

The Towns Around.

EAST BURKE. Death of Mrs. Phippen. Mrs. Eleanor Smith Phippen, who has been an invalid for several years, passed away Sunday morning, March 28, aged 77 years, four months and 14 days. She had lived where she died, 51 years. She was the daughter of Almon and Emily White Smith. Mr. Smith taught singing school in this town many winters and there are some yet who remember his daughter as a strong leader in the choir. She was married to Lucius A. Phippen, March 23, 1858. Both were devoted members of the Methodist church in this place for more than 50 years. Mr. Phippen died 18 years ago last January. Two daughters were born to them, one dying in infancy, the other, Mrs. Albion Howe, died in 1891, leaving one little daughter, who survived her only four years. For the last seven years Mrs. Phippen has been cared for by Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Godding. She is survived by three brothers, Almon Smith of Lyndonville, Volney and Oamson Smith of Island Pond. The funeral was held from her home Monday afternoon, her pastor, Rev. M. A. Turner, officiating. Music was furnished by Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Parker of St. Johnsbury. The burial was in Woodmont cemetery beside her husband and children.

Mrs. Nellie Caswell will have her opening of spring millinery April 9 and 10. Mrs. Nora Gauvin and daughter Mattie of Barton are visiting relatives here. George Hubbard of Jay spent Sunday here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Hubbard. Mrs. Vinson and child from Pueblo, Colorado, are visiting her cousin, Mrs. Cyrus Hart. Miss Carrie Humphrey returned to Barton high school, Sunday. The Ladies Aid society meets with Mrs. Florence Freeto this week. About \$30 was realized at the church sale and supper Wednesday night. E. R. Harvey is entertaining his nephew, Charles Harvey, of Lancaster. Miss Alice Jenkins of East Haven has been the guest of her cousin, Mrs. Nellie Caswell, the past week. Miss Shirley Smith is having a very serious illness caused by grip. Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Parker of St. Johnsbury were called here to attend the funeral of Mrs. Phippen. Mrs. Abbie Colby, who has been working for Mrs. Nellie Jeffrey, returned to her home Saturday evening. Mrs. V. L. James is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Oscar Beck, at St. Johnsbury, this week. Mrs. Charles Hudson is still confined to her bed with a complication of diseases aggravated by an attack of the grip. Mr. and Mrs. Albert Wyman of Bath, N. H., were here last week. Mr. Wyman returned Saturday, but Mrs. Wyman will spend a week or two with her sister, Mrs. George Eggleston. Mrs. Scott Stafford and her two boys have been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Gilson. Mrs. George Gilson is confined to her bed with grip. Mrs. Cyrus Hart is entertaining her uncle and sister from Colorado. Mrs. U. T. Davis, who spent last week with her daughter, Mrs. Eli Eastman, has returned to her home here. Mrs. Myron Eggleston is still failing. Mrs. Abbie Howland, who has been spending the winter with her daughter at Barton, returned here Monday. Messrs. Welch and Lang were in Barre on business the first of the week. Mrs. Carl Frasier has returned from Lebanon, leaving her sister doing as well as could be expected. H. D. Webster has been on the sick list for a few days, but is better again. Charlie Harris is home from Dartmouth; Carrie Humphrey from Barton, and Arthur James from St. Johnsbury, for the Easter vacation.

Foley's Honey and Tar is a safeguard against serious results from spring colds, which inflame the lungs and develop into pneumonia. Avoid counterfeits by insisting upon having the genuine Foley's Honey and Tar, which contains no harmful drugs. C. C. Bingham.

RYEGATE. On Thursday of last week, Mrs. Jennie Taylor of this place, received word of the death of her brother, W. Emery, of Boston. Mrs. Taylor left on Friday to attend the funeral. Mrs. F. H. White came home from the hospital at Hanover, Monday, of this week. She is very much improved in health. The students from St. Johnsbury and from Smith and Dartmouth colleges are enjoying the spring vacation with home folks. Albert Eckles sold his house and land last week to Dr. Edward Miller of Woodsville.

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BRADFORD. Mrs. J. O. Belcher left Saturday for several weeks visit with friends in Massachusetts. The funeral of Miss Lydia Underwood was held in Grace Methodist church Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock, Rev. Mr. Legg officiating. The Rebekah whist party was well attended on Wednesday evening and all seemed to enjoy the occasion. Mrs. Hattie Brock has resumed her position as saleslady in Mrs. C. H. Curtis' millinery store. Miss Eliza George, who has spent the winter with her sister, Mrs. Barrows, in Johnson, has returned to her home here. Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Winship spent last week in Boston. Robert Hale is visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Hale, at St. Johnsbury. Frank V. Johnson of New York City has been spending a few days here at his summer home. Mrs. Alice Martin and Miss Gertrude Martin left Wednesday for Boston where

Miss Gertrude will enter the Massachusetts General Hospital for treatment. Mrs. Alma Clement of Groton has opened dressmaking rooms in the house north of Healey's store.

NEWARK. The Library social was held with Mrs. Marvin Ball, Wednesday, and dinner was served. Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Moulton, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Ellis, and M. W. Ball have been ill with the grip. Mrs. James Baldwin of St. Johnsbury is visiting her father, L. D. Gordon. Merle Varney and William Montgomery are working for M. W. Ball. George Newman is working for Oscar Bussell.

News has been received here of the death of Samuel R. Randall of Boston, which occurred Monday, March 29. He will be remembered here as being a frequent visitor at C. M. Bruce's during past summers. He has several relatives here in town, and was a young man of sterling character and liked by all who knew him.

McINDOE FALLS. Mrs. Julia Smith returned last Wednesday from Burlington where she has spent the winter with her daughter Mrs. M. E. Sorborger. Mrs. Dr. Coles and children of Tarrytown, N. Y. are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Finlay. Miss Jean Duncan returned to Barre Saturday after a two weeks vacation. Miss Adine Lawler is home from St. Johnsbury for a ten days vacation. Mr. and Mrs. Ora Bishop returned home the first of last week, having spent the winter in Lebanon, N. H., and St. Johnsbury. Miss Lena Moore was the guest of Miss Lena Welch at St. Johnsbury over Sunday. John Jameson spent several days recently at Newbury visiting relatives. Brock Duncan spent part of last week at R. M. Johnson's at Monroe.

The Knights of Pythias entertained their families and invited friends at their hall Wednesday evening. A good program was given which consisted of readings by Miss Winnie Johnson, Miss Lucy Bufam and Harvey Phelps, a solo by Herbert Burrell, duet Mrs. Edgerton and Miss Lena Moore, music by Mrs. Edgerton, Alexander Gilchrist and Henry Warden, and the "musical romance," followed by supper and a social time. Francis Cowles of Ogonquit, Maine, is visiting his sister Miss Jennie Cowles. John and Alex Gibson are with relatives at South Ryegate during the sugar season. Mrs. Harry Blodgett of St. Johnsbury was a guest of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Charles McFarland one day last week. Mrs. Charles Bell was called to Lakeport Saturday by the sickness of her mother, Mrs. Crouch. Mrs. Gene Kendall, Mrs. Clarence Kendall of East Barret and Mrs. A. Mender of Whitinsville, Mass., were guests of Mrs. Robert Kendall Wednesday. Willie Moore has gone to Boston where he has a position as conductor on the electric. Mrs. C. L. Duncan and Miss Emma Shaw visited at William Orr's at South Peacham last Wednesday. Charles Aiken is at R. M. Johnson's for the sugar season. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Clement returned last week from Boston where they spent the winter. The Y. P. S. C. E. society will give a sugar social at the vestry Friday evening. Mildred Nelson of Bath, N. H., spent part of last week with her grandmother, Mrs. Paddieford.

EAST CONCORD. Mrs. Emma Brown, now of Concord, N. H., who was a former resident of this place, met with a pleasant surprise Thursday evening, when a goodly number of her friends and neighbors met at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Ella Goodall, where she has been visiting of late, to celebrate her birthday. The evening was pleasantly passed with music and games. Cake and coffee were served after which all returned to their homes wishing her many returns of the day. Mr. Worthen of St. Johnsbury was here last Monday. Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Wallace are having quite extensive repairs made on the interior of their house. Edgar Webb is slowly convalescing, but is still confined to his bed. Eloy Fisk is working for George Bishop during the sugar season. Mr. and Mrs. James Grant have closed their pleasant home and gone to East St. Johnsbury where they will work for Mr. Lee the coming season. Mr. and Mrs. Grant are a very worthy young couple and have the good wishes of all in their new field of labor. J. C. Warren has finished his winter's work at Johnson, N. H., and returned to his home. Hattie Grant has gone to East St. Johnsbury to work in Russell & McKelvey's boarding house.

Indigestion Ends. You can eat anything your stomach craves without fear of a case of indigestion or dyspepsia, or that your food will ferment or sour on your stomach if you will occasionally take a little Diapiesin after eating. Your meals will taste good, and anything you eat will be digested; nothing can ferment or turn into acid or poison or stomach gas, which causes Belching, Dizziness, a feeling of fullness after eating, Nausea, Indigestion (like a lump of lead in stomach), Bloating, Heartburn, Water brash, pain in stomach and intestines or other symptoms. Headaches from the stomach are absolutely unknown where this effective remedy is used. Diapiesin really does all the work of a healthy stomach. It digests your meals when your stomach can't. Each triangle will digest all the food you can eat and leave nothing to ferment or sour. Get a large 50-cent case of Pape's Diapiesin from your druggist and start taking today and by tomorrow you will actually brag about your healthy, strong stomach, for you then can eat anything and everything you want without the slightest discomfort or misery, and every particle of impurity and gas that is in your stomach and intestines is going to be carried away without the use of laxatives or any other assistance.

NEWS OF THE WEEK

Tuesday, March 30. James H. Boyle, charged with the abduction of Willie Whittia, was held in \$25,000 bail at Sharon, Pa. Giuseppe Tosti, a steerage passenger on the steamer Hamburg, threatened ex-President Roosevelt. Sailors seized Tosti and, by the captain's orders, put him in irons. Tosti refused for days to eat, crying "Roosevelt is trying to poison me." Miss Adele Murray, a Winsted, Conn., grammar school teacher, was sued for \$1000 by George E. Bond for whipping his son, Elliot. Clark county, O., voted "dry" by eleven majority in the local option election. It affects ninety-seven saloons and three breweries. Herbert L. Swift of Chicago, 33 years old, son of the late Gustave F. Swift, founder of the packing firm of Swift & Co., was adjudged insane. Excessive use of alcohol was given as the cause. President Taft has let it be known that he approves the Payne bill in principle and that he believes more schedules in the Dingley tariff should be revised downward than upward—if any should go upward at all. The Utah Fuel company pleaded guilty at Salt Lake City to the fraudulent acquisition of 14,040 acres of coal land, paid a fine of \$8000 and \$192,000 for the coal extracted and relinquished the land. Henry Wood, a pioneer writer of metaphysical and mental healing works and the author of a score of books on the subject, died at Boston. He was born in Barre, Vt., in 1834.

Wednesday, March 31. By a strict party vote of 353 to 135, the house of commons refused to express lack of confidence in the British government's naval policy. The formula agreed upon by the powers of Europe and Austria-Hungary for the settlement of the dispute between the dual monarchy and Serbia was accepted by the Servian government. Charged with the murder of Rose Tritt at Sanford, Ind., thirty-two years ago, Sylvester Burnham is to be arrested in Texas. Two negro students who were dismissed from the Grand Rapids, Mich., Veterinary college, following the objection of white students to their presence, were denied a writ of mandamus to compel the college to let them pursue their studies. Jan J. Pouron, the Russian refugee, whose extradition has long been sought by the Russian government, was discharged from custody at New York. Mrs. Machla Schlatsky, 106 years old, died at New York. She was believed to be the oldest woman in the state. Thirty-eight Mexican miners were entombed in the coal mine at Minor, Mex., as the result of an explosion of fire-damp. Crazy Snake, the leader of the band of Oklahoma outlaws, was captured after being badly wounded and was taken to the federal jail at Muskogee. President Taft announced by direct inference that President Elliot of Harvard has been tendered and is considering the appointment of ambassador to Great Britain.

Thursday, April 1. The last of the American troops who have been occupying Cuba sailed away on the transports Sumner and McClellan. Rev. William McMahon, pastor of St. Bridget's Catholic church, Cleveland, and editor of The Catholic Universe, filed a voluntary petition in bankruptcy. His total liabilities are stated to be \$1,594,142, with assets aggregating \$75,207. Examination of the books of the office of the Baltimore city register show a shortage of more than \$67,000 in the funds of that office. William F. Downs, stock clerk in the office named, is under arrest. The final act in Serbia's submission occurred in the national assembly at Belgrade when Serbia, bowing to the powers, withdrew all opposition to Austria-Hungary's annexation of Bosnia and Herzegovina and promised to maintain peace. Eloy Kent admitted that he killed Miss Della B. Congdon at East Wallingford, Vt., according to the testimony given in court by Allen A. Leonard, a deputy sheriff. The bodies of fourteen men missing from steamer Altenburg, which was destroyed by fire off Havana, were found in the harbor. The military prison at Fort Leavenworth, containing hundreds of prisoners, was burned to the ground. Shortly after the last prisoner had been removed by troops the walls fell with a great crash. The fire started among some rubbish in the paint shop. President Elliot of Harvard is to be decorated by the Mikado of Japan. "Seventy thousand American settlers will come to Canada this year," said Commissioner Walker of the Canadian immigration department.

Friday, April 2. The wife of James Turner, a farmer living in Forsyth county, N. C., gave birth to five children, three boys and two girls. All are thriving and the mother is doing nicely. Not a ripple of public interest attended the final evacuation of Cuba by the last detachment of American troops. Justice Flske of San Antonio, Tex., ruled that a holdup with a revolver is not a robbery, unless the footpad secures money from his victims.

As the result of an inquiry into the affairs of the Canadian department of marine and fisheries, nine officials have been dismissed from the service at various points in New Brunswick on the ground that they had accepted money to which they had no right. Georgia has abolished the traffic in whites as well as blacks, so, instead of selling its 1600 prisoners, it will work them on the public roads hereafter. It is admitted that the wily 'Crazy Snake' has eluded his pursuers. He controls his own destinies so long as he chooses to remain hidden. Because he refused to pay his first wife's alimony to the amount of \$1000, Roland H. Perry, a sculptor and painter, was committed to a New York jail for a six months' term. Delegates from all parts of Mexico expressed to President Diaz their loyalty to his administration and requested him not to give up the presidential office at the close of his present term.

Saturday, April 3. Charles W. Elliot, retiring president of Harvard university, has definitely and finally decided that he cannot accept the tender of the ambassadorship to Great Britain. The appearance of scarlet fever among the enlisted men of the battleship Missouri has resulted in the placing of a quarantine upon the ship at Boston. Vincenzo Geraci was arrested at Chicago in the office of Dr. Peter Cutrera, from whom the Italian had demanded \$3000 on pain of death. The Seventy-fourth Maine legislature adjourned finally after a session of thirteen weeks. For the fourth time within a year an attempt was made to burn the Coolidge block, a \$25,000 building in the Milford, Mass., business district. A murder mystery was apparently cleared when Dionysius Spiropoulos, a Greek, 20 years old, was arrested for the murder of Miss Annie Mullins in Arlington, Mass., on the night of March 27, 1908, and Peter Delory, 18 years old, was held as an accessory. Ora C. Morningstar is the new world's champion at 18.2 ball line billiards, having won the honor in the international tournament at New York.

Sunday, April 4. Leading his only rival by a wheel's length, Eddy Root of Boston won the six-day bicycle race at Atlanta from Bobby Walthour of Atlanta. He covered 995 miles and two laps. Jarvis Clark, for many years high sheriff of Hampshire county, Mass., dropped dead on the street at Northampton, Mass., of heart disease. The much despised eel grass, found in nearly part of the New England coast, has at last found a use in the manufacture of insulating paper. Mrs. Fannie Friedman died at New York at the age of 112 years. It was her boast that she never had a doctor in her life. To boys and a carelessly thrown cigarette stub is generally credited a fire which destroyed property in South Fort Worth, Tex., valued at \$2,000,000, caused the death of one man and rendered 300 families homeless. The general opinion is held in Caracas that Cipriano Castro will take up his residence in Trinidad and await the most favorable opportunity to start a revolution. Indications are that diplomatic relations between this country and Nicaragua are nearing a crisis. Monday, April 5. Vice Admiral Pasoual Cervera, who commanded the Spanish fleet in the battle of Santiago, Cuba, died at Puerto Real, Spain. Henri St. Yves of France won the great international Marathon derby for professional runners at New York. Dorando Pietri was second, John J. Hayes third and Matthew Maloney fourth. The apparent failure of the seal catch in the Gulf of St. Lawrence is reported by the sealing steamer Harlaw. The report of the special committee appointed by the National Civil Service Reform league to investigate the matter of political activity on the part of federal officers says that the charges to a great extent are sustained. Declaring his innocence of the charge of murdering Annie Mullins a year ago, Dionysius Spiropoulos and his companion and accuser, Peter Delory, were bound over at Cambridge, Mass., without bail for a hearing on April 13. Services were held in St. George's Greek Orthodox church, Manchester, N. H., for the first time in three weeks, but only after a large number of disturbers, composing a dissenting faction of the church, had been ejected by the police. King Edward will be godfather to the son of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Ward, who was born on March 24 last. Mrs. Ward is the daughter of Ambassador Reid. The case of Mrs. Georgia E. Sampson, accused of shooting to death her husband, Harry Sampson, was called for trial at Lyons, N. Y.

Young Men Wanted. The receipts at W. A. Ricker's market for the week ending April 5 were: Poultry, 2000 lbs. at 10 to 11 cents. Lambs, 20 at 3 to 5 cents. Hogs, 250 at 5 to 6 1/2 cents. Cattle, 35 at 3 to 4 1/2 cents. Calves, 350 at 3 to 6 cents. Milch cows, 10 at \$28 to \$45. Beef shade lower owing to strict rules by city inspectors. Hogs firm, shade higher. Milch cows unless fancy dull and lower. Drinkers and light veal lower. Calves under 100 lbs. not wanted.

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