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### FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Shotes. C. F. Cutler, Park street, Barton. 50tf

FOR SALE—One dandy Canadian sleigh. L. K. Heath, Orleans. 50-52

FOR SALE—Remington typewriter, \$15. Good as new. R. L. Wilson, Orleans. 1wp

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FOR SALE—Registered Berkshire boar Blue ribbon at Barton fair, 1913. Price right. W. S. McDowell, Evansville. 49tf

FOR SALE—One second hand Chickering piano, \$45. Good make square, \$25. F. M. Hunt Piano Co., Orleans. 51 52p

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

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### TO RENT

TO RENT—Tenement for small family. Miss Holtham, Orleans. 48tf

TO RENT—Tenement on Highland avenue. All modern conveniences. S. D. Lester, Barton. 48tf

### WANTED

WANTED—Washings and first class laundry. Mrs. Hattie Tate. 49tf

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

WANTED—Rags, old rubber, sacks, calf skins and stiffs, waste paper, old metals, etc. Am paying extra price. B. Cohen, Barton. 51-52

MEN WANTED—To learn the auto business in our garage and prepare to fill positions driving and repairing. Write at once, stating age, Maine Auto Co., Taylor street Garage, Portland, Me. 50 4

NOTICE—Will take stock Monday, January 12 and 26. W. E. Hanson.

NOTICE—Upholstering, furniture, carriages and sleighs. R. E. Liddell, Barton, Vt. 52tf

Skinner, French & Co., of Orleans have another car of old, growth cedar shingles. Bunches are full count. 42tf

FARMERS' NOTICE—Will buy stock on the following dates only, Dec. 15 and 29, Jan. 12 and 26, Feb. 9 and 23, March 9 and 23. Dodge, Orleans. 49tf

If you take magazines, farm papers or any periodicals it will pay you to drop a postal card to the Monitor for its special periodical price list. It will save you money on every order. It's free for the asking.

Pianos, Player Pianos, Organs, Banjos, Guitars, Viols, Accordeons, Harmonicas, Sheet Music, Strings, Fiddles, Stands, Rolls, Satchels, Music and everything pertaining to music. A. R. Cowles, Barton. 50tf

At the Methodist Church.

Tonight at 7:30 there will be exercises by the Sunday school, with a Christmas tree. Children please be in their seats ready to begin on time.

Services on Sunday as follows: Morning worship at 10:45, subject of sermon, "How to Win in the New Year." Sunday school at 12:15. Epworth League at 6 p. m. Evening prayer service and sermon at 7 o'clock. The sermon will be the sixth in the series on the Letter to the Hebrews. The Christmas exercises will be held at the church on Wednesday evening at 7:30. All are most cordially invited to all the above services and exercises.

Sunday at 10:45, the pastor preached an able and scholarly sermon from the familiar text, "God so loved the world that He gave His only begotten son." In the evening he gave the fifth in the series of sermons on Letter to the Hebrews, giving new light on some obscure passages.

For the first selection the choir sang, "In Heavenly Love Abiding," and for offertory a beautiful Christmas anthem, assisted by C. S. Webster, violin. In the evening Alvin Jewell sang a fine solo, "There is a River," composed by Rev. A. B. Blake.

## Barton to Have Moving Picture Theatre

Ora Caron and F. D. Pierce have purchased the property commonly known as the "Foster place" just north of the Pierce & Barrows block and will transform the house into a moving picture theatre where nightly shows will be held. This is a fine location for such an enterprise. They hope to complete arrangements so that operations will begin early in January.

## Wrestling Match.

There will be a wrestling match at Lang's athletic rooms December 30 between Charles Leonard of Barton and George Turner of St. Albans. Leonard has defeated such men as Kid Dyeon of Lewiston, Me., young Connors of St. Johnsbury, Bob Doby of St. Albans, Harry Morse of Plattsburgh, N. Y., John Forrest of Rochester, N. H., George Manosh of Farnham and many other good grapplers. He is well known through Vermont and has never been defeated by a man of his weight, and claims to hold the championship at 130 pounds of Vermont and bars no one of his weight. Mr. Turner is said to be one of New England's best men and is known as a fast and clever grappler and bars no one. This probably will be one of the fastest and cleverest matches ever pulled off in this section, as both men will be in perfect shape and a good side bet to wrestle for means a good deal and winner to take all. This certainly will be a battle royal. There will be some fast preliminaries. Glendon Govro challenges any 110 pound boy. Don't fail to see this exhibition as a good attendance will bring good men in town to you, s. o. rts. Admission 25 cents. Ladies free. Wrestling at 8 o'clock sharp.

## What War Costs.

A secretary of a peace association says: "The college education of a boy or girl, \$1700, goes up in smoke every time one of the big guns on a warship is fired. We often hear it said that the discipline of the navy is a fine thing for boys, but as a matter of fact six per cent interest on the value of one dreadnought would keep every one of them in colleges or technical schools where they might be taught some really useful trade. One per cent interest on the value of a dreadnought would pay the combined salaries of the college presidents of the country. The cost of all these things is so stupendous that we can't realize it. If the war of Europe were piled up in \$1 bills it would make a stack 104 miles high. All the books in all the libraries in the United States are not worth as much as one warship."

## BARTON

Judge Miles has returned from Hyde Park.

Geo. R. Scott has been ill the past week.

Miss Elida Bragg is visiting in St. Albans.

Miss Annie Wright is reported improving.

Charles Hammond has returned from Concord.

Geo. Johnson was in Newport Monday.

C. O. Osha is visiting his parents in Randolph.

Charles Grow is in Montreal on business.

The tub shop is closed until logs can be obtained.

Howard Dow was in Woodsville, N. H., Thursday.

Harley Leland is home from Lyndon for a few days.

The bank will be closed tomorrow, Christmas day.

Flossie Newcity is visiting relatives in Montgomery.

Ida Wright has returned to her home in West Glover.

Miss Ruth Wheeler was in St. Johnsbury Saturday.

Our college boys have arrived home for the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Maxwell are visitors in town.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Norris were in Evansville Sunday.

Mrs. M. H. Brunning was in St. Johnsbury Saturday.

A. A. Larabee is working in Crafts-bury for a few days.

Mrs. McGorty and sons are visiting in Woodsville, N. H.

Gertrude and Gladys Chandler are home for the holidays.

Miss Mary Wheeler spent Sunday with friends in Danville.

Mrs. Della Willson was a recent guest of relatives in Evansville.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Heath visited relatives in Orleans Wednesday.

Geo. Gorham and family have moved to a tenement on Glover street.

Mrs. G. F. McGoff is entertaining her brother, Mr. Dane of Cabot.

Mrs. Helen Laurin Holden visited Mrs. Charles Barrows last week.

Beatrice Buck is assisting in Freeman's bakery during the holidays.

The Schubert club gave an entertainment at Evansville Friday evening.

V. F. Hunter is moving his goods to his new location in the King block.

Roseco C. Smith of Barre is here to spend the holidays with his parents.

Florence Cutting is spending a few days at her home in Haverhill, N. H.

William Williams, who was reported critically ill, is still confined to his bed.

Mrs. W. J. Cooper visited her sister, Mrs. T. M. Buzzo, in Orleans Wednesday.

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

Wava Boucher is visiting her grandfather, Henry Boucher, for a short time.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis McVicker went yesterday to Boston for a three weeks' visit.

Ray H. Emery of Westfield, Mass., visited A. A. Hawkins a part of last week.

Geo. Chocain is preparing timber for a new barn to be built in the spring.

Miss Kate Ferrin has gone to her home in Holland for the Christmas vacation.

## Flowers Puts Us in Christmas Spirit.

Montaville Flowers interpreted the great Dickens Christmas Carol story to a good sized audience of Iveson course goers at Seaver's hall last evening and the universal judgment is that for a thing of its kind, Mr. Flowers' reading was the best that ever appeared in town. Mr. Flowers is more than a reader. His illustrative acting is so fine that one character after another is presented to his audience on the stage. Last evening Mr. Flowers presented Scrooge, his nephew Bob Cratchett, the ghost of Marley, the other spirits and a dozen less noted characters in this great Christmas story in rapid succession, covering the heart of the whole story in an hour and a half. Through it all the audience was led with intent interest, moved almost to tears at times and again swayed to laughter. Dickens' great story will be better understood hereafter by Mr. Flowers' hearers and the Christmas spirit more nearly hold out the year around.

## Congregational Church Notes.

Sunday evening a choir of 20 young people sang Christmas music.

Remember the Christmas tree exercises by the children this evening at 7 p. m.

The class studying Mexico will meet at Mrs. Seaver's Monday evening. The lesson is the chapter on "Political Evolution."

Rev. W. A. Warner will preach an extemporaneous sermon Sunday morning. His subject will be, "The Possible Harm of a Half Truth."

At the Christmas service Sunday morning a double quartette, assisted by A. Slayton Lang, furnished beautiful music. The pastor preached an inspiring sermon.

The congregation is invited to the C. E. social in the vestry on New Year's eve. A musical and literary program is being prepared. No admission charge. The Epworth League has accepted an invitation to attend.

R. D. Carriers Invited to St. Johnsbury

The Caledonia county rural carriers invite the carriers of Orleans county to their annual meeting, to be held at Sheldon's hotel, St. Johnsbury, Jan. 1, 1914 at 10 a. m.

H. O. Allen, President.

## Vermont Notes.

Dr. John W. Hatch, principal of Montpelier seminary, who has returned from the parish here, arrived Saturday afternoon. Twenty-seven members of the Board of Education of the Methodist Episcopal church in New York city, has secured \$2000 for the seminary, \$1000 to be used to defray current expenses and the other \$1000 towards the \$30,000 debt. This is considered to be a liberal allowance, considering the fact that applications were made to the amount of \$500,000 and there was only \$50,000 to apply on these requests.

There are many fine store windows in town this year but for genuine uniqueness the Batchelder window perhaps may be given first place. The Lang window is also very attractive as is always the case.

The public is invited to the New Year's social in the Congregational church vestry Wednesday evening of next week. There will be vocal and instrumental music, readings, games and a general good time. No admission.

Among the boys who are home for Christmas are Robert Scott, Hiram McLellan, and Maurice Leland of Dartmouth; Amory Seaver, Frank Corley and Ralph King of U. V. M.; Harley Leland of Lyndon Institute, Slayton Lang of Dean academy and John Campbell of Pratt Institute.

The Christmas meeting of the Afternoon Study club was held at the home of Mrs. C. A. Barrows Thursday afternoon. Twenty-seven members and seven visitors were present. A very enjoyable program had been prepared consisting of a reading, "As the World Was at the First Christmas," Mrs. Pearson; reading, "The Christmas Tree's Story" by Laura Spencer Porer, Mrs. Florence Pierce; and the singing of beautiful Christmas carols, entitled "A Virgin Unspotted," "God Rest Ye Merry Gentlemen," "Holy Night, Peaceful Night," "Oh, Little Town of Bethlehem," by Mrs. Stannar, Miss Wheeler, Mrs. Barrows, Mrs. Blanche Webster, Mrs. Baldwin and Mrs. Cowles. The gifts on the well-laden Christmas tree were distributed affording much pleasure to all. Quite a generous sum of money and other articles were donated to be distributed as the committee thought best.

ALBANY

Merry Christmas and Happy New Year.

Mrs. Carrie Goss is visiting at J. A. Brown's.

Mrs. Julia Day was a visitor in Newport Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Newton were visitors in Barton Saturday.

Mrs. Finn and Miss Jenkins were visitors in Orleans Saturday.

E. G. Darling went to New York last week to be gone for some time.

D. H. Hackett and Lucile Anderson were in Orleans the first of the week.

There will be union services and Christmas trees at the Congregational church Thursday evening, Dec. 25.

SOUTH ALBANY

Christmas tree at M. E. church Friday night.

EAST ALBANY

Josie Centobar will keep house for Father Griffin.

John Durkin is working in Barton gathering cream.

Fred Hughes is at home from Boston to spend Christmas.

Ralph Wells expects to go to Boston soon where he has been hired to work in a restaurant.

Mrs. Edward Farrell is slowly recuperating from her long sickness. Mrs. Will Gainsgar is caring for her.

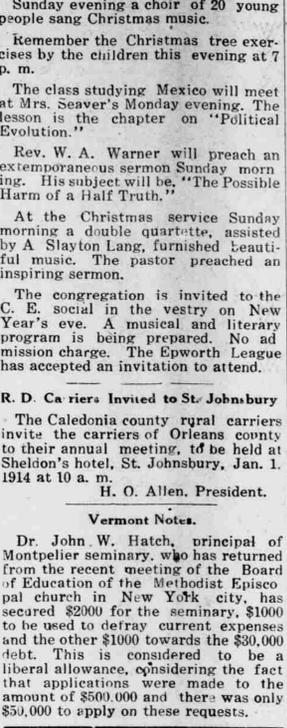
Jesse Farr has recently bought and taken possession of the farm known as the Sim Smalley place, of Clyde Eldridge, paying \$550 for it.

Mr. and Mrs. Rollin Chapin who hired out to Mrs. Cameron last spring for six months have finished their labors and returned to their home.

Sadie Longe is at home from Lyndonville for the holidays. Miss Longe is taking a commercial course of study at Lyndon Institute and this is her last year.

Isaac Longe, who went from here about a month ago to spend the winter with his daughter in Bakersfield, Cal.,

## Waiting for Santa Claus



reports that he reached there safely, after having a very pleasant trip. He stopped a week at Pittsfield, Mass., to visit relatives.

Father A. C. Griffin, who was recently sent from Barre to take charge of the parish here, arrived Saturday and preached a very able discourse as his opening sermon. He will also assume charge of the churches at Irasburg or Orleans, preaching at those places and here, alternately.

## BROWNINGTON CENTER

E. A. Emerson was in Lowell Tuesday.

Mrs. Mary Smith is visiting in Orleans.

Lennie Houston is working for E. M. Porter.

Mrs. Jack Woods spent last week in Charleston.

Mrs. Della Brown of Glover is visiting her uncle, Edgar Powers.

Mrs. L. N. Lund spent Thursday and Friday with friends in Orleans.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Canning spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Fox.

The body of Mrs. Brown of Evansville was brought here and buried last week.

The annual donation and oyster supper for the benefit of Rev. Smith will be held at the town hall Friday evening, Jan. 2. Let every one come. There will be music, entertainment and a general good time. Ladies please furnish for the table.

## EVANSVILLE

A son was born recently to Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Woodard.

Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Maxfield of Derby were here to attend the funeral of Mrs. J. W. Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Brown of Lawrenceville, P. Q., were called here last week to attend the funeral of Mrs. Brown's aunt, Mrs. J. W. Brown.

The entertainment given by the men Friday evening was well attended and the talk by Rev. Mr. Smithers and the entertainment by the Schubert club of Barton much enjoyed and appreciated.

Mrs. Louise Brown died at her home here on Dec. 16 of cancer. She had been ill about three years. Mrs. Brown was born in Waterloo, P. Q., Jan. 7, 1842. After marrying James W. Brown in 1859 at Melbourn, P. Q., she moved to Vermont 48 years ago, first to Barton and later to this place and at the time of her death was one of the oldest residents of the place. She leaves one son, Urbin W. Brown, and two sisters, Mrs. A. Wilkie of Barton and Mrs. M. B. Geere of Los Angeles, Cal. The funeral was held from the home on Dec. 18. Rev. Geo. Smith officiating and interment was in the Brownington Center cemetery.

We wish to thank the neighbors and friends who so kindly assisted us through the sickness and death of our loved one.

Urbin W. Brown, Grace A. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. A. Wilkie.

## COVENTRY

Mrs. Ann Porter is very feeble.

Mrs. Sylvester has gone to Nashua, N. H.

Dan Buck and Annie Sanville were married Wednesday.

Mrs. Charles Chapman has returned from a visit to St. Johnsbury.

Miss Myra Douglass of Bradford is visiting her sister, Mrs. James Labell.

Miss Nina Boynton visited her brother, Ernest, in Sheffield last week.

Carroll Brooks of Newport spent Sunday with his father, W. C. Brooks.

Nelson Jones has gone to Johnson. He expects to return soon with a bride.

Mrs. W. F. Scott and Miss Kate Stevens of Orleans were in town yesterday.

Walter Cleveland is home for his Christmas vacation from Cornell university.

Raymond King of St. Johnsbury is visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. P. S. Hitchcock.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Smith have gone to North Woodstock, N. H., to visit their daughter, Mrs. Fred Smith.

Will Thurber and his mother, Mrs. L. M. Thurber, have gone to keeping house over A. D. Thurber's store.

Invitations are out for the marriage of Miss Mary Brooks, formerly of this place, to Fred Frasier of West Burke. Congratulations.

Arthur Webster and Etta Barlow, both of East Coventry are another bridal couple. Wedding bells are ringing thick and fast in Coventry these days.

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## GREENSBORO

Miss Emma Lindsay is assisting in the postoffice during the holidays.

The students attending Crafts-bury academy will be home Wednesday to spend the holiday vacation of ten days.

P. A. Gilmore of Cabot gave an interesting reading at grange hall Wednesday evening, which was well attended.

Monday, Dec. 29, there will be a special meeting held at Caspian Lake grange, the third and fourth degrees will be exemplified by the ladies' degree team.

The union meeting held at the Congregational church Sunday evening conducted by W. H. Jefferys, was largely attended and considerable interest manifested.

## GREENSBORO BEND

Deputy Sheriff W. G. Jones of Johnson was here on business Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Pope were in St. Johnsbury Thursday.

Will Graham was taken seriously ill Friday night but is considered better.

Mrs. A. C. Chase, who has been sick in bed for over a week, is improving slowly.

Thomas H. Hawkins and Mrs. Kate Batchelder are spending a week with her Hoskins' parents in Canada.

J. A. King has moved his family and goods from the Amsten tenement to the Wilson tenement at Greensboro village.

At the regular meeting of Greens-boro Valley grange Tuesday evening, the following officers were elected: Master, M. L. Hutchins; overseer, A. C. Chase; lecturer, Mrs. Florence Vallencourt; steward, W. D. Hill; assistant steward, L. J. Forrest; chaplain, R. J. Shurtliff; secretary, Guy Garfield; treasurer, Mrs. E. S. Hill; gate keeper, George Anair; Ceres, Mrs. M. L. Hutchins; Pomona, Mrs. George Anair; Flora, Helen McFarland; lady assistant steward, Mrs. L. J. Forrest.

## HOLLAND

A. R. Hall was in Newport recently. George Rumery's family are all better.

Miss Evelyn Currier is in very poor health at this writing.

Laclair's hay press is in town doing good work for the farmers.

Kate Ferrin is at home from her school in Barton for the holidays.

Ella Cheney and son Leon of Derby Line are visiting her father, Hollis Stone.

Many of the Derby academy students are here enjoying their Christmas vacation.

Shirley Hall and Roxie Hall are home for a two weeks' vacation from Johnson normal school.

Arthur Harris of Underhill is at the home of his father, Rev. S. M. Harris, for the holidays.

Kenneth Harris has returned from Montpelier, where he has been taking examinations at Montpelier seminary the past week.

There will be a grange entertainment at the town hall, Dec. 30. A play and several readings and songs will be given. Proceeds are to go toward building the new hall. All come.

Mrs. Hannah Hall died Sunday morning, Dec. 21 at the home of her son, L. W. Hall, in Derby. Mrs. Hall was over ninety years old. She lived most of her life in Holland, a good woman whom all admired and respected. She brought up a large family of children and leaves to mourn her loss, Irad Hall of Chelmsford, Mass., Ernest Hall of Fitchburg, Mass., Albert Hall and Eugene Hall, Arminia Hall Whitehill of Groton, Mass., Mrs. Leslie Heath of Orleans and L. W. Hall of Derby Center, besides many grandchildren and a host of friends.

## LOWELL

Ben Derusha was in Newport the last of the week.

Miss Luna Bean is spending the week with her parents at Troy.

Miss Josephine Diette of St. Johnsbury is visiting her parents.

Mrs. E. A. Lynch has gone to Portland, Me., to visit relatives.

The pupils of the village school are enjoying a week's vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Parker and son of Troy were here Wednesday.

Mrs. Osmer Farman has gone to Woodsville, N. H., to spend the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Finn of Albany spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Kelley.

Mrs. May Warner has returned home after an absence of several weeks at Burlington and Morrisville.

Miss Davis of Newport, teacher in the Richards district, has gone to her home to spend the Christmas vacation.

Miss Helen Stephenson of Concord, N. H., is spending her vacation here with her parents. Miss Alice Stephenson is with her sister, Mrs. Harry Williamson, at Barton.

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## NOTICE

With the end of the year many hundred Monitor subscriptions expire. We urge prompt renewal.

Notices are being sent out as fast as possible to all whose time expires January 1 and with each notice is a coin mailer, a return envelope and all conveniences for sending money through the mail. We urge the use of these things. It will save YOU and US time, inconvenience, delay and possible annoyance. It pays to attend to renewals PROMPTLY.

With these notices is our price list on magazines and papers. It's worth considering.