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WHEAT After a steady opening wheat wheat—After a steady opening woest declined to the lowest point it has yet reached, under large world's shipments, favorible weather news and talk of a heavy visible supply increase; September, New Tra. December, New Tra. December, New Tra. December, September, New Tra. December, September, New Tra. December, Seconds, 184,9184c.; western, imitation creamery, extras, iso; seatern dairy choice December the repoyated. western. imitation creamery, extras. 19c.; sastern. dairy, choice. Ec.; renovated, axtras. 19g194c.; firsts. 17t.Giff.; factory, firsts. 17c.; packing stock, No. 1, 16c. CHEESE—State, full cream, large and small, best, 114c; far to good, large, 110 live; small, 104c/11c.; hair skims, best, 14c; sex, part skims, prime, 75.38c. EGGS—Fresh gathered, extra, per dozen, 2m.; nearby, fresh gathered, firsts to sxtra firsts. 19629c.
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STRAW—Steady; long rye, 55690c.
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### CHILDREN RETURNED TODA

Athens-The 44 fresh air chil copper. These salts rapidly disinte dren that have been entertained by the Methodist, Baptist, Presbyterian and Episcopal churches the ever electric wires are used in coal past two weeks, returned to New York on No. 8 this morning. The train was stopped at Athens to ac-Farnsworth accompanied them. twined about the good people who ders. have entertained them and there were many tears shed at the

the Susquehanna river with Deck- lic are invited to attend ers's boat in his dray and while unloading it over the high bank near Fred Lowe's house, one of straighten the horses up on their feet they got into the river and had a desperate time getting out.

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Mrs. W. G. Hart has gone to visit her sister, Mrs. Frutchey.

Hosmer's band gave a balcony

Mrs Fanny Kirby McMahan of Cleveland, Ohio, was in Athens yesterday.

Mrs. Matt Dean and son of New York were in Athens yesterday afternoon.

Mrs. J. A. Gould and son will go to the Minneapolis G. A. R encampment.

turned to Athens after a week's visit in Pittston.

Dr. E. M. Crawford and Constable George Fice were at North Rome yesterday.

Misses Lydia Steele and Mabel Hicks went to Wyalusing this morning to visit relatives.

Mrs, Bion Heath of New Orleans is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel VanLoan.

Miss Elsie Briggs went to Laceyville today where she will visit Ruth Russell a short time.

Mrs. Warren West of Syracuse has been visiting Mrs. H. E Walker and returned home this morning.

Miss Jesse Bullard left this morning for a two weeks' outing. She will visit Ithaca, Rochester and

Mrs. A. V. Weaver and daughter Eleanor went to Mountain Lake and Burlington today for a few days' visit.

Mrs. Clayton McKinney and Auburn, are visiting Mrs. C. E. of the council. McKinney.

Mrs. F. C. Schairmbarcher and son Edward of Pittston, have been visiting at W. J. Shafers and returned home this morning.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Ruggles went channel through the concrete curbs to Crystal Springs, N. Y., yesterday in Mr. Crandall's automobile.

Miss Edna Osborne went to Ticommodate them and Mrs. Leslie oga Center this morning where she will spend two weeks at the home The children's affections have been of her grandfather, Alanson Lan-

W. J. Vargason drove down to of the Keystone Guard. The pub- consent to having it done.

John Sanford, Jess Childs, P. E. Decker, Will Newman, W. G. his horses stepped off the precipice Schrier and Harry Wolcott went and rolled down the bank, carrying to Smithboro today and will float the dray with him. In trying to back to Athens, fishing all the

> The Presbyterian Sunday school will picnic at Wildwood tomorrow, Wednesday. Trains will leave the ing for the accommodation of those desiring to attend.

> Leon Briggs, who has been teaching in the Philippine Islands the past four years, has been in Athens a few days visiting at the home of Elmer Briggs, He and Marvin Briggs went to Nichols to-

ners at 10:30 a, m, to accommo-

Ira Depew hitched his horses to a mowing machine yesterday and they took fright and ran away. Three cattle were in a field, and one valuable cow was overtaken in Athens selling the beef yesterday Seneca lake which was an unu

Council Repealed the Ordinance Allowing Them Last Night-Other Business Transacted

The regular monthly meeting of concert at the Forrest house last the borough council was held last evening, all of the members being present except Weiss. After reading of the minutes a large number of bills were presented and ordered

W. G. Schrier, Esq., appeared before the council and stated that he was retained as counsel for George W. Kingsley to collect his claim for damages to his property on Elm street, occasioned by changes in the street. He under-Mrs. W. C. Cortright has resistood that a committee had been appointed to confer with Mr. Kingsley in the matter, but as they have not done anything, he requests that they be required to attend to it at once or that a new committee be appointed. On motion this was referred to the street

Mr. Tripp, of the building committee, reported that no progress had been made in the matter of the fourth ward hose house. Architect Ervay had drawn plans and specifications for the building to have been erected on Church street, but they would not be suitable for the proposed building on the lot purchased by the borough, and the price would exceed the amount authorized to be appropriated for the purpose; that he had called upon Mr. Ervay and asked him to have the new plans and specifications ready so that they might be presented at this meeting ut could get no satisfaction from him, and that he had authorized Mr. Clark to see him about it. Mr Clark then stated that he had seen Mr. Ervay and he has promised to have the plans ready in two weeks. daughters, Laurel and Rena, of Further time was granted by vote

Dr. Stephens, as special committee on the Spruce street water trouble, stated that he had visited the place in company with Engineer Walker and Street Commissioner Mulligan, and they thought Mr. and Mrs. Vine Crandall and the best course would be to cut a ing from Main street on the south side of Spruce street, covering it over, and thus making an outlet for the water to pass under the side walk. This will necessitate the raising of Mr. O'Brien's walk, and Mr. Mullihan stated that he had objected to this being done. By A meeting will be held in the vote of the council the street com-Old Academy Friday evening for missioner was authorized to cut the purpose of organizing a lodge this channel if Mr. O'Brien will

Mr. Keefe stated that complaint had been made of the water stand ing on South Main street near the Chemung bridge street, and in front of the Perkins and Snell property. The street commissioner was authorized to investigate this trouble and to remedy it as far as

A new ordinance was presented for the action of the council, enchurch at 8 o'clock in the morn-titled "An ordinance to repeal ordinances allowing rebate to persons building concrete sidewalks in the borough of Athens," It is found that these rebates here amounted to a large sum each year, and that concrete and stone walks can now be built nearly as cheap as wooden walks. On taking the vote all of the councilmen voted "yea" except Sullivan and Tripp, who both voted Those desiring to attend the "no" on both propositions. The Presbyterian picnic at Wildwood matter was declared carried and tomorrow that prefer to take the the new ordinance must be pub cars are informed that conveyances lished in the pipers three weeks will be provided from Springs Cor- and posted ten days' and then it will become a law, and no more rebates will be paid on the construction of concrete and stone sidewalks. In the meantime those morning at his farm in Litchfield in process of construction will not be affected by the ordinance. Ad-

Dr. E. M. Cowell and wife and the flight, mowed down and ter- O. L. Haverly and wife returned ribly cut by the knives in the ma- from a pleasant cruise on Cayuga chine, so that he was obliged to and Seneca lakes this morning, kill her on the spot. He was in They encountered a storm on

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