The Penn Yan Express.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 14, 1923.

SILLY TALK.

In a recent address before the Vassar Club in New York, Henry Morthanthau, a Wilson Democrat and a League of Nations partisan, made the statement, according to the newspaper reports, that "if the United States had entered the League of Nations, France would not be in the Ruhr totoday."

All European nations, with the exception of Germany, are in the League of Nations. Therefore, Mr. Morganthau's statement, if it means anything, means that the United States would have been able to accomplish what none of the nations or all of them together in the League were not able to accomplish. This checks it up to the United States. To say that had it been in the Le ague of Nations France would not now be in the Ruhr is to say that one of the following three things would have been done by the United States.

(1) It would have guaranteed France the payment of the indemnity she seeks from Germany. That is, the United States would have paid the indemnity itself by underwriting the German promise to pay. This would have necessitated raising money in this country by the issuance of bonds for which the American people would have been taxed, and these bonds, or the money therefrom, turned over to France in lieu of the money she was unable to collect from Germany.

(2) France would have been guaranteed security from future attacks from Germany by a military alliance with the United States. This is what President Wilson attempted to have done, going so far as to bring a treaty to that effect to this country and asking that it be ratified by the United States Senate.

(3) France would have been told by the United States that she had collected enough; that Germany had paid all that she could pay and ought to pay, and had France attempted to enter the Ruhr she would have been opposed by the military forces of the United States.

These are the only three eventualities that could have kept France out of the Ruhr. Which one of these three solutions, if any, would the people of the United States stand for? The answer is obvious. They would have stood for none of them.

Mr. Morganthau's assertion is a sample of the silly talk that is going on continually. It is a sample of the vicious propaganda that is being circulated through the press and from the pulpit and platform; some of it shrewdly by those who have full knowledge of its deception and mischievous effect; some of it stupidly by those who, parrot-like, repeat what some one else tells them without knowing what it means or what effect it will have.

Out of the flood of propaganda urging the United States to "do something to help Europe" what concrete suggestion or plan has been offered other than one which necessarily involves the employment of our military and naval strength, the cancellation of billions of dollars due this government and the loaning of billions more? Not anything. Yet either one or all three of these would mean the taxpayers of the United States shouldering the financial burdens of Europe and maintaining at their expense sufficient military and naval forces to enforce the advice offered to Europe by this country.

Talk about Europe needing our moral support is plain buncombe. Europe may need it, but Europe does not want it. The plain truth is that repeatedly within the last two years Europe has insultingly rejected our moral support. It has refused to give hee to our advice as to what should be done to correct the deplorable situation in which European countries find themselves. What each European nation wants of this country is that we exercise our power to take the part of that nation in the perpetual embroilments that are going on in the Europeane continent. There can be no doubt of this. There is no attempt upon the part of any European country to conceal the fact.

Federal Ownership Costly.

Director General of Railways Davis, the third in that distinguished official line, has prepared figures to show that it cost the taxpayers of the country approximately $1,800,000,000 for the war luxury of state-controlled railroads. But that figure must not be misunderstood. It covers only direct charges on the taxpayer and takes no account of the much larger cost which the country is paying each year as a legacy of government management. No statistician would undertake to compute the cost, which ultimately falls upon the public, of the demoralization to the transportation system through physical neglect and the shooting up of operation costs directly charageable to that lamentable period when the government controlled railway operation. And we will continue to pay that bill until the system gets back to normal, however long it may be delayed.

The only consolation to be extracted from this knowledge is that every year we are getting further away from possibilities of state operation of the railways. The lesson has been taken to heart. Only radical visionaries return to the topic. The Plum plan has lost out even with the large brotherhoods and finds advocates only with those who want political officials to vote them high pay and who knew nothing of the details of acquiring the railroad property. It was one thing when the railway shareholders agreed to government management in war time and another when it comes to issuing $25,000,000,000 in bonds to buy out these shareholders—something that simply can't be done.

Government failed in its first big experiment and we've got to pay the bill and make the most of it. There is no use crying over spilt milk, but it is right to spill as little more as possible. We may be paying a high price for our lesson, but at least we have the lesson.—St. Paul Pioneer-Press.

Republican Program.

Secretary of the Interior Fall sums up an interesting situation when he declares that the United States "has been aiming to get its people and its plant back to work; trying to increase its income and reduce its outgo; seeking to insure itself against wars and the menace of wars; endeavoring to accumulate real capital instead of flat money; trying to lessen the burden of armaments; finding tasks for the idle; encouraging trade and industry; seeking to open new markets; refusing to get entangled with others who have not yet found that the war is over."

This is the program that has been going steadily forward since the inauguration of President Harding, and every day is adding more to its realization. The United States is the only one of the principal participants in the World war that has set its course resolutely toward the ways of peace. The others are still giving vent to the very jealousies, traditional animosities and royal intrigues that were responsible for the great war. The United States has natural wealth beyond that of any other country in the world, but its greatest asset is the good sense of its people in staying clear of the Old World influences that seek to drag them down.—Fremont (Neb.) Tribune.

Lloyd George still believes that the United States should pull the chestnuts out of the fire stilling raging in the old world. Before the war the English criticism of the United States was usually directed against our meddling with European affairs. But conditions change, likewise views. —Mountain Echo (W. Va.)

CHURCH NOTES.

BAPTIST CHURCH.

—Attendance last Sunday was more like old times. Let us hope that by next Sunday the rest of the sick shall have recovered and be with us.

—At the morning service next Sunday the pastor will continue his series of sermons on the church. The theme will be "What Hinders Men from Joining the Church". Plan to be with us. You will find a cordial welcome.

—Sunday School at 12 o'clock. All Baraca men are urged to be on hand to hear about the banquet. The annual banquet will come on the evening of March 21. This will be Wednesday. The guest of the evening and principal speaker will be Marshall A. Hudson ,of Syracuse, the founder of the Baraca-Philathea movement.

—Junior C. E. at 3:30.

—Pastor's class of instruction for boys and girls at 4 o'clock in the chapel. The pastor is talking with the boys and girls on what it means to be a Christian and a member of the church. He asks the cooperation of parents.

—Senior Christian Endeavor meeting at 5:45. Topic "Factors for Making the World Better and How We Can Help."

—At the evening service the pastor will speak on this subject: "Why Baptists Practice Immersion." The pastor's message will be followed by the ordinance of Baptism.

—The School of Religious Education meets every Monday night in the chapel of this church.

—The Woman's Misionary Society will hold their monthly meeting in the parlors of the church on Wednesday afternoon, March 14 at 3 o'clock. Mrs. Edward Babcock will have charge of the program. The Missionary Supper will be served in the dining room at 6 o'clock to which all are invited.

—Choir rehearsal at the church on Wednesday evening at 7:30. All members are urged to be present for work on the Easter music.

—The Board of Trustees will hold an important meeting at the church after the Misisonary Supper on Wednesday night. The budget for the new church year will be made up at this time.

—At our prayer meetings from now until Easter the pastor is taking for our thoughts, "The Last Week in the Life of Our Saviour." This week will take Tuesday of the Week of Christ's Passion. Plan to be with us on Thursday night.

—The regular meeting of the Philathea class will be held at the home of Mrs. Lewis Mead, Johnson Ave., on Friday evening, March 16. As this is the annual election of officers a large attendance is urged.

—The annual tureen dinner of the W. C. T. U. will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Watkins, on Liberty street on Friday of this week at noon. Important business will follow the dinner.

—We are nearing the end of our church year. Try to meet all pledges to the church before the end of the church year. Three fourths of our pledges to the New World Movement are now due.

—The annual Every Member Canvass of the church will take place on Sunday, March 25th.

—The Christian Endeavor Society will hold their monthly business and social meeting in the chapel of the church Friday evening of this week. Everyon is invited.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

—If those who hitherto have been unable to mail in their pledge cards will do so as soon as possible, the canvass will be completed without undue solicitation. We have been handicapped by illness in many homes, but a little effort will bring us to our annual congregational meeting with every p ossible pledge in. If you cannot make a pledge this year, just say so on the card and mail it to Box 438.

—The annual meeting of the First Presbyterian Congregation of Penn Yan, will be held at its meeting house in Penn Yan, N. Y., on Thursday, March 29th, at seven o'clock p. m., for the election of three trustees in place of George L. Barden, John T. Knox and William C. MacKay, whose term of office will expire on that day, and one trustee in place of Calvin Russell, elected in 1922, and who declined to serve, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly be presented at such meeting. The polls will be open for one hour. Signed, John H. Johnson, Secretary.

—Morning worship, Sunday, March 18th at ten-thirty. Mr. Imbrie will speak on the theme "Why Confess Christ?" Also Children's sermon.

—Evening worship at seven.

—Sunday School at noon.

—Junior Congregation at six. Harriett Swarthout will lead on the subject: "Stewardship."

—No Junior Mission Band this week.

—Communicants' Class at the manse Mondays at four o'clock. Boys and girls of our Intermediate Department invited.

—Send for your church letter and present it during the special Holy Week services.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH.

—The pastor will preach next Sunday morning and evening.

—The pastor will meet all the children who expect to join the church on Easter, at four o'clock Sunday afternoon.

—Epworth League at 6 o'clock. Topic: "What Jesus Thought About Service"

—The Father and Son banquet on Wednesday evening promises to be an occasion of profit and pleasure, which no man or boy can afford to miss. Any man who is not the father of a boy can easily find one to adopt for the evening, and in this way make glad the heart of some boy who might otherwise be denied the privilege of attending. Besides interesting talks by Rev. A. P. White ,of Rochester, and Rev. L. S. Boyd, former pastor, there will be music and games and a general good time. Seven o'clock is the hour. Let us be prompt in getting together.

—The Queen Esther Circle will meet on Wednesday evening, March 14, with Miss Helen Shepard, 211 Elm street. Supper at 6:30.

—Prayer meeting on Thursday evening to which everyone is invited. The Easter Chorus will rehearse at the close of the service and those who are willing to help are asked to be present.

—The Epworth League will hold a business meeting and social gathering in the church parlors on Friday evening. Supper will be served at 7 o'clock. The young people who recently joined the church are especially invited to attend.

—The annual due-paying and tureen dinner of the Penn Yan Union will be held at the home of Sheriff and Mrs. Ed. Watkins on Liberty St., Friday, March 16, at noon. Bring your china and food and enjoy the social day of a worth while organization. Important business will be brought before the executive committee at one-thirty.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE.

—The Christian Scientists meet every Sunday at 11 o'clock in the Elmwood Theatre building. Subject for Sunday, March 18—"Substance."

ST. MARK'S CHURCH.

—Sunday, March 18th—(Fifth Sunday in Lent)—Morning prayer and sermon at 10:30; Sunday School at 12 noon.

—Monday, March 19th—St. Mark's Guild will meet at the Church at 7:30. There are a number of things that need attention at the church before the arrival of the new rector and it is hoped every member of the Guild will make an effort to be present at this meeting.

—St. Mark's Guild are making plans for their annual food and apron sale at Easter, which will take place on Saturday, April 7th at the Gas Office.

LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE

DUNDEE.

—Samuel H. Gray died in Washington, D. C., Sunday, March 4, 1923, after an illness of several months. He was born in Geneseo, N. Y., November 14, 1865, and was 57 years of age. For the past 20 years he has been official reporter of debates in the House of Representatives in Washington. For many years he has spent his summers in this town, and he has many friends here. About two years ago he prepared a work entitled, "The History of Parliamentary Reporting in England and United States." The funeral was held in Washington on Wednesday and Dr. Montgomery, the chaplain of the House of Representatives, delivered the funeral address. Burial was in Washington. He leaves his wife and one son, Herbert Gray, of this village.—Observer.

—Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Cushman, of Elmira, formerly of this village, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Ruth E. Cushman, to the Rev. Richard G. Wentz, also of that city. The marriage will occur in April. Miss Cushman is well known in this village, where she has a wide circle of friends who unite in extending their best wishes to her. She is now the soprano soloist in the choir of the Westside M. E. church, Elmira. Mr. Wentz is a graduate of the Elmira Free Academy and is the pastor of the Erin Methodist church.

—The Dundee Fair Association has elected the following officers for the ensuing year: President, J. J. O'Brien; vice-president, T. M. Chadwick; treasurer, C. J. Watson; secretary and general manager, H. L. Woodruff; directors, J. J. O'Brien, L. R. Hanmer, T. M. Chadwick, S. R. Harpending, C. J. Watson, Charles Goble, H. L. Woodruff, Charles Chadwick, Roy R. Robers. The dates for the 1923 exhibition were fixed for October 2, 3 and 4.

—Announcement has been made by Mr. and Mrs. Chris Wood, of the engagement of their daughter, Miss Rose Wood, of this village, and Earl H. Robertson, of Elmira. Miss Wood is a graduate of the Dundee High school and of the Geneseo Normal school, and has taught in Elmira and Dundee since her graduation from Geneseo.

BELLONA.

Methodist Episcopal Church.
James H. Newman, Pastor.

—Choir rehearsal on Wednesday evening, at the home of Clyde Geldar.

—The cast for the home-talent play plan to meet at the church on Saturday evening of this week for rehearsal.

—Sunday, March 18, Morning worship at 10:30. Text for the sermon, "What is this that I hear of thee? render an account of thy stewardship, for thou canst be no longer steward." St. Luke 16:2.

—If you are ,as we say, "a little nervous about your religion we advise you not to hear this sermon. The minister intends it for those who are able and willing to give gladness, pleasure and happiness to God.

—Sunday School at noon, R. F. Platman superintendent.

—Epworth League at 6:30 p. m. Topic, "What Jesus Thought About Possessions." Leader, Howard Loree.

—Advance Notice! Please reserve Friday evening, April 13th. Watch for fuller announcement next week.

—The annual father and son banquet of the P resbyterian church was held in the church parlors Friday evening, March 9th, and was largely attended. A roast veal supper was served at 8 o'clock to one hundred and four men and boys. After supper the Rev. Emanuel John Kallina, pastor of the Presbyterian church of Canandaigua, gave a most excellent address on the duties of father's to sons and also the duties of sons to fathers. The community singing was led by C. H. McCumber. Several selections were given by a male quartette. The banquet was a pleasing success in every particular.

—The stereopticon lecture on Alaska, given by the pastor in the Presbyterian church Sunday night was very interesting and instructive and was well attended.

—Rev. G. H. Orvis preached in the Presbyterian church at Dresden last Sunday afternoon.

—Choir practice will be held in the Sunday School rooms of the Presbyterian church, on Thursday evening of this week at 8 o'clock. The session will mee at the same time at the church.

—Mr. and Mrs. William Gelder started March 3rd for Erie, Pa., where they will spend three or four weeks with relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Gelder both needed a rest—a let up in the busy rounds of life which come to very busy people.

—The grand opening night of the new Community House at Bellona will be held Friday, March 16, 1923. Program as follows: 7:30 p. m. sharp, stereopticon lecture by Charles Bush, of Geneva, on his trip through the West. Admission, adults, 50c; children under 12 years 25c. Dancing from 10 o'clock until 2 o'clock. Music by Park orchestra of Penn Yan. Both old and new dances. Admission $1 per couple, including supper. Benefit of the new building. Com.

BENTON CENTER.

—The following services will be held in the Baptist church next Sunday. Preaching by the Rev. Thomas J. Hunter at 10:30 a. m. Subject, "What Is a Christian?" (An appeal to God's people) preceded by a sermonette for boys and girls. Bible school at 11:45 a. m. Christian Endeavor meeting at 6:15 p. m. Leader Miss Edith VanOrden, topic, "Factors for Making the World Better; How We Can Help." Union preaching service at 7 p. m. Subject "What is a Christian?" (An appeal to the young.)

—At the Methodist Episcopal church next Sunday the pastor, the Rev. C. L. Saunders will preach at 10:30 a. m. Bible School will meet at 11:45 a. m. and at 7 p. m. the congregation will join with the Baptists in their service.

—The "Strong and Ready" Class of the M. E. church will hold a St. Patrick's Day Social, on Friday evening, March 16th, at the home of their teacher, Mrs. John Schofield, on Main street. Everyone is invited, and each person is requested to wear some green to add to the attractiveness of the occasion.

—The "Star" Sunday School Class of the M. E. church held their business meeting at the home of their teacher, Mrs. C. L. Saunders, at the Methodist parsonage, last Friday evening. After the business was transacted the evening was spent in conversation and music. And a camp fire supper was enjoyed by the girls, with their teacher, acting as hostess.

—The Ladies' Aid Society of the Baptist church wil lhold a business meeting at the parsonage on Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

—We have to add to the list of sick ones again this week, although the majority of those who have been ill are on the road to recovery.

—Mrs. G. S. Gage, who had been taking treatment at the S. & S. Hospital at Penn Yan, was brought to her home at the beginning of the week, somewhat better, but still confined to the bed, and under the care of the doctor.

—Mrs. Perry Wright was confined to the house the greater part of last week with a severe cold but is now able to be out. Her daughter, Miss May, was also compelled to stay out of school by illness. In fact the whole family with the execption of the son Irving were sick, but are all improving.

—Miss Dora Kelly is still confined to the house at her home, by illness.

—Leslie Corbin, the genial agent at the Penna. R. R. depot was kept from his duties for several days, owing to illness, but is once more able to give all the information needed by passengers as to the time of trains, and cost of fares, and all other things connected with travel.

—C. W. Hines, the village milk man is another of those who have found it necessary to call in the aid of a physician, and is confined to the bed. Emmett Nageldinger is delivering the milk during his illness.

—Miss Jennie Bishop is another of the victims of the prevailing colds, and unable to get out for the past week.

—Carlton Mortensen, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Mortensen, is sick and under the care of the doctor.

—Miss Helen Mallory, R. N., of Rochester is here for a few days, taking care of her grandfather, Romano Depew, who does not improve as his friends would like to see him. The doctor is doing all he possibly can to help him.

—Miss Vermona Smallidge, of Gage, was the guest of her friend, Miss Gladys Smith for Friday and Saturday.

—Mrs. E. J. Bill, of Orleans, visited her daughter, Mrs. Leslie Corbin, for several days last week.

—Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Smith were guests of their brother and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Smith, at Potter, for the week-end.

—Hilbert Jensen, who has been in Geneva for the past eight months, is at the home of his brother, Henry, for a few weeks.

—Watch the Benton items next week the Ladies' Aid of the M. E. church are planning for a treat on Thursday evening, March 22, and want all their friends to keep that date free.

—Harvey Brown, of Hall, is quite sick at the home of his sister, Mrs. Anna Newcomb, in this village.

RODOLPH VALENTINO in "THE YOUNG RAJAH" ELMWOOD, Saturday and Monday, March 17—18.

Abraham Lincoln, unsupported, might not be able to reconstruct Europe; but Lincoln's spirit of fairness and his sense of justice, adopted by the leaders and the people over there, could settle everything in short order.—Toledo Blade.

Men who like to be photographed with their wives are henpecked.—Ex.

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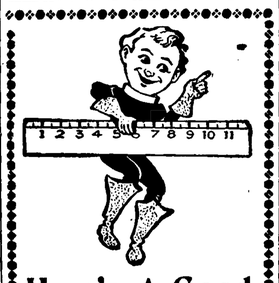

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MUNICIPAL BOARD'S ANNUAL REPORT.

Receipts of The Lighting Department $7,575.92 More Than in 1921.—Huge Coal Bills.

WATER DEPARTMENT.

I—RECEIPTS.

Cash in office March 1, 1922	$ 57.45	
Cash with Village Treasurer March 1, 1922	1,252.20	$ 1,309.65
Water rentals		19,024.82
House rent		99.96
E. C. Crane, East Main St., water connection		15.00
Pipe sold C. N. Kelly		12.00
Old iron sold		3.50
From Sewer Department, loan		200.00
From Goulds Mfg. Co., rebate on labor		12.00
From sale of notes for new pump		4,000.00
From Village of Penn Yan, on bonds		3,300.00
		$27,976.93

II—PAYMENTS.

Bond Account.		
Comptroller, New York State		$ 3,300.00
Interest Account		
On bonds	$ 338.25	
On notes	68.33	406.58
Tax Account.		
Town and county	376.16	
School	54.54	430.70
Insurance Account.		
Compensation	61.36	
Fire	206.82	268.18
Printing and Postage.		
Printing	47.53	
Postage	49.71	97.24
Salary Account.		
Superintendent and Office	1,451.50	
Production salary	3,721.59	
Other labor	396.00	5,569.09
Repair Account.		
On system	352.24	
On engines	75.15	
On boilers	714.15	
On pumps	230.35	
On dwelling	36.32	
On building	150.87	
On Liberty St. services	443.81	2,052.89
Station Expense.		
Boiler compound	111.08	
Lamps and wiring	30.40	
Rubber mattling	3.28	
Lumber	7.05	
Labor	137.84	
Other expense	52.22	346.87
Expense Account:		
Inspection of lake	11.00	
Analyzing water	186.10	
Truck expense	68.00	
Steam heat	59.54	
Cleaning office	23.00	
Telephone	14.55	
Miscellaneous expense	60.79	422.98
New Pump Account.		
Pump	2,274.80	
Water meter and attachments	879.88	
Switch board	348.17	
Foundation	27.45	
Piping	142.60	
Labor	141.24	
Engineering	197.86	4,012.00
Extension Account.		
Clinton Street	89.47	
Collins Avenue	148.68	
Lincoln Avenue	513.93	
Highland Drive	373.65	1,125.73
Rebate Account		26.48
Oil Account		185.76
Station Supplies		30.00
Waste Account		27.56
Packing Account		57.11
Coal Account		8,113.16
Material on Hand		539.77
Cash in office March 1, 1923	46.17	
Cash with Village Treasurer, March 1, 1923	913.66	959.83
		$27,976.93

III—INDEBTEDNESS.

There was paid on the Water Bonds the past year $3300.00; this leaves the principal on the Water Bonds now outstanding $7,300.00. There are also four notes amounting to $4,000.00 outstanding which was voted to install new pump. There are no other debts.

V—IMPROVEMENTS AND EXTENSIONS.

The Water mains have been extended 400 feet on Lincoln Ave., 550 feet on Highland Drive, 436 feet on Collins Ave. and 159 feet on upper Clinton St. There was also one hydrant placed on Lincoln Ave. There is now in service 16 miles 2443 feet of street mains and 123 hydrants.

The new centrifugal pump has been installed and we are of the opinion that we will derive a great benefit in the saving of coal.

VI—OTHER FACTS.

The amount of water pumped during the past year was 228,357,235 gallons.

The discount of 10% allowed to customers for prompt payment was $1,807.73. A discount of 10% will be allowed during the next fiscal year.

The total amount of water rents received this year was $19,024.82, being a decrease of $163.80 over the amount received last year. The bills receivable amount to $114.12.

LIGHT DEPARTMENT.

I—RECEIPTS.

Cash in office March 1, 1922	$ 33.21	
Cash with Village Treasurer March 1, 1922	3,453.03	$ 3,486.24
Material and supplies on hand	1,622.15	
Coal on hand	4,693.99	6,316.14
Sinking fund		2,000.00
Commercial lighting		38,308.20
House rent		99.96
Old iron sold		3.50
Broken lamp post, globes and lamps		24.82
From light improvement account		5.35
Interest on sinking fund		107.99
From Village of Penn Yan, lighting streets and public buildings		6,000.00
		$56,352.20

II—PAYMENTS.

Tax Account.		
Town and county	$ 250.77	
School	36.36	$ 287.13
Insurance Account.		
Compensation	309.75	
Fire	284.38	594.13
Printing and Postage.		
Printing	51.87	
Postage	146.45	198.32
Expense Account.		
Steam heat	59.58	
Books and supplies	39.05	
Cleaning office	23.00	
Telephone	33.82	
Truck expense	170.03	
Miscellaneous	60.61	386.09
Salary Account.		
Superintendent and office salary	1,698.50	
Production salary	3,812.43	
Other labor	959.42	6,470.35
Repair Account.		
At station	1,518.66	
On line	364.70	
On biolers	723.58	
On engines	334.95	
On meters	7.05	
On dwelling	36.33	
On building	675.40	
Commercial repair	26.27	3,686.94
Station Expense.		
Boiler compound.	111.08	
Lamps and wiring	30.43	
Paint	75.93	
Lumber	22.31	
Rubber matting	15.68	
Cartages	8.63	
Labor	392.19	
Other expense	59.15	715.40
Oil Account		362.94
Arc Light Account		176.96
Waste Account		27.57
Packing Account		60.21
Connecting Commercial Lighting		382.27
Station Supplies		30.04
Transformer Account		885.01
Meter Account		1,351.88
Street Incandescent Lamp Account		458.75
Distribution System		445.04
Interest Account		93.75
Coal Account.		
Amount consumed	21,244.57	
On hand	3,384.15	24,628.72
Material and Supplies on Hand		1,545.13
Sinking Fund		5,000.00
Cash for engine repairs to be delivered April 1		2,500.00
Cash in office March 1, 1923	43.28	
Cash with Village Treasurer, March 1, 1923	6,022.29	6,065.57
		$56,352.20

III—INDEBTEDNESS.

The last five original light bonds were paid the past year. The new light bonds amounting to $24,000.00 are now outstanding. There are no other debts.

V—IMPROVEMENTS AND EXTENSIONS.

New street lights have been put in operation as follows: two in the alley east side of Main St., one on Champlin Ave., one on Court St., two on North Main St., three on Burns Terrace, and two on Hicks St. There are now in operation 61—600 candle power lamps, 35—5 light posts and 135 street series lights.

We are pleased to say that the new improvement has been in successful operation since the first of the year. Owing to delays in receiving material we were caused more or less trouble as our heavy fall load was on before the turbine was in running order. The saving in coal meets our expectations and we believe will be fully as much as guaranteed.

VI—OTHER FACTS.

The amount of revenue received for electricity for commercial purposes during the past year was $38,308.20, being an increase of $7,586.92 over the amount received last year. The bills receivable amount to $4,698.03. We now have 1,002 customers, being a gain of 126 during the past year.

DOLLAR DAY SPECIALS
March 17th, 1923.
DONALDSON. HESS & CO.

RODOLPH VALENTINO in "THE YOUNG RAJAH" ELMWOOD, Saturday and Monday, March 17—18.

The Elmwood THEATRE

WEDNESDAY
JOHN GILBERT in
A CALIFORNIA ROMANCE
Facing a firing squad, knew that only a miracle could save him. A tale of 1848, when California was ceded to the United States.
MOVIE CHATS
AFTERNOON AND NIGHT, any part of house, 10c.

THURSDAY
DUSTIN FARNUM in
THREE WHO PAID
"A shot broke the dead stillness of the desert." A picture teeming with racing action and softly colored with a charming love story.
PATHE REVIEW
PATHE NEWS
Dancing 9.15 to 10.15
AFTERNOON AND NIGHT, any part of house, 10c.

FRIDAY
The international comedy favorite,
MAX LINDNER
in his supreme burlesque
THE THREE MUST-GET-THERES
183 laughs for one ticket.
Pearl White in "PLUNDER"
The greatest serial ever made. This is present night.
AFTERNOON and NIGHT, any part of the house, 10c

SATURDAY and MONDAY, March 17—19
RODOLPH VALENTINO in
THE YOUNG RAJAH
From the play, "Amos Judd." Never has Valentino been given such wonderful opportunities as in this picture. Vibrant with passionate love scenas, dazzling with gorgeous settings and costumes, thrill-swept with adventure and mystery. Supporting cast includes Wanda Hawley and Charles Ogle.
Al St. John in "THE ALARM"
AFTERNOON and NIGHT, 10c and 22c.

TUESDAY
ELSIE FERGUSON in
OUTCAST
Her most popular stage play, and by far her greatest picture. Both in her rags and shimmering Paris gowns the star is magnificent.
PATHE REVIEW
AFTERNOON and NIGHT, any part of the house, 10c.

DOLLAR DAY
—AT—
Darrow's Jewelry Store
WILL BE THE
Crowning Event of the Year.
Don't Miss the Many Bargains Offered.
COME EARLY! COME OFTEN!
Jared A. Darrow
114 Main St.
The Hallmark Store.
Kodaks, Camera Supplies.

Seeley Says:

SATURDAY we are going to teach your dollars more cents

Suits
58 All Wool Worsted and Cashimere Suits, worth $30, $35, and $40.
Dollar Day, $24.85
69 All Wool Worsted and Cashimere Suits, spring weight, values up to $45.
Dollar Day, $24.85
53 Young Men's All Wool odd Suits, sizes 33 to 37, values up to $45—
Dollar Day, $15, $18.50, and $22.50.
Men's Brown and Grey Cashimere Suits, sizes 37 to 44—
Dollar Day, $14.85

Shirts
$1.50, $2.00, and $2.50 Yorke and Arrow Shirts—
Dollar Day, $1.00
Shirt values up to $3.00—
Dollar Day, $1.95
Shirt values up to $4.00—
Dollar Day, $2.45
Silk Shirts, value up to $7.00—
Dollar Day, $3.85
Silk Shirts, values up to $9.00—
Dollar Day, $5.85
Silk Shirts, values up to 12.50—
Dollar Day, 7.85

Gloves
1 lot genuine Buckskin Gloves, some with strap wrist, worth $3.50 per pair—
Dollar Day, $1.00 a Glove.

Boy's Suits
43 Boy's All-wool Suits, values up to $18.50—
Dollar Day, $7.85

Caps
Our entire stock of Winter $2, $2.50, and $3.00 Caps—
Dollar Day, $1.00

Overcoats
23 Odd Overcoats, values up to $40.00—
Dollar Day, $24.85
39 Odd Overcoats, values up to $30—
Dollar Day, $14.85
This lot includes many Spring Weight Coats.
24 Imported Gabardine full belted Top Coats, worth $30—
Dollar Day, $18.50

Pants
Cotton Work Pants, sizes 30 to 44 waist—
Dollar Day, $1.50
Cashimere Hairless, and Moleskin Pants, values up to $4—
Dollar Day, $2.85

Hats
All our Fall and Winter Stetson Hats—
Dollar Day, $4.85
One lot of Hats, values to $4—
Dollar Day, 2.85
One lot of Hats, values up to $3.00—
Dollar Day, $1.85

Sweaters
One lot of Sweaters, values up to $3.00—
Dollar Day, $1.85
One lot of Sweaters, values up to $9.00—
Dollar Day, $4.85
One lot of Sweaters, values up to $10.00—
Dollar Day, $6.85.

Neckwear
Knitted and Cut Silk Ties, values up to $1.00—
Dollar Day, 2 for $1.00
Our entire stock of $1.50, $2.00, and $2.50 Cut Silk Ties—
Dollar Day, $1.00

Our Basement will be full of wonderful Bargains in Work Clothes and Fine Clothes **Dollar Day.**

Seeley's
Value will Get You. On The Corner.

What are YOU Doing to Accumulate for that Rainy Day?

This most deplorable condition exists:

Estates at death of 100 average Americans—

1 leaves wealth
2 leaves comfort
15 leaves from $2,000 to $10,000
82 leaves NOTHING

Our interest department explains the way of preparing for that inevitable day.

Baldwins Bank of Penn Yan

ARCHIE M. THAYER
UNDERTAKER
201 JACOB STREET, PENN YAN, N. Y.
Lady Embalmer — Public Funeral Parlors
Ambulance Service Day or Night Without Charge.
PHONE, 412

DOLLAR DAY

Yes, Saturday, March 17th is Dollar Day

An Opportune Time for Thrifty Buyers

The DOLLAR will rule supreme Saturday when we open our doors to the many people who have been waiting for a chance like this, to save on Housewares, Tools, Auto Accessories, and other needs. A wonderful array of Dollar Bargains have been placed on our counters and tables--goods that sell regularly for much more than a dollar

Read these items carefully and come prepared to share in the savings--SATURDAY

Here are Some of Our Dollar Day Specials

WE WILL RETURN TO YOU $1
on the purchase price of the following:
Coaster Wagons
Enamel Roasters
Stable Blankets
Racine Tires
$5.00 purchase of Aluminum Ware
Hand and Breast Drills

Market Baskets, 10c
Hatchets, 39c
Axes, 79c
Sink Plungers, 49c
12-qt Heavy Galv. Pails, 65c

Specials for $1
16-qt Galv. Measures
10-gal Wood Jacket Cans
Galv. Snow Shovels
Galv. Slop Pails
Barn Brooms
Gal. Wash Tubs
Chemical for Indoor Toilets
Socket Wrench Sets
1-pt Thermos Bottles
Rim Wrenches
Schraeder Tire Pressure Gauges
Running Board Mats
8-in Crescent Wrenches

WE WILL RETURN TO YOU $1
for every $10.00 paid on the purchase price of the following:
Sterling Stoves
White Lily Washing Machines
McDougall Kitchen Cabinets

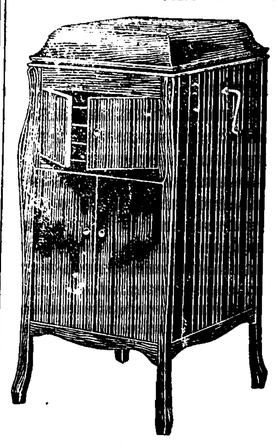
Assorted Cleaning Brushes, 16c
Wire Ash Sifters, 34c
Aluminum Ware, 69c
Wire Dish Drainers, 79c
Pyrex Pie Plates, 74c
14-qt Heavy Galv. Pails, 70c

We Will Have Special Prices on the Following
Electrical Appliances, Carving Sets, Alarm Clocks, Nickle Tea and Coffee Pots, Casseroles, Percolators, Sleds, Casserole Frames, Clark Foot Warmers, and many other items

The Geo. W. Peck Co.

One Dollar Offerings

SATURDAY, MARCH 17TH
A BIG REDUCTION ON OUR
SHEET MUSIC
Several used Machines— all makes — with records at VERY, VERY LOW PRICES.
Some good bargains in other musical merchandise.



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(Next to the Olympian.)