

**OUR STRONG POINT
A SQUARE DEAL**

Carpet Sweepers



SWEET YOUR FLOOR
WITH A
Bissell Carpet Sweeper

\$2.25, \$2.50, \$3.00, \$3.25,
\$3.50, \$4.00, \$5.00.

The Best Sweeper Made.
SOLD BY

GEO. L. ROBERTS CO.

216 Desmond St., Sayre. 322 S. Main St., Athens.

If you don't trade with us we both lose money.

**MRS. BAKER SAYS
SHE WAS ASSAULTED**

Causes the Arrest of Her Son-in-law Before Justice Johnson of Athens

Charles Ross, a resident of East Packer avenue is under arrest before Justice H. F. Johnson of Athens on two charges, one of them assault and the other for having unlawful possession of certain goods, which are alleged to be the property of Ross' mother in law, Mrs. Lorina Baker. Mrs. Baker has had troubles galore since her coming to Sayre last summer, and to faithfully recite them would occupy more space than the ordinary newspaper cares to devote for the purpose.

Early in January Mrs. Baker, who resided with her son in law Ross, became a county charge, an order of relief having been granted her by the authorities of Sayre. When the commissioners came to take charge of the case they found that she was a charge on Wyoming county and after considerable trouble and expense had her returned to that county. She was taken to Tunkhannock, but a short time ago returned to Sayre. Certain goods which she claimed were hers had been left at the home of her son in law and she demanded them. The son in law refused, it is alleged, to give them up on the grounds that his mother in law owed him for her care and board. Now Mrs. Baker says that her son in law in addition to wrongfully, maliciously and feloniously holding her goods has also assaulted her, and upon making the proper information Justice Johnson issued a warrant for Ross' arrest. He has pleaded not guilty and the hearing will be held some time next week.

Mrs. Baker, the complainant in the case, is a character and by those who have come in contact with her since her residence in Sayre is not believed to be mentally sound.

**"TREE DOCTOR" IS
BADLY WANTED**

State Authorities Are Exceedingly Anxious to Get Their Clutches on Man Who Operated in Sayre Recently

A letter addressed to the Ladies' Library Club from H. A. Surface, State Economic Zoologist, Department of Agriculture, of Harrisburg, has been received. The subject matter of the letter is in connection with the work of a man named Knauf, who recently appeared in Sayre and mutilated a large number of trees on various streets, announcing them with a liquid which he claimed would kill the moth scale. Instead of killing the scale it is claimed that the concoction used by this man kills the trees. The state authorities are anxious to get their clutches upon Knauf in which event they will prosecute him to the full extent of the law.

The letter reads as follows:
February 21, 1906.
I thank you very much for your communication of the 17th inst giving me important information concerning the bogus tree doctor by the name of Knauf. I am sorry to know that he has bobbed up again in this state this year. Last year he did an immense amount of damage to the central, northern, and western part of Pennsylvania injuring trees and charging owners immense prices for his injuries inflicted. For example, in Curwensville, Clearfield county, he actually killed most of the trees on the streets there. I wish you would have him arrested for getting money under false pretenses and if the hearing can be set for any time after next week, I am willing to come to Athens without charge and testify against him if he makes such statements as those you relate in your letter. I think that we will have no trouble to prove that he is defrauding the public, and in our efforts to put him out of business and keep him away from the trees and gullible citizens we shall be doing a very good thing for this state. I earnestly hope that you will take this up and have him arrested and your newspapers publish as widely as possible the frauds that he is practicing. Thanking you for calling my attention to this which I shall mention in my next bulletin, I am Very truly yours,
H. A. Surface.

**MOVANHO CLUB GOES
OUT OF BUSINESS**

At a Meeting Held Last Night the Members Determined to Wipe the Organization Out of Existence

The Movanho club, Sayre's well known social and athletic organization which was organized nearly four years ago, is no longer extant. A meeting was held last night, and after a discussion which lasted until nearly midnight, the club was disbanded.

The principal part of the discussion was in connection with a proposition entertained by some of the members that the club could suspend business and at the same time retain the charter so that in the event of any of the members wishing to revive it at a future time the same could be done with little difficulty. It was suggested that a small room be rented and the semblance of a club maintained so that the provisions of the charter might be fulfilled, but after a lengthy discussion it was decided to settle up matters and wipe the club out of existence. After all debts and expenses were paid it was found that the club had nearly \$200 in its treasury, and this sum will be equally divided between the members in good standing. There are 31 members whose names appear upon the records as being entitled to a share in the money.

The disbandment of the club is keenly regretted by some of the members who made a heroic fight at the meeting last night to retain the organization. Others, who constituted the majority, were of the opinion, however, that it was an expensive affair to maintain on account of lack of interest taken by the members, and contended that the wisest plan was to go out of business.

Read The Record.

Look Before You Leap

At Caldwell's Furniture Stock. New goods arriving daily, bought before the raise in prices, which assures you as good bargains as to be had anywhere. Call and be convinced.

Fine line of folding Go-Carts just arrived.

CALDWELL'S FURNITURE STORE
205 Desmond Street, Valley Phone 191.

**TAKE A POLICY WITH THE
NATIONAL PROTECTIVE LEGION**

The safety of any business is in its management. Investigate our order.

Our Assets January 1, 1906.	\$2,400,000 00
Liabilities	4,237 50
No. of policies in force, 137,312.	Gain of about 40,000 past year
Dividends paid past year	\$1,310,024 81
Disability paid past year	237,167 50
Death, paid past year	61,839 61

E. F. MERCEREAU, Dist. Manager,
Office 112 Desmond St., Sayre.

**The Man Who
"Gets There"**

Is the man who has blood—real rich blood—and plenty of it—in his body.

Driggs' Wine of Cod Liver Oil

Makes blood—lots of it—life-giving, brain-nourishing, strength-replenishing blood.

"75c Per Bottle.

G. M. Driggs

Prescription Druggist.
Bank Building, Sayre, Pa.

makes travel very disagreeable. Milkmen and vendors who make daily trips to Sayre are finding the roads in exceedingly bad condition.

A large delegation from the Sayre Aerie of Eagles attended the meeting held by the Waverly Berie last night. The Sayre contingent report an elegant time and time and say that they were most royally entertained by their Waverly brethren.

One of the features of Lottie Blair Parker's Under Southern Skies will be the rendition, by a sextette of trained voices, of the old plantation melodies that were famous a generation ago and which today are as popular as ever, judging from the heartiness of the applause which they evoke.

A new fence, beginning at the east end of the Packer avenue bridge and extending along the bank to the ice house is being erected by the Lehigh Valley railroad company. Recently a new high board fence was erected from the ice house to the Lockhart street bridge and the improvement is quite noticeable.

On April 4th an Aerie of Eagles will be instituted at Towanda. The work of installing will be done by Jesse Hedrick, state deputy grand president, and M. J. Farrell, past worthy president of the Sayre Aerie, who has been appointed an assistant. The members of the Sayre Aerie have been invited to be present.

BAPTIST CHURCH REPAIRS

Since the first of January the Baptist church and parsonage at this place have been undergoing alterations and repairs. The parsonage has been newly papered throughout, the wood work has been varnished, and necessary repairs to the plumbing, etc., have been attended to.

The church edifice has also been given attention. The interior has been appropriately decorated, the seats have been painted, and a new carpet which is expected today, will be placed on the floor. It is possible that the church will be in readiness for services next Sunday, thought it is as yet a matter of uncertainty.

HE IS A FRAUD

The latest fraud is working postmaster and rural carriers. The shark pretends to be selling what he calls a "congressional manual." It costs \$2.50 and contains something that postmasters ought to know. The profits, says the shark, are to be donated to the National University Fund. He always tells the victim that the congressman from the district sent him. Congressman Lilley has denounced the scheme as a fraud. He may travel through Sayre.

**FIRE SALE
TO
CLOSE**

Owing to
Other Business

R. C. OSBORN & CO.

Must Close Their
Book Sale at
373 Broat St.,
Waverly,

**Monday
Night,
March 5**

On Friday,
Saturday and
Monday we will
Sell Any Book
in the store for

5 cents

Every Book
Goes for a Nickle

R.C. Osborne & Co.

**IF YOU WANT
BOOKS OF ANY KIND**

All the late fiction. Magazines, Daily and Sunday New Papers.

Box stationery, Tablets, Blank Books, Inks, novelties, etc.

WEBER'S BOOK PARLORS
138 LOCKHART ST.

PERSONAL MENTION

R. A. P. Meade is in town.

Mrs. A. J. Grant is ill at her home on Hayden street.

Mrs. F. N. Drake has returned from a ten days visit with friends in Syracuse.

Miss Vinnie Blish of Willard, N. Y., is the guest of friends and relatives in Sayre.

Mrs. Bush of Apalachin, is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Hubert Swetland of Chemung street.

Mrs. John Dean of Apalachin, who has been the guest of Mrs. Helen Hull, has returned home.

Mr and Mrs. William Vaughn of Wilkes-Barre, are spending a few days with friends in this place.

Burgess elect William Cross returned last night from St. Paul, Minn., where he has been spending a week in the interests of the M. P. A., of which organization he is the president.

Miss Anna Lynch of Towanda, James Lynch of Overshot, and John F. Lynch of Downington, Pa., have returned to their respective homes after a visit at Hugh Dixon's on Cliff street.

Mrs. Charles Gay is the guest of friends in Wilkes-Barre. She is expected home tomorrow and will be accompanied by Mrs. Charles Palmer who has been the guest of friends in that city.

A CORRECTION

It appears that The Record was a little mixed yesterday in its announcement of the event which occurred in Trainmen's hall on Tuesday evening. The Record stated that the supper and dance was given by the Ladies' Society of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, when it should have said that the event was given under the auspices of the Ladies' Society of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen. There are so many of these organizations in Sayre with the auxiliary attachment that a newspaper man needs an indexed chart in order to keep them straight.

WHERE IS IT?

The Gazette and Bulletin of Williamsport is booming the Hon. Elias Deemer for Governor, and this suggests the pertinent inquiry: What has become of the diminutive boom for the Hon. Mial E. Lilley, congressman from this district? Somebody ought to go find it and get it groomed for business. Just now would be an excellent time for that little boom to do business.

MINOR INJURIES

A. P. Hull was struck in the hollow of the left hand by a chisel today and sustained a painful punctured wound. He went to the hospital for treatment.

While working in the shops this forenoon John Bull, a machinist, suffered a severe laceration of two fingers on the left hand. Both nails were torn off and the members were otherwise lacerated.

March came in "like a lion" and if there is anything in the old belief it will go out like a lamb.

\$10 CASH

You can save on the new machine you buy—the slick-tongued agent's profit.

We have the New Home, Singer and other makes. You have no agent's commission to pay if you buy here. Call, write or telephone 90c.

Tiffany's Music Store,
222 Main Street, Athens, Pa.

The Valley Record
"All the news that's fit to print"

THURSDAY, MARCH 1 1906.

LOCAL BREVITIES

The local Aerie of Eagles will hold a regular meeting this evening to be followed by a smoker.

Peter Heidt of Powell, Ella Webster of Estella and Mrs. Fred Ward of Monroeton were admitted to the hospital this forenoon.

Ice men are happy over the return of cold weather. They have hopes that the present weather may continue long enough to furnish another crop of ice.

W. H. Schoeder, a popular switchman in the Lehigh Valley yards, has bought a half interest in M. K. Tully's lunch wagon, better known as the Pullman Cafe. It will hereafter be run by M. K. Tully and W. H. Schoeder.

The Christian Endeavor society of the Presbyterian church will hold a social at the home of Mrs. Driggs, South Elmer avenue, Friday evening. Home made candy will be on sale and a good time is in store for all. Bring pencils.

The frozen condition of the mud in the borough streets and also in the country roads hereabouts

PERSONAL MENTION

R. A. P. Meade is in town.

Mrs. A. J. Grant is ill at her home on Hayden street.

Mrs. F. N. Drake has returned from a ten days visit with friends in Syracuse.

Miss Vinnie Blish of Willard, N. Y., is the guest of friends and relatives in Sayre.

Mrs. Bush of Apalachin, is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Hubert Swetland of Chemung street.

Mrs. John Dean of Apalachin, who has been the guest of Mrs. Helen Hull, has returned home.

Mr and Mrs. William Vaughn of Wilkes-Barre, are spending a few days with friends in this place.

Burgess elect William Cross returned last night from St. Paul, Minn., where he has been spending a week in the interests of the M. P. A., of which organization he is the president.

Miss Anna Lynch of Towanda, James Lynch of Overshot, and John F. Lynch of Downington, Pa., have returned to their respective homes after a visit at Hugh Dixon's on Cliff street.

Mrs. Charles Gay is the guest of friends in Wilkes-Barre. She is expected home tomorrow and will be accompanied by Mrs. Charles Palmer who has been the guest of friends in that city.

A CORRECTION

It appears that The Record was a little mixed yesterday in its announcement of the event which occurred in Trainmen's hall on Tuesday evening. The Record stated that the supper and dance was given by the Ladies' Society of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, when it should have said that the event was given under the auspices of the Ladies' Society of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen. There are so many of these organizations in Sayre with the auxiliary attachment that a newspaper man needs an indexed chart in order to keep them straight.

WHERE IS IT?

The Gazette and Bulletin of Williamsport is booming the Hon. Elias Deemer for Governor, and this suggests the pertinent inquiry: What has become of the diminutive boom for the Hon. Mial E. Lilley, congressman from this district? Somebody ought to go find it and get it groomed for business. Just now would be an excellent time for that little boom to do business.

MINOR INJURIES

A. P. Hull was struck in the hollow of the left hand by a chisel today and sustained a painful punctured wound. He went to the hospital for treatment.

While working in the shops this forenoon John Bull, a machinist, suffered a severe laceration of two fingers on the left hand. Both nails were torn off and the members were otherwise lacerated.

March came in "like a lion" and if there is anything in the old belief it will go out like a lamb.

Look Before You Leap

At Caldwell's Furniture Stock. New goods arriving daily, bought before the raise in prices, which assures you as good bargains as to be had anywhere. Call and be convinced.

Fine line of folding Go-Carts just arrived.

CALDWELL'S FURNITURE STORE
205 Desmond Street, Valley Phone 191.

**TAKE A POLICY WITH THE
NATIONAL PROTECTIVE LEGION**

The safety of any business is in its management. Investigate our order.

Our Assets January 1, 1906.	\$2,400,000 00
Liabilities	4,237 50
No. of policies in force, 137,312.	Gain of about 40,000 past year
Dividends paid past year	\$1,310,024 81
Disability paid past year	237,167 50
Death, paid past year	61,839 61

E. F. MERCEREAU, Dist. Manager,
Office 112 Desmond St., Sayre.

How Much Do You Earn in an Hour?

Would you prefer to work an hour extra, or to walk to Gillespie's Drug Store?

If you knew that you would save two hours hard labor on every dollar's worth of goods, you would probably buy your drugs at that store.

Competent men always on hand to put up prescriptions, and at money-saving prices.

GILLESPIE'S DRUG STORE
201 LOCKHART ST., SAYRE, PA.

Others Before You

have made independent fortunes by wisely chosen investments in real estate—which can't run away. Why not you? It doesn't require millions to get hold of a little land, yet millions may accrue as the years roll around. We have some special inducements to offer buyers of real estate we'd like to lay before you. May we have your name and address?

FRED J. TAYLOR,
SAYRE, PA.

JAP-A-LAG

gives new life and lustre to old tables, chairs, furniture and picture frames. It is the ideal finish for floors, interior wood work, bath rooms, sash and sills.

Thirteen colors—100 different uses—75c a quart can.

All the best and most widely advertised goods are always to be found at this store and at prices to please every purse.

**BOLICH BRO'S
HARDWARE**
Desmond St Sayre

Wm. B. McDonald, D. D. S.

All modern methods for the scientific performance of painless operations on the mouth and teeth.

104 South Elmer Ave.,
OVER THE GLOBE STORE.

**LOOMIS OPERA HOUSE
ORCHESTRA**

Strictly Up-to-Date Music furnished for Balls, Parties and all manner of Social Functions, either public or private. Any number pieces desired will be furnished. Call Valley Record for terms, etc.

I. L. BENJAMIN,
Painter, Decorator and Paperhanger.

First-class work done promptly at reasonable prices.

Residence:—120 Spruce St., Athens, Pa.

M. PROCAS,

Greek-American Confection and Candy Store.

Nice special fresh chocolates drops 12c pound.

Nice fresh mixed candy 8c pound.

Mak' every day fresh candy.

Ice Cream, Ice Cream (Soda and Fruit).

223 Desmond Street.

A. E. BAKER,
Carpenter and Builder.

17 Pleasant St. Waverly, N. Y.

A. J. GREEN
CONTRACTOR AND BUILDER.

Plans and Estimates Furnished

636 Stevenson St., Sayre, Pa.

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 61-22

FISH, FISH,

We will have them every day during Lent. Also a good line of meat at popular prices. S. J. BELLIS, Elizabeth street.

Valley Phone 66x. Bell Phone 138w

Advertise in The Record.

SHOES

Jan's Smith, the Athens Shoe Doctor, 694 South Main street, has just put in a fine lot of calf shoes and other up-to-date varieties. Prices all right. Repairing continued in the usual scientific manner.

244-2w

**Monday
Night,
March 5**

On Friday,
Saturday and
Monday we will
Sell Any Book
in the store for

5 cents

Every Book
Goes for a Nickle

R.C. Osborne & Co.