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EXTRACTIONS
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WESTERN FARMER and REPOSITORY of LITERATURE and SCIENCE

bound volume (in CCHS) of short-lived weekly newspaper published in Westfield
 all issues are Vol I pub 1835

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- WILCOX Jonathan 26 Apr 1835 W-6
 of Harborcreek Twp, PA, died while falling trees for browse for cattle, cut a tree partly off, it split and struck him: instant death
- BIRD Ira R 6 May 1835 W-6
 Colonel & Comm Off of 196th Reg't of NYS Militia appoints regimental court martial for trial of delinquents. Capt George W Bliss, Pres, Capt Sidney Smith, Capt Origen Smith, to convene 2 Oct next at house of Samuel S Hawkins of Westfield; Subsequent notices appointed meeting place the house of Larned Gale
- OWEN Ethan A Wed last W-6
 sawmill in Portland destroyed by fire
- ANDREWS Albert J 23 Apr 1835 W-6
 mar Miss Betsey Shepherd in Mayville
- SHEPHERD Betsey mar Albert J Andrews
- PALMER Wm Oscar 2 May 1835 W-6
 youngest son of Lorenzo & Ruth, Æ 1yr 1mo 16da; second death of their children in 16 days: Emily, only dau, died 16 days ago
- DWINELL Archelaus 21 March 1835 *died* W-6
 hero of the Revolution in Marshfield Æ 81 yrs
- WILLIAMS Benj 7 Feb 1835 *died* W-6
 hero of the Revolution in Enosburg Æ 90 yrs
- TAYLOR Joseph xx Feb 1835 *died* W-6
 hero of the Revolution in Rutland VT Æ 88 yrs
- TAYLOR S[eymour] 6 May 1835 & following issues W-6
 adv for tailoring business. He has, and calculates to keep, a first-rate workman. Cor of Clinton & North Portage Sts in Westfield, "shop in the

- TAYLOR Seymour 4 May 1835 W-6
 ran away on 6 April last Charles Taylor. I shall pay no debts.
- PALMER Miss B[etsey] 6 May 1835 & following issues W-6
 adv for tailoring, mantua-making, stock manufacture; east chamber of stone
 bldg, Main St (Westfield)
- MOORE H Miss 6 May 1835 & following issues W-6
 will join Miss B Palmer with millinery business
- COOKE George Dr 6 May 1835 & following issues W-6
 founder of Albany Lock Dispensary, two doors from Greene St in Albany,
 established for the prevention and removal of venereal(sic) diseases without
 Mercury. Will wholly prevent disease if used within twenty-four hours as
 directed, seperate offices provided, most honorable secresy observed.
 Personal attendance from 6 A M to 9 P M. Each pub of adv is headed "READ
 THIS" Spelling as appears
 - SPENCER S Doct 3 March 1835 & following issues W-6
 having returned fr Michigan, intending to make this (Westfield) his permanent
 future residence, will devote time & talents to duties of profession: medicine
 & surgery; 20 yrs experience. 9 Sept adv captioned *COW POX*: Dr Spencer
 would inform the public that having obtained a quantity of vaccine matter,
 warranted to be genuine, he can accommodate all who would avail themselves
 of that sure preventive of the small pox by vaccination 15 Sept adv: Doct
 Spencer has opened his office in the room over Col. Babcock's Store, where he
 will be found at all times during the day, unless engaged in professional
 business. N B: He will be at his dwelling house during the night
- ARMSTRONG Elizabeth 26 April 1835 W-7
 age 7 or 8, murdered in Newfield, Tompkins Co, by cousin, Joseph Armstrong,
 age 16; Examined before Justice Bailey, confessed and is in Ithaca Jail. 1 July
 1835 Joseph Armstrong Jr was convicted, sentenced to 14 yrs in prison;he was
 of "weak intellect"
- McGUNNAGLE George 6 May 1835 of Mayville died W-7
- EGERTON Mr of Chenango Co 18 May 1835 W-8
 on Monday evening, lumber merchant, was passing through So. Fifth Street,
 Philadelphia, he was attacked by some ruffian who knocked him down with a
 bludgeon and robbed him of his pocket book containing \$1400 with which he
 got clear of.
- BROWNELL Israel Dr 7 May 1835 W-8
 mar Miss Sabre Lamb by Elder Sawyer, in Mayville
- BLISS Zenas Rev 7 May 1835 W-8
 mar Miss Eliza Chamberlain in Fredonia
- BUDLONG Samuel 27 April 1835 W-8
 business partnership with J R Babcock dissolved. Notes owed to Budlong left
 with Amos Atwater Esq, notices posted by Wiseman C Nichols
- BROCKWAY Horace 10 May 1835 W-8
 son of Burban died in Ripley
 - COCHRANE John Sat night last W-9

- ALLEN Ethan B Gen on 20th ult W-9
died in Batavia age 46
- CHAMPLIN Mr 22 May 1835 W-9
died in Westfield age abt 40
- ESCULAPIUS 24 May 1835 W-9
wreck of canal boat found bet Portland Harbor & Erie; of German Flats, Capt Roberts it appears from papers on board. When found she had on board 2 horses, some furniture, some clothing; wreck taken to Portland Harbor, owner can receive it by proving & paying charges
- *CASS J 8 June 1835 W-13
A saw-mill owned by Mr J Cass of Ripley, & a wagon shop belonging to Mr Lancaster of the same town & about two miles distant from the saw-mill were destroyed by fire on the night of the 8th inst. The loss of each is supposed to be about \$200. We are told that Mr C & Mr L had each purchased land from the land office, on which other people lived, but whose articles had expired, and it is supposed that some person or persons, disgusted with such a course, had set fire to the buildings through malice.
- WHITMORE Joan Mr (sic) Thursday last W-13
married in Portland by Eld. J W Sawyer Miss Mary Ann Barber of Westfield. The printers acknowledge the receipt of a share of the wedding cake.
- THOMAS Mrs 18 June 1835 W-13
wife of A Thomas died in Westfield
- BARBER Lucy 3d ult W-13
Æ 33 yrs, consort of Capt Isaac Barber in Leicester, Genesee Co, leaves five ch, eldest only 11 yrs old
- BOOTH & HALE adv 20 June 1835 & following issues W-13
Spanish sole, Kip skins, Morocco leather at the Cheap Cash Boot & Shoe Store, on Main Street 3 doors west of the post office. Feeling truly grateful for past favors . . . Partnership dissolved 21 July per # 17
Issue #31 adv Thomas Booth has removed to the building heretofore occupied by Dr C Jones, as a Druggist Store, . . . continue Shoemaking business
- PERSONS C 1 June 1835 W-10
Wool wanted. Cash or goods paid for 10,000 pounds of wool, two miles east of the village of Westfield
- DAMON Joseph 13 May 1835 W-8
Letter written by "the unfortunate Damon" two days before his execution by hanging; Several Damon-related articles: #8 short account of hanging; #13 account in life of Damon furnished by Elder J W Sawyer of Mayville who preached at the hanging; #14 lengthy letter written by Damon for his family In #10, published 3 June, it is reported that an act to abolish public executions had been passed by the Senate and the Assembly of the State of New York on 6 May 1835. The bill was signed into law by the governor on 9 May 1835, six days before Damon's public execution

- HART Jno adv goods for sale W-8+
- large assortment of bed steads @ \$3; beautiful lot of merino shawls,
Wanted: 50 tons of butter at 1 S pr lb & will be paid in goods at the lowest cash price. New store, new goods. Dry goods, groceries, hardware, crockery, glass, iron, nails, &c. \$c. all purchased at the best markets for cash and will be sold as cheap if not cheaper than any Store west of Buffalo. Calico @ 10 cts pr yd; Factory shirting at 8½ cts pr yd; good young Hyson tea 12½ cts pr pound; Muscavado Sugar 10 cts; Good Lump do. at 1s. 3d.; Good Coffee at 13 cts; Pepper & Spice 12½ cts. Goods sold to farmers for any kind of produce
Issue #32 names proprietor of "the old Cash and Barter Store" as John Hart
- EDWARDS Arthur adv W-9
- Small boat of the steamer *OLIVER NEWBURY* lost between Portland Harbor & Erie 25 Apr 1835; bottom black striped & white
- BLISS & KNIGHT adv W-9+
- pub this paper; terms: to Village subscribers who have the paper left at their door, \$2 paid within three months or \$2.50 after that time. To all others: \$1.50 within three months, or \$2 if not paid after that time.
Also books & stationery at the most reasonable terms at the Westfield Book Store, one door west of the Post Office. More than 70 book titles listed #20+ as in stock and available. Recurring adv: *MORMONISM UNVEILED* for sale at this office. Recurring adv: Madder Root designed for seed, available at this office.
- McMANUS Jacob Ripley, 10 June 1835 W-12
- Ran away from the subscriber on the 7th inst Oliver H Perry Baxter, an indentured boy about 16 yrs of age. Wore away a brown frock coat, vest, & pantaloons of the same. Took away a brown brindle dog. All persons are forbid harboring or trusting said boy on my account as I shall pay no debts of his contracting. Whoever will return him to me whall receive 3 cents reward, and 25 cents for the dog, and no charges paid
- WHITMORE Mr Joan (sic) Thursday last W-13
- of Portland mar Miss Mary Ann Barber of this town by Eld. J W Sawyer. The printers acknowledge receipt of a share of the wedding cake
- WATERS Elijah & Franklin adv W-14+
- Dry goods, paint & oil, boots & shoes, groceries (spiritous liquors excepted)
Westfield
- HART & RICHARDSON adv 26 June 1835 Westfield W-14
- The subscribers having purchased the establishment of Erastus Dean (at the green store so well known for cheap goods) and filled up with an extensive stock of dry goods: hollow ware, English brass, paints, dye, dye-stuffs, drugs, medicines, the whole of which we intend to sell much lower than goods have ever been offered before in this market. Among our groceries are Young Hyson, Gunpowder, & Sou Shong TEAS, M & O Sugar, loaf & lump, raisins, figs, spice, ginger ground, paints (six colors listed) salt by the barrel.
Separate adv in most issues "TO THE LADIES", White & sound teeth are both an ornament and a blessing. . . Use British Antiseptic Dentifrice, the elegant tooth powder
- POST John I adv Ripley 1 July 1835 W-14
- A celebration in old style is to be held at the House of J I Post on the 4th day of July on the Temperance Plan without use of ardent spirits or powders. Citizens of neighboring towns and villages are invited to attend.

SALEM Village of (Brocton) adv 22 June 1835 W-14
A celebration of '76 in old style is to be held in the Village of Salem on the Fourth day of July next. Citizens of neighboring towns and villages respectfully solicited to take part in same.

• MARVIN Elihu adv Ripley 8 Apr 1835 W-14
For sale White Mulberry Trees, the seeds from which they were grown were obtained from choice selections from France. Also great variety of garden seeds.

WELLS A L & A Pemberton adv W-14
two cows lost in Westfield the 26th of May last.

FAY Joseph O S Attention Rangers! W-14
You are hereby warned to appear, armed and equipped as the law directs, for Company parade, at the house of D. Howell in the Town of Portland, on the 4th day of July next, at 9 o'clock A M by order of the Captain.

• WESTFIELD BOOK STORE Riflemen, Look Here! W-14
A few Uniforms, comprising Coat, Sash, Band and feather, calculated for the Portland and Westfield Rifle Rangers, for sale extremely low.

BRADLEY Joel adv \$300 Reward! W-14
The subscriber will pay the above reward (and some more) for clearing 30 acres of land. Westfield, 7 June 1835

ANDERSON Richard Col died W-15
A Revolutionary Soldier, age 81, died Philadelphia Monday last; severely wounded at Cowpens. From W-18: Ranked as Major in our revolution, aged 88. At the battle of Cowpens in North Carolina, he received a wound which in some degree disabled his arm, even to the day of his death.

BLISS G W Sec'y pro tem Botanic Meeting W-15
An adjourned meeting of the Chautauque County Botanic Medical Society will be held at the house of Rodolphus Brown in the town of Portland, on Saturday the 25th inst at one o'clock P M. A general attendance of the members and friends of the society is respectfully solicited

DAMON Martin died W-15
in Pomfret, pm the 3rd inst, stone cutter, aged about 40

PRENDERGAST Martin died W-15
on the 20th ult, one of the oldest and most respectable citizens of the county

FARNSWORTH Joseph Jn adv Westfield 8 July 1835 W-15
Subscriber will pay highest price for flax seed delivered to his mill in Westfield; Paints for sale; cash paid for Timothy seed

MASTHEAD began with title of paper as WESTERN FARMER; in issue # 12, type had been set for the WESTEN FAMER; and thus it remained until issue # 20

• HOLBROOK G B Esq poem for 4th of July at Ripley W-15
same poem branded as plagerism in #19, signed "Fair Play"

SMITH Austin Sec'y Westfield Library Assoc W-15
Quarterly meeting of this Association will be held in the session room of the Presbyterian Church on Monday evening, the 13th July next. A punctual attendance is requested. Those who wish to become members are also invited to attend. 30 June 1835

RIDEOUT Mr married recently W-16
in Westfield by Rev Mr Harris to Miss Lorinda Stevens

WHEELER Mrs died W-16
in Westfield on Friday evening last, wife of Truman Wheeler aged about 30 yrs

McINTYRE A Doct died W-16
in Westfield on Saturday last supposed to be about 80 yrs of age

HULETT Charles died W-15
a Revolutionary patriot died in Winchester, Va, on 20th ult, aged 75 yrs
Also from #18: He was attached to Capt. Neill's company of New Jersey artillery, and served with it in its hard-fought battles at Monmouth and Princeton, where it was almost cut to pieces, after the fall of the commander. Col. VanDyke of New York is now the last survivor of the few brave men of that company who outlived the revolution. He was the first Lieutenant, and conducted the retreat from Princeton after the death of Capt. Neill

ERWIN Samuel W died W-16
in Westfield on Thursday last, aged about 35 yrs

TIFFANY Thomas Esq died W-16
in Hartford PA, a soldier of the Revolution, aged 78 yrs. Also Neletiah Tiffany, aged 72 yrs. This couple have lived together 55 yrs, and died nearly at the same time. They were both followed to the grave by 9 living children, and numerous grandchildren and great grand-children
Also from #18: Thomas aged 78 years, 1 month, 12 days; also, 5 days previous, his wife, Nelatiah Tiffany, aged 72 yrs, 8 months, 2 days. This couple were emigrants from Mass, and were among the first settlers of the country; soldier & pensioner

LETTERS LIST 1 July 1835 list copied from Mayville *SENTINEL* W-16

Warren Bennett	S R Griffin	Jane Neal
Oliver W Burtch	Mary E Goodwin	Ruby Oliver
Caroline Bull	Alanson Hall	Ethan Owen
Manoah Burden	R M Hollister	John Pinkerton
James Barns	Zalmon Hopkins	Elias Palmer
David or J Clark	Hannah Hopkins	Gilbert Raily
Nancy Cole	Naomi Isaac	Zebulon R Shepard
William Combs	Leonard Jacobs	John S Scott
Alvin Cook	Nathan G Jones	Ebenezer Seeley
Lovina Dull	Hiram Kinsley	David Shaw
Mandana Dawley	Edward McKelvey	Diodama Taber
Royal Dewey	Lebart Kass	Perez Thayer
Daniel M Farrington	Nicholas Lake	Cornelius Updike
John B Fox	Martin Montfort Jr	Fred VanVliet
Morris Fuller	Miss Juliet Miles	Ruby Williams
John Gould	J F Moore	Oliver H Wilcox
Jason G Garham	Thomas Norton	John White

WESTFIELD ACADEMY adv 20 July 1835 W-17

We are happy to state that this institution continues in a flourishing condition. Mr Hinkley, the principal, has employed Miss Martha Waters of Millbury, Mass, who will instruct a class in the French language. Our terms are:

For the common English branches, \$3 pr quarter

Latin, Greek, & higher branches of Mathematics, \$4 pr quarter

French, \$5 pr quarter

Arrangements have also been made with Miss A B West, a young lady of the first respectability and accomplishment, recently from Dublin, by which any young lady of the School can receive lessons in Music, upon the Piano.

Board is to be had in respectable private families, on the most reasonable terms. Trustees:

Austin Smith E Dean Calvin Rumsey

Luther Overton Amos Atwater Carlton Jones

J R Babcock D Rockwell H W Lowrey

D D Gregory A U Baldwin Abram Dixon

-- Issue #34 7 Nov: Trustees appointed for the purpose of building said Academy give notice that they are ready to receive proposals for building said Academy at Dixon & Smith's office until the 15th of December next. Conditions for building, the plan and style, may be seen at any time at office of Dixon & Smith. Trustees: Geo Hall, Austin Smith, Wm W Cowden. Editor's note: Editors of the several papers in this county are requested to insert the above in their papers until the 25th Dec and receive their pay out of the "*unappropriated funds*" of the Academy

PORTLAND ACADEMY adv 13 July 1835 W-17

Principal Charles H LaHatt: This is now open near the village of Salem, for the reception of students. Particular attention will be given to preparing those who wish to become teachers of Common Schools. Board in respectable families at one Dollar per week.

RUMSEY Stephen adv 21 July W-17

Lost or stolen a small pale red cow. Reward

NEWS ITEM 22 July 1835 W-17

A paper is now published at Oahu, one of the group of the Sandwich Islands, by a missionary by the name of Tinker. It is printed in the language of the natives of the island. [Reuben Tinker later brought his family to Westfield and became the beloved preacher of the Westfield Presbyterian Church; he died 1851 & is buried Westfield Cemetery]

KIMBERLEY Clark mar 4th inst W-17

in Westfield to Miss Polly Green both of Chautauque, by Judge Campbell

HUNT Hiram mar 7th inst W-17

in Westfield to Miss Eliza Hamblin by John M'Whorter, Esq

ANDREWS Benjamin Esq mar date n g W-17

one of editors of Cleveland *HERALD*, to Miss Lydia Adams

TAYLOR Abijah F mar 14th inst W-17

Merchant, to Mary Walker, by Rev J D Cole, all of Fredonia

TUTTLE Adolphus mar 15th inst W-17

in Fredonia to Miss Lucina P Taylor by Rev J D Cole

COUCH Hiram adv 12 May 1835 W-18

Agent for Parson's Shearing Machines (latest improvement)

BROOKE Edmund Colonel died date n g W-18
an officer of the Revolution, aged 74, near Georgetown, D C

SPENCER William died date n g W-18
a soldier of the Revolution, and of the last war, aged about 70, in Baldwin, ME

WHITE Samuel died date n g W-18
a revolutionary pensioner, aged 94, in Boston

VAN LEW J died date n g W-18
at his residence in Union District, S C, aged 81. He was engaged in the war of '76, and bore a very active part in the Battle of Monmouth

BABCOCK Peleg died date n g W-18
in Fall River, age 83, revolutionary soldier

BURNHAM James died 15 July W-18
in Granby, patriot of the revolution

DINNON Betsey died W-18
wife of James died in Jamestown on 17th inst, aged 37

DIXON J adv W-17
Members of Westfield Library Association informed that 2nd quarterly instalment of the current year became due on the 1st July inst.

HALE Augustus letter W-19
Letter written to his mother by a young man who was on a whaling vessel in Portland. "I was very seriously hurt by a whale. . . . Got me in his jaws. . . . [It is not possible to tell from this printing whether the report concerns a New England family, or one from Chautauqua County]

• POST John I adv W-19
"Say the word and I am OPH" The subscriber having a mind to seek a habitation in the far West, offers for sale 130 acres of LAND with about 60 acres of improvement, well into grass - and well calculated for the growing of wool or Cattle. The above farm is situated in the Town of Westfield, about three miles south of Rogerville. Said farm will be sold at a bargain, No Mistake. Ripley, Aug 5, 1835

• MENAGERIE & Aviary adv 10 Aug 1835 W-20
Zoological Institute of Baltimore as exhibited at that popular & fashionable resort during the winter of 1834-35 will be exhibited at Westfield one day only on Tuesday, the 2nd day of September next. Lion, lioness, leopard; keeper will enter cage; elephant, unicorn (or one-horned rhinoceros). Menagerie drawn by 112 splendid gray Horses and 60 men (including 14 musicians) Full column of print
Issue #21 notes: The menagerie of New-York lost another rhinoceros, which died suddenly; and in traveling, one of the Bengal tigers got out and mounted the top of the cage and they were obliged to shoot him
Issue #24 reports: On Wednesday last our village was visited with the largest and most splendid caravan of foreign animals ever in this place. These were exhibited with much eclat from one to four o'clock P M to about 3000 people

CONNEAUT Ohio 2 Aug 1835 W-20
the beacon light at Conneaut has been completed and was lighted for the first time on the 2nd inst

- LOWRY Robert Mr of Mayville mar W-20
on 30th ult in Westfield to Miss Olive Wilcox of Westfield by Rev T Goodwin
- PINKERTON Sarah Almira died 10 inst W-20
age 7 months, dau of John died in Westfield
- MUNGER Lyman died n g W-20
in Rochester a hero of the Revolution, aged 76 years
- COLVER John Rev died n g W-20
in North East PA aged 72 years. He had been for 42 years a minister in the Methodist Episcopal Church
- MAYHEW Joseph adv 10 Aug W-20
Subscriber has just returned from the east with a superb assortment of White Marble Tombstones
- BRUCE George & Co adv 22 March W-20
Eight inches of type describing many kinds of work available at the Foundry in New York. Last paragraph says: Printers of Newspapers will publish this advertisement three times sending a paper containing it to the Foundry, and receive payment when they purchase four times the amount of their bill from the Foundry
- THAYER Royal O adv 17 Aug W-21
Ran away from the subscriber, on the 16th inst. Willard & Hiram Thayer, the former in the 19th and the latter in the 17th year of his age. I hereby forbid all persons harboring or trusting them under the penalty of the law; as I shall pay no debts of their contracting after this date.
- HEWIT Caroline died 11 Aug 1835 W-21
Distressing accident at the school house on the lake shore in the eastern part of town. Fire had been kindled, during intermission little girls played with the fire feeding it dry leaves. Caroline, daughter of Ephraim Hewit, barely five years old, caught fire. Teacher was Miss Lorinda Wight, visiting Mrs Brown across the way. Teacher badly burned
- ARENA & amphitheater 4 Aug 1835 W-18
will be performed in Westfield on Tuesday, 4 Aug 1835; first-rate company of Equestrians, a stud of Hanoverian & Arabian horses, upwards of eighty men & horses in this immense establishment; box seats prepared for 1000 ladies; strictest attention will be paid to gentility; cannot fail to instruct as well as divert the genteel classes of society
- SMITH Young Man killed lately W-22
in Collins, Erie Co, by falling on tines of a pitchfork
- CENSUS Westfield 1835 W-22
Through the politeness of the Marshal, Mr Henry A Haight, we have been favored with the census of our village, which is as follows: whole numbers of inhabitants 621; Males 306; Females 315; whole number of persons liable to do military duty 66
- MORLEY Joseph mar on 20th inst W-22
in Portland, to Miss Ann Showerman both of Portland by Rev T Goodwin

GRANNIS Willis S mar on 22nd inst W-22
in Westfield to Miss Orissa E Goodwin both of Westfield by Rev T Goodwin
Accompanying this notice was a bountiful supply of bride-cake

PROCLAMATION 25 Aug 1835 W-22
Whereas a Court of Oyer and Terminer. and Jail Delivery is to be held at the
Court House in Mayville on the second Monday of September next, therefore all
persons bound to appear . . .

WESTFIELD CASH STORE adv 25 Aug 1835 W-22
McWhorter & Baldwin & Co new store one door east of the Tavern House (also
called The Farmers' Hotel) very splendid assortment of goods which have just
been purchased in New-York and Albany will be sold at reduced prices for
ready pay only. A boasting among brethern of the chip has become so common
and stale, we refrain, asking all who wish to purchase to stop and see

SQUIRES Solomon adv 31 Aug W-23
Came into the inclosure of the subscriber about the fifth of August a Cow,
principally red. Owner may have his property by proving same and paying
charges

HELP WANTED July + W-23
A young man as clerk in a Dry Goods Store. None need apply but those who
have a perfect knowledge of the business and can give satisfactory references
Journeyman coopers wanted immediately: a first rate journeyman cooper to
whom liberal encouragement will be given 1 Sept

COURT OF CHANCERY Rochester 26 Aug 1835 W-23
Samuel Budlong, Benjamin Budlong, Jopshua R Babcock Complainants. vs
Eliphalet L Tinker, Frederick Bird, Peter K Rockwell, Sharmon Rice, Alanson
Bishop, Isaac Whicher, Rufus S Reed, & John I Wilson [who] reside out of this
state but within the United States or some one of the Territories thereof, or in
one of the provinces of Canada. . .

MINEGAR Samuel robbery Thursday last W-23
The house of Samuel Minegar of this town was entred on Thursday last during
the absence of its inmates, by some villain, who broke open a chest and took
therefrom about eighty dollars in gold. No trace of the money or thief has yet
been discovered.

POST MASTERS 2 Sept 1835 W-23
Some post masters have refused to let the publications of the anti-slavery
societies pass their offices.

DUNKIRK BEACON 2 Sept W-23
The Dunkirk paper says the novel spectacle of a miniature mob was recently
witnessed in this village. We may as well be out of the world as out of the
fashion

WILSON Jas mar Thursday last W-23
in North East Pa on Thursday last to Miss Lucy Wilson both of that place

REDINGTON Walter aged about 3 years, son of Lyman died in Westfield Aug 1835 W-23

BOND Nancy died on Saturday last W-23
wife of Col Wm D Bond of Westfield, died in Chautauque

RISLEY Seneca P died on Thursday last W-23
died in Pomfret, aged 25 years, son of Horace Risley

VAN BUREN news item W-24
A company in Fredonia have purchased a site and named it Van Buren with a design of erecting a village and forming a harbor there. The stock has been taken up and would now command a handsome premium. It is also in contemplation to construct a railroad from this new harbor to the village of Fredonia. From issue #28; Thirty thousand dollars were offered this week by an individual who is perfectly responsible for the amount, for the Company's interest in the new harbor of Van Buren. The original cost six or eight weeks ago was twelve thousand dollars.

MEDICUS Dr Bennet stated that the free use of the Tomato would make a person much less liable to an attack of cholera, and that it would in many cases prevent it. One column report on the benefits of the Tomato, also called the Love Apple and the Jerusalem Apple

BRISTOL Jackson mar Thursday evening last W-24
by Dr T Goodwin, Mr Jackson, Bristol, (commas as found) to Miss Mary Ann Goodrich, all of Westfield

TUCKER David died Friday last W-24
son of William Tucker, in 4th year of his age

STONE Asa A died 23rd ult W-24
in Cincinnati, formerly of Westfield; Issue #25 contains long poem to Stone's memory, with two explanations: He intended to go as a missionary to the Heathen, and he was deeply interested in the subject of negro emancipation

OWENS Ethan A adv 7 Sept Portland W-24
Broke into enclosure of subscriber about middle of July last ten Sheep, variously marked. Owner pay charges & take away

LA HATT Charles adv 15 Sept W-25
exotic white lily bulbs, 50 cents each. Also superb crimson dahlias, Methuen & Lima Strawberries

TOLLING THE BELL letter to the ed W-25
Customary practise: 1st: In order to announce to the public the occurrence of a death, the bell is tolled from 10 to 15 minutes, with intervals of half a minute or more, between the strokes, as is now practised while the procession is moving to the grave. 2d: After an interval of 2 or 3 minutes, it again strikes, if a male, once, and if a female, twice, in quick succession. 3d: After another interval of 2 or 3 minutes, the age is represented by the number of strokes in quick succession. If the age is ten years, it is represented by ten quick strokes on the bell.

PATTERSON son of Mr died on Saturday last W-25
at Portland Harbor, aged about 12 years

ALBEE Simeon adv 14 Sept W-25
2 acres of Land for sale, dwelling house and barn, situated 2½ miles south-east from Westfield. Inquire of James Whipple, near the premises

HULL Amos G Dr died on 8th inst W-26
 We regret to learn the death of Dr Hull of New-York, aged 60 years, while on a visit to Northford, Connecticut. He was a man greatly beloved, and in his profession celebrated for his useful invention of the hinge truss

MORSE Moses accident on Friday last W-26
 residing in southwestern part of town (Westfield) while chopping in the woods on Friday last had his leg so badly fractured by a tree which he was cutting falling on it, that amputation became necessary. Fears are entertained that he may not recover

FRANK Stewart mar 13th inst W-26
 in Ellicott on 13 Sept Mr Stewart Frank of Busti to Miss Polly Edmonds of Ellicott

WESTOVER Hiram mar on 14th inst W-26
 in Napoli on 14 Sept by Rev Mr Cowles to Miss Ordella Gleason

DICKSON Thomas mar on Saturday last W-26
 in Fredonia to Miss Jane Laciells, both of Charlotte

HOXIE Sarah Ann died in Mayville W-26
 dau of Stephen Hoxie, aged 5 years died on 13th inst

• PRESCOTT Wm For Sale 14 Sept W-26
 Offers for sale 100 acres of land, pleasantly situated 3 miles south of T Prendergast's, in the town of Ripley, near Israel Palmer's. Includes 47 acres of improvement, good fences, excellent orchard, well watered. Good framed barn, log house. For terms inquire of David Knight, Westfield, at the office of the *WESTERN FARMER* or of the subscriber at Buffalo

CONNER Francis mar on the 6th inst W-27
 by Rev T Goodwin, in Westfield, to Miss Clarissa Grannis

PECK Edwin mar last evening W-27
 in Westfield to Miss Cornelia Merrill

HEARICK Mr mar on Monday last W-27
 by Rev J W Sawyer to Miss Sally Ann Boyington, all of Mayville

CARY Trumbull deed found 30 Sept W-27
 Found in Westfield on the 30th inst, a deed conveying real estate in Batavia to Trumbull Cary. Enquire at this office

• GREEN John adv 30 Sept W-27
 Subscriber has commenced business of Barbering and Hair-Dressing in his Shop where he will exercise his professional skill on the visages of Westfield Gentlemen. Jackson men, Antis, and Whig-men of all parties, political or ecclesiastical, shaved in the most scientific manner. Prices adapted to the hardness of the times and the length of the beards. Also clothes scoured and deposits removed

• EMIGRATION 30 Sept W-27
 It is estimated that between 500 and 1000 individuals pass our village weekly on the way to take up their abode in the capacious west

- BOUTELLE Capt David mar on 17th inst W-27
in Antrim to Miss Amelia Y Pratt of Antrim
- VAN RENSSELAER Jacob R died on 25th inst @-27
In New York aged 69
- SEXTON William adv Election notice W-27
Dated 12 August, notice by Sheriff: A general election is to be held in the county of Chautauque, on the 2nd, 3d, and 4th days of November next, at which will be chosen a Senator for the eighth Senate District, and two members of Assembly for said county
- RIFLE H L news item sent "For the Repository" W-28
More new discoveries - *not on the moon* - A learned pupil at Allegany College, in one of his romantic rambles, has discovered an extensive mine of ready made Gun Barrels, composed of two metals - Copper and Iron. The two metals, compounded together, the adventurer thinks, will far exceed any other compound ever invented by human art, for to his knowledge, it has withstood the ravages of time for many a century. Guns made in this state will probably be unsaleable, as a superior article will soon be imported from Pennsylvania by the proprietor Issue #29 gives notice: HLR's reply to H L Rifle has been received but is too personal for our columns
- THE MOON scientific speculation W-28
The Editor of the Boston *TARVELLER* (sic) thinks that the changable (!) spots now to be seen on the Sun's disk are nothing more or less than the smoke from a Steam Engine
- TRANSPORTATION copied from the "*Alb. Eve. Jour.*" W-28
NAVIGATING THE ATLANTIC BY STEAM; We learn from the New York papers that application is to be made to the next legislature for the Charter of a Company to be denominated the *Atlantic Steam Packet Company*; and that Capt. Cobb, an enterprising Packet Captain, has charge of the operation. It is confidently anticipated that it will prove successful when the passage from New York to Liverpool will be made from twelve to fourteen days.
- PHILOZETAM Society meeting W-28
Will be held at the Academy on 14th inst. After the lecture delivered by Mr J G Hinkly, the following question will be discussed: "Can application supply the place of Genius?" Question to be decided by vote of the house. F. Rumsey, Secretary
- POST OFFICE Notice W-27
This Post Office will be open in future on Sundays as follows, viz: from eight to nine o'clock, A M, from 12 to 1 P M, from four to six P M. In case the Mail arrives at six, or after, the office will remain open one hour after its departure. Orvis Nichols, P M [The effect of this decision on the life of the Post Master may be found in records of Ripley Presbyterian Church]
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BLACKBURN O B adv 13 Oct W-29
Informs his old customers that he continues his business of carriage making on North Portage Street, one door north of McComber's blacksmith shop. Most kinds of country produce received in part payment. Repairing done on shortest notice for cash down

SIM Thomas Jr Phrenology W-29
Mr Sim of Edinburg (pupil of the late lamented Dr Spurzheim) commenced a series of lectures on Phrenology at the Baptist Meeting Room in this village, on Saturday last, but owing to particular circumstances, he has concluded to postpone the lectures until Monday evening next, when they will be resumed at the same place, and at which time he confidently hopes to witness a full house. Terms for the course, one dollar. Ladies admitted gratuitously

DONNELLY Mr Writing School W-29
has opened a Writing School in this village at No 14 South Portage Street where he may be found in readiness to give instruction in this much neglected art.

SOPER & HARGRAVE adv 12 Oct W-30
Have bought interest in trade from C W Henderson at Portland Harbor. Dry Goods & Groceries #35 notes dissolution of partnership

COTTER Charles Byron mar on the 3d inst W-30
Printer of Fredonia mar to Miss Maranda Olney

OLNEY Wm A died a few days since W-30
in Warren, Editor of the "Voice of the People" died suddenly

BELLKNAP Giles mar on 15th inst W-31
of Genesee to Miss Lydia Ann C McClanathan of Sherman, mar at Sherman

TINNEY Joseph friendly competition W-31
raised a sunflower tis past season in his garden in Westfield which measured, in circumference, four feet and five inches.

CONGRESS of the U S elected office holders W-32
List of members elected to the 24th Congress and the states they represent

NEW COLLEGE proposed W-32
At a meeting of Synod of the Genesee, proposed establishing a college in Western District of New York. To obtain an education, our young men are now compelled to go to New England or the eastern part of the state.

LOCKWOOD Wm friendly competition W-32
of Westfield, has left at this office, ten potatoes, which measure half a bushel and weigh twenty pounds. "Westfield against the world!"

NETTLE HILL proposed Turnpike W-31
 A meeting of the citizens of this town was held at the house of Samuel S Hawkins on the 31st inst for the purpose of taking into consideration the subject of constructing a Turnpike from Nettle Hill to this village. Resolution passed to petition the legislature at next session for a charter to construct said road. Committee appointed to circulate petition for signatures, and also to correspond with citizens of Hartfield [at the head of Chautauque Lake] on the subject of constructing a road from that village to this.#35 notes committee formed to circulate a memorial to the Legislature: Robert C Dickson, Esq, Chairman, Norman Kibbe of Westfield & Bela L: Butler of Sherman, Secretaries, & John Howard, John McWhorter, Walter Strong, Fayette Dickson, committee

ERIE CANAL improvement W-32
 Canal board have decided upon enlarging the Erie Canal to the width of seventy and to the depth of seven feet

BUSHNELL Richard mar on Thursday last W-32
 married in Harborcreek PA to Miss Emogene Cass by Rev Mr Peck, all of that place

BRAINARD A & N fire W-33
 Om Thursday evening last the Blacksmith Brainard shop of Sheridan was consumed by fire

CENSUS taken first of July last

	Westfield	Ripley
No of inhabitants	3026	2012
Males	1043	1043
Subject to military duty	281	169
Voters	505	393
Aliens	52	
Paupers	2	
Persons of color not taxed	9	
Do taxed	7	
Married females 16-45	398	
Unmarried	239	
Females under 16	639	Females 969
Marriages the year	15	
Births of males	53	
Births of females	55	
Deaths of males	27	
Deaths of females	15	
Acres of improved land	11,253	7,356

BIDWELL Phineas died on Tuesday last W-33
 in Stockton aged 77 years, a hero of the revolution

M'HENRY William died Wednesday last W-34
 in the severest gale ever experienced in this vicinity. M'Henry & Thomas Crossgrove were in one of the old buildings swept away at Portland Harbor

CROSSGROVE Thomas died Wednesday last W-34
 drowned at Portland Harbor during severe lake storm. Crossgrove & William M'Henry were in one of the storehouse buildings lost to the storm. The old pier and several buildings swept away Issue #34 notes that both bodies were

RECTON Alexander died Thursday last W-36
in Westfield, aged about 30 Also in #37 as RECTOR, Alexander, died on 26th ult
aged 23

PORTLAND HARBOR COMPANY petition W-36
Application will be made to the Legislature of State of New York for an act of
incorporation of "The Portland Harbor Company" with a capital of Fifty
Thousand Dollars. Nov 20th, 1835

RISLEY Hanson A, Esq mar Thursday last W-37
in Fredonia to Miss Harriet H Crosby

PRESCOTT Mary Eliza died 3d inst W-37
dau of Wm & Asenath died in Buffalo, aged 1 year 14 months and 14 days

YALE Stephen adv Sheriff's Sale W-37
Notice dated 9 Dec 1835; sale to be held 21 Jan 1836. Goods & chattels, Lands
& Tenements, including part of Lot 28 in Town of Mina, also part of Lot 21 in
Town of Mina

FORESTVILLE proposed bank W-38
The citizens of Forestville, this county, have given the requisite Preliminary
notice of their intention to apply to the legislature for the incorporation of a
bank, with a capital of \$200,000 to be located in that village

HOLLAND LAND COMPANY interest sold W-38
Whereas the late purchase by an association of individuals of the interest of
the Holland Land Company in the lands of this county and in the contracts . .
. has created much anxiety in regard to the policy or course which will be
pursued by the said purchasers, . . . five persons appointed to hold interview
with said purchasers . . . Elial T Foote, Oliver Lee, Samuel Barrett, Leverett
Barker, George T Camp, signed Oliver Lee, Chairman, G W Tew, Sec'y

EWING J mar on 13th ultimo W-38
married at Portland Harbor by the Rev Doctor Goodwin, to Miss Mary Bennett,
all of Quincy

JOHNSON E Hon mar on 7th inst W-38
married by the Rev J Lord, in Nelson, Madison Co, Hon E Johnson of Buffalo to
Miss Lucy E Lord

SIMMONS Hiram died on 28th ult W-38
died in Portland after about 32 hours illness, aged about 35. Left wife and
seven children