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### FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—My residence on Park St. Inquire of A. C. Chester, Barton, 12tf

WANTED AT ONCE—Girl for housework or office. Mrs. G. W. Goodro, Barton. 39tf

FOR SALE—Small place two miles from Orleans. Inquire Alvin Wood, Orleans. 39-42p

FOR SALE—My residence on East street. Will sell right if at once. L. K. Heath, Orleans. 37tf

FOR SALE—Pair young oxen well broken. Also several good grade Jersey heifers. J. J. Badger, Orleans. 38tf

FOR SALE—Three bay filly colts, two four years old and broken, one three years old. One new cedar tub. Alfred Brown, Orleans. 39tf

FOR SALE—Sawdust at our Brownington mill. As large load as you want for 25 cents. Chandler Company. 6tf

FOR SALE—Fine maple sugar in ten-pound pails at 12 cents and lined oil at 85 cents per gallon. F. W. Baldwin, Barton. 30tf

FOR SALE—A second hand pipe organ in perfect condition and of excellent tone, will be sold at a bargain. Inquire of Trustees of Congregational church, Orleans. 38-40

FOR SALE—Pianos, player-pianos, organs, violins, banjos, mandolins, sheet music and music books. Everything pertaining to music. "The Free" sewing machine, oil needles and repairs for all machines. A. R. Cowles, Barton. 33tf

FOR SALE—Runabout Stanley steamer in good condition; 4-year-old half Morgan sorrel colt; new road wagon, Ryan sleigh and harness. Going south for winter and will sell cheap for cash. Vt. Log Rules, \$1.00 postpaid. Geo. E. Colby, Greensboro Bend. 38-40p

### RENT

TO RENT—Tenement. H. T. Seaver, Barton. 39tf

TO RENT—Tenement with modern improvements for small family. E. M. Holtham, Orleans. 39tf

TO RENT—Newly repaired tenement for quiet family at reasonable price. A. F. French, Glover street, Barton. 38-40p

### WANTED.

WANTED—Fresh eggs and poultry. E. S. Kelley, Orleans. Tel. 123-13. 35tf

WANTED—Dressmaking. Mrs. Mudgett and Bernice Atwell, Barton. 38-39p

HAND SPINNERS WANTED—Rolls taken home to be spun. Barton Woolen Mill. 38tf

WANTED—Dressmaking by the day. Mrs. G. Lamoray, care Ryder Restaurant, Barton. 37tf

WANTED—Live poultry. Eggs not over week old. Erick, Express office, Barton. 18tf

HELP WANTED—A woman to do housework in family of three. Mrs. F. C. Williams, Newport. 25tf

WANTED—You to train for and accept a good position. Write for particulars. Nashua Business College, Nashua, N. H. 29-43p

WANTED—Farm-hand. Good wages to competent person. Address, M. M., R. F. D. 1, St. Johnsbury, Vt. 37tf

WANTED—Girl or woman to learn to operate Unotype typesetting machine. Apply Union-Journal office, Lyndonville. 38-40

WANTED—Boarding places for teachers and pupils of Orleans schools. Also places where high school pupils can enter their board. R. M. Wells or Prin. J. F. Smith Orleans. 33tf

### MISCELLANEOUS

FARMERS and POULTRY RAISERS—Wanted—Monday, Sept. 29, 1,000 lbs. fowls and chickens, 100 lambs, also calves, hogs, heaves and bologna cows. Dodge, Orleans. 1w

### At the Methodist Church.

Midweek prayer and praise service Thursday evening at 7.30. All are cordially invited.

Sunday services as follows: Morning worship at 10.45, followed by the Sunday school. Epworth League at 6 p. m., evening sermon at 7 o'clock.

Sept. 21 at the morning service at the M. E. church, Rev. Barnlund spoke from Matt. 5:3, "Be ye therefore perfect." A very difficult subject, remarkably well handled.

### Episcopal Mission Notes.

Services next Sunday in Modern Woodmen's hall at 10.45 a. m. All welcome.

## GOVERNOR APPOINTS POWERS.

Gov. Allen M. Fletcher has appointed George McLellan Powers of Morrisville, associate justice of the Vermont supreme court, as chief justice to succeed Chief Justice John W. Rowell of Randolph, who resigned to take effect September 30 after the longest term of service on the bench in the history of the state.

Superior Justice William H. Taylor of Hardwick is promoted to the place of Justice Powers on the supreme bench and former Lieut.-Gov. Leighton P. Slack of St. Johnsbury is named as superior justice.

George Powers was born at Hyde Park December 19, 1861. William Taylor was born at Wheelock July 18, 1863. Leighton P. Slack was born at Woodstock June 18, 1867.

## Congregational Church Notes.

Miss Jessie Comstock takes the place of Miss Seaver as junior superintendent.

The supper given by the Ladies' society on Wednesday evening was well attended and a success socially and financially. Guests from Montreal, Chicago and Boston were present.

Rev. Mr. Garvin of Craftsbury gave an impressive sermon Sunday upon the life of Jacob, showing the wonderful effects of persistency in a life that has been wrong but started anew toward right living.

The annual meeting of the Foreign Missionary society will be held with Mrs. F. W. Baldwin Friday afternoon, Sept. 30. Everyone interested in the work is invited to be present, especially the home missionary society.

At a union service Sunday evening, Miss Eliza Sessions told in an interesting manner of the noble work being done at the Krum Hattin Homes at Westminster for the homeless and neglected boys of Vermont. No one could remain unconvinced of the importance of this work which is preventive rather than reformatory. Special music was furnished by the choir and solos given by Mrs. A. R. Robinson and Alvin Jewell.

## BARTON.

Frank May is ill with sciatica.

Miss Clemma Buck is visiting in Troy.

Miss Annie Wright is reported as gaining.

Miss Enna Goss of Orleans visited in town Tuesday.

George Katen is very ill, also Mrs. Homer Potter.

E. W. Barron has had a new roof put on his block.

Mr. and Mrs. Ceylon Prescott went to Boston Tuesday.

Miss Clara Buswell has been in Boston the past week.

Mrs. F. H. Pillsbury visited last week in St. Johnsbury.

Mrs. A. R. Cowles, who fell a short time ago, is improving.

Mrs. H. J. Hubbard of Lyndonville is visiting at John Urie's.

Mrs. C. A. Currier returned Friday to her home in Philadelphia.

Frank Tower was at Pike Station, N. H., Saturday on business.

Rev. W. A. Warner was in Craftsbury for a part of last week.

Mrs. B. H. Fairbanks is assisting in Lang's store during invoicing.

Mrs. Helen Daniels of Waterbury is visiting her brother, Wm. Norris.

Mrs. Flint of Brownington is visiting her daughter, Mrs. A. W. Buswell.

Mrs. A. M. Beach is suffering from a sprained arm, the result of a fall.

See my advertisement on page three of this paper. Annie P. Strobridge.

F. J. Batchelder of Concord, N. H., visited this week at M. H. Brunning's.

Mrs. F. R. Buck and son Robert have been visiting recently in Charleston.

Regular meeting of Orient Chapter No. 13, O. E. S., Friday evening at 7.30.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Hanson were guests of friends in South Albany last week.

Mrs. Will Miller of Greensboro is visiting her father, Myron Miller, for a time.

Miss Mattie Hall of St. Johnsbury is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Rowell.

Miss Eliza Sessions of Westminster is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Seaver.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Smith of St. Johnsbury visited this week at M. W. Elliott's.

Mrs. Joe Batchum and son have moved into one of R. P. Webster's tenements.

Albert Morrill of Park street was in Morgan and Island Pond on business this week.

Dr. F. R. Hastings is entertaining his mother, Mrs. Eastwood Hastings, of Duluth.

Mrs. Chester King and daughters of Passumpsic were recent visitors at G. King's.

Varnum Abbott takes the position left vacant by John Campbell in the Barton store.

Mrs. Sarah Powell is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Clayton Burroughs, of St. Johnsbury.

Rev. W. A. Warner officiated at the funeral of Rutledge Lewis in West Glover Tuesday.

## COW PROFITS DOUBLED

Says T. G. Bronson of East Hardwick in an article on Vermont Cow Testing Associations in N. E. Homestead.

The New England Homestead of Sept. 13, contains an article by T. G. Bronson of East Hardwick, president of the Vermont Dairyman's association and quite a noted breeder and dairyman in this section of Vermont. The article has to do with cow testing associations and reviews the work of cow testing in Vermont for the past three years, declaring that as a result of testing many dairies have doubled the profits returned to the owner.

The Monitor is somewhat surprised not to find the associations of Orleans county mentioned because Orleans county leads in cow testing associations. T. H. Moran of Jericho, who has charge of cow test associations in this state under the agricultural department, writes the Monitor: "Orleans county has more associations than any other county in Vermont." Mr. Bronson says he asked every association of the state for a summary of their work but failed to receive replies from several. Our associations should take pains to get all the publicity possible. Mr. Bronson says:

It was the necessity of a large income or bankruptcy that compelled the Danish farmer to adopt improved methods of dairying and get more from his cows, which he did through what is known as the cow testing association. The cow testing idea has spread to other European countries, until there are thousands in Denmark, Sweden, Norway, Germany, Russia, Finland and Holland, with a corresponding increase of profits. The reports of American investigators in Europe show that the influence of the cow testing associations has had an uplifting influence on all phases of farming. The young people take a livelier interest in the farm and are more content to remain in rural communities.

In the dairies themselves there has been a steady increase of production and a lessening of cost per pound. A notable instance of this is in the dairy of August Kinch of Beltsberg, Sweden. In a herd of 70 cows the milk yield was 7320 pounds, butter fat, 245 pounds. Only 28 of these cows were considered worthy to remain in the herd. From these 28 the heifers were raised to build up the herd. Ten

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Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Kimball of Newtonville, Mass., called on friends in town this week.

Robert French and family of St. Johnsbury were guests this week of Mrs. Nancy Merrill.

Nine young people went to Irasburg Friday evening to attend Mr. Smith's evangelistic meeting.

Frank Liddell received serious injury to his eye from gravel thrown by a horse he was driving.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Clark of Schenectady, N. Y., are guests of her cousin, Mrs. F. D. Pierce.

Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Skinner and Mrs. Harley Wheeler visited Morrisville the first of the week.

Mrs. Merton Lewis of West Burke is in town to help in the care of her mother, Mrs. Joseph Elliott.

Mrs. Dina Hitchcock has moved into the Katen tenement on the street leading to the Duck Pond road.

Mrs. C. D. Folsom of Boston is visiting her mother, Mrs. Nancy Merrill, and other relatives.

H. C. Gay and E. R. Cook have moved their household goods from their camp across Crystal lake.

Mrs. Zuar Hanson and Mrs. C. S. Webster spent a few days last week with friends in East Craftsbury.

Adolphus Brooks is moving into the Geo. Barstow house on Lake street, recently purchased by F. H. Foster.

Miss Agnes Gallop, who has been at Miss Elma May's for two months, has returned to her home in Montreal.

Mrs. Strobridge has sold her millinery goods to Mrs. Vercoe and will close out her entire stock of goods.

Carl Stone of Edmonton, Alberta, a former student of Barton academy, called on friends in town this week.

Amory Seaver, Frank Corley and Ralph King went Monday to Burlington to take up their work at U. V. M.

Mrs. Best, formerly Miss Florence Page, and two children of Boston are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Eliza Randall.

Miss Dora Phillips of Lyndonville visited her sisters, Misses Mattie and Vera Phillips, here the first of the week.

Fay Wheeler was taken to St. Johnsbury Monday, where by means of the X-ray it was discovered that both bones of the ankle were broken, the result of a fall Sunday. The fractures were reduced and Fay was brought home yesterday.

The Epworth League of the Methodist church gave a very pleasant informal reception Wednesday evening to the high school faculty and students. Music, readings and games made up the program and refreshments were served. Orange and black was very prominent in the decorations and many banners added to the attractiveness of the scene.

Mrs. Charles Woodbridge of Swampscott, Mass., with her daughter Margaret, is visiting her brother, Ora Willard.

Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Webster visited Miss Vera Webster last week at Lebanon, N. H., and attended the state fair.

Mrs. C. H. Spaulding, Miss Lida Warner and Miss Aftian Scott have been spending several days in camp in Sutton.

Miss Dutton, a teacher in the graded school, spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Fairbanks in West Burke.

## COUNTY COURT.

The attention of the court has been taken up this last week with the case of Dailey vs Swift & Co., for damages alleged to have been received by the plaintiff while in the employ of the defendant company. Dailey was working upon the platform of the ice house and in some way fell to the ground a distance of about twenty feet, receiving injuries from which he has never recovered. The jury after due consideration returned a verdict of \$1800 for the plaintiff. Grout & Grout and Geo. B. Young appeared for Dailey and W. A. Dane and C. C. Fitts for Swift & Co. This case has been before the court three times but has never reached the jury until this term of court. The next case for trial was J. H. Silsby & Co., vs. C. A. Kinsley which is a suit for trespass, involving the parties in a land damage suit. As all other land cases it is expected to be of some length. Young & Young and Redmond for Kinsley.

## School Notes.

Prof. H. J. Stannard and his class in Latin spent a profitable day Wednesday at the state fair studying exhibits of farm machinery, stock and products.

Seaver '10, Corley '10, Jewell '12 and Scott, Leiland and King '13, visited school this week.

Miss Ferrin, Miss Renfrew and Prof. Thomas Card are located at Hotel Barton, Miss Dutton at Mrs. Mossman's, Miss Ruggles at Mrs. Charles Pierce's and Miss Constock at Albert Webster's.

## Sunday Morning Fire.

The fire alarm aroused the village about 7 o'clock Sunday morning and called the fire companies to the dry kiln of the tub shop which was ablaze. It had made such a start on this building that little attempt was made to bring the kiln itself and the attention of the fire-fighters turned to checking the flames and preventing its spreading to other buildings and the tub shop itself. The fire was thus kept under control until it had exhausted itself and no further damage was done. The loss is several thousand dollars, the insurance on this property being over \$2000.

Mrs. A. M. Vercoe has been to market this week. Miss Clara Buswell is working for Mrs. Vercoe in her millinery store.

Mrs. A. E. Martinsen of New York is visiting her daughter, Mrs. O. H. Martinsen. They expect to go to New York this week.

Charles Davis and family have been at Derby Line for a few days, called there by the illness of Mrs. Davis's father, Emery Bellville.

A. A. Cook, who left Friday for a vacation in New York, was recalled Tuesday by a telegram because of the fire at the tubshop Sunday.

The following letters remain un-called for the postoffice. Please say advertised when calling for these letters. Wm. B. DeLay, W. S. Green, Mr. I. LeClair.

Miss Gertrude Chandler, teacher of mathematics in the graded schools of New York city, has been spending a few weeks with her mother, Mrs. Frank Chandler.

Carroll J. Piper of Charleston and Maude L. Tatro of Westmore were married at the Congregational parsonage Tuesday, Sept. 23 by the Rev. W. A. Warner.

Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Drown and Mr. and Mrs. Chester Simpson of Lyndonville toured the White Mountains last week, visiting Hanover and Montpelier.

There will be an important special meeting of the Woman's Literary club on Monday evening at the reading room. Will each member kindly make a special effort to attend?

The real estate and personal property of the late Marie P. Stockwell, situated near the freight depot, will be sold at public auction on Tuesday afternoon at one o'clock. See bills.

Mrs. Leonard Fayer and little son, Maurice, started Thursday for their home in Moose Jaw, Sask., after spending the summer with Mrs. Fayer's sister, Miss Harriet Austin.

Mrs. Walter McFarlane is visiting Mrs. James McFarlane. She goes later to Woodstock where she will visit her son Erwin and will spend the winter in Waterbury with her daughter, Mrs. Knowles.

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## VILLAGE FIRE SWEEP

East Berkshire Loses Seven Buildings in a \$40,000 Fire. Dynamite Used to Stop Flames.

Practically the entire business part of East Berkshire village was swept by fire early Tuesday, a loss of \$40,000 being sustained. Seven buildings were destroyed including the hotel. Fifteen guests in the hotel had just time to get out after snatching up their clothing. The fire broke out at three o'clock in the barn connected with the hotel, and the cause is not known. It is said that a man applied at the hotel for lodging last night and was not accommodated in the house, but was sent to the barn. He was not seen the next morning.

## White-McLellan.

E. J. White and Miss Sarah McLellan were married at the Congregational parsonage Wednesday evening of last week by Rev. W. A. Warner. Both Mr. and Mrs. White have resided in Barton for a number of years and have the best wishes of a large circle of friends. Mr. White is one of our popular R. F. D. carriers. Mrs. White is a talented singer and both are held in the highest esteem.

## COVENTRY

C. O. Litchfield is attending court in Newport.

Mrs. Ira Wheelock has been ill but is gaining.

Mrs. Esther Hancock has been ill the past week.

J. G. Kidder returned from his western trip today.

L. Trudeau, who has been ill, is able to be about again.

Mr. and Mrs. Leiland Hermon were in Irasburg Monday.

Ralph Kelley and Ralph West will sing at the M. E. church Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Wilder of Newport visited relatives in town last week.

Bert Bean and C. E. Perry attended the state fair at White River Junction last week.

Earl Metcalf of Concord spent Sunday at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Metcalf.

Mrs. Eben Stevens was called to Richmond last week by the serious illness of her son, Eben Stevens.

Mrs. Cleveland, who has been visiting her son, Vester Cleveland, has returned to her home in Coaticook.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Burt of Irasburg called on Mrs. A. J. Hancock Saturday. Mrs. Hancock is in very poor health.

True & Blanchard's men of Newport have been in town doing plumbing work for G. J. Benware and A. D. Thurber.

Rev. M. W. Hale and Rev. E. B. Harris and others attended the evangelistic meetings at Irasburg last week.

On account of the state convention at Burlington the October meeting of the W. C. T. U., will be Oct. 14th instead of the 7th.

Mrs. Lucia Tite has gone to South Newport to help care for her little nephew, Guy Parker, who is seriously ill with typhoid pneumonia.

Rev. M. W. Hale, Rev. E. B. Harris, Mrs. Mary Best, Mrs. W. E. Niles and J. P. Wheelock attended the Sunday school convention at Orleans yesterday.

The ladies of the Needlebook club will hold their fair Oct. 7th and 8th. All those who are planning to give articles to help will please hand them in before that date.

The many friends of Mrs. L. J. Phelps were very sorry to learn of her death, at her home in Newport. She has been a great sufferer for many weeks but has been so patient and cheerful through it all. Much sympathy is felt for Mr. Phelps and children.

All those who can give something to help the Rixford family, who lost everything by fire two weeks ago Sunday, are requested to leave the articles at the home of Mrs. Kate Hancock before Saturday the 27th. "Freely ye have received, freely give."

The funeral of Alonzo T. Brooks, whose death was mentioned last week, was held in the Congregational church, Friday afternoon, Sept. 12. The services were in charge of the Masonic order, of which Mr. Brooks was a member. Rev. M. W. Hale offered prayer. Two hymns were sung by a quartet consisting of Miss Mabel Ware, Mrs. H. C. Cleveland, A. D. Thurber and Walter Cleveland. Mr. Brooks was a very quiet, unassuming man and had many friends to mourn his loss. He was 74 years of age. He leaves one sister, Mrs. F. Black of Newport and one brother, A. C. Brooks of this place and other relatives. Several members of the Masonic Lodge at Irasburg were present to attend the funeral.

## GREENSBORO

Several from this town attended the state fair last week.

Mrs. Dewing of Glover is helping to care for Geo. D. Silver.

Will Bates and family are spending a week with friends in Williston.

Geo. D. Silver, who has been more comfortable for a few days, is again very ill.

Mrs. S. T. Achenbach and Mrs. Flora Miller went Friday to Enosburg to visit friends.

## BROWNINGTON

Harold Hawse is attending school at Orleans.

Edgar Kahlstrom recently visited in St. Johnsbury.

Max Newton visited friends in St. Johnsbury last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Grow were in North Troy over Sunday.

Miss Ida Ingalls of Sutton visited Ethel Newton last week.

Wm. Davies was in Barton on business the first of the week.

Mrs. Fred Hitchens visited her daughter in Morgan last week.

Henry Newton was at home from his school in Lyndon over Sunday.

Miss Ida Ingalls is visiting her sister, Mrs. Will Barnum, this week.

Mrs. Geo. Burroughs is visiting her sister, Mrs. Clark, in Andover, Mass.

Owen Ingalls of Sutton visited his daughter, Mrs. Will Barnum last week.

Mrs. H. W. Pierce of Grayville, Tenn., visited at Arthur Taylor's last week.

Several from this place attended the state fair last week and reported a fine time.

Moses Burbank has sold the farm recently purchased of Wm. Cheney to Ben Bowden.

Mrs. Geo. Litchfield is in Canada caring for her daughter, Mrs. Booth, who is very ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Clark of North Hyde Park visited at Arthur Taylor's recently.

Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Newton and Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Dutton visited relatives in White River last week.

Mrs. Angie Day, who has been at W. G. Dutton's the past week, has returned to Orleans to work for Mrs. Jennie Jones.

Leslie Dutton was at home from Lyndon several days last week on account of illness but returned to his work Monday.

The Ladies' Aid society will serve supper at the academy hall Thursday evening, after which a program of special music, etc., will be rendered. Proceeds to go for new church pews.

## GREENSBORO CENTER

Helen Smith has returned to her work at Orleans.