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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, both phones.

L. C. Miller is in Towanda on business.

G. M. Legg and family spent yesterday at Candor.

John Seidel of Hornell, was in Waverly this morning.

John Cary spent Sunday at Barton visiting his parents.

Mrs. A. B. Kirby of Nichols, was in Waverly this morning.

E. S. Smead of Nichols, is visiting friends in Waverly.

Miss Elizabeth and Mary Mack went to Elmira this morning.

Mrs. Mary Wilkinson of Barton, is the guest of relatives in Waverly.

Mrs. S. R. Young returned from Scranton yesterday where she spent the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Moyer of Laquon, Pa., are visiting at the home of Ira Moyer on Pine street.

H. R. Graf is packing his house hold goods today, preparatory to moving to Buffalo tomorrow.

The Ladies' Aid of the M. E. church is preparing to give a birthday social at the church on Friday next.

Miss Josephine DeLaney of Binghamton, who has been visiting relatives in Waverly returned home last evening.

Mrs. J. O. Merrill of North Chemung street, who has been seriously ill from an attack of appendicitis is slowly improving.

John E. Ward is again able to be out after being confined to his room for a few days from severe hemorrhages of the stomach.

James Falsey went to Elmira today to attend the funeral of Mrs. Michael Cahill, whose body was taken to that city this morning.

Concert Tomorrow.

Waverly—Tomorrow evening at the Masonic Temple will take place the concert of the Lyric Glee Club. A most excellent program has been provided for the occasion, and those who will take part are the best of the local musicians, while the services of people from out of town, who stand very high in their respective lines has been secured. The sale of tickets has been very large, but there will be room for all who care to attend.

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KNOCKED FROM A CABOOSE!

PAINFULLY INJURED.

George Lockerby Met With Serious Accident at Manchester This Morning.

Waverly—George Lockerby, a Lehigh brakeman met with a painful accident at Manchester this morning. Preparations were being made to bring train B-1 from that place to Sayre, that being Mr. Lockerby's regular run. The train stood in the yard, and he was climbing to the top of the caboose, when the engine bumped into the train. He was jarred loose and fell striking his head on the caboose platform, then falling with his neck across the rail. He was rendered unconscious, and the car wheels came only a few inches from passing over his neck.

He was dragged from his perilous position, and after he revived he rode home on the train. While very sore and lame as a result, no serious consequences are expected.

MAIL CARRIERS BANQUET.

Those From Sayre and Athens Were Entertained Last Saturday Evening By Those of Waverly Office.

Waverly—The Waverly mail carriers proved royal entertainers when they gave a banquet last Saturday night at the home of the carriers of Sayre and Athens were present. The banquet was given at the home of William T. Harris on Chemung street. A most excellent menu consisting of all the good things attainable was served. The decorations carried out the idea of the valentine season, and the place cards were heart shaped. Mr. Harris acted as toastmaster and he had all his wit with him on this occasion. Nearly every one present responded to a toast. An orchestra furnished music during the evening. Postmaster Genung and Deputy postmaster Morgan were honorary guests. The party broke up just before the arrival of the Sabbath.

Mrs. Mary Dewitt.

Waverly—Mrs. Mary DeWitt, widow of the late Ulysses W. DeWitt, died at her home on Fulton street last Saturday evening from an attack of heart trouble. She was 61 years of age and had been a resident of Waverly for a great many years.

She was a member of the Waverly Methodist Episcopal church, was a kind hearted neighbor and will be sorely missed by her many friends. She is survived by two sons, Ralph of Larchmont, N. Y., and Archie of Port Chester, N. Y., one daughter, Mrs. Irving Parshall of Chemung, and two sisters, Mrs. John Strous of Elmira, and Mrs. Colegrove of Horseheads. The funeral will be held tomorrow, Tuesday afternoon from her home, and the services will be conducted by the Rev. H. B. Cook.

Buried This Afternoon.

Waverly—James H. Steever died last Saturday afternoon at his home on Walker Hill. His death was due to an attack of bronchitis. He was 79 years of age, and had been a resident of Waverly for a long term of years. His death came just two weeks after that of his wife, who died Saturday, February 2. The funeral took place this afternoon from his late home, and the remains were buried in the Glenwood cemetery. The Rev. H. B. Cook of the Methodist church conducted the services.

L. T. D. Club Elected Officers.

Waverly—At the last meeting of the L. T. D. club the following officers were elected: President, Barbara Lawrence; vice president, Margaret Tew; secretary, Jessie Smith; treasurer, Alice Westfall; musical committee, Jessie Smith and Barbara Lawrence. The next meeting of the club will be rendered at the home of Miss Gertrude Slaughter.

The Lid Was Tight.

Waverly—Yesterday there were two Raines Law men in town, bent upon discovering any violations of the liquor license law that might be taking place. They searched in vain, however, as the lid was on tight, and they left to report that Waverly was a dry town on the Sabbath day.

Declared Dividend.

Waverly—A dividend has been paid out of the property of Emmons & VanEtten, bankrupts. It amounted to 5 per cent of the property of the firm, and 6 per cent and 25 per cent on the private estates of the bankrupts. This is one half of the amount that will be paid. The balance coming later.

Newspaper Proof Sheets in School.

Stroudsburg, Pa.—As a step toward improving the study of English in the schools, the committee on instruction reported at the meeting of the Board of Education that in its opinion a valuable practical course of instruction in English could be obtained by reviews of proof sheets of the daily papers of Stroudsburg. The board endorsed the idea. The proof sheets are to be used as a class exercise to be corrected by the pupils. The errors to be marked are incorrect orthography and punctuation, ungrammatical expressions, wrong use of words, in fact, errors of all kinds.

FREE SEED HUMBUG.

Representatives Do Not Like to Part With Old Time Custom.

The average congressman is not yet ready to surrender what he regards as a political requisite, and insists on maintaining the free seed humbug. The house committee has again been defeated in its efforts to prevent the practice of buying common garden seeds from dealers and then despatching them broadcast on the requisition of congressmen for political effect among farmers. Secretary J. Sterling Morton once tried to abolish the gift seed package outfit, but congress overruled him and made him go on mailing souvenirs and samples to gladden rural gardeners and the denizens of rural poultry yards. Secretary Wilson has tried to cure the abuses of the present system by restoring the original intent of the free and seed law which merely directed the department to secure new varieties of seeds and plants for distribution to persons willing to experiment with them. This is a perfectly legitimate governmental function, since it seeks only to broaden knowledge and diversify horticulture. But no such purpose is served by the government's purchasing seeds which every seed dealer has for sale, and then franking them gratis to persons who in most cases, have not asked for them and have no public or scientific end in view in experimenting with them. The house committee followed the lead of Secretary Wilson in providing for the continuance of seed distribution under proper restrictions. Actually rare or novel varieties of seeds were to be procured and sent by the agricultural department to experiment stations, experimental farms or individual horticulturists willing to propagate them. Senators and representatives were to cease being horticultural middlemen, mixing electioneering with plant propagation. But the house of representatives rose in its might to rebuke this divorce of horticulture and politics. It overrode the ruling of its presiding officer and inserted in the agricultural appropriation bill last year's provision for an indiscriminate distribution of ordinary bargain counter seeds.

NO DANGER IN SUN SPOTS.

The Worst, Astronomers Say, Would Be Electrical Disturbances.

The world has nothing to fear from the present sun spots, that are agitating some people, according to Professor Snyder of the Boys' Central High School, and Doilittle, of the University of Pennsylvania, the astronomers who manage to keep in pretty close touch with the doings of the solar system. Professor Snyder had his boys observe the spots through the big telescope at the High School recently, and answered many questions as to the possible dangers of earthquakes and electrical disturbances. "There are six different groups of sun spots visible," said he, "the total number being really a matter of subdivision. The larger group is visible to the naked eye through smoked glasses. I estimate these cover in their greatest length one-twelfth of the diameter of the sun. Others have been larger. The largest nodule of the spots shows evidence of cyclonic motion and discloses a very curious bright, hazy shading, which seems to be unusual. I believe the spots to be resultant of explosions of elements on the sun and electrical disintegration of them taking place around the particular spotted area." Professor Doilittle, after viewing the spots, gave it as his opinion that nothing serious would happen. "There have been," he said, "times when with the appearance of sun spots the air has become so charged with electricity that it has caused the greatest inconvenience and trouble to the telegraph and telephone companies. It is not likely to do this at this time on account of the position of the disturbances in relation to the earth. These spots exert their energy in just about the same manner as does a searchlight of a funnel form. If the earth were to come within this range of energy, then we would likely have some electrical disturbances." Should the weather conditions prove favorable, further observations of the spots may be had this week. They will be visible during a full revolution, for about a week, and may again be seen in about 28 days, upon the next return of the face of the sun now seen.

Waverly Personal.

Mrs. John Tozer is ill at her home on Fulton street.

Miss Edna Collins is ill at her home on North Chemung street from tonsillitis.

TOTS' TOYS SAVE SNOWBOUND FOLK.

FOOD GONE AND NONE IN SIGHT, CHILDREN'S BEAN BAGS FURNISH MEALS.

CONTENTS ARE WELL COOKED

All Members of Party Eat Heartily, Then, Storm Abating, They Snow-Shoe Back to Civilization With Youngsters on Backs.

Limestone, Me.—Had it not been for the wit of a woman, and incidentally, one unused to the woods, a party of city folk would have gone hungry for a day or more recently while rusticating in the forests to the west of here. The woman is Mrs. J. G. Northrup of Boston, and the other members of the party were her husband, Carson Blake, his half-brother, and three young Northrup children.

Mrs. Northrup is devoted to painting and when her husband built a bungalow in the Maine woods last summer she was delighted. With her children, she arrived here before the cabin was completed and spent three days painting forests and skies. When she left she said she would return shortly after Christmas, and make some studies of winter skies and effects, and to this end the party came back on December 27.

Arrangements were made to send enough ham, beef, flour, eggs, butter and other edibles to last a week. This was the length of time the party intended to stay. The provisions were forwarded according to agreement, and at the end of the week hardly enough were left to make a respectable meal.

All would have gone well had not the unexpected happened. The morning the party was to break camp after a light breakfast a fine snow began to fall and this continued until a rising wind made the trip hazardous. In stead of abating the storm increased to a blizzard.

Mrs. Northrup scoured the bungalow from top to bottom to find forgotten food, but nothing more substantial than three apples could be discovered. These were served as their sauce for dinner, and for supper Mr. Blake found half a dozen acorns some squirrels had housed under the gable. Then every one drank all the water he could.

The children, the oldest of whom was nine, became fretful as their hunger increased, and at their usual bedtime they refused to go to sleep. Mrs. Northrup bore with them patiently for an hour, and then suggested that they dress, open a trunk of playthings brought in during the summer, and amuse themselves until the "sandman" came around.

The little folk had no sooner spread out their toys than Mrs. Northrup uttered a suppressed exclamation of delight and fairly gurgled with glee. Then she whispered to her husband, "My mouth watered. Mr. Blake wanted to know what all the excitement was about, but the only information he got was that a hearty meal would be served for breakfast."

The moment the children returned to bed and Mr. Blake had retired



They Cooked the Contents of the Bean Bag.

Mrs. Northrup seized six bean bags with which the little folk had been playing and ripped them open. Out of the six she managed to get two quarts of beans. These were put to soak in water, and then she went to bed. Early next morning before the others were astir the mother found her beans swollen to four times their natural size and proceeded to make a stew or a thick soup. Other beans were put in the oven to bake and the meal was ready.

How welcome those unseasoned beans were or how good they tasted can only be imagined by those who have felt the pangs of real hunger. Every one ate all he could, for there was enough of the food for four full meals, and capped the meal with long draughts of water.

Snow continued to fall until the following morning, when the skies cleared and the party got to civilization on snowshoes, each carrying one of the children pick-a-back.

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GIRL TO RAFFLE HERSELF.

Novel Plan of Young New York Woman to Complete Musical Education.

New York.—"Agreement for the purpose of assisting in the completion of the musical education of Miss Miriam Edwina: I agree to pay the sum in dollars of this ticket. Name..... Address..... If this number should be the lucky one and all interests being mutual, matrimony will be considered."

An attractive young woman, valise in hand, descended upon Wall street, and the lambs and bears and other live stock stopped work.

The young woman, in addition to the valise, possessed blonde hair, blue eyes,



MISS MIRIAM EDWINA. (She is Raffling Herself to Get Money for Course in Music.)

a Cupid's bow mouth and other marks which merited attention."

Furthermore, she carried into Wall street a scheme which made even the enterprising ones of the stock exchange sit up and take notice. The young woman is Miss Miriam Edwina, and she is raffling herself off for money to obtain a musical education. She has 250 chances, and they range in price from one dollar to \$350.

Miss Edwina has a high soprano voice and grand opera is her aim. She says she has heard of all kinds of raffling schemes for making money, and she certainly wants to accumulate enough to take her to Italy.

"I have been trying to earn enough money to complete my musical education, but it seems that it is impossible. My father, who was once a United States consul in Cuba, died three years ago, and I have had to support myself. I tried typography, and that is how I earned money to study music for a while. Then I went on the stage. I have had four years here in New York four years, but I want two years abroad. Of course, that is necessary for anyone who has grand opera aspirations."

Each ticket is numbered and put in a sealed envelope. When the man draws the envelope he, of course, has no idea of the price he must pay for it. The number on the ticket represents the price he must pay.

Already Miss Edwina has sold ten shares or chances, the largest number drawn so far being 219, for which a well-known and wealthy New Yorker paid \$210.

If Miss Edwina sells all her chances she will have the tidy little sum of \$51,425, which ought to help some toward a musical education.

"As you see in the agreement, matrimony is the reward for the lucky ticket—only if all interests are mutual," said Miss Edwina. The raffle will take place in some hall, and I intend giving a concert first and letting people hear me sing."

There to Stay.

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