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### NEGRO IS TREED BY A DEADLY REPTILE.

Colored Heatler Found Clinging to Rafter Above Puff Adder-Says It Opened the Door.

New York .- There is a bullet hole in the floor of a stable at the West Chester police station; there are scratches on a rafter where a negro hostler tore away the wood in a rapid scramble upward, there is a vacant chair in a snake's den in the Bronx Zoological park, and there is a puff adder's grave-without a headnear the stable door. All these things are in evidence. So that when Schuyler Bruen, the hostler mentioned says he saw a snake the other afternoon no one shall gainsay or twit him. There is also to be had the testimony



THE SNAKE WAS NEATLY COILED UPON THE FLOOR

of Roundsman William Nesbitt, and it would be accepted in a court of record. of pleasure. for he saw the snake on the stable floor and the negro on the rafter, and it was his buflet that brought the adder down so that Bruen might come down. Nesbitt was going to the stable when

he heard inhuman yells and screams for something to "go away." Hurrying there he found a snake neatly coiled on the floor and Bruen aloft. The snake watched him so closely that Nesbitt had no difficulty in blowing his head off with a revolver The snake was a puff adder, about two and a half feet long.

"I was jes' rubbin' down th' hosses, said Bruen, after he had come down, when I hears a clattering at th' latch of th' door. I turns around, as as I does so th' door opens an' in walks that ar

"Opened the door, did he?" asked Nesbitt skeptically.

"All by hisself he done open dat door Bruen protested. "I was so all-fired ckart I dunno what I done, but I gave a yell and clum up to th' loft. Den I looks a comin' up th' ladder too. I lets out a yell again, and I dunno how I done it out I got up on dem rafters and clung on. Mr. Snake he wiggles underneath me an' tries to jump up. He couldn't reach, so he jen settled down to wait fer me to drop. All de while he was a-stickin' outen his tongue an' a-spittin' at me."

"How many?" began Nesbitt. "Not one, for sure," said Bruen.
"Nothin' fo' a week and nothin' no mo'."

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J. VERNON TEED, MANAGER

News matter intended for publication in the Waverly Department should be addressed to the manager at Hotel Snyder, Waverly. N. Y., where sub-scriptions will also be receipted for Our subscribers will confer a favor by notifying us if they do not receive the Record regularly.

Mrs. Mary Sharp is in Elmira today on business.

trip to Elmira today.

caller in town yesterday.

Bradford county fair today.

Special services at regular meetng of G. A. R. this evening.

Mrs H. H. Tozer was a guest yesterday of Elmira friends.

Many Waverlyites are attending he Bradford county fair this week.

Large line of knee pants from 15 cents up to \$1 at Freedman's, his subject in a most skillful man

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Case of Lincoln street are the happy parents of a brand new girl baby.

A fresh shipment of little neck clams and blue point oysters at Hopkins' today.

The heated W., S. & A. Traction cars have been appreciated by their patrons the past few evenings.

Up-to-date line of caps just re ceived. Look them over at B. Freedman's, Waverly.

Mr. and Mrs. Stever of West Newark, N. Y., are guests of friends in this city

Ask for the Regal \$3 hat, it is guaranteed. You will find them at B. Freedman's, Waverly. 120 4

Mrs. Frank Brabrook of Elmira,

on a hunting expedition last even-

Mrs. Patience Kruger of Van-Ettenville is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Smith on Clark

This is circus day at Sayre and large number from Waverly have forgotten business for an afternoon

The strong Crescent football team of this city have arranged a game with the Hobart college team at Geneva Saturday.

A gravel car on the W., S. & A Traction line was derailed on the high bridge vesterday afternoon delaying traffic for a short time.

W. H. Hopkins at the Oyster Bay is prepared to furnish customers with oysters by the pint, quart or gallon, opened while you wait.

Max A. Shoemaker, for the last four years an efficient clerk at Van down, and if dar wasn't Mr. Snake Atta's drug store, has gone to Albany where he will take a two years' course in Pharmacy.

> Mrs. Dr. Lewis Nagle of Park street is packing her household goods preparatory to moving to been established for more than two Newmanstown, Pa., where her husband has a lucrative position.

> Miss Pauline Leipziger has returned to her home in New York \$50,000. The establishment in quesafter a visit of several weeks at the tion seldom houses less than \$100,000 home of her sister, Mrs. Julius Sayles. The latter accompanied her and will remain in the metropolis a couple of weeks.

## Took Oath of Allegiance.

before it dries. three brand new citizens who were naturalized at Owego Monday before county Judge Howard J. Mead, assisted by county clerk William B Smith, they are: John Senette, John Mandan and Joseph Bruno, all residents of this city.

### Fight On In Earnest

Waverly- There is every evidence of a"hot time in the old town" tomorrow evening when the Republican caucus is to be held. Interest centres in the nomination of a candidate for assemblyman to The present campaign is the hot- ance of heartiness: W. W. Emmons is on a business test one that has been put up in this place in years,

C. L. Thomas of Canisteo was a the field at this time are Attorney then, old woman, and now you've- wouldn't have told you for the world, Charles Woodin is attending is well and fivorably known in Waverly. There is a bare possibility of a "dark horse" in the race, but no serious results are looked for from this source.

## Another Grand Meeting

cent trousers at B. Freedman's, large audience at St. James' church last evening and his hearers were well paid for their attendance at the meeting. The subject for dis cussion was "The Church and the Bible" and the speaker dealt with ner. Many were the words of praise spoken in favor of this

service by the non-Catholics in attendance, which composed a larger part of his audience. This that they were unfit to cope unaided he said. "We've not pleased each other evening he takes for his subject "Why Confess Our Sins to a Man?"

Commission Again Adjourns

Waverly-The meeting of the New York State Railroad Com mission in the matter of the appli cation of the Chemung Valley Traction Company who are endeavoring to obtain consent to build a trolley line from this city to Elmira was held at Hotel Rathbun was present, but an adjournment was taken until October 24.

### Paid a \$5.00 Fine

Waverly-Hugh Strange, the young man who created a disturbformer resident of this city, is a ance at the colored ball Monday guest of her parents for a few days. evening and for whom a warrant the sorrows of wealth which she al-W. H. Lockerby and George
Phillips captured a big coon while

Was issued charging assault in the third degree, surrendered himself to Chief Brooks yesterday and be t fore Justice Hoagland pleaded guilty to the charge and was fined \$5, which he paid.

## Punctual Payment

Waverly-The L.C.B.A. branch No. 163, have paid to the family of the late Sarah A. Falsey a claim of and speaks well for the organiza-

## Married Last Evening

Waverly-W. J. Maurer and Miss Anna Tompkins both of Laquin, Pa, were united in marriage at Hotel Stewart by Rev. M S. Godshall last evening.

Increased Demand for Light

The development of any new illuminating process appears not to affect the demand for light in other forms. The electric light, both arc and incandescent, has been added to gas rather than substituted for it. More gas has been burned in proportion to the population of American cities, since Brush and Edison made their discoveries than formerly. The use of oil for lamps increases, notwithstanding gas, electricity, acetylene gas and devices such as the incandescent burner, which produce far more light with a given quantity of illuminating fluid .-Cleveland Leader.

Auto Auctions.

In London the business of auctioning off automobiles of all vintages nas years and the scale on which it has been done is eye-opening. The extent of such transactions may be imagined from the fact that it is said that one house alone in the world metropoils shows an average weekly turnover of worth of cars at a time, all of which are on view at the bi-weekly sales.

Wood is now stained before it is sea soned, instead of making the artificial coloration the last process. The say is driven out of the wood under pressure, and it is forthwith transformed

Peking University. The oldest university in the world is at Peking. It is called the "School for the Sons of the Empire." Its antiquity is very great, and a granite register, consisting of stone columns

## MISTITS By CLAUDIA ASHTON

don't you think so?" The woman spoke in a tentative way. succeed E. S. Hanford of Waverly. as if she were not sure whether riches

Little else is heard upon the street. the man replied, with every appear accustomed seat in the corner of the

"Yes, it's very nice, Sarah; none of that scrimping and saving we had at As her agitation increased, John re-Lavender Farm in the old days. Why, gained his self-possession. The two principal candidates in you hadn't a slik dress to your back F I. Howard of this place and did not answer, and he continued: out, because you like living in fine Byram Winters of Smithboro, who "Yes, it was a lucky day for us when style, and being rich as we are pleases Uncle Peter died out in Colorado and you, I know, but I'm sick of it. home and everything we want."

the first novelty and excitement of pos- of a Mrs. Dagleish. I'm tired of keep the question to see if her husband you liked it, old wife, and so I didn't Waverly-Rev. Father Thomas felt the same. How could she know let you know. Examine the new line of Cres- F. Burke was greeted by another that his cheery answer was only for her benefit: that he, too, longed for too," she cried. "I wish we were back the days of poverty and freedom; and at Lavender Farm. found the possession of a palatial in the extreme? But he believed that being the fine lady.' his wife enjoyed it all, and he would not for worlds have disturbed what he Can't you understand? I hate all this imagined was her condition of pleased contentment.

> sway over the house and servants was all." only nominal. A year ago, when the vania farm, and, when they moved but which rejoiced his wife's heart. from it to the metropolis, they realized many friends made their appearance that old John Platt and his wife were quite bewildered at all the conflicting advice they received. Eventuallybow, they hardly knew-they found themselves installed in a house whose magnificence frightened them, and where they never felt at home, and they and it were under the absolute control of Mrs. Dagleish and Mr. Hutchinson. The first was Mrs. Platt's companion; the second Mr. Platt's secretary; they both ruled their employ-

ers with a rod of iron. It seems almost incomprehensible yesterday. Legal talent galore that the two old people could be so wretched, each erroneously thinking it was for the sake of the other, but so it was, and the unhappy condition of affairs might have gone on indefinitely, but for the growth of the seed of jealousy which it has been said is

in every woman's heart. It cannot be said what caused its growth in the heart of Sarah Platt to torment and harass her in addition to was issued charging assault in the ready bore. Why she was jealous, of remains that a tiny seed of jealousy What do you say to that, Sarah?" took root, and from it sprang a slen-

der stalk of suspicion and mistrust. showed her where John Platt spent so myself, and you'll be able to see after much of his time. She and Mrs. Dag. the farm again; Jackson never underleish drove to Broadway to have Mrs. \$1,000. This is a prompt payment Dagleish's watch repaired. While she was in the store and Mrs. Platt was need to charities," said John Platt, idly waiting in the carriage and watch- "and now, Sarah, I often make a cup ing the passers by, she saw her hus band turn into a large office building on the other side of the street. He did not notice the carriage or her, and she, consumed with curiosity as she was, made no sign. Neither did she say anything to Mrs. Dagleish when that lady rejoined her, and she only mentioned casually at dinner that evening that she had been on Broadway. She up there"-he jerked his teaspoon with watched her husband's face closely as a disparaging gesture in the direction she spoke, and to her excited imagina- of his metropolitan residence-"with tion he seemed uneasy and desirous

of changing the subject. But she had made up ber mind, and the next day she only waited for Mrs. Dagleish to retire to her room for her afternoon sleep, to start cityward. She went by the elevated, and was soon at the building she had seen her husband enter. She asked the janitor if Mr. Platt had an office there.

"No such name in the place, ma'am." he replied. "It may be the queer old party whose name I don't know, who comes at odd times. He's got an office in No. 12, on the top floor, but, so far as one can see, be does nothing. He never has no letters, nor telegrams. nor visitors and his office is never cleaned, for he won't let no one inside the door.

"Is he here now?" asked Mrs. Plat her heart beating wildly, for she felt she was on the brink of some discovery, and, although she hated herself for being where she was and her reason for being there, she determined to finish what she had begun.

"I couldn't say for certain, ma'am, but I think he came in about half an bour ago. I'll take you up in the elevator, if you like, ma'am."

And in a moment or two Sarah Platt was standing outside the door marked 12," behind which she felt lay all she wanted to know. She tapped timidly; the door flew

open: her husband stood before her. "Sarat! You here! What has hap-Waverly-This city has at least into mahogany, rosewood and walnut pened? What is it?' His ruddy face

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vas white with apprehension and surrise.

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through the open door she saw the room, and the sight killed her voice. Before her was no ordinary office, no office at all, but her own dearly loved, tenderly remembered kitchen at Lavender Farm. The diamond-paned window had pink geraniums in it; the old oak chairs she had so often polished stood along the wall on one side; on the other was her dresser decked with her plates and cups and saucers.

"John," she gasped, as she stumbled were an unmixed blessing or not, but into the room and almost fell into her wide, old-fashioned fireplace, "Johnwhy-why-bow-

"Sarah old woman" he said left us his money, and it was a fine was tired of it very soon, this paying thay for us when we left Lavender for dinners and parties for folk who Farm and poverty for a costly city don't care for us a bit, but only for what they get out of us-that young Sarah Platt sighed softly. Now that coxcomb, Hutchinson, and your dragon sessing a fortune had worn off, she ing a pack of servants who eat their was most miserable, and she had asked heads off and do nothing, but I knew

"Oh. John. I wish it, too-I wish it

"You wish it," his voice was full of house and host of servants wearlsome amazement; "but I thought you liked

"Oh, John, dear, don't you see show and grandeur! I thought you liked it, and so I pretended I did, just As a matter of fact, the old couple's to please you. But I'm tired of it

The old man laughed suddenly, a news of their accession to great wealth loud, hearty laugh, which would have young man at the close of the came to them, they had been living shocked Mrs. Dagleish and drawn a quietly and poorly on a tiny Pennsyl- reproving look from Mr. Hutchinson

"We've been a couple of blind fools," with their altered circumstances. The er, and we've not pleased ourselves, wealthy never lack friends, and so and we've simply spent our money or



SHE TAPPED TIMIDLY.

it may have been because John very give up the city house and go back rarely came into the parlor for tea to the farm. Jackson will be only too with her: it may have been for any glad to let me have it again, and we'll reason or for no reason; but the fact just live in the way we both like.

"I should like it better than anything," she declared. "I'll have a good And one day chance helped her and strong maid and see to the cooking stood it."

"We'll give all the money we don' of tea here of an afternoon. Will you make it to-day? Gladly she assented, and with

towel pinned over her stylish dress she bustled about and soon had supper ready, a supper worth eating, for John went out to buy delicacies for it. "It's something like supper," he de clared. "I hate those suppers we have cups so tiny you're afraid of swallow-

ing them along with the tea, and bits

of bread and butter I could put in the corner of my eye.' His wife beamed upon him, and sipped her tea with contented ease while he talked of what they would do when they got back to the farm. Suddenly the clock chimed seven and she started to her feet with an ex clamation of dismay. Her new-found CARY BLOCK, freedom was still strange. "John hark to the time! What will Mrs Dagleish say? We can never get back in time for dinner. She will be so

angry and disagreeable, and so will Mr. Hutchinson.' But John had grown very bold. "We aren't going back for dinner to-night," he said, cheerfully. "I know a nice little place near where we can have anything we like without a butler watching every mouthful. We'll have a good hearty meal, too; none of your mouthfuls of fish, and wine with no taste. What do you say to tripe and onions? It doesn't matter what anyone says or thinks. Mrs. Dagleish and Hutchinson aren't our keepers. Tomorrow I'll pay them and the servants off, and put the house in the agents' hands, and then, very soon"-and he tossed his hat in the air and Sarah clapped her hands-"and then, hurrah

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