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WANTED—To buy fresh eggs. J. V. Rowen, Hotel Barton. 44tf

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MISCELLANEOUS.

HAVING RENTED—the H. W. Buchanan livery stable formerly occupied by George Hunt, am now prepared to run a first class livery and feed stable. Mansel Clark, Orleans. 46tf

NEW BLACKSMITH SHOP—Having secured the services of N. A. MacDonald of Barton we are prepared to do fine horseshoeing and general blacksmithing at our shop located near the mill. Come in by South street or by the mill. The E. L. Chandler Company, Orleans. 44tf

BARTON

Mrs. Sarah Gould is ill.

Carl Jewell is home from Concord for Thanksgiving.

L. J. Bickford is ill, suffering with an attack of lumbago.

H. D. Phillips was a visitor in Hardwick the first of the week.

Fr. Cray of Albany was the guest of Fr. J. E. LeBlanc last week.

Miss Carrie E. Jones will visit her parents at St. Johnsbury Thursday.

Seat drawing for the lecture course Friday evening at high school room.

H. T. Seaver is advertising a special aluminum ware sale in this issue.

Solemn High Mass will be held at St. Paul's church Thursday at 9 a. m.

Episcopal services will be held at Woodman's hall next Sunday at 3 p. m.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. James Revoir Wednesday, Nov. 16.

Fred Asselin of St. Johnsbury is the guest of his brother, A. G. Asselin.

Walter Burke, who has been ill for sometime at Hotel Barton, continues to fail.

Mrs. Edmund Gross visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Chandler Monday.

Ira Hubbell of Boston is the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hubbell.

BAND ENTERTAINMENT A SUCCESS.

About 250 people attended the concert and entertainment by the Barton cornet band held in Seaver's hall last evening. The program consisted of selections by the band, a baritone solo by Charles Buswell with band accompaniment and a clarinet solo by A. Slayton Lang, accompanied on the piano by Mrs. Batchelder. Both solos were exceptionally well rendered and were highly praised. The program was made complete with three numbers by Miss Daisy Stevens of Derby, a reader of natural ability. It would be hard to single out one of her selections as best, since they were all excellent and were loudly applauded. Miss Stevens is a young reader, and one of natural talent, and we bespeak for her a bright future. Tickets for the entertainment were sold on the contest plan and the contest closed with the concert. Miss Ferrin, C. E. Hamblet and W. W. Hartwell kindly acted as judges and counted the votes and awarded the prizes as follows. The first prize, a gold clock, was awarded to Miss Isabel Campbell, who had polled 3385 votes. The second prize, a Parker Lucky Curve fountain pen, was awarded to Miss Myrtle Maxwell, who had 2623 votes. The third prize a gold locket and chain, was awarded to Miss Lucille Hobson, who had 1670 votes. The standing of the other contestants was as follows, Mary Urie, 1430; Ruth Gleason, 775; Marjorie Thompson 775 and Katherine Sinou, 450 votes. All the contestants did fine work and the management of the band wish to thank them for their earnest efforts in helping make the entertainment a success financially and otherwise. The ticket receipts were \$59.55 which will net a fairly good amount for the benefit of the band stand.

Home Influence Needed.

Mr. Editor: "Woman's Work," the article in the November 16 Monitor is worth the price of the paper for a year. Wish Annette Parmelee could read it and profit by it. If mothers would heed it, their homes would not be a burden neither would caring for children be a burden. I always shall remember the evenings at home when a child, when we were gathered around the table, mother helping us to learn our lessons for school and father reading the papers. It seems to me this is the nearest to heaven we can have in this earth. We need the home influence.

Lowell, Vt., Nov. 18, 1910.

Sunday School Meeting.

The Sunday schools of the whole township of Barton, Glover, Brownington and Westmore will meet at the Congregational church vestry at Barton Thursday evening, Dec. 1, at which state secretary, H. A. Durfee of Burlington will speak.

Mrs. C. H. Darling and mother of Lyndonville were visitors in town Tuesday.

Ed. Flanders has moved into the house occupied by his father, Eli Flanders.

J. Goldfield of Newport is moving into Gardner Drew's tenement on Water street.

Regular meeting of Orient Chapter No. 13, O. E. S., Friday evening at 7:30. Work.

Miss Clemma Seaver recently visited her brother, who is attending Tilton seminary.

Rev. W. A. Warner was in South Glover Saturday to attend the funeral of George Walcott.

Paul Bernier leaves Wednesday for St. Johnsbury, where he will spend a few days with friends.

Miss Mabel Telfer closed a very successful term of school in the Heath district Friday.

Elmer Buswell and friend, Mr. Nutting of Medford, Mass., will spend Thanksgiving at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Dyke and daughter of Northfield are visiting at Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Gaskill's.

It is reported that W. E. Hanson purchased the farm at the O. D. Rowell auction Nov. 14.

Miss Mildred Lang and Miss Ethel Urie have closed their schools in Glover and returned home.

George Dow and Mrs. Robbins left last week for St. Johnsbury, where Mr. Dow has employment.

Allyn Roy of Claremont, N. H., was the guest of his brother, T. F. Roy, a few days last week.

Dr. and Mrs. E. M. Nichols left Saturday for Boston. The doctor returned the first of the week.

Warren W. Hartwell returned Monday from his hunting trip in New Hampshire and reports a fine time.

Mrs. E. W. Barron, who has been in Montpelier and New York for several days, returned Saturday night.

Dean Corley is home for a week from Derby. He will return to teach the winter term in the Pine Hill district.

It is reported that L. J. Bickford has sold his blacksmith shop at the south end of Main street to Loomis Turcot.

Miss Kate Ferrin, accompanied by Miss Crissia Renfrew, will spend Thanksgiving at Miss Ferrin's home in Holland.

R. Shiril Hutchins of South Hero has returned home and will stop for a time with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Hutchins.

FIRST NUMBER TUESDAY

Barton Lecture Course Opens Next Tuesday Evening. Drawing of Seats Friday Evening.

The first number of the Barton lecture course this year is scheduled for Tuesday evening, next, and the entertainment is by the Regent Entertainment club, a party of high class entertainers organized and under the personal direction of the famous and local favorite basso, Dr. George R. Clark. He has appeared in the Barton course several times and has made warm friends and a big hit each time. He has now gathered about him other musical artists and a reader of the first order under the title of the Regent Entertainment club. Dr. Clark is so favorably known here that the Monitor need not dwell upon the quality of the entertainment he will give us for all know that he would not take with him any but talent of the first rank. The Monitor hopes and looks for a large opening audience to greet Dr. Clark.

The choosing and drawing of the course tickets will take place at the high school room Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock. The same method as used last year and previously explained will be used and all who have signed cards of request for seats should be present Friday night to make choice of seats. If impossible for you to be present leave the choosing with a friend, otherwise the committee will be obliged to make a choice. Everyone is cordially invited to come Friday evening, whether they have signed for tickets or not, or expect to attend the course or not. This is in the nature of a people's gathering. Prospectuses will be ready for distribution at that time. What seats are left can be purchased at Pierce's after Friday night and single admissions will be on sale there for each entertainment as heretofore.

The five other numbers of the course and dates are as follows:

December 20, The Manlove Recitals. H. R. Manlove is an entertainer of exceptional ability. He impersonates, is a monologist and reader. His entertainments are said to be especially noticeable because of his humor.

January 5, Dewitt Miller, lecturer. His subject here will be announced later. He has lectured in every state in the union and has been recalled as many as 15 times in one place. He is too well known to need greater mention here.

January 23, the Cambrian National Glee Singers. This company is made up of 12 superb soloists and the famous Welsh Harry Lauder who always makes you laugh.

February 27, Dr. E. A. Steiner, lecturer. Dr. Steiner is a native of Austria and was educated in Europe. He is a marvellously interesting lecturer and was acquainted with the great Russian Tolstol, who died last week.

March 9, the Eastern Concert Company. This company appeared here last year and was pronounced by all to be one of the best concerts Barton ever had. All will especially remember Carl Webster, the cellist.

G. M. Cutting and Company announce their first mark down sale of millinery Saturday and Monday, Nov. 26 and 28.

The post-office will be closed Thanksgiving day from 9:00 to 11:30 a. m. and 1:00 to 3:30 p. m. closing at 7:00 in the evening.

The half holiday which has been granted the help at the stone sheds Saturday afternoons has been discontinued until spring.

Miss Glee Chandler, who has been teaching at West Stewartstown, N. H., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Chandler.

Mrs. Eastman of Claremont, N. H., who has spent some weeks with her daughter, Mrs. O. E. Cowles, returned to her home last week.

Mrs. D. A. Manning of Center Barstead, N. H., who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. H. W. Doyle, returned to her home Tuesday.

Mrs. Eugene Hobson, who has been attending the National W. C. T. U. convention at Baltimore and visiting her daughter, returned the first of the week.

Willie Tower, who has been in the Sanatorium for tuberculosis at Pittsford, has returned home much improved and expects later to leave for the south.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Hunter, Mrs. Wm. Allchurch and Miss Alice Allchurch will spend Thanksgiving at Wells River, guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Currier.

The contest for the turkey at the Perley Novelty store closed Saturday night and was won by Mrs. Sam Maxwell. The weight of the turkey was 12 pounds.

Barton Academy and Graded school is to have the usual Thanksgiving vacation, school closing Wednesday of this week. The winter term will begin Monday, Nov. 28.

Dr. and Mrs. Fred Davis of Lyndonville, Mrs. Lucy Hartwell and Mrs. Louisa Walter of West Burke will spend Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. Warren Hartwell.

Word from L. J. Freeman, who is at the Vermont Sanatorium at Pittsford, states that he is gaining. He expresses thanks to his friends who mailed cards last week. He received over 100.

First number of lecture course Tuesday evening next. Many say the lecture course this year is the best Barton has had in several years. See detailed announcement in another column.

Mrs. C. A. Barrows, Mrs. F. D. Pierce, Mrs. E. H. Glazier and Mrs. W. A. Royston attended a district

POMONA GRANGE MEETING.

Prospect Pomona grange will meet with the Brownington grange Dec. 7. All members are requested to be present, it being the election of officers. It is hoped State Master Smith will be present.

Sutton Woman 100 Years Old.

Mrs. Betsey Foster of Sutton celebrated the 100th anniversary of her birth, November 16. She was born in Johnson and has lived all her life in this state. At the age of sixteen she married Thomas Stacy of Groton and four children, all of whom are now dead, were born to them. Later she married Mr. Foster and he died at Andersonville prison. Four children were the fruit of this marriage and with whom she lives, Mrs. Minnie Allen of North Troy, Charles Foster of East Fairfield, N. H., and Mrs. Olive McCaffrey of Ingleswood, Cal. Mrs. Foster's mother lived to be 104 years old. Looking back over the events of a hundred years one of Mrs. Foster's happiest memories and one on which she delights to dwell is the fact that she rocked the cradle that held a future governor and United States senator, Carroll S. Page. In her early thirties she worked in the home of Senator Page's parents and when in 1843, a son was born, she was one of his first nurses. Countless are the tales of early days and privations that Mrs. Foster can relate, particularly of the agonies of the civil war when her husband and boy succumbed at the same time to the horrors of Andersonville prison. In the quiet of a little farm home perched on the high hills of Sutton, she is spending her last days, and while her mind dwells much on the past, she still retains an active interest in all about her. This remarkable woman, who has lived to see the fourth generation is enjoying her second sight. The glasses which she wore for years are now discarded. She enjoys looking over the papers, and often watches the teams pass on the road, a distance of forty rods from the house. Her appetite is excellent, her hearing good, and she sleeps well. Her mother lived to be 104, and Mrs. Foster gives every indication of rivalling her. She retires every night at nine, rises at six, and is practically independent in caring for herself.

Methodist Church Notes.

At the Sunday morning service the choir sang "O Clap Your Hands Together" by Edmund Turner. Rev. W. B. Dukeshire gave an interesting account of the Sunday school institute which he attended last week at Montpelier, conducted by Drs. Downey and Blake and Mrs. Lamoureux for the purpose of helping the workers of the Sunday School and increasing its usefulness, showing its purpose and value. In the evening the pastor gave a Thanksgiving address, taking for his text a part of the fifteenth verse of the twenty-eighth chapter of Acts, "He thanked God and took courage."

In the adult department of the Sunday school the total attendance of the Reds was 38, of the Blues 29. The total attendance of the whole school was 104. Misses Myrtle Maxwell and Eva Anderson sang "Saved by Grace," and the lesson was read by Miss Ruth Freeman.

The pastor being absent last week, the Thursday evening prayer meeting was led by Mrs. J. N. Webster.

meeting of the O. E. S. held at St. Johnsbury Wednesday evening and report an enjoyable time.

"The Brookdale Farm," a drama, will be given by the St. Paul dramatic club at Crystal Lake hall, Barton, Thursday evening, Nov. 24. Comic specialties will be given. Price of admission 25 and 35 cents.

Everyone who sings is invited to come to the Congregational vestry Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock to rehearse for a Christmas cantata to be given in the opera hall Christmas night. Come and bring the Christmas spirit.

H. A. Harding expects soon two young racers from Carleton, Mich., and two from Ticonderoga, N. Y., and already has Roxy Ann for training for next season. This adds considerably to the number of horses training at Roaring Brook stables.

E. B. Varney and daughter, Mrs. Judson of Lawrence, Mass., were in town to attend the funeral of his brother, A. W. Varney, Wednesday. Mr. Varney was taken ill and obliged to remain at Hotel Barton several days before returning to Lawrence.

Rev. W. A. Robinson, D. D., died from a shock of apoplexy, Oct. 18 at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Emily K. Coleman of Davenport, Iowa, aged about 70 years. Dr. Robinson's first pastorate was with the Congregational church of Barton, where he labored with success for six years from 1865 to 1871.

Judge W. W. Miles, who has been holding the Franklin county court at St. Albans, is spending the week at his home on Park street. Judge Miles presided in the murder trial case of Mrs. Averill, which has attracted considerable attention. Judge Miles has received many compliments on his handling of the case.

The Afternoon Study club met with Mrs. C. E. Hamblet, Nov. 17 with sixteen members and one visitor present. Roll call was responded to with quotations from American poets. The lesson on some of the American poets was taught by Miss Ethel Ross, Reading. "Journalism in the United

OUR LEGISLATIVE LETTER

Six Weeks of Session and No Harm Done. Weights and Measures. Liquor Laws. State Board of Trade. Trustee Bill in Committee of Conference.

The legislature of 1910 has had six full weeks of legislative existence and in spite of the fact that but few bills have as yet found their way to the governor, this legislature has been a good working body and have accomplished something. The past week especially has been productive of good results and a vast amount of business has been turned off. We have seen signs that Vermont is moving forward and there are signs of a new Vermont, a Vermont which may at last take its place among the galaxy of sister states. It has at last become possible to overcome the prejudice against taking a step forward rather than marking time. The people through their representatives seem to be willing to take the bull by the horns and the representatives themselves seem to be willing to assume the responsibility that is upon them and act for the good of the state. This legislature seems willing to be progressive and constructive rather than dilatory and destructive. Please understand that I am not whitewashing this legislature, but I do say that in this legislature, in the house especially, the state of Vermont has representatives who are willing to take a step in advance without being swayed from their path by personal prejudices and profit. I speak of the house especially because the senate has not as yet been called upon to act on any matter touching the individual purse strings of the senators. We have no reason to expect that the senate will not act in full accord with the house on every really important matter touching the welfare of the whole state. The Vermont people have something to be thankful for and if the present legislature will consider the tax reform bills and the state publicity bills as candidly, earnestly, and honestly as they did the weights and measures bill this state will indeed see the approaching dawn of a new era and the "New Vermont" may become a reality. It has been said repeatedly during the past three weeks that every interest was represented here except the people. The passage of the weights and measures bill by the house on Friday proves that the oft repeated statement was a slander. If this legislature will continue to break away from powerful lobbies and from their financially interested constituents, they may make a name for themselves and a future for their state. Several times during the past week some member has asked that action on a bill be postponed until he could go home and see his constituents and the house has refused to hold the matter open. Too often a member has but one or two constituents whom he wishes to see and their interests would not coincide with the interests of the people at large. A member's oath binds him to act for the best interests of the whole people and no reference is made therein to his particular constituents.

Congregational Church Notes.

Rev. W. A. Warner gave the second lecture of his series on "Henry of Navarre" before a large audience in the Congregational vestry Sunday evening. He spoke of the death of Joan of Arc, John Huss, Wycliffe and other church martyrs, showing the results accomplished by their death.

The foreign missionary society will meet at the church at 3 o'clock Tuesday afternoon. This is the thank offering meeting and a large attendance is desired.

States," by Mrs. F. B. Lang and reading by Mrs. Borland on "Early American Romances." Piano solo by Mrs. A. T. Buswell.

There was a bit of excitement Sunday morning when the chimney of the house of Mrs. Amy Anderson burned out, the roof catching fire in one or two places as a result. Quite a crowd soon gathered and the fire was quickly extinguished.

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WILLOUGHBY

G. I. Drown, who died Nov. 16, was born in town January, 1842. He had been very much out of health for a long time, but was not confined to the bed until a few weeks at the last. Mr. Drown had always lived in town. His wife, and five children, Mrs. Harry Howe of New Hampshire, Amos of Massachusetts, Chauncy, Ezra and Mrs. H. J. Brooks of this place, also seven grandchildren survive him. At one time Mr. Drown was station agent and postmaster here and was quite extensively engaged in the lumber business with his father, the late C. G. Drown. He was a kind and obliging neighbor with a pleasant greeting for all. None knows better than the writer his extreme kindness in sickness and trouble.

S. R.

GLOVER.

All schools commence Dec. 5th.

The town is soon to put in a new bridge at the south end of the village.

Carroll Davis of Newport was the guest of his brother, H. N. Davis, over Sunday.

Francis Robinson of Newport was in town last week to attend the funeral of a relative.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Johnson visited Mrs. Johnson's parents in Derby over Sunday.

The condition of Mrs. Aden Phillips, who has been very ill for the past two weeks, is slightly improved.

Mr. Hendrick, who has been spending a few weeks in Cumbria, N. H., visiting friends, has returned.

The ladies of the M. E. church will have a dinner in the vestry of the M. E. church Wednesday, Nov. 30.

Mr. and Mrs. Levi Drew and Mr. and Mrs. Guy Aldrich will spend Thanksgiving with Mr. Drew's son at West Derby.

There will be a special service at the Congregational church Sunday at 2 o'clock for the J. O. U. A. M. Rev. W. A. Warner of Barton will preach.

The next entertainment in the Glover lecture course will be on the evening of December 1, regardless of whatever dates may be on some of the flyers.

The rummage sale held at town hall Thursday was well patronized and in every way a success, a good sum being realized for the band, for which they are very grateful.

The J. O. U. A. M. will present the drama, "Bound by an Oath," at the institute hall Thursday evening of this week. After the play there will be a dance.

Miss Lola Sargent, who has been employed as stenographer in the office of W. R. Aldrich at Orleans, has finished her labors there and will teach school the coming winter at East Enosburg.

Card of Thanks—We desire to extend our sincere thanks to those who by their sympathy and kindness assisted us in our recent bereavement. Mary E. McDuffee, Hattie A. McDuffee.

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