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A straight carload of Detroit Milling Co.'s Flours direct from the mills, bought at the recent low prices, just unloaded.

Take advantage and put in for future needs, as we are offering the following extremely low prices for a few days:

Blue Ball, Best Bread Flour	\$1.45
Superb, Excellent	1.40
Harvest King, All around,	1.35
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Fancy Graham Flour, 5 lbs	1.13

By presenting the tickets in each barrel of flour to the Detroit Milling Co. and \$2.25 you can get a nice 43-piece Dinner Set. See the dishes in my show window.

E. R. Hunt,
MORRIS

Dentistry.
Dr. W. H. G. Gilbert's death, will be at the Gardner House in Morris this week Wednesday and Thursday, and every week thereafter. Notice the change in the Gardner House.

The Morris Chronicle.

E. E. CARPENTER,
EDITOR AND PROPRIETOR.
Wednesday, June 21, 1911.

Particularly of Local Interest.

Mrs. John Shaw, sr., returned to Morris yesterday.

Lee Folts is home for a couple of weeks from Geneseo.

George Whitman went to Warwick Saturday on a business visit.

Here we are right in the middle of the year—our longest days this week.

Rev. Dr. Albert C. Bunn of Brooklyn has been spending a couple of days here.

Mrs. C. M. Priest, after a few weeks spent in Bainbridge, has returned to Morris.

C. H. Lawrence has a new ad this week, calling attention to his big line of haying tools, etc.

Rozofsky & Melnick will open their clothing store in the room back of the Bank next Saturday.

The new colors on the Kenyon house are, the body yellow, with trimmings of chocolate and green.

Mrs. Elvira Falls is visiting her many friends in Morris, stopping with her niece, Mrs. M. L. Bridges.

Mrs. Frank Finch of Toddsville spent a part of last week in Morris, visiting her sister, Mrs. Wilmet Greene.

Mrs. Ida Mayne of Burlington Flats has been the guest the past week of Miss Ellen Chapin and Mrs. E. R. Hunt.

The new time table of the Oneonta-Mohawk trolley road may be found in this issue. Hourly service is now given.

Aron Hammond has had a concrete walk put down from his house (the Gaylord house) on Broad street to the street walk.

L. B. Matteson of Oneonta and T. M. Strong of Laurens were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Carpenter Saturday and Sunday.

Roy Gilbert has been going about on crutches the past week as the result of getting mixed up with some logs at Benjamin's mill.

Home grown strawberries began to appear last week. There are not half enough grown in this valley to supply the local requirements.

E. B. Rathbun, proprietor of the White Store Hotel, was in town a couple of days last week looking after his property interests in Morris.

Rain fell in this village every day from Saturday, June 10th, to Friday, the 18th, inclusive, and on some of the days an inch of water fell, and during the seven days the rainfall was 4.13 in.

Isbell's feed store has concrete steps and platform as the result of the new concrete walk down that way. A big improvement all around.

We note that E. W. Card, who has always rented a home in Oneonta, has recently bought the place at 45 Spruce street, and will move there next month.

Vaughn Coy has become the proprietor of the pool room. He desires us to say that boys under 16 years will not be allowed to patronize the room, as it is against the law.

The Davis family to the number of forty-six held their annual reunion at Edwin Pickens' in Morris June 12th. The family meets next June at the home of Geo. H. Davis in Oneonta.

For five days last week nearly all the lines running into the Home Central telephone office were out of commission, the result of lightning. The farmers' lines were very little affected.

It has been a pleasure this week for Morris friends to grasp the hand again of Richard Mansfield of New London, Conn., who was called here by the death of his brother-in-law, Dr. Matteson.

Earl Sutherland of Union Hill with his wife and little daughter, is visiting relatives here. His mother, Mrs. Rebecca Sutherland, who has been at Union Hill for some time, returned to her Morris home with them.

Among the passengers on the Oneonta-Morris stage last Friday was a mouse, running loose. In its running it got up one passenger's pant legs nearly to his knee. When it was caught and executed. The passenger was a man.

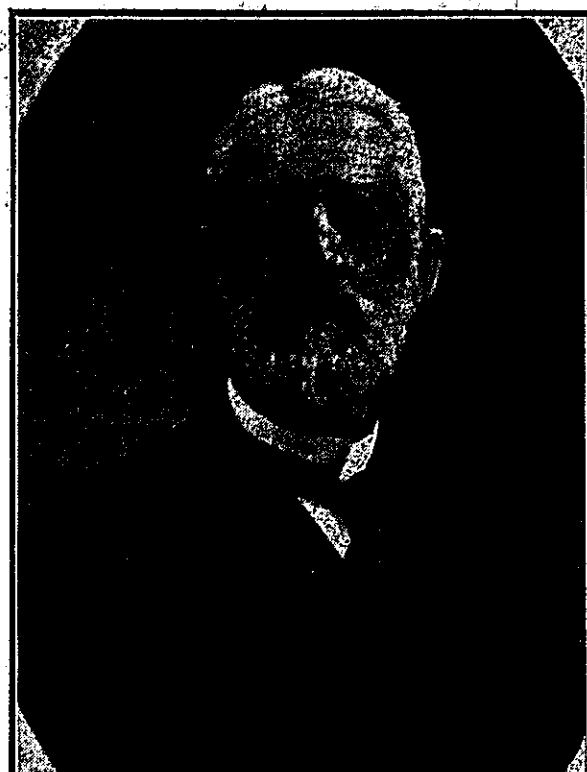
The members of Tienuderrab Lodge No. 605, F. & A. M., are requested to assemble at the lodge room at 7 p. m., Sunday evening, June 25th, to attend service at Zion church. The members of Jewel Chapter, O. E. S., are requested to meet at the lodge room and accompany the members of the lodge to the church.

The Edmeston school ball team visited Morris last Saturday, meeting the same fate as former visitors on like business this year, only more so. The score was, Morris 16, Edmeston 1. At Edmeston yesterday the score stood Morris 3, Edmeston 0. But 23 men faced Hand, the Morris pitcher. At New Berlin yesterday it took three umpires, and the score was New Berlin 10, Morris 9. Games in Morris Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

The series of storms last week carried destruction to many parts of the State. Morris got lots of rain, but no hail, no high winds and no lightning bolts, for which we are thankful. The New Berlin insurance company sustained losses in twenty of its agencies of 18 cows and one horse killed by lightning, two barns at New Berlin and one at North Norwich.

Last Tuesday afternoon while at work helping to test down a building on the Blackman farm in Dimock Hollow, Charley Elliott of this village was hit in the back by a falling timber and knocked to the ground, his head and face striking on a stone. He was very severely injured, sustaining cuts and bruises on his head, and some body bruises. Added to these was the shock to his physically that came near doing him up. He was brought home that day and has since been slowly recovering.

Those \$16 Sals, lined new styles, are being sold by Welch for \$12.



DR. MERRITT MATTESON

Born in Laurens, June 19, 1836. Died in Morris, June 18, 1911. Seventy-five years was the span of this man's life. Fifty years of it was spent in the service of human need, for beginning practice in Morris in 1861 he was able to see and administer help to his last patient less than a month ago. And those fifty years gave a service that was much more than merely a professional service in many of our homes. Beneath a sometimes brusque and severe exterior there beat a tender and sympathetic heart; those who recognized it prized his worth at its true value, and to such his name will always be "spoken softly as a treasured household name."

Merritt Matteson was born in the town of Laurens, the first child of Benjamin Matteson and his wife Emeline Steere Matteson, who moved to Morris the next year, and made their home here ever after. He came of honored New England ancestry, the paternal side from Vermont, the mother from Rhode Island, being the sixth generation in direct descent from Roger Williams. In early school life he gave indications of possessing a mind fitted for a higher education, and he was encouraged to secure it. In young manhood he taught school and attended school at higher institutions than were found at home, the Cooperstown seminary being one of them. He then took a course in medicine at the university at Ann Arbor, Michigan, and in 1861, when he was 25 years old, began the practice of his chosen profession in Morris. He entered into partnership with the late Dr. Chas. W. Fox, and at once became a leading citizen of the town, and as such has discharged his trust with fidelity, intelligence and unselfishness.

Among his civic services none counted for more than the work he was able to do as a member of the Board of Education for twenty years, 1883-1903, where his knowledge of educational affairs and the discrimination of an excellent judgment naturally made him a leader and a dependable member, to whom his colleagues always turned with confidence, and whose counsels they followed in solving the problems so often arising. Another and far longer service he gave to Hillington Cemetery Association, where he served as president a long time and was an active working member of the board of trustees for more than a generation. In politics the doctor was a Republican, and was twice elected Supervisor of the town.

As a physician the doctor was confined to no individual school wholly, although educated as a homeopathist. He was conservative, but not unalterably prejudiced; he never jumped at fads, although willing to try what others were trying, but with good judgment discerning the folly of blindly adopting all that is so often claimed by enthusiasts. He had a large amount of common sense which he mixed in with his sympathy in the new discoveries heralded by the learned men of his profession and in his adoption of their claims. He was a well-read man and a student always in his profession, never what younger men term an "old fogey." He never spared himself in his

COMMENCEMENT WEEK.

This week closes another school year. Tuesday evening was occupied by the graded department of our school in a pleasing program of exercises at the Parish House. The music is by a special orchestra. There was a large attendance, and the pupils did admirably.

Wednesday evening the graduating class have their exercises.

Thursday evening comes the alumni banquet and reunion of the graduates of the school and training class. An interesting program is being arranged. E. E. Carpenter, president of the Board of Education, has been asked to preside as toastmaster, and among those who will respond to toasts are Miss Katherine Mills, Mrs. Edwin M. Hopkins, Florence Lull, Miss Lela Hinman, F. J. Cotter, and perhaps others.

The year has been a very successful one in our school, and we hope our people will give these closing entertainments their hearty support. Principal Van Dusen remains at the head of the school another year, which is a satisfactory decision to all interested.

MORRIS WILL HAVE A BALL TEAM.

Arrangements are being fast perfected for a ball team in Morris this summer. It will be managed by Mr. Ready, coach of Dartmouth College athletics, and he will bring with a team of first-class college players. Dates are now being arranged with other fast teams about the country.

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MORRIS HIGH SCHOOL NOTES.

The following is a list of the subjects given in the regents examinations June 12-16, with the names of those who passed these examinations:

- Reading—
Clyde Barton
Mabel Colburn
Agnes Daniels
Blanche Eckler
Florence Foote
Grace Garlick
Mary Harris
Dale Houghtaling
Morgan Johnston
Vivian Rockwell
Jennie Southern
Emma Swaine
Ralph Hoag
- Writing—Those who passed, reading passed writing.
Dennis Aldrich
Reginald Boney
Agnes Daniels
Pearle Hickling
Guy Niles
Jennie Walters
Anna Swaine
- Spelling—
Jennie Chase
Florence Foote
Mary Harris
Anna Naylor
Nelson A. Ripley
Emma Warner
- Elementary English—
Dean Davis
Blanche Eckler
Edna Gregory
Dale Houghtaling
Morgan Johnston
Leon Leggett
Albert Southern
Emma Warner
Ralph Hoag

- Arithmetic—
Merritt Barker
Clyde Barton
Blanche Eckler
Dale Houghtaling
Morgan Johnston
Albert Southern
Emma Warner
Florence Foote
- Agnes Daniels
Blanche Eckler
Florence Foote
Lucy Hubbard
Leon Leggett
Anna Swaine
Fayette Wing
- U. S. History—
Ella Cogshall
Blanche Eckler
Florence Foote
Letha Hinman
Morgan Johnston
Anna Naylor

- English 1st year—
John Chase
Walter Cornell
Frances Foote
Benjamin Lull
Fera Pittsley
Jennie Southern
Vera Thurston
Allan Wild
Fayette Wing
- English 2d year—
Laura Aplin
Mildred Davis
Henry Hand
Oleis Dunbar
Mildred Perry
Carl Smith
Mary Southern
Florence Strait

- English 3d year—
Frances Carey
Hazel Hubbard
Stuart Rockwell
- English 4th year—
Ralph Carrick
Vivian Rockwell
Edith Light
Kate Van Rensselaer
- German—
Maudie Hunt
Elsie Southern
Madge Folsbee
John Warner

- Latin—
Mildred Perry
Jennie Southern
Paul Southern
Allan Wild
Edith Wing
- Latin 2d year—
Julia Rockwell
Carl Smith
Elsie Southern
Vera Thurston
- Latin 3d year—
Stuart Rockwell
John Warner

- Elementary Algebra—
Jennie Chase
Vivian Rockwell
Hazel Field
Amelia Garlick
Fera Pittsley
- Plane Geometry—
Frances Carey
Walter Cornell
Agnes Greene
Henry Hand
Edith Light
Benjamin Lull
- Solid Geometry—
John Warner

- Physics—
Agnes Greene
Edith Light
Harriet Moore
- Chemistry—Harold Tillson, Hobart Tillson.
- Elementary Botany—Donald Lull.
- Biology—
Fera Pittsley
Vera Thurston
Laura Tilley
Edith Wing
- Physiology—
Letha Hinman
Lucy Hubbard
Harriet Moore

Ancient History, 3 hr.
Florence Monroe
Gertrude Parker
Mildred Perry
Carl Smith
Paul Southern
Vera Thurston
John Warner

American History with Civics.
Oliver Lull
Harriet Moore
Kate Van Rensselaer

One of the baseball sensations this year is Cottrell of the Syracuse University. He pitched for Cooperstown last year, and has played in Morris. He has pitched several no-hit games. He has been signed by the Pittsburgh Nationals and enters professional baseball this week. His career in fast company will be watched with interest.

THE WEATHER.
Rainfall for the week ending June 19 64-100 inch; the highest temperature, 81°, lowest 37°.

Have you seen those new \$16 suits of clothes at Welch's which they are selling for \$12? Also Boys' Clothing.

WALK-OVER SHOES

At the Seashore

Beach sand and a poorly fitting low cut shoe is a bad combination. Many women who spend their summers at the seashore say that WALK-OVER pumps and oxfords are very satisfactory—They fit snugly at the ankles without chaffing.

Why not be sure that your vacation footwear bears the WALK-OVER stamp?

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New Goods arriving daily to replenish the largest assortments in Central New York. A guarantee of satisfaction goes with every sale. Every good thing to wear in Summer Goods is here for Man, woman or child.

We paid to our customers during May dividends amounting to \$185. Did you share in the distribution? We are anxious that you should do so.

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in the Ball Band, Woonsocket, Boston and Straight Line brands.

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An assortment of Muslin Underwear. A few dozen Men's \$1 and \$1.25 Shirts, in white and colors, at 75c.

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