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Mark Twain's Axiom.
Over the fireplace in Mark Twain's house in Connecticut is this beautiful inscription: "The ornament of a house is the guests who frequent it."

Insect Highwayman.
The wasp has been observed to way-lay and rob bees while the latter, laden with honey, were returning to the hive.

In Many Cases.
Superiority is not so much the feeling that we are better than other people as that they are worse than we are.

Suicides in Europe.
Within the last four years France has recorded 26,000 suicides, while in Italy the number has been only 8,000.

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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.

E. Clair VanAtta is in Elmira today.

Louis G. Grant went to Birmingham today.

Try Strong's Cough Syrup.

Miss Alice Kneeland is visiting friends in Hornellsville.

A. E. Doolittle of Waverly street is confined to his home by illness.

Rev. Albert Livermore of Geneva is visiting at the home of Judge Bell.

Pyro wood and outfits, low prices to close out stock at Strong's.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Harding of Scranton are visiting her mother, Mrs. Cyrus Johnson.

Miss Mame Warren of Pennsylvania avenue returned last evening from Lestershire where she visited her parents.

In spite of the inclement weather a large number attended the dance given by Krom's orchestra at Stone's hall last evening.

Martin Dann of Ithaca has rented A. B. Comstock's house on Ithaca street. Mr. Dann is an employe of the L. V. railroad shop.

WHAT BECAME OF PIE

Waverly—A certain man attended the Cayutas banquet last Monday evening. He has a great liking for pie, seven pieces at a time being his usual amount, so some of the members provided one that was up to his capacity. But sad to relate, some unscrupulous individual stole it, and walked home all the way across the village so that it would not be taken from him. It was stolen the next day however, and has been consigned to the interior department of several of his friends.

INSTALLED OFFICERS

Waverly—The Eastern Star installed officers last night and gave a banquet after the installation. Nearly 70 members were present at the banquet, and greatly enjoyed the abundant supply of good things served.

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 66x. Bell Phone 138w

TOUHEY'S HOTEL

Everything New and Up-to-Date. First-Class Accommodations.
Thomas Ave., Opposite L. V. Station.
Rates \$1.50 Per Day. Sayre.

WALKS WERE ICY

The sleet storm which struck Sayre late yesterday afternoon caused considerable annoyance. Freezing as it fell it covered the pavements and sidewalks with a thin layer of ice, and falls were numerous, though none of them were of a serious nature. Later in the evening the mercury began to rise and the ice melted and today the streets and walks have been in a sloppy and most disagreeable condition.

DANCE SATURDAY NIGHT

Harvey Gray will give the eighth of his subscription dances in Eighmey's hall on Saturday evening. At the last dance Mr. Gray entertained 68 couples and the indications are that this number will be exceeded at the next dance. The Loomis opera house orchestra will furnish the music and a fine time is promised all.

HOSPITAL NOTES

Francis J. McCleary of Owego, was discharged this forenoon. Harry Rothloff of Athens, was admitted this morning.

COURT MARTIAL ENDS

Midshipman Decatur's case now in hands of Admiral Sands.

ANNAPOLIS, Md., Jan. 4.—The case of Midshipman Stephen Decatur, Jr., who for three days has been on trial before a naval court martial for the alleged hazing of Midshipman Isaac N. McCrary and Gaylord Church, was given to the court, and the court has decided upon its findings, which will be forwarded to the superintendent of the Naval academy for his action. Under the law the record then goes to the secretary of the navy. But Secretary Ba-naparte has announced that he regarded his duties in the matter as merely ministerial and that unless some glaring error should have passed the superintendent's notice he will approve the action of Admiral Sands.

Mr. Randall, opening for the accused, urged that an alibi was completely established. The defense was willing to admit, Mr. Randall said, that McCrary had made an honest mistake as to who hazed him. The prosecution, he said, must stand on the case as made out by its own witnesses, and the allegation as to time, place and identity made by McCrary had been absolutely disproved. The overwhelming proof was that McCrary was not in Decatur's room when he said that he had been hazed. Mr. Randall urged very strongly in his closing remarks that the testimony of Decatur was of as much weight as that of McCrary and that he absolutely denied that he had ever hazed the latter.

"Not only is there reasonable doubt in this case," Mr. Randall said, "but we submit that the preponderance of evidence is in favor of the defendant."

Advertised Letters

The following is a list of the advertised letters remaining in the Sayre post office for the week ending Jan. 1, 1906.

MEN.
Box 88, Palmer, Zeb Swank, J. H. Smith, Dr. C. A. Southland, G. A. Thomas, George Lemahar, John
Dunlap, Miss Lizzie Vaughn, Mrs. Maude Smith, Mrs. Gladys Wooster, Mrs. Emma

FORBORN.
Lattari, Pasquale Jedron, Gierft Marchloui, Superiani

If not called for within two weeks they will be forwarded to the dead letter office. Ask for advertised letters, giving date, and bring one cent to pay for advertising.
Jan. 2, 1906. J. N. Weaver, P. M.

"UNCLE TOM'S CABIN"

Leon W. Washburn, with Stetson's "Uncle Tom's Cabin" company, plays an engagement at the Loomis on Friday, matinee and evening, when the patrons of that popular house will see this time-honored play in all its superior attractiveness. "Uncle Tom," the hero of this purposeful story, is portrayed by Edward Espy, Stetson's original "Uncle Tom," probably the best known impersonator of this celebrated character in the world. There will be two Topisies and two Marks in the great double cast. The work of competent players is further enhanced by beautiful stage settings and new electrical devices. Col. Sawyer's celebrated pack of Siberian bloodhounds is one of the features with this company, as well as the prize Shetland ponies. New and novel specialties are introduced by the Creole Ladies Quartette. John Loery, champion buck and wing dancer, assisted by the Mississippi Singer Lu Octette, "The Lone Star Quintette" in superb vocalizations and the grotesque "Lumber Lee." The street parade of this big company will be worth going to see. Popular prices will prevail.

WITHOUT FOUNDATION

For some days there has been a strong rumor circulating about the streets of Sayre to the effect that P. H. O'Shea, who conducts undertaking rooms on Packer avenue, was about to file a petition in bankruptcy. Annoyed by these reports Mr. O'Shea came to the Record office today and said that he wished to deny them, stating that there was absolutely no foundation for the rumor and he intended to continue business at the old stand.

HEALTH BOARD MEETING

At a regular meeting of the board of health held in the office of attorney C. C. Yocum last night, Grant Hutchinson who was appointed a member of the board at the last meeting of the borough council, was sworn in in the place of B. L. Lewis, whose term of office expired on the first of January. Dr. Kline was elected president of the board for the ensuing year and attorney C. C. Yocum was chosen as secretary.

HOSE COMPANY ELECTION

The annual election of Officers of the Howard Elmer hose company will be held on Friday evening next at 7:30 o'clock. All members are requested to be present.

Orchestra.

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

Cards for Sale.

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Private Office
Please Do Not Ask for Credit
Positively No Admittance
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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,

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UNCLE TOM'S CABIN
The Barium of them all. Under the management of
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More Grand Novelties Than Ever. Gorgeous Scenery with Beautiful Electrical Effects.
Two Brass Bands, Two Funny Marks, Two Mischievous Topisies, Genuine Southern Cake Walkers.
Buck and Wing Dancers, Male and Female Quartette, 30 Ponies, Donkeys and Bloodhounds.

Watch for the B'g Street Parade.
Grand Feature This Season of Uncle Sam; The Great Japanese General; Kumora, and the Russian General, Kuro-patkin, to be seen in our big street parade. It beats a circus!

PRICES

Matinee . . . 10c and 20c
Night . . . 10c, 20c, 30c

For Sale.

One Standard sewing machine, one Schoning piano, and several Wilton rugs for sale. No reasonable offer refused. 350 W. Lockhart street. Valley phone 69x. 201-4

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Home phone 61-w

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WANT ADS

Rates:—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.

Notice.

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.

Wanted.

Situation as salesman or clerk, 15 years experience in general store, can give satisfactory reference. Address Box 114, Towanda, Pa. 201-6

Dining room girl wanted at Touhey's hotel. Enquire at hotel. 201-4

Boarders wanted at 403 N. Elmer avenue. Mrs. Jesse Bell. Shop men preferred. 201-1w

A competent girl for general housework. Washing and ironing out. High wages paid. Enquire Mrs. H. W. Knapp, 455 Waverly street, Waverly, N. Y. 201-f

For Sale or Rent

Eight room house at 108 Center street. Enquire of Mrs. Fannie Smith on the premises. 199-8

Political Announcement

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for tax collector of Sayre borough, subject to the rules of the Republican primaries. J. L. Plumstead. 199

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I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of Tax Collector in Sayre borough subject to the rules of the Republican primaries. W. P. HAUSER.

Lost

A Pocketbook containing small sum of money and a railroad ticket. Leave at Record office and receive reward. 199-8

For Rent

Desirable house for rent in Waverly. Inquire 430 Park avenue, Waverly. 928

Third floor of the Glass block. Electric light, bath room and all modern improvements. Enquire at Glass's Loan office, Lockhart street. 176f

A suite of rooms in the Andrews block, corner Elmira and Bridge streets, East Sayre, city and suburb water, furnace heat. Enquire of Rev. W. W. Andrews, 607 Elmira street, Athens.