

Lyndonville

Many Happenings of a Wide-Awake Town

Miss Elizabeth Stearns of Valmorie, P. Q., was the guest of Mrs. W. S. Jeffers last week. Gilbert Campbell, Jr., was at home from Dartmouth College for the week end. Miss Marguerite Robinson of West Derby spent Sunday with her cousin, Mrs. Henry Brown. Miss Mildred Mower visited her cousin, Claire LeBourveau, a few days last week. Miss Fannie Cheney Smith took a few days' vacation from her school in Hartford and spent the time with her mother from Friday to Monday. The meeting of the Art Circle, which was to have been held last Wednesday, has been postponed until Wednesday, March 4, when it will be held with Miss Thelma Powers. The Travel Circle of the Lyndon

Club will hold its March meeting next Monday afternoon, March 2, with Mrs. John Chase at Lyndon. There were no races Saturday last as Monday following Washington's Birthday was celebrated by the annual meet and banquet of the Driving Club. After the races a large company assembled at 7.30 in the G. A. R. Hall, where the ladies of the Auxiliary Society of the Sons of Veterans served a bountiful banquet, followed by speaking. Miss Helen Steele of St. Johnsbury was the guest of relatives here the last of the week. Mrs. George Gray of St. Johnsbury president of the Woman's Club, was a guest in town last Thursday and attended the meeting and club tea of the Lyndon Union Club. Mr. and Mrs. Elisha Bigelow left Friday for Indiana Harbor, Indiana, where they will visit Mrs. Bigelow's brother, Harry House and family. They plan to remain about two weeks, and Mrs. Bigelow will stop in New York and Boston markets on her return to purchase spring millinery goods. Mrs. H. Dustin is in

charge of her millinery shop during her absence. Mrs. Morton Lyster and little daughter Helen passed through here last week Saturday on their way to visit her people in Temple, Texas. Mrs. A. L. Finney, accompanied by Mrs. Harry White and Dr. F. H. Davis, went to Hanover, N. H., last Saturday to consult Dr. Gile of that place in regard to treatment for her ailing bodily condition. Miss Bernice Hunter is at home ill with chronic appendicitis, and it is feared that her condition is quite serious. Professor Ernest Daland of the Institute was taken to Brightlook Hospital last week and operated upon for appendicitis. The operation was successful, and the patient is recovering as well as could be expected. Mr. and Mrs. E. K. Hill, who have been living with Ralph Coffran since the death of his parents, have returned to their home in Sheffield. Mr. Hill's place at his work in the coal sheds is taken by M. F. Stoddard. Mrs. Harry Blake and Mrs. J. A. Boynton were in Boston last week for a visit. William Kerr was at home a few days last week. He is now traveling for the Herman Kline Company of Hartford, Conn., putting exhaust blowers in mills. Mrs. Edwin T. Wood spent a few days of last week in St. Johnsbury. Mrs. George MacDonald has been visiting her son, Charles Gibson at Littleton, N. H. Dr. D. R. Brown has recently purchased at Concord, N. H., a fine pair of Morgan horses, weighing 2100 pounds. Mrs. Fanny Giffin, who has been staying with Mrs. Janet Wilnot for several weeks has gone to Waterbury, Conn., to visit her son and his family. Mrs. H. J. Hubbard was called to Hardwick suddenly last week by the serious illness of an aunt. Arthur Knowlton, who has been working at the creamery has finished there, and returned to Ashburnham, Mass. Three very sudden deaths occurred last week, all of old men and all caused by shocks of paralysis. Henry Holton, a former resident, but having lived in Lyndon for about two years, passed away Thursday being a resident of this town for many years, and had always taken an active part in public affairs. Funeral services were held in St. Elizabeth's church Monday morning. The February meeting of the Lyndon Union Club was held in the Cable hall, Thursday afternoon, with large attendance. A meeting of the executive board was held previously, and two new members admitted, Mrs. A. W. Edmunds and the Rev. Mabel Johnson. The business of the meeting included encouraging reports from the secretary and treasurer, and the announcement of various club meetings, travel and current events, March 2, at Mrs. J. B. Chase's Art, March 4 at Miss Powers', Music, March 5, at Mrs. L. L. Huntley's, Mothers, March 12 at Mrs. H. E. Folsom's. A report of Gentlemen's Night was given by the social committee. It was voted to pay \$25 this year towards the State Federation Normal Scholarship fund. Mrs. George Gray, president of the St. Johnsbury Woman's Club was present and addressed the club in a few cordial words. Mrs. J. W. Titcomb, then took charge of the meeting, which was under the auspices of the art committee. She spoke on Household Decoration, and presented an illustrated by collection of charts prepared by the art committee of the General Federation for the use of clubs. Each chart gave suggestions for the color scheme and furnishings of one room all of them very beautiful and in good taste. Mrs. Titcomb also showed samples of wall papers and draperies sent by Jordan Marsh's decorator, and two charming rugs, designed and made by herself, help along the new rug industry of the State. Her talk was a practical and helpful one, and much enjoyed. A short musical program was then given, which included a piano solo by Miss Alice Campbell, a soprano solo by Mrs. L. T. Huntley, a piano duet by Miss Campbell and Miss Stinson and a contralto solo by Miss Laura Buell. Following the program was the annual club tea, served by the members of the social committee, Mrs. Elisha Bigelow, waited on. A delicious refreshment was served in the room from which the committee served cocoa, sandwiches and wafers. A pleasant social hour was enjoyed. The fourteenth annual Washington ball, and the fifth in the series of dances given by the Village Improvement Society was held Friday evening, Feb. 20, and was an unqualified success. An immense amount of work was done by the various committees in preparing the hall, the costumes and decorations and the result was all that could be wished for. The decorations were in the charge of Frank Willey, who with his corps of able assistants, succeeded in transforming the old barnlike structure into a patriotic spectacle, by the aid of bunting, flags, eagles, shields and miniature cannons. The stage was set to represent an old fashioned room, with Colonial walls, pictures and furniture. The whole effect was most appropriate and attractive, when the program began, at eight o'clock, the gallery was filled with spectators, as well as the benches downstairs. Miss Burns' orchestra of five pieces played a medley of patriotic airs, after which they left the stage and the immortal George and his wife appeared, in gorgeous colonial dress, ushered in by a delightful little ditty whose face somehow reminded

one a little of Scott Rogers Darling. In a short time 22 more ladies and gentlemen of Revolutionary times, in resplendent costumes, wigs and buckled shoes, the ladies all in flowing dresses, with their hair dressed high and powdered. These characters were all taken by the children in Miss Margaret Blakes dancing class, and the characters with the children impersonating them, are as follows: George and Martha Washington, Henry Darling, Jennie Terrill; General Lafayette, Sherburne Campbell; Nellie Custis, Elizabeth Titcomb; Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Jefferson; Raymond Hunter, Caroline Darling; Mr. and Mrs. John Hancock, Cecil Frappled, Flavia Folsom; Mr. and Mrs. John Adams, Charles Darling, Corilla MacDonald; Mr. and Mrs. John Jay, Jack Titcomb; Glenn Bell; Mr. and Mrs. James Madison; Clifton Ruggles, Ruth Blodgett; Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Hamilton, Jack Cheney, Marjorie Ruggles; Baron and Baroness von Steuben, Howard Stattuck, Catherine Emery; Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Ellsworth, Duane Ruggles, Velma Darling; Mrs. Charles Carroll, Maurice Burpee, Bernice Fisher; Mr. Mrs. Oliver Walcott, Charles Watson, Edith Lewsey. After all the audience had joined in singing "America," the colonial group descended to the floor of the hall and performed a most graceful and dainty minuet with as much grace and dignity as any of their ancestors. They responded by dancing the caprice. Then led by George and Martha Washington they began the Grand March, in which over sixty couples took part. Powdered heads were much in evidence and some of the ladies added to the appearance of the ball by dressing in old fashioned costumes. Dancing was then enjoyed until about one o'clock, the orchestra as usual executing excellent dance music. During the intermission, ice cream and cake were served from a booth in the rear of the hall by a number of the ladies. The affair was successful in every way and its success was due to the hard work of the different committees. Mrs. F. J. Willey with Mrs. Carroll Page and Mrs. Charles Hale, were in charge of the costumes and refreshments, and they had many able and excellent assistants. All are now anticipating the next ball, which will doubtless be conducted under the auspices of Good St. Patrick.

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Mr. and Mrs. Lorenzo Bigelow of St. Johnsbury, recently visited their cousin, Mrs. Hattie Graves. Miss Ruth King spent last Sunday at her home in Newark. Mrs. Abbie Rider spent last week in Nashua, N. H., with her sister, Mrs. Charles Runnels. Miss Eva Wood gave a delightful Valentine party on Saturday, Feb. 14, to the little girls of her Sunday school class, who enjoyed games, valentines, and a nice supper. Mrs. Alfred G. Drown was ill last week, but is now improving a little. David M. Silsby, who is in New York city for the winter has bought a house in one of the suburbs, and they have gone to housekeeping there. Royal Howe, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Howe of this place who has been at Pasadena in a hotel for several years, has gone to Paris to make a special study of the French language. Mrs. G. H. Frost of Boston was at A. L. Finney's for a few days recently. Misses Gladys Moore and Minnie McCann of Norwich were recent guests at Walter Eastman's. Mrs. John Farrar visited her sister, Mrs. A. Shovey, last week. Mrs. Edwin A. Daniels was the hostess of the Congregational Ladies' Aid society at their meeting last Friday afternoon. Mrs. E. Austin of Milton has been a guest at her cousin, John P. Webster's. Miss Kathleen Robinson of West Derby recently visited her cousin, Mrs. Henry Brown. Henry Fields of Barnet visited at Charles Ladd's last week. Howard Webster, who had his feet so badly frozen, returned to his work at Rock Island, P. Q. last week, but was obliged to give up work and come home again, as his feet were in so bad a condition. News has been received of the birth of a second son, Paul Gordon, to Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Humphrey at Pasadena, Cal. Mrs. Humphrey was formerly Miss Louise Gleason and both were former residents of this place. Mrs. Drake of Sheffield has come here to spend the rest of the winter with her daughter, Mrs. A. A. Barber. Mark Grasset of Burke, was in town last week with his niece, Mrs. H. O. Allen coming here to have treatment for blood poisoning in the hand. Walter Eastman has been visiting his father, James Eastman at Pompanoosuc. Mrs. Fred Carter of Cochituate, Mass., formerly Miss Addie Brown, a teacher in the Graded School, has been ill for several weeks with a complication of diseases. Henry Brown and wife have been entertaining his mother, Mrs. John Brown of Orleans. Miss May Harris of East Burke has been a recent guest of Miss Roanoy Parker. A Boy Scout camp has been organized in the Congregational church with Earl Peterson as leader, and Homer Wilson as assistant. Wright Spear of Stanstead, P. Q. was a recent guest of the Rev. J. J. Hutchinson. Mrs. W. J. Burrington is on the sick list. Frank Powers was in East Concord last week. Miss Ruth Eastman is visiting in Enfield, N. H. Homer Wilson has organized a glee club among the boys of the school of Agriculture which is holding rehearsals and preparing some excellent music. F. S. Story gave a free dance in Music hall, Tuesday evening for the benefit of all the people who have patronized his pictures and dances. Story's orchestra furnished music and naturally, the hall was crowded with dancers. Gerald Ladd has taken the local agency for the new firm of dry cleaners and dyers, Palmer Brothers, at St. Johnsbury. Members of the Methodist church here held no services in the church Wednesday evening, but went to Lyndon to join in the revival services held in the church there. There was no morning service Sunday at St. Peter's church as the pastor went to Barton to preach that day. The craze for dancing which

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