

BULLETIN NEWS.

Buy picture frames at Carpenter's. L. L. Parker left for Montreal Saturday. Olives, 25c quart, at Miles', 33 Genesee street. Miss Marie Berns left this morning for Buffalo. A. J. Vieux has returned after a business trip to Syracuse. Dawson O'Brien, of Solvay, was in town yesterday. Thomas Jones, of Auburn, was in the city yesterday. Fred Mellen left this morning to accept a position in Cleveland, Ohio. Two-step guaranteed for \$1 by Prof. Conley, academy 103 105 Genesee st. William Wildner, of Syracuse, spent Sunday with his parents in York street. Mr. and Mrs. Asa R. Barnes and family are now domiciled at No. 31 Franklin street. Henry Meyers rides a '98 Crawford racer. F. S. Smith sells tires, 50 State street. New spring styles of russet and black shoes and oxfords at Hadselle & Walker's, 69 Genesee st. Mr. and Mrs. Willard E. Case and family arrived in town Saturday evening from New York city. Miss Jennie T. Sheehan, of Ferrine street, left this afternoon for a week's visit with relatives in Syracuse. We loan on securities, real and personal, amounts small or large. Cayuga Loan Co. Mr. and Mrs. Horace Williams wish to return thanks for all aid received from friends during their recent distress. Mr. and Mrs. William M. Collier, of Hamilton avenue, are entertaining Mrs. Collier, of Clinton, N. Y., Mr. Collier's mother. Mrs. Thomas McConell and daughter Evelyn, of Washington street, left this morning for a brief visit with relatives in Mattville. The United States Signal Service bureau at Washington predicts for today: Fair weather to-night; Tuesday probably fair to light southerly winds. Big reduction in wall paper this week at Carpenter's. Mrs. Carr, Eddie Baker, Eugene Parcels, William Olmstead and Frank Webb visited friends in Seneca Falls last evening. Dr. M. P. Cooway has returned from New Haven, Conn. where he was in attendance at the national convention of the Knights of Columbus as State delegate. Pictures framed cheap at Carpenter's. New spring goods received today from James A. Bannister's Co. by Hadselle & Walker, 69 Genesee st. Step into our newly fitted optical parlors and see an expert in skin-copy use this new instrument in examining eyes. Crossman & Swart, opticians, 92 Genesee st. In Recorder's court this afternoon William Bailey pleaded guilty to disorderly conduct at the Lewis house, and was sentenced to pay \$5 fine or go to jail for 10 days. H. Louis Palmer, who has been traveling in South America, arrived home Saturday evening in time to read of his experiences in an afternoon paper under a December date. Every one come to the Tuesday evening cooking class at Central church, which begins with a FREE Bread Making lesson, by Miss Oakley, Tuesday, March 3, at 7:30 o'clock. Mrs. John Murphy, of 13 Green street, wishes to thank all who in any way assisted her in her recent bereavement, the death of her husband. Especially does she thank the Holy Name Society of the Holy Family church. Steps are being taken to organize a court of the Foresters of America in this city. A preliminary meeting was held yesterday and another will probably be held next Sunday, at which time application will be made for a charter. Mrs. Judson T. Barker and Miss Ella Barker, of West Genesee street, who left here Tuesday afternoon for the Pacific coast, arrived at Los Angeles, California, Saturday evening. They will not return to this city until late in the Fall. Mrs. Eva M. Weed, who has been the guest of her parents, City Surveyor and Mrs. Austin, returned to New York

THE REMER TEA STORE is headquarters for the best Tea and Coffee in the city. Give us a trial. Barth & Claudius, 37 GENESEE ST.

THE FARMERS' CLUB. It held an interesting meeting in this city on Saturday. President Goodrich called the meeting to order with a recommendation that the club at a future meeting discuss the institute just passed. The secretary suggested that on Saturday next each member come prepared with a short article giving his opinion of the work, not sparing any criticisms thought best, for often one is strengthened by being shown his weak points. Ex-President McCarty presented the following, which was read by the secretary and was the subject discussed. 'The farmers who best endured the hard times were those who have managed to have something to sell about every month in the year. True, the farmers who have made a good showing have been economical; but economy alone has not been sufficient. The men who were not disheartened by 30-cent wheat and 15-cent corn, but kept right on and grew more wheat and more corn with correspondingly less expense, were those who held their ground, while those who turned the track when the depression was on and sold out at a sacrifice to embark in a new business have rarely found the success they anticipated. 'The farms a factory for turning out agricultural products. Other factories may be run but part of the time when their products are not in brisk demand, and the cost of running proportionately lessened. But with the farm it is different. The taxes and expense of maintenance are about equal, whether the farm is worked at full capacity or not. Increased production means a larger output for labor, but that specific results may be obtained with less labor than ever before has been established. Labor-saving implements and increased fertility mean less labor in the end. 'The farmers who have kept these ideas in mind and have had a large output of grain, seed, stock, poultry, butter, hay, wool and eggs to sell, despite the discounted returns, have either paid their debts or augmented their bank accounts. No doubt, this doctrine will be regarded as heresy by those who advocate special farming. Let those who are gazed sick to their calling and make a success of it; but proof is abundant that the majority of farmers, situated and treated as they are, are more sure of a fair income if they have many things to sell, and that at frequent intervals. This means ready cash and strides toward independence.' - National Stockman and Farmer. Mr. Rice thought that about one out of a hundred made the most money by special farming. Allowing that to be the case, farming would soon be brought to a low standard. If the percentage was so small while there was a good argument in favor of special farming, as special tools also special knowledge, while he who followed mixed husbandry had to have all the tools necessary to perform his work in season as well as to be posted in all the branches of farming, he was following. The question of the price of labor came in to a good share of the discussion. He referred to his own situation where he offered a \$25 per month for eight months, or he furnishing all necessary teams and tools and the man do all the work. When asked as to results, he said the first season the man planted potatoes quite largely. That was in '86 and his potatoes netted him 5 cents per bushel after all his work. But as a whole the man had more time to himself and came out about even in '87, prices being a little better. He was able to hold a price of 100 cents for when he had better prices and could not take \$1 per bushel for his share showing that by mixed farming and not having one's eggs all in one basket the chances are that one can always get something by careful farming besides a good living for a good farmer and a good farmer on it always cuts his garment according to the cloth. The secretary gave notice that on Saturday the 19th of the present month was the annual Cayuga County Jersey breeders' meeting and that it would be called at the Business Men's association rooms and that all business would be accomplished in the forenoon and in the afternoon he was in hopes they would have Dr. Smead with them for the benefit of the meeting. Notice will be given early next week. A. D. BAKER, secretary.

last night. Mrs. Mead Saturday received notice of a new appointment, this time in the Department of Assessment and Taxes in the Borough of Manhattan. Hennessy & Shea will be the name of a new firm of undertakers who will begin business at Ithaca on Thursday. The senior member of the firm is George F. Hennessy, the well known funeral director of this city, and the junior member is John E. Shea, who has for some time past been Mr. Hennessy's assistant in this city. Mr. Shea will assume entire charge of affairs in Ithaca, Mr. Hennessy remaining here. The junior member of the firm is a well known Auburnian, courteous and competent, and will doubtless become as popular in the university town as he is in this city. JOSIAH B. BRINKERHOFF.

Death of the Well Known Justice of the Peace of Oswego. Josiah B. Brinkerhoff one of the most prominent citizens of the town of Oswego, died at his home, two miles up the East side of the lake at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon. Although the deceased had been suffering from a particularly painful disease his vigorous constitution had kept him up so strongly during his illness that complete recovery was not despaired of and death came unexpectedly. Blood poisoning was the direct cause of his death, brought about by erysipelas which set in a month ago when Mr. Brinkerhoff put one of the fingers of his right hand with a small screw. Despite medical aid the disease spread up his arm into his neck and face and on Monday last a consultation of physicians was held. Drs. Croesley and Brown, of this city, with Dr. Brewer, of Oswego, were present. Tuesday and Wednesday the condition of the patient was much improved and it was thought that medical skill had obtained the upper hand of the disease. Friday and Saturday Mr. Brinkerhoff was not so well and yesterday morning at 2 o'clock there was such a marked change for the worse that the members of his family were summoned to his bedside. The patient gradually sank until 3 o'clock in the afternoon when the life that had made such an obstinate battle gave up the fight and passed quietly away.

Josiah B. Brinkerhoff was the second son of John I. Brinkerhoff, one of the earliest settlers around the lake, and was born on Brinkerhoff's point, May 21, 1830. When the war broke out he enlisted in Company A, Third New York Light Artillery, and served until the close. After the war was over Mr. Brinkerhoff returned to his home and married Lillian Brinkerhoff, daughter of David Brinkerhoff. He has lived his life in Oswego and his sterling qualities and his vigorous, outspoken policy won the respect of his fellow citizens that he was elected to many offices of trust. At the time of his death he was serving his third term as justice of the peace. He was a devout Christian, a sturdy advocate of temperance and an active worker in the Presbyterian church at the village of Oswego, of which he was a life long member. Mr. Brinkerhoff was a member of Crocker Post, G. A. R. Besides his widow the deceased leaves two sons, Alfred J. Brinkerhoff, of the G. C. Smith Manufacturing Company, and Walter Brinkerhoff, who lives at home. Two brothers survive him, Jacob Brinkerhoff, of Mac Master street, and Warren M. Brinkerhoff, of Genesee street. The funeral will be held at the late home of the deceased in Oswego at 3 o'clock Wednesday afternoon. Interment will be at Fort Hill.

There are almost 100 mineral springs in the United States. McCABE'S Furniture House & Mattress Factory. We have just enlarged our ware-rooms and also our Mattress and Upholstering Department, which will enable us to display our stock, and also to fill orders on Mattresses and Upholstering promptly. We carry the largest assortment of high and medium grade furniture in Auburn at the lowest prices. We are headquarters for Baby Carriages. McCABE'S FURNITURE HOUSE, 6, 8, 10 Dill Street. Cash or Installment.

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THEY SAW BENHAM. Howard G. Benham, the Batavia wife murderer, whose case is now on appeal, was visited at the prison this afternoon by his father, Martin G. Benham, and his attorney, Mr. Webster. Mr. Benham and Mr. Webster came to the city this morning and were at the prison but did not see the condemned man. This afternoon they went again to the prison and stayed the greater part of the afternoon. WHOSE BOY IS THIS? A small boy with ragged clothes and a dirty face, down which tears were flowing and leaving white marks, was found in Fitch avenue this afternoon and taken to police headquarters. He couldn't tell his name. The police will keep him until he is claimed.

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STREET DEPARTMENT. This department is in very good financial condition, having now in the street fund proper and the street contingent fund \$3,341.70 with which to begin work this Spring. The department received an appropriation of \$16,000, all of which except the above amount has been expended for the improvement of the streets in and around the city. The work has been distributed generally over the city and 96 different streets have been more or less improved. Only those who have been interested in following the work of this department can conceive the difficulty it has experienced in avoiding streets about to be excavated for sewers or water pipes. The digging spirit has been widespread and persistent during the past three years and the street department knows it is an absolutely useless expenditure to put work on a street just before or just after a ditch has been put through its width. The work during the coming season will be applied as formerly to the streets whose needs are greatest.

LEGAL DEPARTMENT. The status of the litigation in which the city is engaged is shown in the following abstract from the report of the city attorney: Claims filed for damages alleged to have been sustained through the negligence of the city, since March 1, 1896, \$30,073.94; claims filed before that date and not disposed of, \$6,500; total, \$42,573.94. Actions commenced on claims since March 1, 1896, 19, involving \$33,287.50; commenced before and pending on March 1, 1896, two, involving \$6,500; a total of 21, \$39,787.50. Amount of claims filed and actions not brought, \$2,796.44; total, \$42,573.94. Actions settled, two, involving \$3,127.50, settled for \$268.55. The city has been beaten in one action tried, that of James Van Housen, in which the negligence upon which the action was based was affirmative negligence of the city itself through neglect of street department. Damages and costs recovered and paid, \$704. Total expenditure, \$1,200.55. Actions now pending: Supreme court, Trial term, two, involving \$16,500; at Appellate division on appeal, one, involving \$1,000; in Court of Appeals, one, involving \$5,000; Supreme court, Equity term, one, a total of \$22,500. Actions commenced by city, one, involving \$361.66, against the Auburn City Railway company on a protested check given for taxes. Paid before judgment entered. Damages demanded, \$1,000; claims filed and actions brought, \$42,573.94; now pending, \$22,500; disposed of, \$20,073.94; at a cost to the city of \$1,200.55. Of the \$22,500 pending litigation \$15,000 is involved in the action of James Hyland just commenced and in which the complaint has not yet been served; \$1,000 in the action of John Devore pending at the Appellate division on a motion for a new trial, the city having succeeded at the Trial term in dismissing the complaint; \$5,000 in the Margaret Hughes case pending on appeal in the Court of Appeals on appeal taken by the city, and \$1,500 in an action brought by Margaret Cuddy for damages sustained for a personal injury.

An examination of this statement shows the increasing tendency of individuals to recover from the city damages for alleged private injury. This alarming state of affairs was probably induced by the success attending one case a few years ago. Up to this date the city attorney has also defended our interests and the cost has been light considering the amount involved.

PARKS. During the past two years considerable discussion has been carried on regarding public parks. The city government has not been able to see its way clear to purchase a park, never, it is provided for in that direction. In addition to the little triangle on South street which, by the way, is a very convenient place for the weary to stop and rest, the Misses Willard have very generously donated to the Y. M. C. A. a plot of ground conveniently located to be used as an athletic ground for all innocent out-of-door sports and games. They have also provided a fine plot of shaded ground nearly three acres in extent to be used as a park for the use of the citizens of Auburn. Still further South the Auburn City Railway company has commenced laying out grounds for quite an extensive park at the foot of the lake. They have set about 45 good sized trees and I understand more are to be planted in the Spring and it is believed the company will make other needed improvements. When the needed improvements on these plots are completed the parks will be well provided for with parks for some years to come, illustrating the saying that: "All things come to him who waits."

A FARM SOLD. The old Sprague farm in the town of Venice, lying near Poplar Ridge post-office, was sold at auction this morning on the Court house steps for \$3,500. The sale, which was the result of a partition suit, was conducted by Referee Harry T. Dayton and attracted quite a crowd. A. H. Searing was the attorney for the petitioners. The bidding, though starting with some spirit, soon became listless and the property was knocked down to Sidney M. Powell, for \$3,500. The new purchaser is a daughter of the former owner, Catherine Sprague, deceased. Situated on a rise of ground from which a beautiful view of the surrounding country is to be had, the old homestead has been a familiar landmark. The house stands on a cross road East of the corners with 120 acres in the farm lying partly on the cross road and partly on the ridge road running North and South.

CHANGES IN A STORE. Quite extensive improvements are being made in the first floor of the Y. M. C. A. building for the new tenant, Charles G. Meaker, the grocer. A hydraulic elevator is being put in the fruit basement to raise and lower goods from the sidewalk and a new entrance is being put in at the rear of the first floor for the delivery of parcels to the wagons. Besides these changes mentioned the interior of the store is being renovated.

SHE KILLED A MAN. Ann Moore, a Queens county woman, who killed a man in Long Island City, was received at the prison Saturday night. She has a sentence of one year and six months to serve for manslaughter, second degree. She was brought here by Hospital Keeper Patterson and Matron McCarty.

LAST SAD RITES. The funeral of the late John J. McLaughlin was largely attended this morning. The services were held at St. Mary's church at 10 o'clock and consisted of a requiem high mass and the usual Catholic burial service. Rev. James J. Gibbons was the officiating clergyman. The remains were laid to rest in St. Joseph's cemetery. The bearers were James Dunn, Thomas McLaughlin, Joseph Sullivan, Michael McLaughlin, James Murray and John McGraw. No matter how long you have had the cough; if it hasn't already developed into consumption Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup will cure it.

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- Best N. O. molasses, 48c gal. jug free
Very best syrup, 35c gal. jug free
Common syrup, 25c gal. jug free
All kinds spices, pound, 25c
5 bars Master or Tump soap, 15c
10 bars Lenox soap, 10c
Best premium chocolate, 1lb, 30c
Dougherty's and other mince meat, 7c
Fresh Yeast Flours, pkg, 25c
Best cut 8 oz carpet tacks, 1b, 5c
Fine sultana, can, 10c
Davis' C. K. baking powder, 1b, 15c
Teacher's and Cleveland's, 38c
Cream baking powder, 1b, 25c
Lemons, fresh, doz, 14c
Wash benches, 35c to \$1.48
2 hoop wood pallets, 8c
Galvanized water pails, 12c and 16c
Habbitt's potato or lye, can, 8c
Best tomatoes, can, 9c
4 lb pkg Gold Dust, 19c
112 pc dec dinner sets, \$7.50 to \$12

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THEY SAY! And Thousands Echo Their Sentiments. Who? The people. What the people say is true. Who are the people? We are the people. But we are not all of them. Oh, no! Not by any means. There are others. There are thousands of them. There are millions! Lots of them in Auburn. And they say— What? That California Catarth Cures cures catarth; that it stops hawking and spitting and the dropping into the throat; that it cures the stuffed up feeling and all other irritating symptoms. Here's what one of them says, 'only one, but remember there are others.' Mrs. James Caldwell, 30 Larber st., Auburn, says: 'Having used California Catarth Cure I have found it unexcelled for relieving catarth to the head and throat. I have never used anything that makes my head feel so good. It relieves headaches and poins wonderfully. My son got a bottle at Bostons drug store and he used it for throat troubles with most satisfactory results.' Cure it before the deceptive spring weather has fixed it yet firmer by a succession of numerous colds in the head. California Catarth Cure will immediately relieve and check those. All dealers; 30 cents; three times as much, \$1. M. W.S.

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