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## LOCAL ADVERTISING

Advertisements will be inserted at the rate of two cents per word for the first insertion and one cent per word thereafter. Cash must accompany the order. No advertisement will be inserted for less than twenty-five cents.

### WANTED.

WANTED—Prime milk and fox. Fancy prices will be paid for large dark prime milk, if brought in before Thanksgiving. F. Pillsbury, Hotel Barton. 471

WANTED—Man cook for home. Capable of handling 15 to 20 men, good wages; also 20 men for events. Address call on C. A. Abbott, West Derby. 331

WANTED—A bright clean young man who wants to learn the mercantile business, who is willing to work and is ambitious to make something of himself. O. J. Locke, Barton Landing. 49-50

WANTED—1000 cords of 16-foot spruce. Also will buy hemlock, brown ash, birch, hickory and maple butts. Customizing done as usual at the Percival mill. F. Pillsbury & Son, Barton, Vt. 47-49

WANTED—Parties to contract to cut and haul part of two and one-half million feet of lumber to our mill the coming season. Contract must be made and work commenced at once. Willoughby Wood Lumber Co., South Barton. 401

### LOST

Lost—in the village of Barton Landing, weather wicket containing money. Finder please return to L. S. Nye, Barton Landing, and receive reward. 491

Lost—Will the party who picked up the money in front of F. M. Alchurich's store at Barton Landing, please return the same at the post-office and receive reward? 1 wk

### FOUND

Found—The dearest low priced Christmas gift in town. It is in the 1907 form of a calendar. Call and see them. Miss Colburne. 1 wk

### TO RENT.

First-class organ to rent. H. C. Gay. 341

FOR SALE—Wood. Milo J. Owen. Barton. 49 1/2

Good tenement to rent. H. T. Seaver. Barton. 451

TO RENT—A small tenement. A. F. Chamberlin, Barton Landing. 461

TO RENT—Tenement and grass land to sell. A. F. Stockwell, Barton. 45 1/2

TO LET—Tenement, upstairs or down. Electric lights, running water. G. W. McGaffey, Glover. 47-

FARM TO RENT—Farm owned by S. A. Cleveland, Coventry. Small family preferred. S. A. Cleveland. 48-51

TO RENT—Two large first floor front rooms. Dr. Skinner house, Church street. J. H. Anderson, Barton. 49-51

### FOR SALE.

Four horses for sale, good workers or drivers. A. K. Cowles, Barton. 49-51

FOR SALE—At Roaring Brook Park, 10 extra fine 5 weeks pigs at \$1.50 each. Geo. H. Davis. 48 1/2

FOR SALE—One small Broadwood piano, 7 octave, in fine condition. A. H. Buiard, Barton Landing. 421

FOR SALE AT ONCE—One good three year old cow, well broken single or double. C. A. Wilson, West Glover. 48-49

FOR SALE OR TO RENT—My store at Brownfield Center, also dwelling house which I now occupy. J. C. Orne. 461

FOR SALE—Or service, one thoroughbred Berkshire boar, service fee \$1.00 payable at time of service. Pike & Baldwin, Irasburg. 49 1/2

FOR SALE—We have the dry hard and soft wood slabs from Lawrence's mill to sell this winter, also plenty of dry maple wood. Prices from \$3.50 to \$5.00 per solid cord. Prompt delivery. Leave your orders at J. F. Bates and Sons, clothing store or with Silver & Co., Lincoln Ave., Barton, Vt. 481

### MISCELLANEOUS.

I will do any repairing, drawing out and tempering. Give me a call. John Arkeley. 1w

RUBBER STAMPS of all kinds. Apply to L. P. Currier, MONITOR office, Barton, Vt. 51

Geo. H. Davis, 6th Annual Peerless Sale begins December 31, 1906, see ad page eight. 49 1/2

Until further notice I will take stock at the rate of every two weeks, beginning Dec. 3. S. E. Winslow, Barton. 48-50

E. E. Liddell, house, sign and carriage painting. Shop at rear of residence, Water St., Barton. Will take quantity of dry wood in exchange for work. 1 1/2

G. S. Dodge of Barton Landing will take stock at the yards in Barton Landing, only on the following dates: December 17 and 21, January 14 and 23, February 11 and 25.

Sleds, sleighs and wagons repaired. Both iron and wood-work done at reasonable prices by a man of twenty years' experience. New wagons built to order. Shop opposite creamery. J. W. LaRock, Barton. 49 1/2

"THE TRAGEDY OF OWL'S HEAD"—A fascinating tale of Owl's Head Mountain, Lake Memphremagog. This story was written a few years ago when this summer resort was at its zenith of popularity, the famous hostelry, the "Mountain House," being filled each summer with guests from the leading cities of the United States and Canada. The plot of this romance was suggested by an actual occurrence on the mountain precipitating a tragedy. This interesting book and six beautiful souvenir post cards of Lake Memphremagog sent postpaid on receipt of 25c in silver. W. B. Bullock, Publisher, Newport, Vermont. 491

## VICINITY ITEMS.

### Additional Locals.

Read pages three and six for additional items in this issue. At this time of year advertisers demand a large amount of space for Christmas advertising, and while our pages this week are crowded with advertising, we intend hereafter until Christmas to publish a supplement that we may give our readers the usual amount of local and general reading and at the same time give our advertisers all the space they want. Read the advertising. There is nothing that will help on choosing gifts like the careful perusal of the advertising in the papers at this time of the year.

## BARTON.

Gustavus Burdick was on the sick list several days last week.

C. M. Darling of Lyndonville was in town on business Friday.

S. E. Winslow was in Montreal on business several days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Smith of St. Johnsbury were home over Sunday.

Teachers' examinations were held here last Tuesday and Wednesday.

Curtis Mudgett has moved into Mrs. Dow's tenement on Park Street.

H. A. Sheldon of Newport was the guest of his brother Bert last week.

J. W. Batchelder of St. Johnsbury was the guest of A. M. Tower last week.

A. M. Cutler was in Concord, N. H., last week on a business and pleasure trip.

Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Johnson of St. Johnsbury called on friends here Wednesday.

The Afternoon Study Club meets Thursday, December 6th with Mrs. A. B. Blake.

Miss Elma May will make her home with Mrs. J. F. Skinner during the winter.

Mrs. Fred Martell recently fell down stairs into the cellar and broke her shoulder bone.

Mrs. Charles Hammond is spending a few days with her daughter at McIndoes Falls.

Miss Sarah Davis of Greensboro Bend was the guest of Mrs. E. H. Pope last week.

Regular Convocation of Keystone Chapter, No. 16 R. A. M., this Monday evening, Work.

Miss Margaret Rowen is taking Miss Carrie Cook's place in J. W. Murkiland's office for a few days.

Mrs. L. J. Bickford is quite sick at the home of her mother, Mrs. Henry Hill, at Barton Landing.

A number attended the play and dance at Glover last Thursday evening and report a good time.

George and Clinton Stevens were in Compton, P. Q., last week on account of the illness of their father.

Mrs. Nichols, who has been visiting her son, Dr. E. M. Nichols, for a few weeks, has returned to her home.

Roaring Brook Court, I. O. F. meets Friday, Dec. 7th, at 7:30 p. m. for work, also annual election of officers.

L. J. Freeman sold a valuable horse last week and Joseph Terrien sold a span of horses to parties from Waterbury.

P. A. Johnson of Newport, N. H., the manager of the Peerless company, was in town last Tuesday and Wednesday.

The Rebekahs have a 10c supper at their hall next Wednesday evening, Dec. 5. All members and their friends are invited.

Officers of Orient Chapter, No. 13, are required to meet at Masonic hall, Tuesday evening, Dec. 4, at 7:30 for rehearsal.

Mrs. O. L. Farr went to Hanesville, N. H., last Wednesday to attend the twenty-ninth wedding anniversary of her sister.

Some fifteen of the Foresters went to Newport last Friday evening to attend a banquet with the brethren Foresters at that place.

Mrs. Joseph Brooks was called to Montreal on account of the sickness of her daughter, Mrs. Frank Reiber, on Sunday of last week.

Regular meeting of Sunbeam Rebekah Lodge, Dec. 5. A large attendance is desired as it is nomination of officers for the ensuing year.

Several from this place were at Plunkett recently to help put in the foundation for the new dynamo at the electric station, which is to be installed next month.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Cummings of West Charleston were the guests of E. R. Flanders last Tuesday. They went from this place to Connecticut and New York.

Mrs. H. T. Seaver, Clemma and Mrs. C. A. Barrows came home from Boston last Wednesday. Clemma is gaining and it gives her many friends pleasure to see her again.

F. G. Burdick announces that there will be roller skating at Seaver's opera hall Saturday afternoon and evening. Music furnished by Walcott's orchestra in the evening.

The Odd Girls will meet at the church parlors Friday, Dec. 7. Business meeting at 4 o'clock. Members please attend. Supper served at 6 o'clock, everybody invited.

Regular meeting of Orient Chapter, No. 13, O. E. S., Friday evening, Dec. 7. Banquet, 6:30. Work, 7:30, sharp. Several of the grand officers are expected to be present.

Dr. Bazin of Montreal was in town last Wednesday to assist the local doctors in a surgical operation on Andrew Walcott. The operation was successful and Mr. Walcott appears to be doing well.

Roy Barron, Harry Conner, Clayton Warner and Parker Barrows have been about a week camping at Stone Pond in Glover. The unexcelled fall weather has favored the boys and of fall camping.

The E. W. Barron Co. are building an elevator tower on the west side of their store. It will be 6x12 feet and 66 feet high. It will be run by water power taken from the gristmill and will give access to all the floors and the roof of the Barron block.

The irresistible mirth provoking cartoon lecture entertainment by R. F. Outcault, the next entertainment in the Barton lecture course, will be on Tuesday evening, December 11. Watch for further notice in next week's paper, but get your ticket early if you want a seat.

Mr. F. G. Freshette and Miss Mina Massey were united in matrimony at St. Paul's church last Monday morning. Rev. Father Turcott performing the ceremony. The Turcott performing the ceremony. The happy couple left on the train for a short trip. They are to make their home in a tenement in the J. C. Kiag block.

The following letters remain uncalled for at the post-office December 1. Please say advertised when calling for these letters:

Fred Boiles, Alice J. Cushman, Lula Converse, Mrs. Sara L. Chase, Wm. Dunmore, Mrs. C. A. Dodge, Chas. A. Francis, Forrest Heath, D. M. House, S. Mrs. H. H. Morey, J. G. Murphy, Henry Woods.

Edward G. Baldwin, a former Barton boy, who has been supervising principal at West Lebanon, N. H., has recently been elected superintendent of schools at West Brookfield, Mass., with a salary of \$1550 a year. In his new position Mr. Baldwin will have the direction of 26 schools in the towns of West Brookfield, New Braintree and Sturbridge, Mass.

On Thursday evening of this week at 7:45, Prin. Stannard will give a talk on Canada and the Northwest at Seaver's opera hall. This talk will be illustrated by 125 stereopticon pictures and cannot fail to be very instructive as well as entertaining. Admission 10 cents. Proceeds for the benefit of high school trip to Washington.

The Woman's Literary club met with Mrs. Thompson Tuesday evening, with seventeen members present. The following Thanksgiving program was given: Roll call, special reasons for Thanksgiving; reading, "Thanksgiving Story," Miss Dutton; paper, "Thanksgiving Day, Its Early and Modern Observance," Miss Wright; paper, "Colonial Times," Mrs. Reirden; song, Mrs. Lang.

The school basket ball team played the Newport high school team in Seaver's hall Tuesday evening. The Newport team outplayed the Barton team and won by a score of 43 to 15. Newport is playing excellent ball, having thus won everything in sight except from St. Johnsbury high school. The Barton team with more experience will make good and we look for a stronger team later in the season.

The following is a partial list of the absentees Thursday: Mrs. H. C. Pierce, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Dutton, John McCellan and family, Mr. and Mrs. A. Wilkey, Cora Rowell, Mrs. L. P. Page, Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Perley, Barton Landing; Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Orcutt, South Barton; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Percival, L. J. Bickford and family, Evansville; Ray and Mary Webster, Irasburg; Bert Adams, Lowell; Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Massey, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Wright, Abbie Hubbard, Fred Richmond, Newport. Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Currier and Mr. and Mrs. N. M. Scott were at St. Johnsbury.

Among our many advertisers none put more vim into throwing printer's ink than Geo. C. Lang, Barton's jeweler, and his method of putting out circular letters and other forms of advertising and following up his patrons and reaching after new trade is to be commended, and as the proof of the pudding is in the eating, the results of the liberal use of advertising are seen in his sales. At present he is mailing to patrons and others a letter accompanied by a beautiful booklet, "Chatsworth," and if you have not received one it is worth asking for. It is understood he is to give later a souvenir. His example of the liberal use of printer's ink might well be followed by more merchants of this vicinity and that isn't saying there are not a lot of users of printer's ink and that to their own good.

The following is a partial list of visitors here last Thursday: F. C. Hunter, East Albany; Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Alchurich, C. B. Drew, J. E. Drew, Barton Landing; E. E. Webster, Beecher Falls; Dr. Chase, Boston; Mr. and Mrs. P. S. Chamberlin, Mrs. A. G. Spaulding, Bradford; Miss Alice Mitchell, Derby; Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Burrows, Evansville; Mrs. Bell White, Grant White, West Glover; W. F. Scott, Glover; D. P. Gray, Johnson; Dr. F. H. Davis and family, Lyndonville; William Eastman and family, Lyndon; Mrs. Alfred Hall, Lancaster, N. H.; Fred Dyke and family, Northfield; Perley Pope, Montpelier; Fred Pope, St. Johnsbury; Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hall, Mr. and Mrs. Harley Davis, Harry Davis, Sheffield; Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Kinsley, Swanton; Earle Spaulding, St. Albans; Dr. and Mrs. Horan, North Troy, Mr. and Mrs. Milligan, Wheelock; J. J. Weed, Melbourne, P. Q.; John McMurray, Lennoxville, P. Q.; Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Gilpin, Westfield.

George C. Brigham of Yonkers, N. Y., and Ida Mae Blake, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. W. C. Blake of Lyndon, were united in marriage on Thanksgiving day at the home of the bride in Lyndonville by the Rev. W. C. Johnson of this place. This was a pleasant home service, only the immediate relatives of the contracting parties being present. Mrs. Brigham is a very accomplished young lady, a graduate of the Lyndon Institute and New England Conservatory and last year a teacher of music in Barton Academy, also at Lyndonville. Mr. Brigham formerly resided at Lyndon and was in the employ of the railroad company for about three years, and has been for four years past one of the foremen in the Ben Franklin Tran. Co. of Yonkers, N. Y., of which the Peene Bros. are proprietors. The happy couple were the recipients of many useful and beautiful gifts from friends present and absent, and after an extended wedding trip will make their future home in Yonkers, N. Y.

Barton opened the home basket ball season Thanksgiving night by winning a practice game from Bradford Academy, 72 to 24. On Saturday night we won again, this time from St. Johnsbury in a game that was most exciting. The visitors were outweighed and outplayed but they made their way with speed. St. Johnsbury led at the end of the first period and Barton at the end of the second; at the end of the third period the score was a tie, the rule being in a case of this kind the first team to score two consecutive points wins. Play was

then resumed and Rines quickly shot a pretty basket and thus won the game for Barton. The next game will be played here next Friday night with Lyndonville. The line up:

BARTON: Barrows, rf; Dada, lf; Rines, c; rg; Harris, cl; Cloutier, lg; Webster, rg.

ST. JOHNSBURY: C. Carrick, rg; Kimball, c; Romette, lf; Reed, rf; Hooker, rf.

Score, Barton, 29; St. Johnsbury 27. Goals from floor, Barrows 7, Dana 3, Rines 2, Harris, Webster, Kimball 4, Romette 4, Reed, Hooker 2. Goals from fouls, Barrows, Kimball 5. Referee, Fox, time three 15-minute periods.

Landlord Roven proved himself equal to the occasion of preparing a Thanksgiving dinner for his guests at Hotel Barton not surpassed by any hotel in this section of the state, in fact traveling men assert that Hotel Barton sets the best table that year around of any house in the state and on Thanksgiving day it certainly was a treat. Many of the townspeople took their dinner there and a number of travelers made it their way to stop here. The Ion Jackson concert company also stopped here. Following is the menu and if any man living could not get his fill from that program of eatables there is no hope for him. Mr. Roven not only serves good meals but he makes things pay. Thanksgiving menu: Cream of chicken, a la reine, consomme printanier, salmon, cream sauce, corned beef, Vermont turkey, cranberry sauce, roast loin of pork, brown gravy, roast veal, chicken pie, Hotel Barton style, Spanish puffs, vanilla sauce, braised fillet of beef, creamed sweet bread in cases, oyster patties, shrimp wiggle, potatoes, boiled and mashed, Hubbard squash, mashed turnip, buttered and pickled beets, chow chow, Worcestershire sauce, cucumber pickles, tomato catsup, pickled onions, olives, apple, mince, raspberry and pumpkin pie, Thanksgiving pudding, wine sauce, veal cream, fig charlotte, wild cherry jelly, vanilla ice cream and cake, crackers, cheese, nuts, raisins, tea, coffee.

The Ion Jackson Concert company last Wednesday evening gave one of the most interesting musical treats that the people of this vicinity have listened to for a long time. The audience was large, filling the hall, and thus the first entertainment in the course was a favorable starter. The first selection was rendered by Dr. Jackson and Miss Hussey, and took the audience as by storm, and a hearty encore called them back again. Miss Otten's first appearance and brilliant execution on her violin of Chopin's "Nocturne in E Flat," "The Bee" by Schubert and Wieniawski's "Scherzo Tarantelle" was received with the same enthusiastic applause. When Dr. Jackson next appeared and sang the ballad "Over the Desert" by Kellie, the applause was so spontaneous and universal that he had to return twice. Miss Hussey's songs, "Sing Me to Sleep" and "A Birthday Song," gave the audience an idea of her rich, full, sweet voice and its artistic use. She too captivated her hearers and was called back, responding with "The Low Back Car." Mr. Searle did excellent work as accompanist, and his solos showed him a master of the piano. One characteristic of the company which was a helpful feature of their success was the energy, life and spirited manner in the execution of their music. It was energetic action bringing out the soul of the music. Dr. Jackson has a most magnetic voice, and pleasing personality. His tenor is of a fine quality, of good compass, and is adapted to the lighter songs or oratorio. Miss Otten is a wonderful musical genius; and has attained a position as violinist among the very first. Her fingers are at home from the open strings to the bridge. She puts soul, as well as the most skillful execution, into her work. There is a sweetness and sympathetic power in her playing that thrills and fascinates her hearers, and holds them rapturous and tense through each of her numbers. With the greatest apparent ease she executes the most marvelous turns, trills, tremolos, and rapid passages, and pours out liquid strains of music as profusely as the birds of a spring morning. Here's to the success of the rest of the course entertainments.

## Methodist Church Notes.

Prayer meeting on Thursday evening at 7:30.

Junior League at parsonage on Tuesday at four o'clock p. m.

Class for Bible study meets after the League service, led by Mr. Ryther.

Woman's Foreign Missionary society meets at Mrs. P. L. Webster's on Tuesday p. m. at 8 o'clock.

Epworth League on Tuesday evening at 7:30. Subject, "Temptations and How to Meet Them." Leader Miss Jennie Salmon.

## Congregational Church Notes.

Regular midweek prayer meeting Thursday evening at 7:30.

Rev. Mr. Bamage of North Troy gave very interesting sermons yesterday, both morning and evening.

The Ladies' Society will entertain at the church parlors Wednesday afternoon, Dec. 5. A cordial invitation is extended to all. Reflection of officers and committees at the C. E. meeting last evening. The following officers were elected: Pres., Wallace H. Gilpin; Vice Pres., Gladys Kaiken; Rec. Sec., Clara E. Pearson; Treas., Mildred Lang.

## St. Paul's Church Notes.

The choir is preparing music for mass at Christmas.

Next Sunday, the second Sunday of Advent, mass in Lowell.

Next Saturday, Dec. 8, Feast of the Immaculate. Mass at 9:30, a. m. Benediction immediately after.

## BARTON LANDING.

Ray Skinner of Skinner, Me., is home on a short vacation.

Miss Anna and Mrs. Ellen Brennan were on the sick list last week.

Hazel Twombly of Montpelier Seminary is home on a short vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Rogers of Albany visited at J. E. Rogers' last Friday.

Jennie Holtham and Mrs. Arthur Ordway were on the sick list last week.

Miss M. A. McHarg has returned from Boston with a fine show of Christmas goods.

Ray Wilkey is home from Montpelier and will work in the E. L. Chandler Company's mill.

Mrs. P. McKenna gave a Thanksgiving dinner to all of her friends from Newport last Thursday.

Miss Anna Jones has gone to Montreal for medical treatment. Miss Jennie Locke accompanied her.

The Knights of Pythias will hold their regular meeting tomorrow evening. Work in the third rank.

The C. E. society will hold an apron and fancy work sale in the vestry Thursday, afternoon and evening, Dec. 13.

Arthur Austin attended the foot ball game between Yale and Harvard at New Haven on Saturday, the 24th ult.

Union Thanksgiving services were held in the Congregational church last Thursday, Rev. W. R. Davenport preaching the sermon.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Baraw, who have been spending a month with their son, E. R. Baraw, have returned to their home in Lyndonville.

Frank Twombly has moved his harness shop from the basement of the Valley House into the W. C. Twombly block opposite the passenger station.

A large party from this place went to Barton last Wednesday evening to attend the Ion Jackson concert and were much pleased with the entertainment.

Wallace Sawyer has moved his groceries to his rooms in the Wheeler block, where he has a store nicely fitted up. This forbodes a good business with more trade.

Rev. W. R. Davenport will spend several days visiting friends in New York and Mrs. Davenport takes this opportunity to visit friends in New Hampshire.

Miss Ina L. Marble of Lowell, Mass., was in town last week, called here by the death of her grandfather, C. Chaffee. She returned to Lowell last Saturday, Dec. 1st.

George G. Meade Post and W. R. C. will hold their next meeting on Dec. 11th in the afternoon. It is the election of officers and every member is asked to be present.

M. M. Taplin was in North Adams last week where he conducted a large auction sale. He goes to Pittsfield, Mass. this week where he is to sell a large live business at auction.

Will the person in Barton Landing who sent an item on an unsigned postal card please read the item in the Derby locals on unsigned items, and tell his neighbor to read it. (EDITOR)

W. C. Tripp has purchased of Mrs. Frank Hunt the Badger livery stable and Mr. Tripp will move into Mrs. Hunt's tenement. Mrs. Hunt will move in where Mr. Tripp moves out.

Every one go to the school entertainment in the Opera hall Tuesday evening and thereby help the school a little and at the same time see a number of fine stereopticon views of the country from the Atlantic to the Pacific coast, and learn about them.

The girls' basket ball team played with the Newport girls last Tuesday evening to a very large audience, winning by a score of 19 to 11. Friday night they played the return game at Newport and lost 8 to 7. The girls have been doing fine work and good reports will be heard from them later in the season.

Next Friday evening the Theatians will present the drama "The Old New Hampshire Homestead." This dramatic club always draws a full house and never disappoints its patrons, and its members believe this to be one of the best plays which they have ever put on to the stage. The new scenery presenting the sugar place is as real as nature, and other features of interest which will be introduced will enhance the interest of the listening and seeing auditors exceedingly.

The fact that this village has been growing exceedingly fast may be seen by considering that fifty-one houses have been built in the last four years. The village now has one hundred and ninety-four houses which shelter one or more families. The churches, the mills, the R. R. station, and other business blocks which do not shelter families are not counted in this number. With the prospect of a goodly number of houses to be built next summer the outlook is encouraging for the future of the village.

A partial list of our citizens, who were out of town with friends last Thursday, are as follows: Bert A. Scott and family, Carl D. Fréth and family, Roy Bean and family and Carroll Wheeler were at Newport, Ralph Lawson, Leon Lawson, Frank Clifford and Emmitt Dawson were at Newport Center, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Alchurich and Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Gay were at Barton, C. A. Waseel and family were in East Coventry, Mrs. F. J. Kinney was in South Troy, Walter Leonard and family and R. A. Allen were at Coventry, Roy Coburn and family were in Satton, W. Smith and family were in St. Johnsbury. Most of those from away who were here with friends are as follows: W. C. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Dutton, Mrs. H. C. Pierce, Mr. and Mrs. A. Wilkey of Barton, Robert McVicar and family, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rogers, Henry Brown and family of Lyndonville, Mrs. and Mrs. E. A. Bowley and Clarence

Carter of Newport, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Litchfield of Newport Center, Miss Augusta Palmer of North Troy, R. B. Hooker and Ed. Carter of St. Johnsbury, Prof. and Mrs. C. F. Hall of Wells River, John Mc Lellan and family of Barton, George Dean of West Burke.

Comfort Chaffee, whose death was mentioned last week, was born in Franklin County Feb. 17, 1826 and was the second of a family of eleven children, six of whom are now living. About 1860 Mr. Chaffee bought and moved onto a farm in Charleston and has since lived in this county; his wife, Elizabeth (Dike) Chaffee, died Jan. 5, 1877, leaving a family of nine children. Mr. Chaffee has always been an honest, industrious hard working man until within a few years poor health and failing eyesight compelled him to give up work. Of his children six are now living, E. C. Chaffee of Boston, Mass.; Mrs. Lura Bell, Atlanta, Ga.; Mrs. H. W. Burnham of Westfield; A. L. Chaffee of Island Pond; W. B. Chaffee, East Canton, Pa., and Mrs. G. B. Stoddard of Barton Landing with whom he had lived for about a year and a half. His last sickness was not long as he was confined to the bed only a week and though he suffered a great deal at times, at the last he passed peacefully to his rest beyond. Funeral services were held at the house Sunday forenoon, Nov. 25, conducted by Rev. G. C. McDonald, assisted by Rev. W. R. Davenport. The remains were taken to East Charleston for burial beside his wife and son.

## Methodist Church Notes.

Seven new scholars were present at the Sunday-school last Sunday. Three of them were adults.

Next Sunday evening Presiding Elder Lewis of St. Johnsbury will preach the Gospel. All are invited.

Mr. Foster J. Kinney has been chosen to act as choir leader on Sunday evenings, and has already begun his work.

A business meeting of the Epworth League will be held at the close of the devotional service on Wednesday evening.

A very important session of the Woman's Foreign Missionary society will be held with Mrs. Z. D. Goodnough on Tuesday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock.

The Epworth League will hold its meeting this week on Wednesday evening, in order not to conflict with the school entertainment at the Opera house on Tuesday evening.

The Knights of King Arthur do not meet this week, but will have a regular session next week Monday, at which time every boy is requested to bring a rake stall from which to make a spear.

The third Quarterly Conference of the year will be held on Friday evening at the close of the prayer meeting. The Elder will be present and preside. A full attendance is requested.</