

THE HILLS OF NEW KINGSTON

"THERE'S A CHIEF AMONG THEM TAKIN' NOTES."

Who Tells of the Every-Day Life of a Busy Little People in a Crisp and Interesting Way.

Read George Douglas' new adv. W. F. Ward of Bovina was in town on Friday.

Thomas Archibald of Bovina was in town on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Hill entertained friends Friday night.

Andrew Hill of Stamford has been visiting his brother, E. M. Hill.

Drs. Reed and Hendry are seen on our streets nearly every day of late.

Andy Cowan, who has been attending school at Delhi, is home on a visit.

The bluebirds made their first appearance here on Tuesday. The old weather prophets say "Spring has come."

Mrs. Anna Wakeman and son, Ralph, are visiting friends of North Kortright.

Reed Dumond and Thomas Spiers of Andes were among callers in town last week.

Robert Dowle has engaged Robert Brown of Dry Brook to work for him the coming season.

Many of the farmers are searching for hired girls. There seems to be very few to be found in this vicinity.

Mrs. N. C. Archibald has hired Ephraim Worden for the coming season, to commence work March 15.

Chauncey Tompkins and C. W. Hallock were at East Meredith last week. Chan now drives a trotter instead of a pacer.

Jay Henderson, who has been at work in the creamery at Roxbury for the past two years, is home on a visit. We understand that Jay has given up the creamery and expects to go to work on the West Shore road.

PLEASANT VALLEY.

E. Laidlaw, II., was at Andes at Monday.

Mrs. W. C. Sanford called on friends in this valley Tuesday.

Arthur Travis made a business trip to Halcottville last week.

The Dunraven creamery is now running every other day.

W. T. Faulkner has Eber Delameter cutting wood for him.

Orson VanBenschoten visited his friend, Cleve Faulkner, the first of the week.

Gideon Robertson, wife and son, Ruthvan, visited at E. Laidlaw's Tuesday.

Mrs. Robert Dickman, who has been under the doctor's care, is improving.

H. O. VanBenschoten commenced making maple syrup on Tuesday by tapping 200 trees.

The Old School Baptists will hold their monthly meeting at the Red School House on Sunday.

G. Robertson and Andrew Russell exchanged wagons the other day, the former getting a canopy top.

Mrs. W. T. Faulkner was at her uncle's, James Archibald, helping to prepare for the reception that was given in honor of his son, Laverne, and bride (see Miss Isa Thompson.)

WEST SETTLEMENT.

J. H. Bouton had several sheep bit by dogs on Monday.

Miss Maggie Whipple is visiting friends at Griffin Corners.

Frank E. Bouton of Hobart called on friends here on Thursday.

Harvey VanBumble of Bloomville is visiting at E. H. Bartram's.

James M. Bouton was a business caller in Margaretville on Monday.

Miss Mary Hess of Hubbell Corners is at E. H. Bartram's this week.

Nelson Roberts and wife of Vega spent Friday and Saturday at A. T. Dean's.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Dean visited his brother, William Dean, of Stamford, on Friday.

Miss Mary A. Bouton was the guest of Miss Maude Keator of Roxbury Sunday and Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Reynolds entertained a large party of friends at a dinner party on Saturday.

Miss Tillie Stokoles of Margaretville is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Brandow, this week.

Fred Wescott is now taking his delivery of milk to the Cold Spring creamery. He evidently knows a good thing.

H. B. VanDyke and wife of Montgomery Hollow, and A. Jaquish and wife of Cold Spring visited at J. H. Bouton's Thursday.

VEGA.

J. B. Slavson purchased a horse of Peter Mitchell last week.

John Kelly, Smith Ballard and Arthur Ploutz are on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. Jonathan Ballard visited friends at Griffin Corners last week.

Miss Loreste Moseman and sister of Halcott visited friends here a few days this week.

A family by the name of Lake from Pine Hill is moving in the tenement house belonging to Carl Ploutz.

School opened again last Tuesday after a vacation of a week, caused by the teacher being held in the grip of the grip.

James Griffin has rented a house and lot of DeWitt Hammond, and Mr. Liddle of Margaretville has taken possession of the farm vacated by Mr. Griffin.

A certain Mr. Boyd, hailing from Glas, Montgomery County, was hired by the Vega Creamery Company to manufacture its butter for the year. He proved to be a quitter, quitting before he began work.

The creamery company has engaged Ed Kelly as foreman for the season, with Ed Todd as assistant. Mr. Todd will move into the house belonging to the company. The creamery will open up for business next week.

ARENA.

Wilson Gregory was a visitor here last week.

Miss Julia Bryant was a caller here on Friday.

Howard Hunt was a visitor in town this week.

Robert Parish was a caller at this place Saturday.

F. J. Moore's new barn is fast nearing completion.

William Halter of Hardenberg was in town Wednesday.

John D. Brown visited Arkville on business Tuesday.

A. G. Suttle visited his parents at Turtle Lake Sunday.

Everett Hunt and Amos Tompkins were callers here on Tuesday.

The post office inspector was at the Arena office Wednesday.

C. A. Hunt has been laid up with the rheumatism the past week.

William Dickson and Miss Mabel Soule were at Margaretville Sunday.

George B. Fletcher and Emmet Shaver of Shavertown were visitors here on Monday evening.

Grant Brisbane visited his brother, James, at New York last week.

A number of our citizens attended the sale at DeWitt Whitney's Monday.

Ward Truesdale of Perch Lake Hill was in town on business Saturday.

B. A. Miner and daughter were at Margaretville on business Monday.

Raymond Slade of Andes made Arena friends a visit the last of the week.

Floyd Sherman of Arkville was in town with a load of soft drinks Tuesday.

Richard VanSteenberg of Union Grove made friends here a call on Tuesday.

There were three dances last Friday evening a short distance from Arena.

Several of our people attended court at Andes before Squire Carman Friday.

S. K. Ruggs was at Montgomery, Orange County, last Friday on business.

We are pleased to note that Kenneth Miner is gaining from his severe illness.

Arthur Lawrence arrived home from Albany Wednesday more improved in health.

John Caswell and Emmet Kospf went to Roxbury Tuesday to work at carpentering.

Frank Krum and Floyd Tremper were at Roxbury Tuesday and Wednesday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. George Knapp of Turnwood were callers at V. R. Mead's the last of the week.

Several of our young people attended the dance at W. J. DeSilva's at Grant Mills Friday evening.

David Haddow has hired to work for William H. Dickson the coming season. David is a good hand.

James Hunt of Union Grove died on Monday. He was a brother of C. A. and Henry Hunt of this village.

Mr. and Mrs. George VanSteenberg, who have been spending the winter at New York, returned home Saturday.

Collector Bouton was here on business Saturday. He made some levies on property not far from town for taxes.

George Moore, one of Arena's popular young men, left for Bovina the first of the week, where he has hired out for the season.

Mrs. Lavina Moore and Mrs. Howard Hunt and children left Saturday for Oneonta, where they expect to make their future home.

Robert White and Miss Lela VanSteenberg visited Bovina friends last week. Robert has hired out to work there during the season.

The covered bridge that spans the Delaware at Arena is again impassible. There is another good chance to waste more of the long green.

Church services next Sabbath will be as follows: Sabbath school at 10 a. m., preaching at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. by the pastor, Rev. E. Bookhout.

Henry Hotchkiss, Solomon Forrest, David Mayham and Alden Liddle of Andes were in attendance at the Arena L. O. of O. F. lodge meeting on Monday evening.

Mr. Gregory, representing Pettit & Reed of New York, was a caller at the Arena Co-operative Creamery Tuesday and completed the contract for the output of butter for the season.

New York City Excursion.

The West Shore Railroad announces a family excursion to New York City for Friday, March 13, at a rate of a single fare-for-the-round-trip with minimum of \$1.50; tickets good returning until Sunday, March 15. This excursion comes in a season of the year when New York is particularly attractive. The construction of the great sky-scrapers, the building of the underground road and the new East River suspension bridge are new feats in modern engineering and are the talk of the whole world. Tickets are sold for all regular trains of March 13, and you should plan to take advantage of this rate to visit your friends or spend a few days in sight-seeing in New York, which is fast becoming the foremost city of the world.

PRESTO Is a sure resource (better than flour)

Held Over for Grand Jury.

As the papers in the case of H. S. Sowell, Walton's defaulting Supervisor, were not completed, an order was entered at the court in Delhi last week putting the matter over to the next grand jury.

Hate.—Mrs. Youngman will sell all felt hats she has left for 10 cents, untrimmed. Trimmed ones for 25 cents and 50 cents. Good shapes. 1312

ROXBURY.

R. B. Robinson spent Sunday out of town.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Dean visited at Stamford last Friday.

James M. Bouton made a business trip to Dunraven Monday.

Dr. A. R. Ellis is kept very busy nowadays attending his many calls.

Miss Cora Stillwell, who has been ill with tonsillitis, is convalescing.

Jack Ingles of New Kingston was a business caller in town Tuesday.

Mrs. C. G. Keator, Jr., visited relatives at Grand George one day last week.

Andrew Shuman commenced his work at A. Koutz's the first of the month.

G. Kelsey and family of Meeker Hollow were callers in town the first of the week.

Mrs. C. Robinson of Fleischmanns visited relatives in town the first of the week.

W. Lytle Robinson of Redkill called on his many friends in town the first of the week.

Frank and George Bouton called on friends at Margaretville one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Baker visited friends below the village one day last week.

Joel Keator of Griffin Corners attended the meeting of the Golden Seal Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Day of Lexington visited at Mrs. D. T. Underwood's last week.

Several people from this place attended the farmers' dance at Griffin Corners last week.

P. H. Mitchell has been making improvements to Shady Lawn by cutting some of the shade trees.

Mrs. Martha Decker of North Roxbury has been visiting her children, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Decker, below the village.

Mrs. J. Mawhinney of Stamford, who has been visiting relatives at Brookdale for the past few days, returned home last Friday.

Drs. Keator of Ashbury Park and Palen of Philadelphia removed a cataract from the eyes of Mrs. Ruth Keator of this village last Friday.

Charles Wright, who has been working at H. Barnhart's the past year, has hired to Mrs. Sarah Hinchley for the coming season and commenced his work the first of the month.

At the regular monthly meeting of the Order of the Golden Seal on Monday evening several new members were admitted to the order. After the meeting dancing was indulged in by the members and their friends until toward morning. All who were present report a pleasant time. The order is in a flourishing condition, having nearly 2,000 members.

reasonable force

HALCOTTVILLE.

Addison Hulbert was at Griffin Corners on Wednesday.

O. U. Uter visited his brother at Oneonta first of the week.

Judge Hubbell was among the business callers in town Monday.

Dr. and Mrs. J. A. Gaul visited their parents at Kingston this week.

C. H. Griffin made a business trip to Roxbury the first of this week.

E. O. Beagle took in some of the sights at Vega first of the week.

William Franks of Margaretville was a pleasant caller in town first of the week.

Ira Hubbell is now home from Kingston and is arranging to make sugar.

Mrs. Cyr a Slavson entertained company from Roxbury first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Beardslee entertained company from Vega Wednesday.

Miss Maggie Hull of Hoffman Corners called on friends in town on Wednesday.

E. W. Hewitt commenced drawing milk to the Beaks creamery first of the month.

Andrew Jaquish, James White and Elder Clark were at Margaretville on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Sherwood of Batavia were business callers in town on Tuesday.

Robert S. Smith of Roxbury was among the out-of-town people at this place on Wednesday.

C. A. Hanley of West Settlement and John Brower of Meeker Hollow were callers in town on Tuesday.

The many friends of Miss Graes Donald are pleased to know she has recovered from a recent illness.

J. L. Hasbrouck and D. W. Hubbell commenced drawing milk to the Standard-Dairy Company first of the week.

J. C. Lawrence of Denver and C. M. Kelly of Kelly Corners were in town making business calls on Wednesday.

Veterinary Surgeon Wheeler of Stamford was in town two or three days this week attending to calls. There is an excellent opening for a veterinary surgeon here.

Letter to R. M. Delameter, Margaretville.

Dear Sir: You'd strike it rich if you could find a way to shave your customers in less time, for less cost, and make the shave last twice or three times as long.

You might shave the same person so many times you'd get so much of his money; but the whole town would be talking about you, and everybody would come to you for a shave.

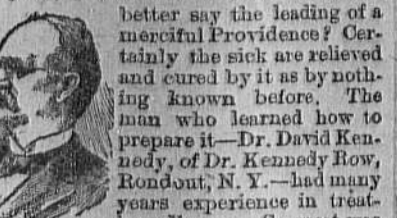
Devoe lard and zinc is exactly that in paint. It takes fewer gallons and it wears longer. Costs less for the job, and you don't have to do it again for years and years—six years at least.

"Power gallons" wears longer. Takes fewer gallons to paint a house with Devoe Lead and Zinc than mixed paints or lead and oil.

F. W. DEVOE & CO., New York.

LIVE AND LEARN.

It were strange and pitiable indeed if we did not learn as we live. But we do. The proof of it you see on all sides. In the healing art alone important discoveries have been made of late years. The remedy called Cal-cura Solvent is one. It is partly the result of patient study and research, and partly of good fortune; or, had we not a merciful Providence? Certainly the sick are relieved and cured by it as by nothing known before.



Dr. David Kennedy's new medicine, Cal-cura Solvent, is a great success in perfecting Cal-cura Solvent. It is partly the result of patient study and research, and partly of good fortune; or, had we not a merciful Providence? Certainly the sick are relieved and cured by it as by nothing known before.

Mr. J. H. Brandow, of Jewett Centre, N. Y., writes:

"Thousands of dollars have I paid out to doctors during my life, and I don't complain of the doctors; but Dr. David Kennedy's new medicine, Cal-cura Solvent, has cured me. Three bottles of it cured my last spring of heart trouble and turned me into a healthy man. A letter than for thirty years."

Mr. Thomas Wallin, of Northampton, N. Y., writes:

"I wish to make known to the public that Cal-cura Solvent, Dr. David Kennedy's new medicine, has done wonders for me in a case of bladder complaint. It is better than any other remedy I have used. I am now over sixty-four and was a soldier in the war."

Send to the Cal-cura Company, Dr. Kennedy, 100 West 14th Street, New York, N. Y. Large bottles \$1.00, all druggists. One size only.

Remember: Only one Dr. David Kennedy ever lived in Rondout, City of Kingston, N. Y., and the name of his new and latest medicine is Cal-cura Solvent.

TRUSTEES' REPORT.

Report of the Trustees of the Incorporated Village of Margaretville, N. Y., as directed by the general act incorporating the village and acts amendatory thereto. The trustees of said village do present to the taxpayers of said village the following report of the receipts and expenditures for the year ending March 1, 1903, and also estimated expenses for the current year:

ORDINARY FUND—RECEIPTS. Balance on hand \$173.04 Received from all sources \$147.17 Total \$320.21

DISBURSEMENTS. Bond and interest \$136.00 Notes, People's National Bank 300.00 Interest on note 1.25

W. T. Black, County Clerk 1.27 W. K. P. Jackson, printing 4.49 Williamson Law Book Company 10.79

Messenger, printing 15.29 John McAdams, lumber 6.25 Thomas Edwards, wood 1.99

Arthur Keator, work 3.23 Otis Smith, labor 13.00 VanHatten Akery, labor 3.40

F. VanBramer, labor 50.00 E. D. Smalley, village map 25.00 S. W. Reed, expenses to Delhi 7.65

Theodore Bouton, work 4.00 G. G. Decker, water course 47.00 Frank Mead, work 5.00

R. L. Gavett, audited bill 4.00 W. H. Brown 4.50 T. White, making tax rolls 2.00

Dr. W. E. Hendry, health officer 5.00 J. D. Rotermund, assessor 10.00

" " audited bill 10.00 " " expenses to Delhi 5.53 Swart & Hit, matches, etc 85.00

C. D. Gilbert, repairing plow 3.35 Total \$823.21

ORDINARY—DISBURSEMENTS. C. J. Dickson, audited bill \$ 9.00 " " " 34.84

" " " 4.00 W. J. Munde, Jr., insurance 11.50 O. M. Rice, salary 20.00

" " work 3.00 " " audited bill 3.61 Total \$713.86

Balance on hand 274.35 Total \$988.21

HIGHWAY FUND—RECEIPTS. Balance on hand \$100.61 Received from all sources 649.90

Total \$750.51

DISBURSEMENTS. C. J. Dickson, supplies \$ 81.88 Rotermund Brothers, bridge stringers 5.00

Herman Rotermund, repairs 50.00 J. D. Rotermund, work on road 1.00

A. S. Delameter, work 2.00 Henry Rotermund, repairing cart 5.00

Carpenter and Hit, stone wall 7.75 H. B. Kelly, commissioner 330.90

Otis Smith, work 178.50 Silasoon Kelly, commissioner 89.20 Total \$763.33

Balance on hand \$ 47.18 LIGHTING FUND—RECEIPTS. Balance on hand \$ 4.46 Received from all sources 370.81

Total \$375.27

DISBURSEMENTS. O. J. Dickson, supplies \$ 10.00 G. B. and Bussy, supplies 1.81

W. E. Kille, care of lamps 50.00 Heuben, care of lamps 35.00

Nothing New.

There is nothing new in the line of winter goods that you cannot find in our store, and we're going to make a strong effort to clean out the balance of a carefully selected stock before taking our annual

Inventory

next month. To make sure of accomplishing this result we have cut a big swath in prices, and if you don't get some of the many bargains which we are offering to our customers, it will be your own fault. Beginning with

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we go all along the line of winter goods in every department and find the best the market affords, all of which must be sold before the first of February. It will be many weeks before the man who works out doors can conveniently get along without a pair of either felt or rubber boots, and while there are many different makes on the market we find that none give quite as good satisfaction in the long run as the

Gold Seal or Snag-Proof.

After buying a pair of either of the above, that's all there is of it—never any cause for complaint. We are always in the market for farm produce.

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Old subscribers can take advantage of this offer by the payment of all arrearages and a year in advance; and those who are already paid a part of a year in advance can secure the farmer by the payment of \$1.00, which will entitle them to a year in advance from the time already paid to.

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THE NEWS, MARGARETVILLE, N. Y.

reas of the Village of Margaretville: In accordance with requirements, permit me, on behalf of the Margaretville Fire Department, to submit the following report: The increasing interest manifested by the members of each company in fire-made matters is a source of much gratification to the officers in charge. Never in the history of the department, now existing over a period of thirteen years, has the mental and moral status been higher, to which factors are largely due the present efficiency.

During the past year there has been but one alarm of fire, that being occasioned by the configuration at the cold storage of S. S. Bouto, which was totally destroyed, together with its contents.

Although both companies have been during the year to the unusual expense of new uniforms, the finances of the department were never in better condition, as they not only have the uniforms paid for, but have a goodly sum in the treasury.

The rooms of the department are kept in their usual neat and tidy shape and are a source of great pride to them.