

Vermont Farmer

St. Johnsbury, Vt., September 8, 1874.

Notes About Towns.

Read Huntley's ad.

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Some snook stole a valise full of clothes belonging to Mr. A. J. Gummer from near C. W. Lyman's farm, at Rock Island, Thursday evening of last week. Gummer brought it to Lyman's and had just returned from a journey, and the valise and a trunk were left at the gate by the expressman.

Two men passed through the Plain that night of the 1st inst. and were seen to enter the one lost, but no further clue can be obtained. Clothes lines have been robbed several times recently in Stansstead and Barnston.

Horse-stealing is getting unpleasantly common of late, on both sides of the line. Some have been stolen in the Townships lately, and it is feared that the same will be heard of here, lost one which has not yet been returned. Friday night a pair worth about \$800 were stolen from J. H. Studer's pasture in Stansstead, and there is yet no clue to the thieves. Two colts belonging to the same owner were also stolen. The stolen from Holmes' pasture in Stansstead, one night last week, but have since been recovered in Charleston, Vt. It appears that the thieves took the horses by the Holland road from Barnston to Charleston. They were taken through a piece of woodland, across some opening, and into the bushes on the further side