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Advertisements will be inserted under this head on a non-refundable basis. Cash must accompany all ads. No advertising will be inserted for less than twenty-five cents.

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—A1 Day-old white Wyandotte chicks. Hazen Clark, Barton. 9tf

FOR SALE—Stale bread for hens. Elrick, Barton. 7tf

FOR SALE—One Registered Guernsey Bull. Cash or good note will be acceptable. W. E. Nye, Barton, Vt. 9-10p

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

FOR SALE—Smith and Barnes' right piano. Nearly new and in almost perfect condition. Price low. Amos R. Robinson, Barton. 10tf

FOR SALE—Or exchange for young stock, three small arches with evaporators, thousand good cedar buckets, quantity of sap holders. Latham & Hunt, Orleans. 5tf

FOR SALE—Two work teams, one pair brown geldings, six years old, also one pair blue roan mares, own sisters. All extra good workers. H. B. Chamberlin, Irasburg. 8tf

FOR SALE—4 ft. slab wood. We have about 500 cords of dry slabs located at our Irasburg mill and 500 cords at our Brownington mill. These slabs make fine sugar wood and can be purchased at the mill at \$1.25 per cord. The E. L. Chandler Co., Orleans. 8tf

BABY CHIX—from thorough-bred-to-lay-and-win-stock at right prices. You can not do better. Buying cheap chix is like stopping the clock to save time. Satisfaction guaranteed. R. C. Reels, White Wyandottes, White Leghorns, are \$15.00 per 100 chicks, or \$8.00 per 50. Barred Plymouth Rocks (Pittsfield Strain) 18 cents each. Order now, Lakeview Hatchery, Burlington, Vt. 7-10

MISCELLANEOUS.

NOTICE—Will take stock Monday, March 9 and 23. W. E. Hanson. 4tf

NOTICE—Hair Mattresses made over New couches for sale. E. C. Brennan, Orleans. 4tf

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

NOTICE—Dressmaker and ladies' tailoring. Mrs. Sarah Davidson, Brooks residence, Water street, Barton. 10-12p

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

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

SUGAR LABELS—Order them early. Our popular two color labels with state seal, cover the law fully. 500, \$1.25; 300, 1.05; 200, 90 cents; 100, 80 cents. Order may call for part sugar and part syrup. Labels delivered free, where cash accompanies the order. Monitor Press, Barton, Vt.

TO RENT

TO RENT—Tenement. G. A. Katen, Barton. 10tf

WANTED

WANTED—Teachers for village and rural schools. W. C. McGinnis, Supt., Troy, Vt. 9-10

WANTED—Board and lodging for two elderly men. S. A. Hunt, overseer, Barton. 10tf

WANTED—A chance to save you \$2.00 per ton on your fertilizer. R. P. Webster, Barton. 3tf

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

WANTED—Capable girl to wait on table and help with general housework. Apply A. C. Gallup, Echo Inn, East Charleston. 10-11

WANTED—Good home for little girl nine years old. Reference required. Call or write. L. F. Louks, Orleans, R. R. 3. Tel. 11-2. 8-10p

WANTED AT ONCE—A few more reliable men to learn to repair and drive autos and prepare to fill vacancies at salaries of \$15 to \$30 per week for spring. Write, stating age, Maine Auto Company, Taylor St., Garage, Portland, Me. 7-10

Notice to Auto Owners.

Acting under instructions from the Secretary of State, I wish to call attention of auto owners to the law requiring the registration of cars, use of number plates and use of lights. I am instructed to strictly enforce these laws.

All cars operated on highways MUST bear 1914 registration number plates, properly placed.

Pasteboard or other home-made number plates, used either by dealers or individuals, will not be permitted.

All cars must display two lighted lamps in front and one in the rear, at all times on the highway, whether standing or running, after forty-five minutes after sun down and before forty-five minutes before sunrise.

All violations of these laws which are reported to me, will result in prosecutions, and please bear in mind that the law is as much in force now as it will be next summer.

Truly,
A. H. Grant,
State's Attorney.

Barton Library Project.

Members of the Woman's Literary Club had often discussed the advisability of starting a fund for the building of a library at some future time and the first of this winter the matter was brought before the club at one of its meetings. Every member was interviewed and all favored the plan. It was learned that to hold and handle funds legally, there must be a corporation, therefore, the subject of incorporating the club was talked over and a committee chosen to investigate the matters relating thereto and report. The committee—composed of the following members—Mrs. Cutting, chairman, Mrs. Lida A. Atin, Mrs. Blake, Mrs. Stannard, Mrs. Batchelder, sought legal advice and in due time reported their findings to the club. The report was received favorably and the same committee empowered to take such steps as were necessary for incorporation.

Generous aid was given by our legal adviser, W. W. Reiden, with the result that a corporation is now complete, by-laws adopted, and officers elected in accordance therewith and with the laws of the state. The board of trustees is composed of Mrs. Cutting, president; Mrs. Wright, vice-president; Mrs. Blake, Mrs. Reiden, Mrs. Cutler, Mrs. Roystan, Mrs. Batchelder, clerk, Mrs. Pierce, treasurer. Mrs. Stannard, The Woman's Literary Club intends to continue its support of the reading room and aid to the library as it has done the past ten years. Any money the club may acquire over and above the necessary expenses, will be added to the library fund.

The club hope to, very soon, provide an entertainment for the benefit of this fund. They have also begun planning for a fair, to be given next fall for the same purpose.

The club take this method of informing the public of its undertaking that they may the more fully understand their position and the efforts being put forth in behalf of this cause. In all work along this line, generous support is needed, individually and collectively. If anyone is inclined to give, even a small sum to the support of this object, it will be thankfully received, and no sum is too small to be appreciated.

The Trustees.

George R. Scott.

The Monitor announced last week the sudden death of George R. Scott, a respected citizen of Barton for a number of years. Mr. Scott was born in the village of Orleans, January 6, 1856. During his early years his life is a story of a varied career, having lived in Pueblo, Colo., several years and also in Cambridge and Boston, Mass., and in Biddeford, Me., where he was married on December 25, 1890 to Miss Evelyn Donaldson. Mrs. Scott died in August, 1899 and since then their two children, Aftan L., and Robert D., have lived with their father, who cared for them as a father and mother, and cared for them well. Both are much respected young people of our town, Robert being a college student. In various places Mr. Scott engaged in active business. By trade he was a contractor and builder and had erected several houses in this place.

Early in life Mr. Scott united himself with the Congregational church and worked long and arduous for its upbuilding in this place, serving as superintendent of the Sunday school many years and in several other capacities in the church and its affiliations.

He was made fire chief of the village several years and his policy of progress has placed the Barton fire department in the forefront of efficiency. He led his men with vigor for the things that he believed to be right, for which they respected him and spared no pains to make the entire department a responsible department.

His last sickness was of a few months' duration, being taken in the late fall with what appeared to be a stomach trouble. He fought the trouble with his usual vigorous physical strength but he had at last met his conqueror and at the very last the end came suddenly, on Sunday morning, March 1, after 24 hours of unconsciousness.

The funeral was held from the Congregational church Wednesday afternoon, Rev. W. A. Warner, officiating. Firemen acted as bearers and the entire department attended in a body. The profusion of flowers spoke of the esteem in which he was held.

Besides the two children mentioned above he leaves a mother, three brothers and he has many friends both here and elsewhere.

Card—We wish to express our deep gratitude for the help and many kindnesses shown us in our late bereavement, also for the many beautiful flowers.

Aftan L. Scott,
Robert D. Scott,
F. E. Scott.

FARMERS' SCHOOL HERE

U. V. M. Extension Service Here from Monday to Friday. All Seasons Free.

The so-called agricultural extension school postponed from January because not enough farmers agreed to attend will be held in Barton next week beginning Monday afternoon and closing Friday afternoon. All sessions are free and all farmers who have signed or who have not signed the petition asking that such a school should be held should take advantage of this opportunity of attending free lectures, demonstrations, etc. These sessions will be held in Woodmen's hall, the fringe having made arrangements. The only thing that will prevent the holding of the school now is "sugging." The program will be similar to the following.

MONDAY, MARCH 16

1.30 Registration
2 How to Know Soil Needs, Director Bradlee

3 The Corn Crop, Prof. Jenks

TUESDAY

9 Composition and Properties of Milk, Mr. Moran

10 What the Cow Does with What She Eats, Mr. Deuel

11 Principles of Land Drainage, Director Bradlee

Afternoon

1 The Babcock Test, Mr. Moran

2 Clover and Alfalfa, Prof. Jenks

3 Principles and Practices of Tillage, Director Bradlee

7.30 Boys' and Girls' Club Work, Prof. Jenks

8.30 Clean Milk with Inexpensive Equipment, (lantern) Mr. Deuel

WEDNESDAY

9 Limes and Liming, Director Bradlee

10 Mixing and Balancing Rations, Mr. Deuel

11 The Hay Crop, Prof. Jenks

Afternoon

1 Roughages for Vermont, Mr. Deuel

2 Farm Manures, Prof. Jenks

3 Small Fruits, Prof. Cummings

7.30 Forest Planting for Jericho, Mr. Hall

8.30 Orchard Insects, (lantern) Prof. Cummings

THURSDAY

9 What Feeds Shall Farmers Buy? Mr. Deuel

10 Commercial Fertilizers, Director Bradlee

11 What a Cow Test Assn. Does for Its Members, Mr. Moran

Afternoon

1 Importance, Selection and Management of Herd Bull, Mr. Deuel

2 Maintaining Soil Fertility, Director Bradlee

3 Milk, Cream or Butter, Mr. Moran

7.30 Farms' Incomes, Director Bradlee

8.30 General Forestry, (lantern) Prof. Hawes

DEMONSTRATIONS

Sanitary Barn (Score Card), Mr. Deuel

Tuesday, 11, 1; Wednesday, 2

Babcock Test, Mr. Moran

Tuesday, 10, 11, 2, 3;

Wednesday, 9, 10, 11, 2, 3;

Thursday, 9, 1.

Stock Judging, Mr. Deuel

Wednesday, 9, 10, 12;

Thursday, 10, 2.

BARTON.

Julia King is ill with tonsillitis.

B. B. Blake remains quite sick.

Harry Locke is ill with tonsillitis.

Remember the schools open Monday next.

E. P. Wright of Newport Center is in town.

H. J. Stannard was ill the first of the week.

Robert Scott returned Monday to Dartmouth.

Mrs. Z. Marsh is visiting relatives in Glover.

Mrs. Fred Pierce is visiting friends in St. Johnsbury.

Raymond Willson of the bank force is enjoying a vacation.

Mrs. Peter Plunkett is the guest of relatives in Charleston.

Miss Mildred Lang is visiting relatives in East Charleston.

J. W. Murkland went to St. Johnsbury Tuesday on business.

Mrs. Homer Smith of St. Johnsbury is visiting relatives in town.

M. L. Aiken of Barre was the guest of Geo. C. Lang over Sunday.

Clarence and Rollin McGorty have gone to visit friends in Lowell.

Miss Mary Wheeler is visiting relatives in West Somerville, Mass.

Miss Lucile Hobson returns tomorrow to her school at Morrisville.

Mrs. Charles McFarlane is slowly recovering from an attack of grip.

Mrs. Cecile Bullard of Rochester, N. Y., is visiting at W. A. Roystan's.

Miss Agnes Davis of Sutton has been spending a short time in town.

Clifton Day left Tuesday, for Lowell, Mass., where he will visit relatives.

Mrs. Carrie Huntress of Charleston visited at A. A. Larabee's last week.

C. O. Osha is in town again to take up his work for H. T. Seaver with the Sharples milker and other goods.

LIVELY VILLAGE MEETING.

The following officers were elected at a largely attended village meeting in Seaver's hall last evening: F. D. Thompson, moderator; L. M. Hubbard, clerk; J. V. Rowen, trustee for three years. The other two are C. A. Barrows and F. W. Cutting. F. D. Pierce, treasurer; Geo. Jennings, collector; F. D. Thompson, attorney; J. F. Batchelder, water commissioner for three years. A. A. Larabee and E. G. Colliester are the other two. Homer Rushford, fire chief; F. E. Richmond, first assistant; and E. R. Cook, second assistant; auditors, E. W. Barron, W. W. Reiden and C. E. Hamblet.

A village tax of 40 cents was raised the same as last year. \$200 was voted for the library and \$275 for the band. It was voted to pay the nozzlemen and captains of the fire department \$1 each for the first hour and 50 cents for each hour thereafter while attending fires. The matter of buying a half interest in the Echo Pond water right was given to the trustees to investigate and report to the next annual meeting. It was voted to have blueprint plans of the water and sewer system made.

The meeting was made lively by frequent balloting. When the election of trustees came up the names of Jerry Buckley and J. V. Rowen were presented. The ballot showed kowen 131, Buckley, 54. For water commissioner the names of J. F. Batchelder and Noah Brooks were presented. Mr. Batchelder received 100 votes and Mr. Brooks, 43, and three scattering. For third auditor M. J. Quinn and C. E. Hamblet were nominated and Hamblet received 92 and Quinn 39 votes.

At the Methodist Church.

The Woman's Alliance will serve supper at the M. E. church parlors Friday, Mar. 13 at 6 o'clock.

Services Sunday as follows: Morning worship at 10.45, followed by the Sunday school. Epworth League at 6 p. m.; song service and evening sermon at 7 p. m. Prayer meeting at 7.30 on Thursday evening. All cordially invited. The children and young people of the Sunday school will meet at the church at 2 p. m., on Saturday to prepare for the Easter program.

Sunday, Mar. 8 at 10.45 Rev. A. W. Barland preached a powerful and suggestive sermon from Prov. 14: 14, "The backslider in heart shall be filled with his own ways." This sermon might be quite apropos in most churches, for, as the pastor, said, the Methodists haven't a monopoly on backsliders. The male quartette of the previous Sunday sang an anthem, the words being the familiar hymn, "Nearer, my God, to Thee." And at the evening service they sang another quite as effective and led the singing of the congregation. For offertory C. S. Webster played most acceptably a violin solo, accompanied by Mrs. Adams at the organ.

In the evening at 7.00 Rev. Glenn Douglass of Glover spoke very interestingly on the topic, "The Successful Church." As he knows whereof he speaks, he was listened to with marked attention.

Teachers' Examinations.

Six candidates took the examinations for teachers at Barton academy, March 5 and 6. Special public examination for teachers will be held at Barton academy Friday and Saturday, March 20 and 21.

C. L. Erwin, Supt.

Congregational Church Notes.

"The Sealed Book" is the subject of Mr. Warner's extemporaneous sermon Sunday morning.

The Fidelity class met with Rev. and Mrs. Warner on Monday evening. An interesting program was given and the evening much enjoyed in a social way.

Mrs. A. A. Larabee is in Minton, P. Q., to visit her sister, who is critically ill.

Evelyn Thorpe of Glover has been visiting at W. S. Hibbard's for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Kennison of East Burke are visiting relatives in town.

Mr. and Mrs. John McLeelan left for Boston Tuesday to attend the auto show.

Gerald Plunkett commenced work for H. T. Seaver in the hardware store Monday.

Mrs. W. O. Rocheleau of St. Johnsbury visited Mrs. Susan Carrier over Sunday.

Charles Austin was called to North Troy Tuesday by the serious illness of his mother.

E. R. Cook is moving into the house he recently purchased of N. D. Martin on Park street.

Miss Harriet Austin has returned home from East Albany where she has been on a case.

Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Thompson visited friends and relatives in St. Johnsbury over Sunday.

Mrs. Helen Scott and daughter, Margaret, are visiting at Mrs. Anderson's in Glover.

C. A. Barrows and J. V. Rowen left Tuesday night for Boston to attend the automobile show.

Mrs. Vercoe returned Saturday from Boston where she has been attending millinery lectures.

Mrs. H. J. Hubbard and Mrs. Charles Hale of Lyndonville were business visitors in town Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Cutler entertained Misses Beth and Helen Baker of West Glover the last of the week.

William Williams.

Wm. Williams was born in Dumbarton, Scotland, June 21st, 1841. He was the oldest son of Thomas and Margaret Anderson Williams.

When six years of age his parents came to this country and settled at Roxbury, Mass.

Mr. Williams was educated in the public schools at Roxbury. After completing his education he entered the Roxbury Iron works, where he was employed until the outbreak of the Civil War.

On August 6th, 1861 he enlisted in the navy for one year's service, was mustered in at the Charlestown navy yard and was placed on the ship, "Fear Not." Later he was transferred to the Gulf Squadron, where he took part in the expedition and capture of New Orleans. Last summer he was rewarded by the government, with a bronze medal for his noble conduct during this expedition.

On the expiration of his naval enlistment he returned to his home in Roxbury, where he learned that his parents had moved to Albany, Vermont. Mr. Williams proceeded to Albany. When he reached his parents he learned that his brother, Tom Williams, had enlisted in the army of Potomac. Mr. Williams determined to reach his brother, therefore, he enlisted in Company F, Eleventh Regiment, Vermont Volunteers of heavy artillery, but did not reach the front until after his brother had lost his life. The regiment of which Mr. Williams was a member took active part in the battles of the Wilderness, Spottsylvania, and Cold Harbor. While the 11th Vermonters were protecting the pioneers who were destroying the Weldon railroad Mr. Williams was among the troops which were captured. He was six months a prisoner of war; during the time he was held in seven different prisons, viz: Pemberton, Libby, Lynchburg, Danville, Andersonville, Charleston and Florence. He was paroled Dec. 19, 1864 and with other comrades was transferred to the army hospital at Annapolis, Md. As soon as he had sufficiently recuperated he enlisted as a volunteer nurse, serving out the time of his parole in that capacity. From the hospital he returned to guard duty about Washington, being stationed at Forte, Md. He was finally discharged Aug. 25, 1865. He was one of the witnesses on the famous trial of General Wertz, the commander in charge of Andersonville.

On receiving his discharge, Mr. Williams came home to Albany, taking up the duties of a peaceful citizen. He married Ellen S. Rowell of Albany, Dec. 27th 1865. They settled on a farm at South Albany, where they made their home until six years ago when they moved to this place. This couple were blessed with three children, one son and two daughters. The son died in infancy but two daughters were spared to make this union happy.

That Mr. Williams was regarded by his townsmen as a man of sterling character, and ability is shown by the various trusts they confided to him. He served as selectman for seven consecutive years, several years as justice of the peace and auditor. He represented his town in the legislature of 1888; also served several years as postmaster at South Albany.

In 1906 Mr. Williams moved to this place, and during the short stay of six years won a host of faithful friends. Two years ago his health began to decline but he fought vigorously against the disease and there was promise of a recovery until last fall when a sudden turn came which caused a loss of hope. The last twelve weeks he was confined to the bed. All that loving hands and kind hearts could do was done but without avail and the end came on Feb. 28th.

Mr. Williams was an active Christian and true to the faith. He was a member of the Methodist church at South Albany. He was a member of the Mason G. A. R. Post of Glover and served as president of the Orleans County Veterans' association a number of terms.

He leaves to mourn his loss a wife, Mrs. Ellen Williams; two daughters, Mrs. Merton Anderson of South Albany, besides several grandchildren. He also leaves three half-brothers, J. R. Williams and A. G. Williams, both of Bridgewater, Mass., and A. C. Williams of South Albany.

The funeral, as spoken of last week, was held Monday forenoon at his late home on High street, the Rev. O. E. Barnard of Albany officiating, assisted by Rev. A. W. Barnlund of this place. The interment was in the South Albany cemetery.

Card—We wish to thank the friends and neighbors for the many kindly acts and words of sympathy during the sickness and death of our beloved husband and father and also those who gave the beautiful flowers and helped in any way in our bereavement. May God's blessing rest on every one.

Mrs. William Williams,
Mr. and Mrs. C. R. King,
Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Anderson.

James Webb, while at work Wednesday in the Chandler sawmill near the Glover line, got his foot badly crushed.

Mrs. Emma Drown, who has been in Topsham visiting her brother for several weeks, returned Monday night.

Judge Miles and Mrs. Miles went to Rutland Monday where he will preside over the session of the Rutland county court.

Delbert Smith, who has been working for A. J. Smith, has moved to his farm, recently purchased in West Albany.

Mrs. M. F. Prime left Tuesday for Boston to visit Mrs. W. P. Goode. While in Boston she will attend the auto show.

WASHINGTON TRIP.

The Washington party, numbering 68, conducted by Prin. H. J. Stannard, left this place on Feb. 26, visiting the cities of Boston, Philadelphia, Washington and New York.

The following is a brief outline of the trip. In Boston they visited Old South church, Faneuil Hall, and the capitol where they had the pleasure of meeting Governor Walsh. The party climbed Bunker hill monument and made a tour of the navy yard.

They left Boston Friday night for Fall River, from this place proceeded to New York by boat, thence by ferry to Jersey City. At this place they boarded a private car for Philadelphia, making an auto tour of that city and visiting the United States mint, Independence hall and Betsey Ross or Flag house.

Leaving Philadelphia at about three o'clock, they proceeded to Washington, arriving in that city on Saturday evening. Sunday some attended church while others visited the National Zoological Park, where some beheld for the first time man's early ancestor, viz, the ape. In the afternoon was an auto tour of the city, a visit to the Corcoran gallery of arts and in the evening to the Congressional library.

On Monday all went to the capitol, where, furnished with a special guide, they made a thorough inspection of that building in the forenoon. In the afternoon they went to the new National museum.

On Tuesday they went to the navy yard, bureau of printing and engraving and Smithsonian institution. In the afternoon they attended sessions of the House of Representatives, the Senate and the Supreme court.

Wednesday morning the White House and Treasury building were visited. In the afternoon Mount Vernon and Arlington, Va., were visited by special train.

The party left Washington Thursday morning for New York city, via Baltimore, Md., Wilmington, Del., and Philadelphia, arriving in New York in the afternoon. Their headquarters in this city was the Broadway Central hotel. In the evening they attended the Hippodrome theatre.

Friday morning by courtesy of Carl

Jewell, Sr., they visited the stock exchange, thence went to the aquarium and to Trinity church, and the zoological park in the afternoon. Friday evening a large portion of the crowd went to the Madison Square Garden where they enjoyed a musical program rendered by a fifty-four piece Russian orchestra, also heard a famous singer, Margaret Oreb. Saturday morning the Morgan gallery of art was visited and in the afternoon all were at liberty to do any shopping desired.

Leaving New York by boat in the evening, arrived in Fall River Sunday morning. From there they returned to Boston where they took breakfast in the American house. At 9.30 they started for home in their private car which was placed on the Montreal express. They arrived here at 5 o'clock, tired but happy.

There are a large number who are stopping over to visit relatives and friends. As near as the Monitor can learn they are as follows: