COURT AT CANTON.

A Continuation of Troubles Brought Before Judge Hale's Tribunal.

Tuesday morning the first case ready in County Court was entitled Anna M. Oliver v. Benjamin Edgar, and the Court was told it would be very brief. The action arises over the removal of a house by the defendant for the plaintiff. The house was in the edge of the village of Waddington, and she desired it placed on a lot more centrally located where she could get better rent. A dispute arising about payment this action was brought to recover damages for the alleged unskillful operations of the defendant in performing his contract. It is claimed that he had too weak tackle and did not know to house when going up grade. That a chain broke and the house slid back and stopped suddenly and with such violence that the tops of the chimneys were shaken off, also that most of the plaster and paper came [illegible] and at [illegible] damage done. [illegible]

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An action [illegible] case was left and its trial was entered upon as soon as the other jury went out. Its title is Richard Countryman and Sophia Countryman v. Frank Manchester and Matthew Brady. The plaintiffs live in Pitcairn, the defendants in Clifton. The action is brought to recover three cows or their value, and the facts were somewhat complicated and the parties did not agree upon them at all. In May 1902 the plaintiff gave the defendant Manchester a chattel mortgage covering among other things the cows in question, to secure the payment of $130. Just what this transaction was made one of the important questions in the case. The plaintiffs claim that they borrowed $126 of Manchester to purchase a pair of horses from a man named Blandin and that he exacted $5 more as a condition for letting them have the money. Manchester says that he sold them the team for $130, having previously purchased it himself from Blandin. One of the horses died and the other came back into the hands of Manchester, who credited the plaintiffs something on account of it, and he also had two harnesses from them which were credited on the mortgage. The plaintiffs say that they furnished him various other articles and did work for his housekeeper and that these things were also to be credited and were sufficient in amount to fully pay the mortgage. Manchester denied that they were entitled to any credit save for the horse and harnesses. The defendant Brady, who is a constable, took the cows under the chattel mortgage and they were sold for $55, while the plaintiffs claim they were worth $180. Brady caused the arrest of the defendants on the charge of obstructing an officer in the performance of his duty, and Richard Countryman was convicted but has appealed. The Court left to the jury the question whether the mortgage was founded upon usury and also, if it was not, whether the mortgage had been paid at the time the cows were taken in October last. About nine o'clock in the evening the jury found a verdict in favor of the plaintiff for $50. It is understood that they were against the plaintiff on the question of usury, but believe that the mortgage had been paid. A motion was made to set aside the verdict and time given to file authorities on the proposition. Geo. A. Lawyer and Joseph F. Brown represented plaintiffs and Milton Carter the defendants.

Three criminal matters were disposed of Wednesday afternoon. Jas. Milks, a young man who raised a check issued by K. J. Snell and who entered a plea of guilty Monday to forgery in the second degree was sentenced to not less than one or more than [illegible] years at hard labor at Dannemora. [illegible] Gregg, indicted about a year ago for keeping a house of ill fame at Gouverneur, entered a plea of guilty. Robert Russell appeared for her and a fine of $100 was imposed. If she does not pay she will have *to stay in jail for the next hundred days*. She will probably pay.

Burt Delameter of Potsdam, who on Monday pleaded guilty to rape in the second degree and abduction was sentenced to serve not less than two or more than five years at Dannemora, the Court stating that the case did not appeal to him as one in which much leniency ought to be shown.

Thursday morning the first criminal trial was begun, one of the indictments against Geo. E. Mitchell of Edwardsville being moved. It was the indictment charging him with burglary in the third degree and grand larceny in the second, and it sets forth that on the 4th of last April he broke into the storehouse of the Central New York Telephone Co. on the west side of the Oswegatchie river in Ogdensburg and stole a quantity of copper wire worth considerably in excess of $25. The attention of the authorities was first called to Mitchell shortly after midnight on the morning of April 5 when he was seen coming up Ford street [illegible] something heavy over his shoulder [illegible] officer McDonald [illegible]. An examination of the package by Chief McGlynn shows [illegible]

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[illegible] guilty of petit larceny. Mr. [illegible] was brought up for sentence Friday and his counsel George Morton urged that the [illegible] and especially asked that he be allowed to go with a fine. The Court said that the jury had evidently taken a very merciful view and he was going to do the same, but that he did not think that a fine was proper, and imposed a sentence of six months in the county jail.

Robert Lundy is a young man from Ogdensburg who just about a year ago was convicted of petit larceny before the Recorder, and sentenced to serve a year in the county jail. Father O'Driscoll of this place interested himself in the young man, and in March procured an appeal for him and the suspension of the balance of his sentence during good behaviour. He has not behaved well, and in fact is now in jail on another sentence, and he was brought in, and the Court directed that upon the expiration of his present sentence, he serve the 76 days remaining on the other one.

Nelson Sharrow, also of Ogdensburg, is another young man in whose case sentence was suspended after a conviction for grand larceny in the second degree in the year 1903. His conduct, as he himself informed the Court when brought in, has been bad, and he is now charged with highway robbery. The Court imposed a sentence of not less than one or more than five years at hard labor at Dannemora.

An indictment against George H. McDonough of Norwood, charging him with a violation of the liquor tax law, was dismissed on motion of Geo. H. Bowers, he and the District Attorney agreeing that the wrong man had been indicted.

The People v. Harley H. Graves of Ogdensburg, the last criminal case, was moved, and after the jury had been drawn, the balance of the trial jurors were excused. Graves is charged with having at the City of Ogdensburg on the 1st of last February, attempted to bribe a judicial officer in the performance of his duty. Recorder Fitzgerald was making an investigation as to whether a house of illfame was being conducted at the Rutland House, run by the defendant, and defendant on the first of the month had a conversation with a hack man named Devlin, which resulted in Devlin seeing the Recorder and suggesting to him that Graves had some bills he would like to leave with him; an appointment was made for four in the afternoon and Chief of Police McGlynn and Court Stenographer McMonagle were concealed in a room just off the private office of the Recorder, to hear what passed. Graves apparently stated to the Recorder that he had something that would swell his stocking, and laid $25 down on the desk, and the Chief was promptly called in, arrested him and took possession of the money. There was no very great dispute as to the language used, but the defense asserted that there was a city ordinance imposing a penalty of $50 for running a house of illfame, and there was a general understanding that a charge of that kind could be settled by the payment of money to the Recorder. Former incumbents of the office George E. VanKennen James F. Akin and Daniel O. McRostie, all said that during their administrations when such a charge was made it was quite a common thing to send out for the party accused and when he or she appeared state the charge and if its truth was admitted, to enter judgment as by confession and let them pay the amount of the penalty and costs, and in some cases less than $50 was accepted. No record of any such transactions were to be found in the dockets of the several gentlemen, but they testified to the practice and the defendant asserted that he merely went to the office to settle for the charge made against him, and had not the slightest intention of bribing anybody. The jury was absent only a short time and returned a verdict of not guilty. Attorney Thomas Spratt, who represented Graves, inquired what became of the $25 which the Chief seized, and the District Attorney said he guessed the jury had found it was paid in settlement and that it belonged to the city. After some discussion everybody seemed satisfied to have it go that way.

As there will be seven prisoners to be taken to Dannemora the Court made an order allowing the sheriff three assistants to take them there and the Court adjourned without day.

THE GOOD TEMPLARS

Annual Session of St. Lawrence Co. Lodge at Dekalb Junction

The 16th session of the St. Lawrence County Lodge of Good Templars was held at Dekalb Junction, May 2[illegible] [illegible]

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SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION

The Fiftieth Annual Session to be Held at Syracuse.

The city of Syracuse is making elaborate preparations for the Jubilee Convention of the New York State Sunday School Association which will be held in that city on June 6, 7 and 8. It is expected that a good representation from the Sunday School workers of this county will be present. The Chamber of Commerce of Syracuse is working with the officers of the Association to make the 50th Concention the biggest ever held. An attendance of at least 2000 is expected. The big Alhambra Convention Hall has ample accommodations for such a crowd.

Mayor Alan C. Fobes, Chancellor James R. Day of Syracuse University, Dean George F. Comfort of the Museum of Fine Arts, and other representative men of the city are making especial efforts to render a warm welcome to delegates. The railroads of the State are also co-operating by giving a rate of a fare and a third for the round trip to Syracuse.

The program for the Convention itself is sufficiently attractive to draw a large attendance even if the Central City was not making special efforts in this direction. The Syracuse Sunday Schools have been training a great chorus for months in preparation for the convention, so that the musical feature will be a strong one. Among the prominent speakers are The Rev. Dr. George F. Pentecost, the Rev. Dr. Jesse Lyman Hurlbut, the Rev. Dr. Donald D. McLaurin and Dean Frank K. Sanders of the Yale Divinity School. C. H. Tyndall, Ph D., will give his famous address "Wireless Telegraphy and its Similitudes." Dr. William Byron Forbush, the leading specialist in religious work for boys, will speak on his favorite topic, and many other experts in religious work will be present, making the convention a very practical as well as interesting one.

The members of the committee from Potsdam are Messrs. T. A. Bradley, F. L. Cubley and Prof. W. S. Graffan.

A NOVEL RALLY.

The temperance people of Oswego, Jefferson, Lewis and St. Lawrence counties have united in purchasing a bill board which will be erected on the property of Mr. Fred A. Crandall at Philadelphia, N. Y., on Tuesday, June 13, 1905, at one o'clock in the afternoon. The board will bear the following inscription: "You are taxed to support the liquor traffic. Vote it Out." A public out-of-door meeting will be held in connection with the erection of the board, when speeches by prominent workers will be made. State Chairman J. H. Durkee of Rochester will be one of the speakers. It is expected that several counties will be represented.

Grange News

SOUTH COLTON.

Adirondack Grange gave an entertainment in their hall Wednesday eve. Ice cream and cake were served. The receipts of the evening were $16.00.

At the last meeting one candidate was instructed in the first and second degrees and Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Gale of Gale were received by demit.

Worthy Master P. Donahue was chosen delegate to attend the Pomona Grange to be held the 5th of June.

The Grangers are working to raise money to purchase proper regalia for use in the Lodge.

LAWRENCEVILLE.

Deer River Grange met this afternoon at Lawrenceville in their rooms. After the regular routine business was transacted the third and fourth degrees were conferred upon three candidates.

J. Binan was elected delegate to the Pomona Grange at Heuvelton on June 7 and 8.

The Lecturer presented a short program. A trio by E. F. Ha[illegible], H. H. Shepard and W. W. Hawley was heartily encored.

Children's and Flora's day will be observed July 1 at the usual hour. A short program by the children and Flora and refreshments will make a pleasant afternoon. All Grangers will be welcome.

WINTHROP

Stockholm Grange held its first regular meeting in June [illegible] A large attendance helped to make an interesting meeting. Worthy Master M. G. Nichols and his wife were chosen as delegates to attend Pomona Grange at Heuvelton.

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PARISHVILLE

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Brothers [illegible] Kirk from Potsdam Grange were with us and Bro. Kirk gave a very interesting talk and Pro[illegible] made a few remarks. Bro. Hazen made remarks and told an amusing story.

It was decided to observe Children's Day and Flora's Day at our next regular meeting June 17.

A dinner will be served at 12 M. Let every Granger that can get out to this meeting and bring the children.

HANNAWA FALLS.

The Presbyterian Sunday School will observe Children's day Sunday morning June 11 at 10:30.

The M. E. Sunday School will hold their Children's Day exercises Sunday June 11 at 2:00 o'clock. All are cordially invited to attend.

All come and have a dish of ice cream Thursday evening June 7 in the vestry of the Presbyterian church served by the S. S.

Mrs. G. B. Crandall met with what might have been a fatal accident last Friday. She and Mr. Crandall had just driven into Potsdam and were stopping the horses when the wheel hit the curb stone and threw Mrs. Crandall out striking on her shoulder and breaking her collar bone. She was taken to Dr. Reynolds house and made as comfortable as could be.

Card of Thanks.

We wish through the column of your paper to extend our heartfelt thanks to the friends and neighbors for their kindness through the sickness and death of our husband and father and for the beautiful flowers.

Minnie Spear.
Laura Perrin.
Nellie Tuckerman.

NORTH LAWRENCE.

Robert McEwen was home from Ogdensburg to spend Sunday.

Elbert Richardson is home from Lake Placid.

Rev. D. E. Robson and wife attended the District Conference at Canton Monday and Tuesday.

Miss Locke went to Lake Placid to spend the summer Monday.

C. A. Clark and wife go to New York this week and will visit Boston and other eastern cities before their return.

Mrs. Gertrude Rockwell left for Saranac Monday.

The Y. W. C. T. U. met Friday night after the regular meeting a very interesting program was presented by the young ladies. At the next meeting the "Honorary" will have charge of the program.

Allen Clark and wife visited at Nicholville Thursday.

E. C. Newcomb is very low at this writing.

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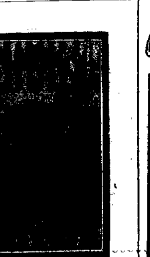

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AUCTION.

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