the Tunkhannock *Democrat*, was one of the pleasant callers at our sanctum on Monday last. He is a genial, unassuming companion, and swings the quill on one of the neatest printed and best edited county papers in the State. Come in again.

—We had the pleasure of meeting Lieut. Califf, successor to Lieut. Adams, Quartermaster of the Regiment stationed at Tampa. He arrived on the Matchless Saturday in company with Lieut. Adams on a tour of inspection; also to relieve Lieutenant Adams. They both left here Thursday for Dry Tortugas; on their return Lieut. Adams will take the first steamer for Plattsburg N. Y., the scene of his new duties. During the five years that Lieut. Adams, has been stationed on this coast he has won a host of friends who sincerely regret his departure, but as duty calls him away, we know no man whom we would be better pleased to see occupy his position than Lieut. Califf who is a most worthy successor to a tried and trusty man.—*Key West Democrat*

KILLED BY THE CARS.

Thomas Whitney, a resident of this place, employed on the State Line and Sullivan Railroad as brakeman, met with an accident on Saturday morning last that resulted in his death. Just before reaching the summit this side of Dushore, Mr. Whitney attempted to set a brake on a car, when the chain broke and he fell to the ground, striking against the bank along the track, and rolling under the cars, a wheel cutting one of his legs off near the thigh. He was not seen to fall by any one, and was not missed until the train arrived at New Albany station, when Conductor Lull telegraphed the facts to the agent at Dushore, Mr. Blair, who immediately started in search of the missing man. The injured man was found by Mr. Blair in the wagon road, where he crawled from the track after being hurt, but it was an hour or more after he was injured, and he was nearly exhausted from loss of blood. He was at once removed to a hotel at Dushore, and his parents who reside in this place immediately hastened to him, Superintendent Blight kindly furnishing them a special train. Everything possible was done for his relief, but he gradually declined until about one o'clock, Sunday morning, when he was mercifully relieved by death before reaction from paralysis to the system had taken place, so that he suffered no pain, while his mental faculties were clear and keen. He recognized his consciousness and explained the cause of the accident as above. The remains were brought to this place on Sunday morning by special train, and interred in the Wysox Cemetery on Monday afternoon. The deceased was the only child of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Whitney, who reside corner of Locust avenue and Cherry street. He is spoken of by those who knew him well, as having been a dutiful son, and an exemplary young man.

AT a regular meeting of Columbia Grange held Feb. 22d, 1882, the following Resolution were adopted:

Whereas death has invaded our ranks and removed one of our most highly esteemed and useful Brothers and whereas we as a Grange desire to place on record some token of our regard for the deceased Brother.

Resolved, That in the death of our Brother, Dummer Lilley, who departed this life on the 18th of February, we realize that Columbia Grange has suffered an irreparable loss and that one who added so largely to the enjoyment and profit of our meetings has been called from his sphere of usefulness here, to the reward which the Great Master above bestows upon those who faithfully discharge their duties in this life.

Resolved, That while we mourn our deceased Brother, our sorrows are allevinated by our faith that our loss is his inestimable gain, that having performed his labors faithfully, he is now permitted to enjoy that blissfulness which his active Christian life prepared him for.

Resolved, That we can best show our veneration for our Brother's memory by striving to emulate his many virtues and by a close devotion to the precepts of our order which were exemplified in his daily walk and word so dear to his heart.

Resolved, That as a Grange we tender to the bereaved widow and children our heartfelt condolence in this time of their great sorrows and affliction and point them for consolation to the only sure refuge of the afflicted, Him who hath said that he doth not willingly afflict or grieve the children of men.

Resolved, That the family of our deceased Brother shall ever be objects of our deepest solicitude and we commit them to Him who tempers the wind to the shorn lamb.

Resolved, That as a mark of respect the Charter of this Grange be draped in mourning and members wear their mourning badges during sessions for thirty days and those resolutions spread on the the minutes and published in the *Husbandman* and county papers.

Z. CONKLIN,
C. E. GLADDING, } Com.
J. B. EDSALL,

NOTICE.

The Sidewalk Sociable and Dance will be held in the "Barley Sheaf" hall, Ulster, on Friday evening March 3d. All are cordially invited to attend.

A BAD ACCIDENT.

On Saturday morning last, as Burley Chilson was assisting his father, Illiam Chilson,—who lives on the flats just below the Nail Works—in operating a power straw and stalk cutter, his hand was caught between the feed rollers of the machine and the hand and a portion of the forearm was drawn beneath the knives and cut into small pieces before the machine could be stopped. Dr. Pratt was called and at once dressed the wound and the young man is doing as well as could be expected. Young Chilson is about twenty years of age, and a very industrious and exemplary young man. A wide circle of friends will regret to hear that he has met with so serious an accident.

C. L. S. C.

The next meeting of the C. L. S. C. will be held at the residence of Mrs. J. E. Hitchcock on Pine Street, Friday, March 3d, at 7 p. m., The work of the evening will be a review of the first two chapters of Mackenzia's "XIX Century;" also the questions and answers on "XIX Century," from No. 1 to No. 25, inclusive, contained in March number of Chautauquan. Essays will be read as usual. All who are interested in the work of the C. L. S. C. are cordially invited to attend.

Mackenzia's "XIX Century" Seaside Library Edition can be found at Whitcombs book store.

MONROETON.

L. M. Hall, Esq., of Towanda, lecinred here on Wednesday evening last, on "The French Revolution." The lecture, though delivered in the midst of pressing demands of business, revealed a thorough investigation of the subject; discriminative insight into the character of the actors; and a right view of the origin, relations, and results of the revolution. The speaker entered into the spirit of his subject which is full of solemnity. He is a young man of great promise. Aside from his intellectual ability and training, he has an excellent voice, a fluent flow of choice language, earnestness of spirit, and a pleasing address.

This was the last lecture of the course. The table of our intellectual feast, which were well provided for at the commencement by Dr. Stewart, continued to be supplied with every variety of provisions in rich abundance to the last. As a committee, we sincerely wish to return our warmest thanks to all the speakers for their promptness and liberality. And we wish them God speed in their word.

IOAN ELWY.

COURT PROCEEDINGS CONTINUED

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 22, 1882.

Peter Brady vs. E. Lockwood, et al—Ejectment. Verdict for defendants. Reasons filed for a new trial.

Batt Golden vs. L. S. Gates—Appeal. Evans & Maynard for plaintiff; Peck & Overton for defendant. Verdict for defendant. Reasons filed for a new trial.

David Warner vs. Charles Coykendall, et al—Capias. Evans & Maynard and Rodney A. Mercur, Esq., for plaintiff; Peck & Overton and Arthur Head, Esq., for defendants. Verdict for plaintiff of $25. Reasons filed for a new trial.

Richard Bustin vs. W. F. Squires, et al—Scire facias. J. N. Califf and N. C. Elsbree, Esqs., for plaintiff; H. J. Madill, Esq., for defendant. Verdict for plaintiff of $111.75.

Wright Dunham vs. Elsworth Osborn, et al—Trespass. Case settled.

B. W. Lane vs. J. J. Griffith, et al—Scire facias. Rodney A. Mercur, Esq., for plaintiff; James Wood and James T. Hale, Esqs., for defendants. Verdict for plaintiff of $1,250.48.

Citizens' National Bank of Towanda vs. A. Conklin—Assumpsit. Peck & Overton for plaintiff; Gridley & Payne and Overton & Sanderson for defendant. Verdict for plaintiff of $164.92.

The First National Bank of Towanda vs. A. Conklin—Assumpsit. L. M. Hall and Rodney A. Mercur, Esqs., for plaintiff; Gridley & Payne and Overton & Sanderson for defendant. Verdict for defendant.

Pearson & Company vs. Atwood Jakway—Appeal. New trial refused.

May & Stern vs. M. Hendleman—Debt. Rule granted for a new trial.

In re the alleged lunacy of Watson Tripp. The jury find him a lunatic without lucid intervals. W. H. Russell appointed Committee.

Wesleyan Church vs. Samuel Powell, et al—New trial refused.

M. W. Wheelock vs. H. Williston's Administrator. E. D. Buffington, Esq., appointed an Auditor to distribute the fund.

H. B. Ingham vs. Cyrus Avery—Rule for a re-hearing refused.

Hiram L. Scott vs. Mary L. Scott—Case referred to L. Elsbree, Esq., Master and Examiner in Divorce.

Luther K. Comstock vs. Mary R. Comstock—Divorce granted.

Myres Armstrong vs. Dolly Armstrong—Court direct subpœna in divorce to be issued.

The following Sheriff's Deeds were acknowledged Saturday, February 20th, 1882:

To John J. Webb, for house and lot in North Towanda. Sold February 10, 1882, as the property of Michael Dermody. $200.

To John J. Webb, for lot in North Towanda. Sold February 10, 1882, as the property of Patrick Ryan. $20.

To Mahlon C. Gerould, for house and lot in Towanda Borough. Sold February 10, 1882, as the property of J. M. Mitchell. $1,110.

To Citizens' National Bank of Towanda, for house and lot and coal yard; also another house and lot all in Towanda Borough. Sold February 10, 1882, as the property of James H. Phinney. $1,610.

To Henry Streeter, for house and lot in Towanda Borough. Sold February 3, 1882, as the property of James H. and C. M. Phinney. $3,050. To N. H. Cowles, for house and lot in Towanda Borough. Sold February 10, 1882, as the property of D. V. Stedge. $1,000.

To Morgan & Moody's Administrators, for two lots in East Towanda. Sold February 10, 1882, as the property of John S. and Margaret Kennedy. $125.

To Ella J. Herrick, for lot of land in Athens Borough. Sold February 10, 1882, as the property of Edward Herrick. $100.

To E. T. Fox, Administrator, and N. C. Elsbree, for a farm in Standing Stone township. Sold February 10, 1882, as the property of S. T. and Sarah E. Bishop. $1,225.

To E. Overton, Jr., for one lot in New Albany Borough. Sold February 10, 1882, as the property of Thomas A. McCraney. $150.

To J. M. Pike and C. M. Canfield, for one lot in Athens township. Sold February 10, 1882, as the property of Abram Hunsicker. $1,200.

To Mary T. Long, for three lots in Troy Borough and township. Sold February 10, 1882, as the property of Fred A. Long. $10,080.

To William T. Davies, for house and lot in Towanda Borough. Sold February 10, 1882, as the property of C. C. Wood. $416.50.

To Edith C. Bullock, for two lots in Springfield township. Sold February 2, 1882, as the property of W. A. Bullock and J. F. Bullock, Administrator. $80.

To Denton G. Lindley, for one lot in Canton township. Sold February 10, 1882, as the property of David and Solomon Lindley. $70.

To Edward Overton, for one lot in New Albany Borough. Sold February 10, 1882, as the property of P. W. McDonnell. $10.

To Jesse Sumner, for 112 acres of land in Smithfield township. Sold February 2, 1882, as the property of John Bird. $650.

To Morgan and Moody's Administrators, for two lots in East Towanda. Sold February 10, 1882, as the property of J. P. Cunningkey. $75.

To Howard Elmer, for one lot in South Waverly Borough. Sold February 10, 1882, as the property of C. W. Farley. $70.

To George C. Atwood, for one lot in Wilmot township. Sold February 10, 1882, as the property of M. P. Frutchey. $80.50.

To S. F. Robinson, for one lot in Ridgbury township. Sold February 10, 1882, as the property of Milton E. Cooper. $100.

To Isaac N. Messinge, for one lot in Leroy Township. Sold February 10, 1882, as the property of Edward Folk. $10.

To James Foster, for one acre of land in Towanda Borough. Sold December 1, 1881, as the property of Hansom Bennett. $285.

To George Edminster, for house and lot in South Waverly Borough. Sold December 1, 1881, as the property of N. Edminster. $100.

To Francis A. Dimmick, for 52 acres of land in Orwell township. Sold December 1, 1881, as the property of S. G. Rockwell. $830.

BOROUGH AND TOWNSHIP OFFICERS.

Officers elected in the several Townships, Boroughs and Election districts in Bradford county, at the election held February 21st, 1882, as follows, to wit:

ARMENIA.

Judge of Election—W E Dymond.
Inspector—D W Bundell, C D Dymond.
School Directors—J D Becker, E K Rexford.
Justice of the Peace—Walter Bullard.
Constable—Elisha Smith.
Road Commissioner—Fidelis Biddle.
Assessor—B F Van Sickle.
Auditor—E G Covert.
Treasurer—G L Covert.
Town Clerk—G L Covert.

ASYLUM.

Judge of Election—Dwight Kellum.
Inspectors—O A Gilbert, Guy Benjamin.
School Directors—F N Dixon, Thos. Kingsley.
Constable—Mahlon Hicks.
Road Commissioner—E H DeLong.
Assessor—B C Chilson.
Auditor—Russel Miller.
Treasurer—H L Haight.
Town Clerk—Henry Westbrook.

ATHENS BOROUGH—OFFICERS AT LARGE.

Assessor—F A Allen.
Constable—Charles Fitzgerald.
High Constable—E F Jones.
Auditors—F L Kinner, for 3 years; J Lee March, 2 years; F K Wells, 1 year.
Justice of the Peace—John S Williston.
School Directors—Charles Kellogg, for 3 years; G T Page, 2 years; H F Maynard, 1 year.
Burgess—A. A. Prince.
Borough Council—E C Spalding, M R Heath, Geo. Van Campen, Mark Thompson, F A Gillett.
Overseers of the Poor—F T Page, D F Park.

ATHENS BOROUGH, WARD OFFICERS—FIRST WARD.

Judge of Election—P A Allen.
Inspectors—C W Clapp, Geo. Merrick.

ATHENS BOROUGH—SECOND WARD.

Judge of Election—D W Tripp.
Inspectors—J E Merritt, H F Maynard.

ATHENS TOWNSHIP—OFFICERS AT LARGE.

Assessor—Frank S Morley.
Auditor—Robert M Horey.
School Directors—N V Weller, Asahel Knapp, (Joseph H Harte, to fill vacancy)
Road Commissioners—Thomas Paul, W K Green.
Constable—I G Pratt.
Treasurer—Seeley Kinner.
Town Clerk—N F Walker.
Justice of the Peace—Geo. Campbell
Township Trustee in Academy, etc—Manson Elsbree.

DISTRICT OFFICERS—DISTRICT NO. 1.

Judge of Election—Chas Porter.
Inspectors—Joseph Morley, Frank Lincoln.
District Assessor—Arthur L Williams.

DISTRICT NO. 2.

Judge of Election—John Dailey.
Inspectors—Levi W McKewain, T H Randall.
District Assessor—LeRoy Thomas.

DISTRICT NO. 3.

Judge of Election—B F Coolbaugh.
Inspectors—B F McKinney, John Bosworth.
District Assessor—H W Thomas.

ALBANY TOWNSHIP.

Judge of Election—R H Richards.
Inspectors—Wm E Vandyke, Geo W English.
School Directors—C A Brown, J T Heated.
Constable—John M Jones.
Road Commissioner—H R Vanloon.
Assessor—James Terry.
Auditor—E L Benjamin.
Treasurer—J T Heated.
Town Clerk—C A Spear.

ALBA BOROUGH.

Judge of Election—Geo D Evans.
Inspectors—D M Reynolds, C S Wilson.
School Directors — William Goff, Chas D Crandall.
Constable—J S Reynolds.
Assessor—Chas. D. Crandall.
Auditor—Geo. Dewey and M L Packard each receiving the same number of votes.
Burgess—S Montgomery.
Councilmen—Geo W Carman, C C Hooker, James H Fellows, M L Packard, William Reynolds.

BURLINGTON.

Judge of Election—G B Wheeler.
Inspectors—H O Burnes, Omeara Nichols.
School Directors—P P. Burnes, W P Lane.
Constable—G S Travis.
Road Commissioner—D S Lenox.
Assessor—H H Allen.
Auditor—B K Goslin.
Treasurer—R S Lum.
Town Clerk—A Melville.

BURLINGTON WEST.

Judge of Election—W D Gamage.
Inspectors—D Ballard, Isaac Perry.
School Directors—O W Rockwell, James Darrow.
Justice of the Peace,—Arthur B McKean.
Constable—A Phillips.
Road Commissioner—B L Rockwell.
Assessor—C T Swain.
Auditor—John Blackwell.
Treasurer—I J McKean.
Town Clerk—Homer Rockwell.

BURLINGTON BOROUGH.

Judge of Election—Harman Kingsley.
Inspectors—I H Warner, S L Nichols.
School Directors—R Murdoch, S M Dickerman.
Constable—W M Lake.
Assessor—J R McKeeby.
Auditor—C A Ford.
Burgess—Job Morley.
Councilmen—B M Clark, Geo. Essenwine, Milton Rundell, J H Hill, Luman Parkhurst, William S Wright.

BARCLAY.

Judge of Election—Geo. Albine.
Inspectors—Wm. Dayton, Louis Thurston.
School Directors—Martin Lynch, Michael Coz, Jeremiah O'Keefe.
Constable—Patrick Timoney.
Road Commissioner—Timothy McAndrew.
Assessor—John N Carroll, William V Duggan, each receiving 102 votes.
Treasurer—J W Blakeslee.
Town Clerk—Wm. J Muney.

CANTON TOWNSHIP.

Judge of Election—A B Bassett.
Inspectors—Ezra Williams, R M Foster.
School Directors—C B Taylor, E E Hickcock.
Constable—Alfred Smith.
Road Commissioner—Shadrach Williams.
Assessor—Henry Matson.
Auditor—Charles Warren.
Treasurer—R G Brown.
Town Clerk—J N Beardsley.

CANTON BOROUGH.

Judge of Election—F. H. Warriner.
Inspectors—C W Hooper, O S Sackett.
School Directors—F A Owen, W S Lewis.
Justice of the Peace—John Meredith.
Constable—R Manley.
High Constable—E J O'Donald.
Assess