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## Business Directory.

MILLBROOK, N. Y.

**FRANKLIN AVENUE.**  
BANK OF MILLBROOK,  
James Reardon, President.

FRED. H. SWIFT,  
Notary Public

SMITH & BURGH  
General Merchandise.

MRS. PERRY MOORE  
Millinery

JAMES REARDON,  
Hardware, Farm Machinery.

C. B. REARDON,  
Furniture, Carpets, Mattings, Trunks,  
Etc.

MERRITT & COLVILL,  
Stoves, Tinware and Plumbing.

F. H. KEAVER,  
"The Grocer."

E. W. OLIVER,  
Shaving and Hair-cutting.

JAMES I. BALDWIN,  
Painter and Decorator.

W. S. TRIPP,  
Fresh and Salt Meat.

S. J. JACOBUS, M. D.,  
Office Hours until 9 a. m., 12 to 2 and 7  
to 9.

WILLIAM GEMMILL,  
Commercial Men's Home, Livery Stable.

BENJAMIN J. PIZIE,  
Stoves, Tinware, Roofing, Plumbing.

G. W. BOICE,  
Watches, Clocks, Jewelry.

F. H. PAULUS,  
Millbrook Bakery.

JOHN H. ALLEN, JR., Ph. G.,  
Drugs, Physicians' Prescriptions, Paints, Etc.

ARTHUR DE GARIS, D. D. S.,  
Dentist.

THOMAS W. DEAN,  
Life, Fire and Accidental Insurance

**FRONT STREET.**

F. T. MASLIN,  
Town Clerk

ALFRED L. MARSHALL,  
Fruits, Vegetables, Fish, Ice Cream.

BERT WOOLHATER,  
Practical Plumbing and Gas Fitting.

JOSEPH S. SHELDON,  
Drugs, Soda Water.

DEAN BROTHERS,  
General Merchandise.

MRS. J. R. HORTON,  
Millinery and Fancy Goods.

GEORGE LOVELAUGH,  
Shoemaker.

CHARLES I. SWIFT,  
Contractor and Builder.

MILLBROOK PRINTING CO.,  
Round Table, Job Printing.

**WASHINGTON AVENUE**

COLLINS & CHURCHILL,  
Millbrook Market.

E. B. KELLY,  
Manufacturing Clothier

KELLY & HICKS,  
Five and Ten Cent Goods.

RAMER SHERROW,  
Clothing, Shoes, Cycle and Watch House.

S. H. CUNNINGHAM,  
Photographer.

DR. G. A. KNAPP,  
Veterinary Surgeon,  
Telephone call 85D

**NORTH AVENUE.**

I. C. JONES,  
General Merchandise.

MILLBROOK INN,  
Fire, Felix Fieger, Manager

JOSEPH HOLMES,  
Harness Maker.

SWIFT BROTHERS,  
Lumber, Coal, Lime, Cement, Gates.

E. G. RORICK,  
Carpenter and Contractor.

**MERRITT AVENUE.**

HENRY SEAW,  
Blacksmith.

VINCENT BROS.,  
Carpenter and Builder.

**E. L. FLORENCE**

Mason, Builder and  
Local Contractor

Washington Hollow, N. Y.

**Pianos and Organs**

Tuned and Repaired. Orders left at  
C. B. REARDON'S Furniture Warerooms  
will receive prompt attention. All work  
guaranteed. RADER'S MUSIC STORE,  
328 Main Street, Poughkeepsie.

**JOHN F. GRANT**

Organist of Grace Church,  
will receive pupils in  
Voice culture, piano and organ instructions  
and the theory of music.  
FOUNTAIN PLAZA MILLBROOK

## BANK OF MILLBROOK

MILLBROOK, NEW YORK

ORGANIZED 1891

Capital and Surplus, \$90,620.03

### Officers

JAMES REARDON, President  
WM. E. SMITH, Vice-President WALTER F. HAIGHT, Cashier

### DIRECTORS.

John J. Donaldson, Samuel Thorne, Charles F. Dieterich,  
Oakleigh Thorne, G. Howard Davison, William E. Smith,  
Eugene Ham, G. B. Reardon, William R. Anderson,  
Franklin Station, Stephen E. Outler, James H. Haight,  
Sherman N. Haight, Walter F. Haight, James Reardon.

ACCOUNTS, LARGE OR SMALL, SOLICITED

## Millbrook Land and Improvement Co.

[LIMITED]

Offers for sale its desirable property  
in large or small plots.

Enquire of

JAMES REARDON, Agent

## SEASONABLE GOODS

Portland Cutters, Two-seated Sleights, Heavy and Light Farm Bobs, Cast Sleigh Shoes, 5-A Horse Blankets, Robes and Storm Covers, Hand-sleds, skates, Fanning Mills, Corn Fencing, Barb Wire and Staples, Fanning Mills, Corn Shellers, Grind Stones, Root Cutters, Steel barrows, garden and R. L. barrows, shovels, mattocks, picks, axes with and without helms, Atkins and Disston one and two man saws. Shelf hardware, Bradley axes, Disston saws, Vulcan nails, wire and cut nails, poultry netting and wire cloth.

**Wagons**  
Milburn Wagons, Sarven Wheels, Wide and Regular tires, Hollow Steel Axle, also with Wood Hub, Express Wagons, Road Wagons, Carriages, with and without Rubber Tires, Buckboards, Etc.

**In Harness Department**  
Heavy and Light Team Harness, Single Harness, light and medium weight, rubber and nickel trim.  
Harness or any part made to order, repairing promptly attended to.

Blankets, robes, whips, brushes, soaps, oils, and dressings  
**JAMES REARDON**  
Franklin Ave. Millbrook.

## 5 & 10c STORE

### Holiday Goods

WE have the largest collection of holiday goods ever shown in Millbrook. TOYS, CHINA WARE, GLASS WARE, NOTIONS. You will find over 10,000 articles to select from

## J. E. KELLY

Washington Avenue, Millbrook

## MERRITT & COLVILL

West Shore Stoves and Ranges

Dookash and Manhattan stoves and ranges. Hot water, Hot air and Steam heating. We are the only agents for the Standard wick and wickless oil stoves, best in the market, made by the Standard Lighting Co.

Tin, granite, nickel ware, Alcon vitrified sewer pipe, lead pipe sheet iron, tin and slate roofing, gas fitting and fixtures, slate roofing and repainting. Red jacket pumps, rubber bucket pumps, Wash tubs, clothes wringers.

### DR. L. P. STANBROUGH,

DENTIST

Next door to Reading Room,  
New York

Operating room on ground floor  
All work pertaining to dentistry  
performed in a skillful manner and  
warranted. The saving of the natural  
teeth is a specialty.

Fresh nitrous oxide gas administered  
for the painless extraction of teeth.

**FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR**  
Cures Colds, Prevents Pneumonia

### E. G. RORICK

CARPENTER AND BUILD-ER

Good work by the  
day or contract at  
Reasonable Prices

MILLBROOK, N. Y.

**PISO'S CURE FOR**  
TUBERCULOSIS  
Best Remedy for Consumption, Cough,  
Spitting of Blood, etc.  
CONSUMPTION

### On the Way to Manatee

The color line began to be drawn on the boat from Philadelphia to Baltimore, and it is necessary, for crowds of Africans are returning to the Sunny South at this season and a long procession of them filed past the ticket window, till the second class quarters must have resembled the hold of a slave ship in old slavery times. Some of them were rich and occupied state rooms reserved for their use. The same was repeated on the Bay Line Steamer from Baltimore to Norfolk, which by the way proved to be fully as good as it appeared, and landed us in good time after a comfortable night. We went on without delay by the Seaboard A Line, so called on account of the boards you see at the numerous saw mills along the route.

At once we were in the country of one and two room log cabins, inhabited sometimes by large families of darkies, who seem to have figured the problem of the "Simple Life" down very fine. Numerous little stacks in the fields poked to be peanut vines, and when you see a whole African family gathered around a little fire on the ground, and surrounded by piles of vines, they are picking peanuts. Whether they roast them in the fire or not I cannot say.

Corn is harvested after the manner of our forefathers, peeling the ears and cutting off the top only, leaving the stalks standing. Silos are never seen. The roads are innocent of gravel, and just beginning to be very bad, will be worse in winter. In Southern Virginia any kind of a vehicle goes, steen a two wheeled cart made of poles lashed by an ox, bull, steer, or cow. We saw one wagon with shafts about the size of a pole tongue, attached to a yoke which rested on the neck of a steer, and a chain over his forehead just below the horns overrid the fewer they call it a head yoke. While writing this a mule team and wagon went by, with a colored girl, dressed up in style, riding on the reach, no box nor seat visible.

After passing the Dismal Swamp the houses averaged better, some of them large and painted up in good shape, nearly all set on logs or brick piers, they have no use for cellars in the South. Most of the stores make an attempt at style by putting on battlement fronts. Cows and hogs run loose in the roads and fields, but their razor back hog and sorraway cow seem to have gone out of fashion, we saw but few of them.

At Norfolk we were allowed a rest of four hours, and had the good fortune to find a small cotton gin in operation. The white cotton is a beautiful sight as it comes out, a bale in two hours, and the negroes who work around it are lashed with whips from the crowns of their woolly heads to the soles of their half bare feet.

The cotton crop is nearly all in, we found some not yet picked, and will send a sample home by mail.

At Hamlet numerous spittosons were brought into the car, in consideration of the habits of our Southern brethren.

At Southern Pines one passenger said "This station will empty the train," and it did take a good share of the passengers. Another remarked as we got off, see what it is to have a good name and be well advertised. For Southern Pines has not a single natural attraction more than a hundred other places in that region, but the persistent pushing of John T. Patrick with the aid of the Railway Co. has made it a flourishing and quite populous colony.

In Florida we find the banana plants are not yet faded, and look much less disreputable than they did last year. There seems to be an increase in the number of truck farmers, which is not remarkable, considering the great profits of the business. The railroad now runs its trains on time, a great improvement over last year, and has carried us quite comfortably. We hope to arrive in Manatee in a few hours more.

W. L. Switz.  
Our new ad. column is the best way we know of for you to reach the public eye. For twenty five cents we place your "want" before four thousand readers. Try it once whether you want to buy or sell.

### CASTORIA

The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of *Dr. J. C. Watson*

### CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of *Dr. J. C. Watson*

### Why Not Depew Again?

To what purpose is all this talk about a possible successor next March to Chanancy M. Depew as United States Senator from the Empire State?

Why should there be any question as to his unanimous re-election at the hands of the Republican majority, aided by the Democratic minority, of the State Legislature?

What has been done, or left undone, that should justify our party in turning him down?

What man in our party in the State, or for that matter in the Nation, has worked harder, more wisely, or longer for the good of his Country, his State, and his Party, than has Chanancy M. Depew?

Does forty-four years of yeoman service, year in and year out, and in all kinds of political weather count for nothing when there is an opportunity to reward the worker with a justly deserved re-election?

What encouragement is there toward faithful public service, if we pay battledore and shuttlecock with our eminent public servants?

What man is there in our party who has a clearer political record than has Chanancy M. Depew?

When did he ever ignore or tamper with a public or a private trust?

What would we gain by replacing him with any man whose Senatorial experience is not equal to his?

Inasmuch as New York is the leading business State of the Union, is it not to our advantage that its Senator should be successful business man, as is Senator Depew?

What man have we in our ranks who is a better and more successful combination of business man and statesman than he is?

In view of those unanswerable questions it is difficult to see why not Depew again.

WALTER J. BALLARD  
Schenectady, December 12th.

### The January Smart Set

The contents page of the January Smart Set is the first indication of the excellence which is to mark the magazine for 1905. The Smart Set was long since conceded the title of "the magazine of cleverness," and its plans for the coming year a ready embrace a list of new contributors whose names stand for the very best in the fiction and verse of the day.

With George Barr, McGuckhon, Frances Aymer Mathews, William R. Lighton, Emory Pottle, Rupert Hughes, Edward Boltwood and Herbert D. Ward standing out from among twenty-seven other names, most of which are widely known, and especially familiar to Smart Set readers, the January number promises well for the coming year.

### The Dry Weather

The general drought is becoming serious to farmers and manufacturers in the northern part of the state. Peper manufacturers are obliged to shut down their plants on account of the low water, even the Hudson being unusually low for this time of year. In Pennsylvania many of the towns and cities are on the verge of a water famine.

### CHRISTMAS OFFER

A Year's Subscription at Half Price  
From the 29th of December 1904 until January 1st, 1905 any regular subscriber of the Millbrook Round Table, not in arrears, may renew their subscription and have an extra subscription sent to any address for \$1.50.

Many of our subscribers after reading their paper wrap it up and mail it to some friend, this costs them 52 cents a year besides the trouble of wrapping and mailing it and the friend gets the paper late.

Remember our offer and the date. We mail your friend 52 papers, one every Thursday afternoon for one year, for 50c.

The clubbing list printed below can also be taken advantage of.

CLUB RATES  
The Millbrook Round Table and  
Poughkeepsie Eagle 83 50  
Poughkeepsie Enterprise 1 75  
American Agriculturist 1 75  
Cosmopolitan Magazine 1 50  
Tribune Farmer 1 25  
Tri-weekly Tribune 1 75  
Tri-weekly World 1 70  
Country Gentleman 2 00  
New York Press (Daily) 5 20  
Century Magazine 4 80  
Harper's Magazine 4 80  
Saxton 1 50

Reductions on nearly every publication printed, and we will be glad to obtain rates on any other Magazine not listed above.

If two or more papers are wanted, deduct \$1 from every one except the first.

## Get the Most Out of Your Food

You don't and can't if your stomach is weak. A weak stomach does not digest all that is ordinarily taken into it. It gets tired easily, and what it fails to digest is wasted.

Among the signs of a weak stomach are: uneasiness after eating, fits of nervous headache, and disagreeable belching.

"I have taken Hood's Sarsaparilla at different times for stomach troubles, and a run down condition of the system, and have been greatly benefited by its use. I would not be without it in my family. I am troubled especially in summer with weak stomach and nervous and find Hood's Sarsaparilla invaluable." E. B. HICKMAN, W. Chester, Pa.

## Hood's Sarsaparilla and Pills

Strengthen and tone the stomach and the whole digestive system.

### GRACE CHURCH

CHRISTMAS MUSIC

Sunday, December 25th, 1904.

11 a. m. Holy Communion (Choral)

Organ Prelude - Pastoral Symphony

(From The Messiah) Handel

Processional - "Hark the Herald Angels Sing" Mendelssohn

Introit Psalm 85

Kyrie Tunes in F.

Credo

Offertory - "Sing and Rejoice" Barneby

Sanctus Tunes in F.

Agnus Dei Cooper

Gloria in Excelsis Tunes in F.

Recessional - "Sing, O sing, this Blessed Morn'" Hopkins

4 p. m. Choral Evensong and Sunday School Christmas Festival!

Processional - "O Come all ye Faithful" Traditional

Psalm 85

Magnificat Vincent in G.

Nunc dimittis

CAROLS BY SUNDAY SCHOOL

"What Child is This?"

"See Amid the Winter's Snow"

"Good Christian Men Rejoice"

"Once in Royal David's City"

MR. JOHN F. GRANT  
Organist and Choirmaster

The Lecture Course

"A Day and a Night with our Life-Savers" drew a well filled house, at Thorne Memorial Hall, Friday evening.

The Life-Saving views were clear, and the facts stated by the lecturer interesting as well as instructive. Various other moving pictures were shown to fill in the evening.

Grand Prize and Gold Medal

The Prudential Insurance Company of America has received the Grand Prize and a Gold Medal at the St. Louis Exposition for its exhibit illustrating the Company's business methods and vast and successful results.

The Prudential and its policyholders are being congratulated on the fact that this award makes The Prudential the most highly honored insurance institution in the world. In the history of life insurance no other company has ever received a corresponding award, although numerous exhibits have been made by insurance companies in the United States and Europe.

The award was granted by a jury of qualified experts, and places the seal of highest approval on what by the common consent of visitors to the Exposition was one of the most interesting and instructive exhibits at the St. Louis Fair.

Such a comprehensive exhibit was possible to the Prudential only by reason of the perfect control which the management of the company exercises over its great organization and the vast details of its business.

Beware of Counterfeits.

"DeWitt's is the only genuine Witch Hazel Salve" writes J. L. Tucker, of Centre, Ala. "I have used it in my family for Piles, Cuts and Burns for years and can recommend it to be the best Salve on the market. Every family should keep it, as it is an invaluable household remedy, and should always be kept on hand for immediate use. Mrs. Samuel Gage, of North Bush, N. Y., says: "I had a fever over on my ankle for twelve years that the doctors could not cure. All salves and blood remedies proved worthless. I could not walk for over two years. Finally I was persuaded to try DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve, which has completely cured me. It is a wonderful relief. "DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve cures without leaving a scar. Sold by."

Sold at Allen's Drug Store

DeWitt's Early Bleeds

The famous little pills.