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ADVERTISEMENTS.

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PISTOLS FOR TWO.

Serious Row in a Washington Newspaper Office.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 10.—The National Republican having published articles reflecting on the character of A. M. Soteldo, Clerk of the Senate Committee on Railroads, and a newspaper correspondent, Soteldo, accompanied by his brother Charles, called at the Republican office last night, and handed a statement to Clarence Barton, the news-editor, which he desired him to read. Mr. Barton complied, but informed Soteldo he would have to see Mr. Gorham about it. As Barton rose, Soteldo struck and knocked him against the table. A scuffle ensued, during which a lamp on the table was tilted towards Frank Conger, business manager, who picked it up and hastily left, whereupon three or four pistol shots in quick succession were heard.

The composers on the floor above rushed into the hall and found Mr. Barton ejecting the younger Soteldo from the editorial rooms. Two of the force seized Soteldo upon Mr. Barton's calling out "I am shot," and turned him over to the police.

Mr. Barton was shot twice, once in the neck and once in the breast. Neither wound is thought fatal. A. M. Soteldo was found unconscious on the floor with blood oozing from a bullet-hole in the back of his neck.

Doctors were hastily summoned and pronounced Soteldo dying. He revived somewhat and was removed to the hospital. The ball entered the back of his neck, shattered the vertebrae and lodged in the throat, inflicting a necessarily mortal wound. Conger was the only person besides the three actors in the tragedy who witnessed any part of it, and beyond his statement it was impossible to learn anything. Charles Soteldo was lodged in the station house and no one allowed to receive his statement. Mr. Barton declined to see anyone excepting Mr. Gorham. There seems no reason to doubt that Charles Soteldo shot Mr. Barton, but whether Mr. Barton shot the elder Soteldo or that the latter received the ball from his brother's pistol, intended for Mr. Barton, is involved in doubt.

The latter theory is stoutly maintained by the attaches of the Republican, but is not generally credited. Mr. Conger says that as the elder Soteldo struck Mr. Barton, Charles placed a revolver at his head. Mr. Conger then ran out with the lamp and subsequently summoned the police. He says he saw none of the shots fired.

At a late hour this morning Soteldo was in a very precarious condition. The physicians had not succeeded in extracting the bullet, and said there were but slight hopes of his recovery.

John Brandt of Buffalo came down with the small-pox and was removed to the pest-house. Yesterday morning he quit his bed, jumped through a window and escaped, and up to a late hour last night had not been found.

Oswego's new Methodist church was dedicated Wednesday. Chancellor Sims of Syracuse University, preaching the sermon. Over \$45,000 in subscriptions were pledged.

Mr. Hewett of New York introduced a bill in the House yesterday fixing a day for the meeting of electors of President and Vice-President, and regulating the counting of votes for President and Vice President, and the decisions of questions arising therefrom.

It is understood that Chief-Justice Carter who intended to retire from the bench in April, will sit at the April term of the court in banc, at which the case of Guiteau will be heard. This term will adjourn the latter part of May or early in June, and will make unnecessary any suspension of the sentence of Guiteau.

THE NEWS IN BRIEF.

Counterfeit standard dollars have been flooding portions of Dakota Territory.

The Superintendent of the Census thinks it will require eight or ten months to complete the work of his bureau.

It is rumored that the Washington grand jury directed a presentment for the indictment of Dorsey, Vail, Miner, Sanderson, Reydel, and Brady.

Ice cutting on the Hudson is suspended at several points north of Poughkeepsie owing to a rain, which weakened the ice.

William Miller, the oldest Mason in the United States died at Caldwell, N. J., Wednesday night. He had been a Mason 87 years.

Justus Koehler, manager of the Hamburg Magdeburg Fire Insurance Company, shot and killed himself while riding in a cab in Central Park, New York, yesterday.

It was rumored in New Orleans Wednesday that Ryan and Sullivan would be arrested. Ryan left for New York last night. Sullivan also left the city.

A gang of professional burglars are at work in Wilkesbarre. Twenty five robberies are reported since Monday.

The Irish societies of New York have decided to parade on St. Patrick's Day and give an entertainment in the evening, the proceeds of which are to be devoted to the cause of Ireland.

Charles Hensey, aged 14, died in Philadelphia, Wednesday, of hydrophobia. He was bitten accidentally a month ago by a coach dog which snapped at a piece of meat Hensey held out to him.

The feeling on change at St. Louis yesterday was one of great anxiety. Several firms were reported crippled. Wheat has declined 11 5-8 to 13 3/8 cents on options since Tuesday.

LE ROY LOCALS.

(By Our Regular Correspondent.)

A. H. Cowan has returned from a visit to Buffalo.

Mr. Galen K. Edson, Jr., arrived in town from Blue Rapids, Kansas, last evening.

The many friends of Mrs. Jabez Warren, will be pained to learn that she is severely ill with diphtheria.

The remains of Miss Georgie F. Calkins, who died after a brief illness with diphtheria last Tuesday, were interred in the Myrtle street burying grounds yesterday.

At the meeting of the salt well subscribers with Mr. Miller, a representative of Mr. Everest of Rochester, last evening. Mr. Miller asked three weeks to be allowed to decide whether he will work this claim.

The second University concert, under the direction of Prof. Henri Appy, assisted by Mrs. Alice Faber, soprano; Miss N. A. Graves pianiste; Mr. E. J. Bier, tenor; Mr. David Copeland, violoncello, was given at University Hall, Wednesday evening, and was highly appreciated.

Yesterday Fred Kachler was engaged in connecting the office of the new malt house with the Erie depot by telephone. We understand that he also expects to connect S. C. Wells' residence with his place of business by telephone besides Mr. O. W. Frost's office at the depot with his planing mill and the Lampson House with the Erie depot.

A couple of commercial men stopping at the Lampson House last evening told of some railroad ties being fastened across the rails of the Central road a short distance this side of Canandaigua yesterday, being discovered by the engineer when too late to stop the locomotive, and he instead, put on a full head of steam tearing the ties from the rails and throwing them in the ditch. No damage was sustained.

ALEXANDER NEWS.

(By Our Regular Correspondent.)

The many friends of Carson French are pleased to see him back again.

Gharley Guard has been confined to the house for two or three days with a hard cold.

The Methodists of this place sing God's praise with the help of a violin, flute and bass viol.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Stanley and Miss Anna Plato of Batavia, are in town visiting relatives.

Harmon Firtsche of this place, fell from his wagon on Wednesday, meeting with very severe injuries.

Mrs. May Orcutt of Kalamazoo, Mich., who has been visiting her father, Mr. Joseph Chaddock, for the last two or three weeks, was in town Thursday.

There will be a mite society, under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society of the M. E. church, at the residence of Dr. I. V. Mallen, on Friday night, the 17th.

Our postmaster, Mr. Rowe, contemplates building an addition to his store in order to accommodate the increasing number of gushing young maidens who gather there nightly.

The Methodists gave a donation to their pastor, Rev. S. C. Farnham, on Tuesday night. It was a very rainy night, but a goodly number of the faithful were gathered and about seventy dollars were paid in.

Our young grocer, Mr. J. F. Prue, found, in a chest of tea that he opened yesterday a human hand and foot. These ghastly relics looked as if they had been hacked off with some dull instrument. The flesh had dried onto the bones and is as tough and unyielding as sole-leather. Judging from their appearance we should say that they were taken from the body of a full grown man. The hand is of the medium size, with long, slim fingers. There is a large gash on the back running from the thumb diagonally across to the wrist. The foot is very small in comparison with the hand, being shorter in proportion than it is broad. How and why these members of a human body were ever placed there will probably always remain a mystery.

As the chest came through from Japan without being opened the only supposition is that the laborers who packed the tea got into a quarrel and during the fracas one of them was killed. The others wishing to hide their guilt hacked the body to pieces and it was shipped in some of the thousands of chests that leave Japan every season. We shall probably hear of such discoveries in other parts of the country in time.

A man entered B. H. King's jewelry store in Buffalo Wednesday and left an old watch to be repaired. Two other men, evidently friends, came into the store, and soon left saying to number one, "well, well go back." Number one followed them shortly and the shopkeeper was not long in discovering that twelve gold and one silver watch had been stolen. The three men were the thieves but there is no clue to their identity.

Dr. Hoffmeyer, the district health physician at Black Rock, Buffalo, didn't practice what he preached in regard to vaccination and he is down with the small-pox.

Elegant Valentines at Tryon's.

BATAVIA MARKETS.

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Wheat, white	\$1.33	Flour, new process	11.50
Wheat, red	1.31-1.38	Flour, Hazell, bbl	9.00
Oats, white	.46	Flour, white, bbl	7.75
Oats, mixed	.43-44	Flour, red, bbl	7.75
Corn	.50	Pork	7.50-8.00
Barley, 6 rowed	.75-80	Chickens, dressed	23
" 6 rowed	.85-90	Butter, tub	28
Beans, marrow	3.00-3.75	Butter, roll	28
" medium	3.00-3.25	Jar Butter	28
" pea	3.00-3.25	Eggs	37
" red	2.50	Cheese	21
Clover seed	4.50	Apples, dried	5
" mam	4.50	Apples	100-1.75
Potatoes, Rose	90-1.00	Lard	22
Potatoes, Peerless	90	Salt	1.60
Wool	23-25	Solar Salt, per bag	55

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Surrogate's Proceedings.

The following is a brief statement of the business recently transacted by the Surrogate:

Estate of Sarah A. Dean, late of Pavilion, deceased, will admitted to probate and letters testamentary issued to Wm. M. Dean.

Estate of Washington Wood, late of Byron, deceased, will admitted to probate and letters testamentary issued to Irving D. Cook and David O. Wood.

Estate of Sarah Clark, late of Alabama, deceased, will admitted to probate and letters testamentary issued to Olive Clark.

Estate of Emma C. Ballard, late of Le-Roy, deceased, will admitted to probate and letters testamentary issued to Randolph Ballard.

Estate of Wm. H. Cameron, late of Le-Roy, deceased, will admitted to probate.

Estate of Cornelius Danahy, late of Pembroke, deceased, will admitted to probate.

Estate of Gideon Dunham, late of Batavia, deceased, will admitted to probate and letters testamentary issued to Almira Dunham.

Estate of Charles G. Dewey, late of Byron, deceased, will admitted to probate and letters testamentary issued to Heston H. Green.

Estate of Abraham Post, contest decided in favor of the proponents of the will, and the will admitted to probate and letters testamentary issued to Catharine Post.

Estate of Richard Buckley, late of Batavia, deceased, Letters of Administration granted to Julia and James Buckley.

Estate of John Donoghue, late of Batavia, deceased. Letters of administration granted to Margaret Donoghue.

Estate of Dennis Donoghue, late of Batavia, deceased. Letters of administration granted to Sylvester Donoghue.

In the estates of Betsy Wells, late of Pembroke, deceased; Isabella Gardner, late of Byron, deceased; Thaxter R. Waterman, late of Stafford, deceased, and Wm. H. Weeks, late of Elba, deceased, notice to creditors ordered published.

Silk Ornaments.

A new method of ornamenting silk, linen, cotton or other fabrics equal to oil painting. The ornaments with printed instructions for their use for sale at Tryon's. Call and see them.