

# J. W. KNAPP & SON

## WAVERLY'S DEPARTMENT STORE

## TOWN CLOCK BLOCK

STORE OPEN EVENINGS, MONDAY, SATURDAY, L. V. PAY DAY AND NIGHTS FOLLOWING

### Coats, Coats, Coats.

### Furs, Furs, Furs.

# HALF PRICE

We offer now every Garment and Fur Boa and Muff at half price to close out the entire stock. This is your buying opportunity. Don't miss this chance to save from \$2.50 to \$10.00 on a purchase. What is our loss is your gain. Buy early and get choice styles.



**W. H. BAIRD,**  
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### THE NATIONAL BANK OF SAYRE.

Capital - \$50,000.00  
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We solicit your Banking business, and will pay you three per cent. interest per annum for money left on Certificate of Deposit or Savings Account.

The department of savings is a special feature of this Bank, and all deposits, whether large or small, draw the same rate of interest.

**W. H. SAWTELLE,**  
Cashier.

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"All the news that's fit to print"

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 27, 1906.

## GREAT OFFER

Of a few good pieces left from our enormous Xmas sales such as  
**\$18.00 Music Cabinet at \$14.50.**  
**\$12.00 Parlor Cabinet at \$9.50.**  
**\$19.00 Library Table at \$15.00.**

Many others going at corresponding reductions.

## GRAF & CO.,

Furniture Dealers and Funeral Directors.

Broad St. and Park Ave.,

Waverly, N. Y.

## WAVERLY.

FRANK E. WOOD, Representative  
News and advertising matter may be left at Gregg's Racket Store, Waverly.  
After 12 o'clock noon call the main office at Sayre, Valley phone 142A.

1906 Diaries at Strong's.

F. A. Bell is in Spencer today.

Miss Louise Hardsley is visiting in Ithaca.

John Cary is home after a visit at Owego.

New Year's Post Cards at Strong's.

Dr. L. S. Betowski was in Elmira last evening.

Rev. W. H. Crydenwise is in Wellsburg today.

Harvey Ingham went to Binghamton this morning.

Try Strong's Congh Syrup.

Mrs. Edgar Baker has returned from a visit at Walton.

Mrs. Viola E. Ackley of Waverly street went to Owego today.

Miss Anna Quinlan has returned after a few days at Randolph.

Paul Betowski of Columbia is home for the mid-year recess.

James Mahoney of Buffalo is visiting his father in this place.

Miss Alice Beardsley has returned after a visit at Montour Falls.

Mrs. Frank Brown and daughter Flora of Ithaca are guests of Waverly friends.

Smoke Baby Wonder, clear Havana, 5c, manufactured by Armhein & Co., Waverly.

Miss Grace Decker has accepted a position in Mrs. M. J. Baker's millinery establishment.

Mrs. M. W. Kennedy of Chemung street, who has been ill for some time, is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Thad Sager, former residents of this village but now of Suffern, are visiting friends here.

A large number attended the Misses O'Farrell dance last evening and report on enjoyable time.

Arthur Thompson of Hornellsville has returned home after visiting his parents here several days.

Miss Elizabeth Stancliff, who has been visiting at the home of F. A. Bell, returned to Spencer this morning.

Wallace Dibble of Burlington and Katherine Droman of Smithfield were married last Monday morning at Waverly by Rev. Geo. A. Briggs.

### MEAT

S. J. Bellis at 7 Elizabeth street is prepared to furnish you with the best meat at prices that fit your pocketbook. All orders receive prompt attention.  
Valley Phone 862. Bell Phone 1387

### BALDWIN'S WILL REBUILD LUMBER YARD

#### Workmen Are Now Engaged in Reconstructing the Burned Buildings

Waverly—A gang of men is at work reconstructing the buildings at Baldwin's lumber yard which were destroyed by fire last week. They will be very much improved and extra precautions will be taken against fire. A fire wall will be constructed between the office and the adjoining buildings and a good sized fire and burglar proof vault will be built in the office. The partitions and floors in the store rooms will be lined with asbestos, and the lumber sheds will be covered with tin. These precautions would prevent the rapid spread of fire from one part of the yard to another, and greatly lessen the danger of a general conflagration.

### ELECTED OFFICERS

Waverly—Manoca Lodge No. 219, I. O. O. F., elected the following officers at their meeting last night:

Noble Grand—J. D. Hoagland  
Vice Grand—Edgar D. Baker  
Rec. Sec.—Charles Hoagland  
Per. Sec.—L. F. Lord  
Treas.—W. H. Broughan.  
Installation will take place January 2, 1906.

### Forbear.

Forbear, give up a little; take less than belongs to you; endure more than should be put upon you. Make allowance for another's judgment of the differing in constitution, circumstances, and interest, we shall often decide differently about the justice and integrity of things; and mutual concessions alone can heal the breaches and bridge over the chasm between us, while quick resentment and stiff maintenance of our position will breed endless dispute and bitterness.—C. A. Bartol.

### Actress' Ad.

By way of advertising herself thoroughly, a Viennese actress sat for 23 days in a glass cage, taking nothing but mineral water, of which she consumed 60 bottles. Meantime she studied the new part in which she is to appear shortly. Crowds were in attendance at all hours, for the cage was placed on the Prater. On coming out she declared herself to be in fine condition, but she speedily made away with a hearty repast of fish, veal and beer, winding up with a glass of schnapps.

### Didn't Want Much.

Once a tramp went up to the back door of a house and knocked; a lady came to the door. "Please, mum, could you do a little sewing for me?" said the tramp.

"Yes, with pleasure," answered the lady. "What sewing would you like to have me do for you?"  
"I have a button here; if you'll please sew a pair of pants on to it, I'll be very much obliged."—San Francisco Chronicle.

### Too Many Wise Men.

When El Menebbi was chief minister to the sultan of Morocco he visited London and was much impressed by the beauty of the houses of parliament. He inquired what the building was for and was informed that some 600 wise men assembled there to settle the affairs of the nation. "Six hundred," he exclaimed in amazement. "How do you get anything done? My master settles everything himself."

### MUST MURDER TO QUALIFY

Club of Cut-Throats in Paris Composed of Youths Who Have Taken Life.

The "Five Points," the meaning of whose name is unexplained, are a cheerful gang of cutthroats just discovered. Their dark deeds read like gory stories of pirates of old.

A young fellow of 20, arrested for having shot down and half killed a woman whom he had never seen before in the boulevard de Clichy, told the police, "All I meant to do was to qualify."

On the further inquiry it was found that he was a probationary member of the "Five Points" gang. He had been accepted as a candidate for full honors five months ago, and had gone about with the gang on business. But he lacked the necessary qualification for complete membership.

The first rule of the cutthroats' club is that "every full member must have at least once killed or attempted to kill some man or woman." Robbery, burglary, arson and other minor crimes qualify you for only the probationary stage, that reached by our hero.

For five months he valiantly tried to screw up his courage to the sticking place, and was despatched as being too full of the milk of human kindness by the band of brothers, for whom he acted as a mere tag, not on a footing of equality with them.

At last, taunted by them to desperation, he said: "I will bear it no longer; I will kill somebody this instant," and a woman passing by him as he spoke, he added: "Here goes!" and fired his revolver point blank at her temple.

The woman, who is in a hospital, may recover, but will lose one eye. The "Five Points" brothers, all of whom by the rules of their club have taken or attempted lives, are still at large.

### STYLES IN PLAYING CARDS

Backs Are Decorated with Pictures in Keeping with the Seasons.

In the fall output of playing cards several new styles of decoration for the backs of the cards are shown. Some decks, which were apparently put upon the market at the beginning of horse show week, says the New York Sun, are ornamented with the pictured heads of hunters and jumpers; others represent gorgeous masses of chrysanthemums, while on still others the football hero holds forth.

In many houses in which cards form the chief amusement the scenes on the backs of the cards vary with the seasons. In summer, the dandier, over white and casino can acquire a reduced temperature by contemplating waterfalls and forest vistas on the cards in her opponent's hand, while in winter the blood may be quickened by the sight of a snowy landscape. The various sports, too, are all represented in their season. Several years ago when the cycling craze was at its height it was the fashion to decorate playing cards with bicycles. In the last two years the wheels have been superseded by automobiles. Many clubs and societies have their cards made to order, in which case the badge of the order forms the decoration. So important is this phase of decorative art considered by the manufacturers of playing cards that they keep in their employ persons whose sole business it is to study out new designs appropriate to the time and season.

### A Great Truth.

Privilege is the root of all evils in politics and business, says the Boston Globe. It is one of the oldest sources of wrong in the world and has wrought more ruin than all the piked mobs of the unprivileged, who, blinded by poverty, ignorance and injustice, have stormed the citadels of privilege and power. All experience shows that human nature is too frail to bear the stain of privilege. The sense of might overwhelms the sense of right.

### Expert Opinion.

Mrs. Gayman—But men are so deceitful!  
Mrs. Oldboy—Oh, no; they are not. They only think they are. They don't deceive us one bit.—Chicago Tribune.

### Will Play on Sunday.

Shop assistants in Birmingham, England, declare that unless they get a weekly half-holiday they will form a Sunday sports club and play football, cricket and tennis on that day.



What is more attractive than a well-lighted store? It draws trade. It holds trade. It shows prosperity. It is a winner. The Humphrey Arc does it. Try it.

### The Gas Light Company of Waverly,

340 Broad Street. Both Phones. Waverly, N. Y.

### LOOMIS OPERA HOUSE

THURSDAY, DEC. 28.

### MATINEE AND NIGHT

The Famous  
**Herald Square**  
Moving Pictures

### ILLUSTRATED SONGS

PRICES  
Matinee . . . 10c and 20c  
Night . . . 10c, 20c, 30c  
Matinee at 2:30

Read The Record.

The Record, has the best House Lease ever printed in Bradford county; also Vest Pocket and Desk Receipt Books; and a variety of Legal Blanks for Justices and Constables.

### M. PROCAS,

Greek-American Confection and Candy Store.  
Nice Special Fresh Mixed candy, 3 pounds . . . . . 25  
Mixed Chocolates, 2 lbs. . . . . 25  
Nice Fresh Mixed Chocolates 2 lbs. . . . . 35  
Nice Fresh Candy  
Made Every Day  
Fancy Box Candy  
Fruit of All Kinds  
222 Desmond Street.

### H. H. Mercereau,

Attorney-at-Law  
Notary Public  
Special attention to Pension Papers.  
Valley Phone 11 X.  
115 Desmond Street, Sayre.

### L. B. DENISON, M. D.

Office, Rooms 3 and 4  
Talmadge Building, Elmer Ave.  
Valley Phone at office and residence.

### REAL ESTATE BARGAINS!

Small Farms, Large Farms, Good Buildings, good fruits, well watered. Houses and Lots for sale or exchange. All at bargain prices. Houses to rent.  
ANDREW EVARTS,  
Room 2, Talmadge Bldg.  
Home phone 61-8

### WANT ADS

Rates 1—Wanted, Lost, Found, For Sale, etc., 1 cent a word each insertion for first three times; 1 cent a word each insertion thereafter. None taken for less than 25 cents. Situations wanted, free to paid in advance subscribers.

### Notices.

Want ads inserted by persons not having a ledger account with The Record must be paid for when ordered printed. We positively cannot charge want ads indiscriminately—the expense of book-keeping and collecting is entirely out of proportion to the amount involved in the transaction.

### Lost

A Pocketbook containing small sum of money and a railroad ticket. Leave at Record office and receive reward. 103-4

### For Rent

Desirable house for rent in Waverly. Inquire 430 Park avenue, Waverly. 926

Third floor of the Glaser block. Electric light, bath room and all modern improvements. Inquire at Glaser's Loan office, Lockhart street. 178

A suite of rooms in the Andrews block, corner Elmira and Bridge streets, first floor, city and cistern water, furnace heat. Inquire of Rev. W. W. Andrews, 507 Elmira street, Athens.

### Orchestra.

The D. S. Andrews Orchestra guarantees satisfaction at all concerts, balls, parties, etc. Prices reasonable. Leave order at D. S. Andrews Music Store, 128 Diamond street, or see J. J. Hummel, Mgr., 117 N. Bush street, Sayre.

### Cards For Sale.

The Valley Record has in stock the following card signs:  
For Rent  
For Sale  
Private Office  
Please Do Not Ask for Credit  
Positively No Admittance  
Furnished Rooms  
Boarding