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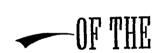
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LOCAL DEPARTMENT AND COUNTY NEWS PAGE

The Morris Chronicle.

Wednesday, May 6, 1896. E. E. CARPENTER, Local Editor.

Unadilla Valley Rallway. Time Table taking effect Tuesday, Nov 11, 1895. Time Table taking effect Tuesday, Nov 11, 1805. 20 NO SOUTH STATIONS, 100 NO SOUTH NO. 2. No. 4 STATIONS, 100 Richfield J'n 100 Richfield J'n 100 NO Bridgewater 9 85 5 25 100 10 15 River Forks, 9 20 5 15 6 05 140 10 -45 W Edmest'n 9 45 4 50 6 10 10 10 10 River Forks, 9 20 6 15 15 00 11 00 River Forks, 9 20 5 15 00 14 00 11 15 Remeata, 9 45 4 50 8 40 10 -45 W Edmest'n 9 45 4 50 8 40 11 10 11 30 New Berlin | 8 00 4 40 Trains Nes 8 and 4 will not run between Bridgewater and Utica on Sundays.

HAPPENINGS OF LOCAL INTEREST.

Nice rain Monday night. Dead ripe bananas at Isbell's.

Mrs. C. H Lawrence is quite sick. Dr. and Mrs. Fox of Gilbertsville were in town Friday.

Mrs. Lucy Gardner of Oneonta is visiting elatives in Morris this week.

Sheriff Snyder was in Morris Saturday on business official and social.

Oliver Beers of Otego was in town last

week, visiting and business combined. Mrs. D. C. Winton spent last week visiting her daughter Mrs. Millard at Laurens two months ago, is able to chew gum again.

&c a pound. Mrs. H N Moore and son Roswell re-

at Albany. Mrs. George Robinson and Miss Minnie Rockwell of Garrattsville spent last Thursday in Morris.

Mrs. W H Barker, who recently moved to Unadilla, is now in Syracuse for medical treatment by Dr Vandewarker

The pastures are yet short, but not so obliged to purchase every day Come short as some hay move, so that many

> In response to inquiries we are pleased to state that Dr Matteson has recovered from

Centre, Pa. Frank Bridges assistant in the Bank was confined to his home all last week

Walter Bunn, jr., of Syracuse, has been visiting at The Pines Walter, senior and his wife, of New York, spent Sunday at

the same place The State school moneys just paid to the County Treasurers amount to \$3,500,-000 The money ought to be in the Super-

visors' hands in a few days A Houdan ben belonging to A. R. Hoke egg which measured 6x3 inches.

C. A. Benjamin, wife and daughter of Recitation. The Hemlock Pine Oneonta were in town Saturday, calling on Resitation Building of the Ship Mable Hendrix friends. They went to Garrattaville to Cherus Symphs of the Ocean Spray spend. Sunday with Mr. Benjamin's pa- . The public are cordially invited to attend

The Noblesville cheese factory opened last Friday It is again in charge of Clarence Lull The patrons receive the same prices for milk as the Garrattsville factory

carns for its patrons Butter from ten to twelve cents a pound

is driving nails in farmers coffins while they are yet living - Exchange Yes, and nails cost almost as much again

as they did last year That neatly printed and well conducted

local newspaper, the Gilbertsville Journal enters its twenty first year this week. It well deserves the support it is receiving from the people of that town

Our county exchanges, in summing up the indebtedness of the towns in the coun at 7 30 ty, put down Morris as owing \$8,000 for schools. This is a mistake of \$3,000. Mor-

ris owes \$5,000 on its new schoolhouse. Now is the time to kill worm nests in fruit trees (or any other trees). They seem to be very plenty this year, and prompt

measures against them now will prevent a great deal of damage later on Kill 'em' Jedediah Johnson had a narrow escape the other day By mistake for a dose of as it is the election of officers. medicine he got a dose of carbolic acid in

his mouth Of course he ejected it immediately, but his mouth was badly burned. We see by some of our exchanges that them by Evangelist (leil, and on the third

evening they failed to attend his meetings. The next morning he left town. C D. Carpenter and wife and Mrs. O. B. Matteson were in Sidney on Sunday to see Mrs. A. G. Washbon, who we are pleased

to note is recovering from her recent serious illness. Her son Charles returned to Morris with his grandmother for a visit. Sidney Advocate of April 80th. Mr. and Mrs. Scott Falls left yesterday for their

new home in Otego. During their extended residence in Sidney, Mr. and Mrs. Falls

der State Agricult'l Commissioner Weiting. Mr. Matteson is recommended to the new commissioner by a large number of leading dairymen and agriculturists of the State refunded. Remember the date. and by the agricultural press.

old and valued friends, well-known to For sale at place of business near the depot at Edmeston. most of our people:

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To-day, May 1st, marks the 86th anniversary of the birth of one of our highly esteemed citizens, Mr. Daniel Harrington. The Gazette extends its hearty congratulations upon the passing of this advanced milestone in his journey. May he live to round out the century.

OBITUARY.

James Falls informs us that it is quite likely that he will engage in business at Afton and remove his family to that place soon. We shall certainly be sorry to lose for public improvements and for whatever is for the best interests of the place. At Afton he will engage in the hardware businow in business there, or will buy the latter out and run the business. This has not been fully decided upon.

O. A. Adams drove a colt up in front of Mansfield & Sanderson's Saturday evening, and a brother, Leroy Smith of Albany. and stepped into the store leaving the horse in charge of his niece. The animal became off into the road, catching one wheel in a hitching post, breaking the cross-piece of the thills and detaching him from the wagon. The horse ran up into Charles Sheff's yard. Miss Adams was thrown out, striking on the sidewalk, cutting her head and rendering her unconscious for a few moments and dazed for some time. doctor called. She was able to return home that evening

A fishing law passed by the last Legislature, and signed by the Governor April 17, has the following provision:

wo months ago, is able to chew gum again.

Good table butter was bought in this valby Monday for 10c a pound. Calves brottle and remain corner to the State, shall of Tompkins county. He All waters heretofore stocked by the State ley Monday for 10c a pound. Calves bro't be and remain open to the public to fish therein the same as though the private park law had nover existed. But nothing hereturned Thursday from their extended visit any rights now existing of persons owning lands or holding leases of private grounds. waters or parks, prior to the passage of this act.

> According to the last clause we don't see that this law opens those properties to trespass which were "boarded" prior to April 17th, when the law went into effect.

The Carpenter family moved to Morri and took charge of the CHRONICLE twentyseven years ago last Friday. Spring had hardly opened on May 1st that year The roads were muddy and it rained and snowed, freezing up the next morning so that his recent illness, and is quite himself for several days following traveling was very bad and the weather freezing cold A. M. Brettle is running a bakery cart There have been great changes in Morrie about the village and suburbs three times a since then. While the village has about week, with fresh goods from Oneida and the same number of people they are not all the same people, for during the time 300 Mr and Mrs Z K Dunn, who bought J. | have died and the population of the silent A Ward's house, arrived in town Monday city across the Butternut has more than Their home has been at Herrick quadrupled. Of the fifty business firms in this village only nine were in business here in 1869, and but two remain just as they were then, R Cooley and W P. Card

ARBOR DAY

Arbor Day will be observed at the Morris High School Friday, May 8th, at 10 a. m., by the rendering of the following program Thorus Banner of the Free

Recitation Processe n of the Flowers Grace Platt Agnes Falls Recitation Darries There is a Little Brown House. Primarie. Essay The Beauty and Lights of Trees

made an effort last week to break the Recutation What the Danier Said Grace Elliott record, by presenting her owner with an Gutar and Plane Partte. Salle Sarle Kate Mola Parts. Song. Intermediates Becitation Two lieux of it Luiu Mills

these exercises CHURCH NOTES

Baptist. The following officers were elected by the Sunday school last Sunday

Superintendent - E. E. Carpenter Assistant-Volney († Hoke. Secretary-Lynn Wallace. Treasurer - Warren Sweet Organist—Katie Mills. Librarian - Lois Wanzer

Primary Sup't—Mrs. J. D. Roberts. Assistant—Elsie Bridges The ordinance of baptism will be admin istered next Sunday evening.

The Advisory Committee are requested to meet at the church this Tuesday evening

Protestant Episcopal.

The guild of the Daughters of the Church will meet this Tuesday evening with Mrs. F S. Watson

St. Agnes guild meets at Mrs. Weeden's on Wednesday at 4 p. m The ladies' aid society will meet with Mrs. Parley McIntier on Thursday after-

noon at 2. A full attendance is requested

There will be a meeting of the Sunday school teachers at the rectory on Thursday evening at 8 o'clock.

The Archdeaconry of the Susquehanna Sterling are in attendance

Among the candidates seeking the Re-Bundy of New Lisbon, and E A. Scramtowns to hear from .- Republican.

M. G Loewenstein, the optician, will have acquired a large circle of friends who will regret their decision to make their home elsewhere.

It is quite likely that H. S Matteson of this place will receive an appointment under State Agricult'l Commissioner Weiting. dealt entirely honorable with our people All spectacles and eye glasses fitted by him

The New Berlin Gazette thus pleasantly mentions an event in the life of one of our the best that can be produced, all screened.

Make it a point to see that your blood is purified, enriched and vitalized at this sea-son with Hood's Sarsaparilla.

The Gazette attends of this advanced tions upon the passing of this advanced milestone in his journey. May he live to round out the century.

DANA'S Sarsaparilla is not only the best of all remedies for the Nerves, Liver, Kidneys, Stomach and Blood; but if no benefit, you can get your money back. The Same guarantee applies to Dana's Pills, V. G. Hoke, Morris representative.

PECK of New Berlin,

The artistic merchant tailor, will visit Morris every two weeks until further notice, His next visit will be on Saturday, O. H. Borden, Agent, Noblesville.

O. H. Borden, Agent, Noblesville.

MARY SMITH ANGELL Mrs. Charles A. Angell of Onconta Plains. died on Tuesday, April 28th, at Sanitaria them as residents of our village. Mr. Falls Springs, where she had gone for treatment is a good man to have in town; always in for cancer. Mrs. Angell was the youngest daughter of Mrs. Uriah Smith of Morris; was an estimable Christian woman, much respected by all-who knew her, and loved dilla Forks was dedicated last Thursday. ness either as a partner with a gentleman thoroughly by her intimate friends who well knew her many virtues. She leaves a caught near there last week weighed ten husband and one daughter, Lulu; also a mother, two sisters, Mrs. Barnes of this village and Mrs. C. A. Wood of Sidney,

The funeral was held on Thursday at her late home, Rev. C. C. Pierce, the Baptist sary is now receiving a total of about 100, frightened, jumped upon the walk, then pastor at Oneonta, officiating, with inter- 000 pounds of milk daily. ment in Hillington cemetery, Morris.

JOHN WESLEY MEV.8.

From the Oxford Times of April 28th:-Rev. John W. Mevis expired suddenly on Sunday morning at his residence in this village. He had been in very poor health for a year or more, but had been about She was taken down to C R. Smith's and a town the week previous and assisted in the by falling on a slippery sidewalk. She setunion revival work in progress here. On Monday morning he was apparently feeling fairly well. He conducted the usual family devotions, but later while sitting in his chair his wife noticed a change pass least be a curiosity .- Gazette. over his face, and he was dead. Heart

"Mr. Mevis was born Jan. 9th, 1885, in Tompkins county. He was converted and joined the Methodist church when he was about thirteen years old. He was educated in contained shall be construed as affecting at Cazenovia and Cooperstown, and in 1861 became a member of the old Oneida conference.

In 1868-6 he was pastor at Oxford. Other fields he served, and served faithfully, were Edmeston, Morris, Gilbertsville, Worcester, Westford, Laurens, Otego, Unadilla, Schuyler's Lake, East Worcester, Milford, and Sherburne. In 1893, after more than thirty years of devoted and successful service, he superannuated and went to Oxford to reside. The death of their only child, Mrs. A. B. Wilbur of Binghamton, occurred less than a year ago, and Mrs. Mevis, who is thus left widowed and child less, has the sympathy of all

Mrs. Thomas Havers died in ()neonta or Thursday afternoon, aged 30 years. She was the older daughter of Albert Sweet, formerly of Morris. Interment was in Hillington cemetery on Saturday afternoon She was a niece of H. C. Sweet of this village. Some weeks ago Mrs. Havers fell and professional men now doing business down a long flight of stairs, and immediately afterwards was taken sick. She got somewhat better, but was recently taken worse. Her death, however, was very sudden and unexpected, as her physician had pronounced her as doing well the morning of the day she died Indications after death were that her spine was probably injured by her fall.

COMPLETE THE WATER WORKS.

When the people of this village voted on the water works question they decided by vote of 82 to six to issue bonds to the amount of \$13,500 00 for money to con- MADE TO FIT YOU___ struct a system, with the understanding that the water was to come from a well TROUSIRS TO MIASTRE \$3.50. sold but \$12,000 worth, and with the latter amount put in the system

Through a series of unfortunate circumstances, which we will pass over without remark, the reservoir refuses to hold water It cost \$1,250, and for the use it is designed it is not worth more than the last three figures. This unfortunate mistake would never have occurred if foresight was as good as hindsight, but it isn't and the fact remains we have an empty reservoir beause the one we have will not hold water

Last fall a competent engineer looked it over and told how it might be fixed, and would guarantee it to hold water It would have to be practically rebuilt and the expense he said would reach nearly a thousand dollars. As the commissioners have bonds for that amount remaining in their hands unsold which the people have voted to issue, it would seem that the Board had no discretion in the matter, but should go right on and finish the reservoir. The work should be let to a competent and responsible man willing to give bonds that the reservoir will hold water when he gets

through with it. We have refrained from saying a word about this business or criticising in any way the actions of the Board, believing that they were doing what they thought was for the best, and laboring under much disadvantage. We speak now only bemeets in Cooperstown on Tuesday and cause we have heard that the Board are the language used and epithets applied to Wednesday of this week. Rev. and Mrs listening to advice to continue their efforts of last fall and try and make the present structure hold water. We hope they will turn a deaf ear to such advice. It is poor publican nomination for County Treasurer advice. Patching and experiments come this fall we hear the following names, tho' high in price, and can but be temporary if they may or may not all be bona fida can successful. The reservoir is located high didates Claude J. Burrell, Paul C. Mur- up on the dryest piece of land in town and dock, W P K. Fuller, S. D Edick, of so situated as to require the strongest ma Otsego, C E. Carr of Hartwick, John W. sonry to make it held water It should be rebuilt, and saying so we truly believe we ling of Oneonta There are yet several speak the sentiments of the people of the village.

Again, it is advised (poor advice too) that it will be just as well to get along without the reservoir and depend upon the well alone. This would be a great mistake and we might write a column full of good arguments against it. In case of a fire in a dry time the well cannot possibly stand the required demand, and with that empty, of what use is our water works? Again, without a reservoir the Board could not system, for in a dry time it would be impossible to furnish sufficient water without the reservoir to fall back upon. In fact, we can think of no good argument for doing away with the reservoir.

We believe however that the control of the control

We believe, however, that the commisdone. Then it behoves the people to tell them what their desires are.

The subscriber residing on the Caleb Luli home tead farm three miles above Morris, will receive en head of stock to pasture for the season will BMITH LASHER, Morris.

Housekeeper Wanted. An elderly lady may secure a position as house-keeper with prompt tay for her work Informa-tion given at this office on inquiry

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for domestic uses with a large reservoir for come in and look at them. If you don't want a emergencies. Of the sum voted the Board anyhow Cloth a number of neat effects in stripes, very wisely decided to put but \$13,000 pure all wool newest effects well worth twice our asking not many of them and there'll soon be less of fourse. If you want the greatest value in a pair of fourse of the sum you want the greatest value in a pair of the sum you want the greatest value in a pair of the sum you want the greatest value in a pair of the sum you want the greatest value in a pair of the sum you want the greatest value in a pair of the sum you don't want a sum of the sum you don't want a pair it's all right there s not enough to go around anyhow Cloth a number of neat effects in stripes. of trousers you ever saw now is the time to get of MORSE & CO, Merchant Tailors, Unadilla IN MORRIS SATURDAY, MAY 9.

Public Notice.

Notice is hereby given, that the Assessors of the Village of Morris have completed their assessment roll for the present year and that a copy thereof is left with the Village Clerk at his office in Morris where the same may be seen and examined by any of the inhabitants of said village and that the assessors will meet at the Town House, on the 18th day of May at 1 o'clock in the afternion, to review their assessments on the application of any person conceiving himself aggrieved

Dated the 5th day of May 1800

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vere born there last week.

village improvement society.

Edmeston expects to have a system of

Gilbertsville is booming: three boy babies

The ladies of Cherry Valley have formed

The new Freewill Baptist church at Una-

A fish story from New Berlin: A bass

The Herald announces its belief that A.

The Gazette says the Hoboken conden-

The Unadilla hotel, for many years run

by Mrs. S. Tingley, has been purchased by

Rev. Dr Ray, chancellor of the Syracuse

university, is to deliver the baccalaureate

ermon at the Oneonta normal this year.

Cooperstown for \$1,500 damages sustained

If another town can be pointed out in the

State that has as many houses and no more

people than Cherry Valley, it would at

Capt. Walter Scott of Oneonta has been

appointed to command the Fifth battalion

at the State Camp the first of August. The

Third Separate Co. of Oneonta will be in

The town of Burlington makes more

heese than any other Otsego county town,

with a yearly out-put of 1,063,555 pounds.

The total product of the county last year

A prominent citizen of Marathon named

Barnerd was finishing harnessing his horse

last week one day, when the animal be-

came enraged and jumped at him, biting

large piece of flesh from his chin and neck

taking with it a piece of the windpipe.

There is talk of an electric street car line

in Oneonta, to take the place of the present

horse car line and to have branches to the

more populous resident portions of the

town. If such a road were built it would

be a great public benefit, as outside of the

local accommodation it would probably re-

sult in an extension to West Oneonta and

up the Otego creek valley to Laurens, Mt.

Want to Pasture.

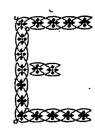
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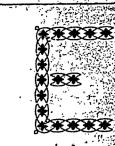
Mr. Barnerd died in a few hours after.

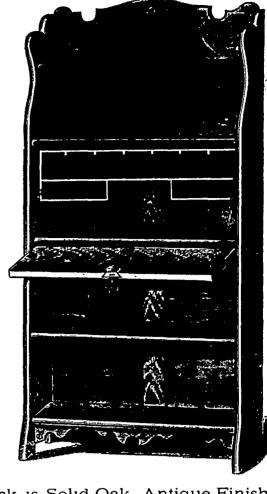
Mrs. Conlen sued the corporation of

Albert Fluckiger of New York.

C. Lewis will build an opera house in One-







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Our New Straw Hats

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NRS. ANDREW CUBINAR See Berlia.