

Concord

Death of a Former Resident—Univer-
salist Parish Meeting.
Rhiley D. Pratt, who passed away
at the Mary Hitchcock hospital from
bronchial asthma and heart trouble,
Sunday, Dec. 12, was a native of this
town and made his home here until
about 25 years ago. He was born
April 23, 1849, a son of Edmund and
Mary Dodge Pratt, of a family of
three children he is survived by two
brothers, William C. and John of this
church. May 12, 1872, he married Sallie
Chase who died Oct. 2, 1891, and in
1906 he married Miss Louise Hough-
ton of Northfield, who survives him.
Mr. Pratt was a traveling salesman for
several years for Knight and Co. and
for 12 years employed at the Junc-
tion House at White River Junction.
He has been in poor health and un-
able to work for two years, gradually
failing and he was taken to the hos-
pital two weeks before his death. The
funeral was held from the Universalist
church, Wednesday, Dec. 15 at 10
o'clock, Rev. A. M. Smith of Williams-
town officiating. A ladies' quartet
sang appropriate selections. Inter-
ment was in the village cemetery.
Second U. C. T. Mammoth Min-
strel Show, St. Johnsbury, Feb. 11-12.
At the annual parish meeting of the
Universalist church Saturday evening
the following officers were elected for
the ensuing year: Moderator, O. B.
Cutting; clerk, E. H. Bazin; trustees,
George Hastings, Ervin Willis, W. T.
Reed, Micah Baker, Clyde Crowell;
treasurer, George F. Joslin; auditors,
F. W. Chapman, W. C. Pratt, R. J.
Bennett; ushers, Fred and William
Murray; Cutting, general social com-
mittee, Mrs. E. D. Lee.
Christmas exercises will be held in
the Town hall Friday and Saturday
evenings. Friday evening the child-
ren of the Methodist church will hold
their exercises and the Universalist
church will give their program and
have a tree Saturday night, commenc-
ing at 7.30 o'clock.
Rev. Grant Van Blarcom from Tur-
ner Center, Me., will occupy the pul-
pit at the Universalist church, Sunday
Dec. 26.
Cyrus H. Lewis of Concord, a farm-
er, has filed a petition in bankruptcy
with Clerk of the United States Court
F. S. Platt. He has liabilities of \$7,
552.21, of which \$4,830 is in unsecured
claims and \$1,251.96 in secured claims.
His assets amount to \$7,306.67, of
which \$1,244 is claimed exempt. His
assets include real estate valued at
\$3,500, on which there is a mortgage.
The handkerchief sale and baked
bean supper at the W. R. C. hall on
Friday afternoon and evening was a
success, the receipts being \$26.75.
The many friends of Ellery Foru
of St. Maria, P. Q., will be glad to
know that he was more comfortable
the last of the week.
Rev. A. M. Smith of Williamstown,
Mrs. R. D. Pratt of White River
Junction and Julius Houghton of
Northfield were called here to attend
the funeral of R. D. Pratt Wednesday
O. P. Harvey, who has been con-
fined to the house by injuries received
in a fall, is able to be on the street.
A. J. Lyon, who has been confined
to the house by illness, is conva-
lescent.
Joseph Forest has moved into the
upper tenement in Thomas Rancour's
house.
Miss Mabel Williams has gone to
Brunswick to work.
Mrs. G. B. French spent Thursday
and Friday with St. Johnsbury friends.
Phillip Woodbury was quite ill part
of last week.
Mrs. Emmett Hill has been sick.
Miss Aris Bonnett has been assisting
in Miss Leola Forsaith's millinery
shop.
Mrs. F. L. Carpenter and Mrs. Helen
P. Bonnett spent Thursday with their
sister, Mrs. A. J. Corvieu.
Mrs. Harry Williamson has been
quite ill.
Mrs. Gagie Frost has returned from
Lancaster, N. H., and is stopping at
her home here.
Mrs. F. A. Brewer spent Friday in
St. Johnsbury, a guest of Mrs. Jose-
phine Hibbard.
Mrs. John Folsom of East Concord
was in town Friday.
W. O. Rocheleau of St. Johnsbury
spent Sunday in town.
At the special town meeting Satur-
day called to raise more money it was
voted not to do so.
Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Sampson are in
Winthrop, Mass., visiting their daugh-
ter, Mrs. Ernest Dodge.
Luther Green of St. Johnsbury was
an over Sunday guest of his sister, Mrs.
Sarah Hovey.
Alban Baker entertained his young
friends Saturday evening in honor of
his tenth birthday. He received sev-
eral gifts. Music and games were
enjoyed and refreshments of ice cream
and cake served.
Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Tatro of Chi-
cago come this week to spend the hol-
idays at Green Mountain hall.
Misses Hazel Davis and Marion Bur-
bank are home from Johnson Normal
school for the Christmas vacation and
Reginald Reed and Harold Smith from
Lyndon Agricultural school.
George Hastings and daughter Mil-
dred were Sunday guests of Mr. and
Mrs. Will Hastings.
Mr. and Mrs. Earl Lewis and child-
ren, Garland and Velma, spent Sunday
with Mr. and Mrs. Micah Baker.
Dr. R. M. McSweeney of St. Johns-
bury was in town Sunday.
Roy Norton of West Berlin is visit-
ing his uncle, D. W. Williams and
other relatives.
D. W. Williams remains very ill.
Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Warren are
moving to St. Johnsbury.
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hodge are visit-
ing in Lyndonville.
Mrs. Minnie Adams has returned
from a visit in Barnet.
Miss Genevieve Sargent spent Mon-
day in St. Johnsbury. A. M. Smith,
former pastor of the Universalist
church.
Lafa Smith has a position at Bar-
ton.
Mrs. Lafa Smith is spending some
time in St. Johnsbury.
Tracy Ball of East Concord was in
town Saturday.
Miss Pearl Lunnie is in Lowell, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Jewell and
children, Herman and Katie of Lunen-
burg have been guests of Mr. and Mrs.
Elden Jewell.
W. V. Dunn is stopping at Elden
Jewell's.
The friends of D. W. Field gave him
a post card shower Thursday. He re-
ceived 50 cards.
Mrs. E. M. Quimby who has been
quite ill is better.
Fred Lyngaugh of Lyndon has been
visiting his sister, Mrs. Frank Kellum.
L. A. Wood, who had an agricultural
meeting at South Kirby school house
Friday evening. Mr. Wood was enter-
tained at the home of Mr. and Mrs.
Charles Taylor.
Miss Verna Wilkie, Mrs. E. A. Ba-
zin, Mrs. Alice Richards, Mrs. C. A.
Miltmore, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rook,
Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Forsaith, Miss Avis
Bonnett, Miss Jean Fellows, Lafa
Smith, Mrs. Jethro Lilliecap and sons
Paul and William, Miss Alice Currier,
Mrs. E. N. Willis and son Lloyd were
in St. Johnsbury last week.
J. E. Warren, Dewey Warren and
E. H. Hunter have been quite ill.
Gertrude Drolot of St. Johnsbury
is spending the Christmas vacation at
the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Good-
reault.
D. V. Terrill of Jericho was in town
the first of the week.
Mrs. Alphonse Provencal and
little daughter, Mrs. Peter Provencal
and John Provencal of St. Johns-
bury were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Al-
fred Goodreault Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Lewis of Little-
ton, N. H., visited Mrs. Lewis' mother,
Mrs. L. M. Lewis, Sunday.
Christmas services at St. James
Episcopal chapel at 2:45 p. m. Sunday
with singing by St. Andrews choir and
distribution of gifts from the Christ-
mas tree.
ST. JOHNSBURY CENTER
(Edith McLaughlin, Correspondent.)
Mrs. Lura Hutchinson and daughter
of Stanstead have been visiting her
parents, Mr. and Mrs. Delos Bacon.
Nelson Pringle of Portsmouth, N.
H., is the guest of his grandparents,
Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Pringle.
Miss Lucy Hutchinson of Bridge-
water, Mass., called on old friends here
the first of the week.
Miss Ella McLaughlin, who has been
attending the expositions in California
and also visiting friends and relatives
in Wisconsin and Oberlin, Ohio, re-
turned home last Tuesday.
Y. L. Seymour and brother, Will
Seymour, of Lynn, Mass., spent the
last of the week as guests of Mrs.
Mary Hallatt.
Mrs. Luther Brown, who has been
very sick the past few days, remains
about the same.
Mrs. George Newell and little son
Graham Stiles of St. Johnsbury are
spending a few days with their parents,
Mr. and Mrs. Cortis Berry.
Mrs. E. A. Lyndon has been quite
sick the past week.
Miss Etta Folsom has gone to her
home in Orleans, Miss Elizabeth Jones
to Island Pond and Miss Mary Hubbell
to her home in Wolcott for the Christ-
mas vacation.
There will be union Christmas ex-
ercises under tree at the Congregational
church Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock.
E. A. Mongeon has been having his
house wired for electric lights.
Mrs. Jennie Forsythe has been con-
fined to the house for several days with
neuritis.
Miss Lucille Clarke, who has been
with Mrs. Granger for several weeks,
has gone to Burlington to visit her
aunt.
Archie Colbath has gone to work in
the Fairbanks scale shops.
Fred Frost of Bretton Woods, N. H.,
and Miss Blanche Spaulding of St.
Johnsbury visited at Olin Sargent's
last week.
(Mrs. E. M. Massey, Correspondent.)
There was a good attendance at the
regular meeting of Green Mountain
Grange, No. 1, which was held Satur-
day evening with all of the officers
present. One was received into mem-
bership by demit and the third and
fourth degrees were conferred on nine
candidates by the ladies degree team,
who did the work in their usual pleas-
ing and impressive manner. Owing
to the lateness of the hour when the
work was completed the principal part
of the program had to be omitted (it
will be given at the next meeting) but
reports of the State Grange were given
by Worthy Master Arthur H. Olcott
and Worthy Lecturer, Emma K.
Massey. Visiting members present
were Harley Brown and Charles Butler
of Wide Awake Grange, No. 66. A
bountiful supper consisting of salads,
cake, coffee, doughnuts and rolls was
served by the committee in charge.
Mrs. Louise Towle and Mrs. A. L.
Stone were at Lyndon one day the
past week, the guests of their old
schoolmate and friend, Miss Emma
Houghton.
Dorothy May Woodward of St.
Johnsbury visited her grandparents
Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Massey, the first
of the week.
SOUTH WHELOCK
(Mrs. Lucy Weed, Correspondent.)
John Buckley was in Boston last
week.
Harley Deoss lost one of his large
work horses last Thursday.
Mrs. Jerry Buckley of Barton visited
at Martin Binon's last week.
Henry Smith has moved his family
to Lyndon and he has gone to work
at the Speedwell farms.
Mrs. Charles Eastman has been on
the sick list.
Mrs. Mary Dubois is visiting in Or-
leans.
Mr. and Mrs. G. K. Goss of St.
Johnsbury visited at J. P. Rock's last
Sunday.
Superintendent A. G. Jameson of
West Burke visited schools in this
part of the town last week.
Adna Ainsworth is moving to the
house of A. J. Heath to care for Mr.
Heath this winter.
Fred Hutchinson of Kirby was at
C. F. Noyes' last Sunday.
Mrs. V. R. Weed returned home
from St. Johnsbury last Monday.
RECOMMENDED FOR CROUP.
Coughs, colds, croup, hoarseness, in-
flamed throats, bronchial troubles of
sore chest are relieved by Foley's Hon-
ey and Tar which opens stopped air
passages, soothes and heals inflamed
surfaces, and restores normal breath-
ing. W. C. Allen, Boseley, Mo., says:
"I have raised a family of four children
and used Foley's Honey and Tar with
all of them. And it the best cough
and croup medicine I ever used. I use
it for eight or ten years and can recom-
mend it for croup." C. C. BINGHAM.

BARNET
Arthur Lamb Had Leg Broken—Per-
sonal and Social Notes.
(From another correspondent.)
Arthur Lamb, while engaged in
loading steel rails at McIndoe Falls
last Monday morning, met with a se-
rious accident. One of the rails fell
from the car striking him on the leg
breaking it below the knee. He was
hurried to the office of Dr. Gibson,
who reduced the fracture, after which
he was taken to his home here.
The church at Barnet Center will
observe Christmas Friday evening
with a Christmas tree and appropri-
ate exercises.
James Arthur was laid up for sev-
eral days last week with a bruised hand
and wrist the result of an accident
while hauling logs.
Mrs. Minnie Adams of Concord has
returned to her home after spending
the past five weeks with her brother-
in-law, David Adams, at Barnet Cen-
ter.
Second U. C. T. Mammoth Min-
strel Show, St. Johnsbury, Feb. 11-12.
(Mrs. W. E. Kendall, Correspondent.)
Miss Vera Shields from West Barnet
attended the Christmas exercises at
the school Friday.
Miss Dorcas Ayer, Mildred Smith,
Muriel Somers, Catherine Robie, Fos-
ter and Raymond Campbell are home
for the Christmas vacation from Ly-
ndon Institute. Virginia Elliott is home
from her school at Northfield and
Ruth and Florence Wilder come this
week Thursday from the Art school in
Boston.
Misses Helen, Jessie and Beulah
Whitney from Gardner, Mass., are
spending their Christmas vacation
with their sister, Mrs. Minot Wood.
Mrs. Kate Kinney came home Satur-
day from Fred Carrick's at Barnet
Center.
Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Kendall, Mrs.
Harvey Drew, Eugene Wilson, Edward
Smith and C. B. Whitney attended the
funeral of Albert E. Cowles at North
Craftsbury last Thursday, returning
home Friday.
The teachers, Miss Ella Barrett and
Miss Olive Shields have gone to their
homes for the Christmas vacation,
Miss Barrett to her home in Walden
and Miss Shields to West Barnet.
Mrs. Charles Goss and little son
spent a few days last week with Mr.
Goss at Walden.
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Walbridge and
daughter Vera were at D. A. Blain's
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Mrs. Ralph White was in St. Johns-
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Mr. and Mrs. Roy Warden and Miss
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LYNDON
New Grange Hall To Be Dedicated
Jan. 15—Personals.
(Mrs. Ellen A. Staples, Correspondent.)
The new Grange hall is to be com-
pleted and the dedication held Thurs-
day, Jan. 13, in the afternoon. In
the evening there will be a grand ball.
A fuller program will be published
later.
The Methodist Sunday school will
celebrate Christmas eve by the usual
concert and Christmas tree at the M.
E. church Friday evening at 7:30.
The musical part of the service is of
unusual beauty and variety and is
taken from the service entitled "The
Prince of Bethlehem."
Charles Chayer is at home from
Bates college for a few days.
Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Holloway and
son David went Saturday to Suncook,
N. H., to spend four or five days.
Rev. A. Roy Green, Mr. and Mrs.
Irving Hobart and Mrs. Harrison Mc-
Laughlin of Peasacham spent the day
last week Monday at Scott Farm.
Mrs. Beatrice Kelley and Robert re-
turned from Newport Thursday. They
are moving into the tenement in Mr.
Leonard's house.
Prospect Chapter of the Epworth
League has just purchased for use in
social meetings 50 songs by the dis-
tributed "Joy to the World."
The sale of useful and fancy articles
and the chicken pie supper last Wed-
nesday evening was both enjoyable
and profitable as nearly \$50 were taken
in by the Ladies Aid and Epworth
League.
The Congregational Sunday school
will hold their Christmas concert Sat-
urday evening with a Christmas tree.
Ell Carter of Morrisville has moved
his family here and they will occupy
Mrs. Couch's tenement house which
has been undergoing repairs.
The young people of the Congre-
gational church have formed a society
of Christian Endeavor and the organ-
ization will be completed next week.
Miss Amelia Lee has gone to Lun-
enburg for a short visit.
WEST BARNET
(Thessa C. Blain, Correspondent.)
The second game of basket ball be-
tween the West Barnet and McIndoe
teams will be played Wednesday eve-
ning in the W. B. hall.
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Lectures on Preventive Medicine.
The Vermont State Medical Society
has issued the following announcement
concerning the plans of the American
Medical Association:
"No effort in the modern educa-
tional world better expresses the spirit of
the times or deserves more commenda-
tion than the attitude of the Ameri-
can Medical Association toward in-
forming the general public along the
lines of preventive medicine.
"The American Medical Association
has a clearly developed plan for sys-
tematic work throughout the United
States and holds each state medical
society responsible for the work in its
own state.
"The public health committee for
the Vermont State Medical Society
met in Burlington, November 16 and
outlined the following plan for the
work in this state:
"A committee will be chosen from
each county and city medical society
which will have charge of the work in
that section and endeavor to come in
touch with all local organizations as
Granges, church societies, schools,
parent-teacher associations, men and
women's clubs and those interested in
outlying or rural districts.
"The local committee will arrange
for the lectures or talks on being not-
ified that such is desired, and it is
earnestly hoped that every organiza-
tion will feel that its work has not
been 'well done' unless at least one of
the public health lectures has been in-
cluded in its program.
"The newspapers will aid in giving
press notices of public interest and
helpfulness. The University of Ver-
mont extension course is hoped to be
utilized, especially in rural districts
and the committee expects to arrange
a series of lectures, at different points
in the state, by popular public health
officials who will visit this state.
"Health problems form one of the
greatest economic factors with which
we deal and it is hoped that every
physician will co-operate to further
this great work and show the true
spirit to work for preventive as well
as curative medicine.
"Societies wishing to make arrange-
ments for speakers on health ques-
tions may refer to G. G. Marshall, Rut-
land; L. H. Ross, Bennington; Grace
Sherwood, St. Albans; G. I. Forbes,
Burlington; and F. W. Harriman,
Montpelier."
STANNARD
(F. K. Bartlett, Correspondent.)
Mrs. Hattie Brown is sick. Her
many friends hope for a speedy recov-
ery.
Charles Smith and son Gerald rolled
the roads Wednesday and Thursday.
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Thomas Robinson visited his par-
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Ernest Allen is drawing hay from
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