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WILLOW-PLACE ITEMS.—Yesterday afternoon, two little boys aged about eight and twelve years, children of Mr. Phillips, were crossing Mud-Creek on a log, when both fell in. The oldest managed to scramble ashore, but the other was drowned. Search was made for the body by his father and others, without success. After supper several of our men went over to the Creek, and Myron and Orrin waded the stream about an hour and a half, but found nothing. This morning Myron and Cornelius rose at three o'clock—renewed the search, and found the body about half a mile below the place where he fell in.

It was lying near the bank face downward and partly exposed above the water, which had fallen during the night some four or five feet. Myron and C. C. H. carried the body home, washed and laid it out. The parents were very grateful, and the neighbors who were present, thanked them in behalf of the whole neighborhood.

The machinists have completed another silk-cleaner for our own use. This is the fourth and last we shall need. One more spinner and another winder are to be made which will take up about all our accommodations. The number of machines will then stand thus: five winders, four cleaners, one doubler,

four spinners, stretcher, soft silk winder and two spoolers.

[The following notice has been printed in large type and posted at W. P.]

The Willow-Place Pond is open to the public for bathing purposes between the hours of twelve and one at noon, and eight and nine in the evening. It is expected that people will confine themselves to the above mentioned hours, and will use their best endeavors to keep the bathing place neat and clean.—Loud shouting and boisterous noise will not be allowed.

By order of the Committee, M. H. Kinsley, R. Hawley and J. C. Higgins.

A few days since, one of the workmen in the Trapshop, chanced to get his finger between a small belt and pulley, which were in rapid motion, and in an instant it was snapped off at the first joint.

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Mr. Bradley when at Utica a few days since, went into a chair-shop owned by a German firm, to purchase some chairs. The good German had never heard of the O. C., and would not trust him without the cash down. Mr. B. left the shop and went into a trunk manufactory where he had arranged to meet Mr. Kelly. While waiting, he remarked that he had found a firm in Utica, that did not know of the existence of the O. C. "Where did you find such persons?" asked the man where Mr. B. was waiting.

"A door or two from here, the chair store." "Did you want any goods of them that they would not let you have?" "Yes, two dozen chairs." "I'll go with you and make it all right," he said very pleasantly. "I'll be very much obliged to you if you will," replied Mr. B. Entering the shop the gentleman said, "let this man have all the goods he may want, all is right; we would be glad to swap our concern any day for theirs." "All right, all right," said the old German, and the chairs were immediately brought forward. This shows how people estimate us financially.

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NOTICE:—Sometime ago I saw a poor unfortunate wheelbarrow chained by the leg and locked to a post. Now I had heard of ladders running away and of their peeping into ladies windows, and even to have supported them in their descent from their father's protection, and have seen them fastened with lock and key, but to think of a wheelbarrow getting off the track! Well now I want to give warning to a high fruit stool (that for various purposes, I adopted a short time since) which is already learning to use its long legs, running away, staying out nights and forgetting to come home for duty in the morning, &c. May a hint to the wise be sufficient. ALWAYS RETURN.

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Last evening E. P. Inslee related the course of study he pursued in music, while in New-York. He propos-

es still to continue his studies forenoons, work at W. P. afternoons, attend meeting there, and stay all night if he chooses. He took lessons one week in vocal music, and is ready to impart the knowledge he gained, to clubs, quartettes, &c., and do all in his power to improve our congregational singing.

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A new martin's house has been made and put up on the east side of the Tower, just above the upper tier of windows. The old one on the west side is small, and the birds have refused to notice it. It is too late, perhaps, to expect that they will occupy the new one this year, but as it is large and well adapted to their gregarious propensities, it is to be hoped that a community of them will take possession another Spring.

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Mr. Bradley came home last night, and reports good success in obtaining currants. He made arrangements for the disposal of a portion of our strawberries in Troy.

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E. S. B. thinks H. J. S. must have had a "*full head on*" when he wrote his "Millennial Sermon," for the last CIRCULAR.

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Eight barrels of pine-apples have arrived, and a bee for preparing them for canning, is called for this forenoon.