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PERSONAL AND GENERAL.

Prime Minister Salisbury's family has eight representatives in the British Parliament.

"Gen." Peter Macy, of Memphis, is a cousin of Dewey's and an uncle of Hobson's.

A collection of autographs of botanists which contains about 11,000 names, has been presented to the herbarium of Harvard University by the wife of the late Prof. Asa Gray. It is second in interest only to that of the British museum.

John R. Key, a grandson of the famous Francis Scott Key, is rapidly making a name for himself as an artist. He has been painting a series of pictures of World's Fair scenes as he studied them in Chicago, and they are on exhibition in the Illinois building of the Omaha Exposition.

It has been proved, as the result of experiments, that the circulation of the blood is affected by music.

The Arabic street of Spanish Toledo, which has been described as a "skeleton city," are now lighted by electricity.

Taking the average depth of the ocean to be three miles, there would be a layer of salt 250 feet deep if the water should evaporate.

It has been found in Switzerland that in building a railway laborers could work only one-third as long at a height of 10,000 feet as a mile lower.

In consequence of a recent conference of representatives of the Society Nationale d'Acclimatation de France with King Leopold, sovereign of the Congo State, it is likely that energetic measures will soon be taken to prevent the extermination of elephants in Africa.

One of the strangest streams in the world is in east Africa. It flows in the direction of the sea, but never reaches it. Just north of the equator, and when only a few miles from the Indian ocean, it flows into the desert, where it suddenly and completely disappears.

Emperor William's numerous press agents have set another story afloat. It is to the effect that upon a recent occasion when he wanted to order a motor car for use in Berlin, a vehicle of French design was shown his. He drew himself up (for the German Emperor always draws himself up prior to delivering himself of a patriotic utterance) and said: "You cannot expect me to buy and use a foreign carriage here."

Since Lord Wolseley has been commander-in-chief many changes have been made for the benefit of the rank and file in the British army. The latest boon which he has conferred upon the soldiers is that whereby he will in future be rid of the heavy headgear, whether it be helmet, busby or what not, on field days and in hot weather. The full head dress is to be worn only when the men are paraded in review or on guard.

Lieut. John J. Blandin, who was the deck officer of the Maine, when she was blown up at Havana, died on Sunday in an asylum at Baltimore of meningitis thought to have been brought on by the shock of the disaster.

Mr. Horace E. Scudder's withdrawal from the editorship of the Atlantic Monthly is announced. While retaining his connection with the house of Houghton, Mifflin & Co., and devoting himself to literary work, he yields direction of the magazine to Mr. Walter H. Page, who has for the past year had it in charge during Mr. Scudder's absence in Europe.

VERMONT LOCAL ENWS

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damage was done. Mrs. R. Fuller and several other members of the family felt the shock, but it is thought no serious results will follow.—Two nieces of Mrs. Bushnell, the Misses Barnes from Barre, also a brother, Mr. Vance, are guests at Dr. E. R. Bushnell's.

CAMBRIDGE.

Hollis Gray is spending a part of his vacation with friends in Worcester, Mass.—R. Brush and family attended the State Press association excursion.—Mrs. Frederick of Burlington and Miss Hattie Frederick of Yonkers, N. Y., spent the week in town.—H. A. Hatch, who was injured at the reservoir is recovering very slowly. Though not injured as seriously as it was feared, he is not able to sit up or help himself at all.—Miss Lucy Wheelock returned to Boston Monday.—Mrs. N. Blair of Morrisville and Miss Mary Foote of Boston were the guests of E. Wheelock, Tuesday.—Mrs. Hulburd and son, Philip, are in Waterville for the week.—Fred Wells of California is visiting his father, T. C. Wells.

MORRISVILLE.

A lodge of the New England Order of Protection was organized in the hall on the third floor of the Woodbury block on Monday evening.—S. A. Howard announces that he will hold forth in the town hall on Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock on the seventh day Sabbath observance.—Amos E. Hall of Boston, a student in the People's Academy in 1856, was in town Monday.—Miss Fuller returned to the Randall Monday after an absence of several months.—C. A. Rich left Monday to visit his daughter in Rutland and son in East Jaffrey, N. H.—Elmer Dike has moved from Bridge street to Jersey Heights.—A democratic caucus was held on Saturday evening to choose delegates to the State and district conventions to be held in Burlington Wednesday. Dana N. Hutchins was made chairman and C. J. Slayton secretary. G. F. Small and Herbert Miner were elected delegates to the State convention and D. N. Hutchins and C. J. Slayton to the district convention. The town committee is composed of S. B. Doty, Harry Smith and C. J. Slayton.—The civil authority board heard complaints as to appraisals of real estate on Saturday at the town clerk's office. A further hearing will be held next Saturday.—A. W. Stone is assisting in the bank.—The many Morrisville friends of Ellis E. Foster were much surprised to know that he had given up his position in the bank here, where he had been for some time, and has gone to Boston, where he will study osteopathy.—William Nicholson, E. S. Robinson's assistant, has gone to Greensboro for a two weeks' outing.—Phil Clark of Lyndonville was in town on Monday.—State's Attorney Fleetwood of this place and the to be State's Attorney L. J. Thompson of Wolcott went to Mansfield mountain on Saturday for a short stay.—Miss Leonora Joslyn of Boston, Miss Annie Robinson and the Misses Lila and Mildred Woodbury of Burlington are visiting in town.—Local talent will soon put on the play, "All the Comforts of Home" under the direction of Mr. Chas. Russell, the actor, who is summering here.—Gov. Leslie M. Shaw of Dennison, Ia., his son Earl, and his brother, D. W. Shaw of Manilla, Iowa, have been in town for several days visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. O. Shaw on Park street.—Mrs. L. H. Hadley, mother of Elmer Hadley, died at her home one mile out toward Stowe last Wednesday. The burial was at Morristown Corners last Friday, Rev. Mr. Ryan of Stowe, pastor of the Methodist church, officiating in the absence of the Methodist pastor here.—The Exchange hotel property on lower Main street has been sold by Geo. Tillotson to Ernest Foss, the latter transferring to the former his residence on upper Main street. Foss has leased his property to Mr. S. W. Beaulac of Hyde Park, who once ran the house for some time. Improvements will be made at once in the front of the property.—Ed. Crain was in town from Burlington over Sunday.—Miss Moulton of Montpelier is the guest of Mrs. G. M. Powers.—There will be no further church service at the Universalist church until the first Sunday in September.—Bonett, the tinsmith, has bought of G. W. Clark a place in Hyde Park known as the Butterfield farm.—Warren Woodworth of Richford was in town last week.—John E. Bentley of St. Albans was in town Friday.—Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Robinson returned here Saturday evening from the three days' trip with the Vermont Press association.—Will C. Whipple of Boston is at home on one week's vacation.—Mrs. Brigham of Grand Rapids, Mich., and Mrs. Richardson of Brooklyn were in town last week.—Fred Beach, a former student here, was up from Burlington last week.—Rev. Elizabeth Goldthwaite of East Calais occupied the desk in the Universalist church on Sunday morning in exchange with Rev. Dr. Booth.—The Jersey Heights creamery is now in full operation and is a model institution of its kind. The Boynton tenement house near by will be occupied by operators in the creamery.—Rev. S. S. Eddy, pastor of the Methodist church returned from a short vacation and occupied his desk on Sunday.

Miss Florence Hickok of Boston and Miss Jennie Hickok of New Haven, Conn., are at home for a visit.—Weld Terrill is at home from Springfield, Mass., where he has a desirable position in a store.—Ex-Gov. Hendee returned here Tuesday evening from the seashore. He goes back in a day or two for a longer stay with Mrs. Hendee who is much improved.—Miss McDonald of Ottawa is visiting at Dr. Rublee's.—Miss Ferrin of Montpelier is a guest at H. C. Fisk's.—The fire department had a semi-monthly meeting in their hall on Tuesday evening.—The pulpit in the Congregational church will be occupied next Sunday by Prof. F. E. Woodruff, professor of Greek in Bowdoin College, Maine.—Miss Mary, daughter of A. J. Strong has gone to Thompson's Island, Boston harbor, where she has a position as teacher in the Boston Farm school.—Mrs. Newton Terrill returned Tuesday from a visit with her sons in Andover and Springfield, Mass.—The M. E. ladies' aid society served supper in the vestry Wednesday afternoon.—Master Robert and Miss Grace Anderson of Cambridge, Mass, are spending the summer at S. M. Palmer's.—A handsome new flag flies from the peak over the dome of the Hotel Randall.—Archie Udall has gone to Lynn, Mass., where he will have a position in a store.—Percy Stone, wife and child will make their home with Mrs. E. A. Hadley.—Universalists of the Lamoille valley in particular are making ready for the annual convention of the Universalists of Vermont and Quebec, which will be held in Stowe, August 23, 24, 25.—Morrisville people were very sorry to hear of the death of T. Hull Page, son of Ex-Gov. Page of Hyde Park, which occured in Las Vegas, N. M., Tuesday evening. Gov. Page left his home Monday evening in response to a telegram saying that his son was losing courage. The remains will be brought east.—What seems to be an effort with promise of success is being made in behalf of Morrisville's largest enterprise, the tannery which, owing to market conditions has been silent for some time. With a stock company having a capital of $15,000 formed, the plant will soon be in full operation. The stock is arranged in 200 shares of $50 each. 120 of these shares have already been taken by our citizens.—Mr. and Mrs. Matthews of Fort Covington N. Y., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Matthews.

Mrs. Baker and daughter of Chicago were at Prof. W. F. Whipple's over Sunday.—H. P. Munson and wife were at Prof. A. L. Hardy's cottage at Greensboro from Friday until Monday.—Darius Bedell moved his family to the floor over Bert Smalley's store, lower Portland street, Monday.—Lamoille Grange will have a children's day picnic in the camp ground near here on Thursday July 28.—Two deer were seen on the highway between here and Wolcott Sunday.—Miss Lula Niles arrived from Boston Monday evening.—Miss Evangeline McCoy of Boston and Mrs. Winters and daughter, Vera, of Lowell, Mass., are at J. J. Billings'.—W. C. Whipple will return to Boston Saturday evening.—On Thursday of next week, July 28th, a Union Sunday school picnic excursion will start from Morrisville and include all stations to Essex, going by train to Burlington, continuing by boat to Providence Island, Lake Champlain. It will afford a very pleasant trip and a rate of fare will be made within the reach of all.—On Monday evening a lodge of the New England Order of Protection was organized here through the efforts of Mr. H. F. Knapp who had been in town for some time working up the interests of the order. The officers elected are as follows, the lodge being instituted and officers installed the same evening, by Supreme Secretary, D. M. Frye of Boston, assisted by Grand Warden, E. E. Sargent and Grand Secretary H. E. Byron of St. Johnsbury. D. M. Frye acting as installing officer: Past warder, W. W. Pike; warden, G. D. Mower; vice-warden, E. E. Spiller; chaplain, Rev. Dr. Booth, secretary, E. M. Davis; financial secretary, Chas C. Boynton; treasurer, T. B. Ellis; guide, Miss Daisy M. LeBarron; guardian, Mrs. Mae E. Spiller, sentinel, Fred M. Ober; trustees, three-year term, Frank R. Brown; two year term, E. H. P. Merrill; one year term, K. A. Thomas; organist, Miss Agnes Mower; examining physicians, Dr. C. C. Rublee, Dr. L. J. Marshall. The lodge was instituted with 28 charter members. The charter is to be held open for 30 days for admission of new members as charter members. Deputy H. F. Knapp is to stay in town for two weeks to assist in putting the lodge in working order.—Charles Kellogg went to Burlington by bicycle on Tuesday.—Mrs. C. F. Smith is improving from a long illness.—Rev. Dr. Booth went to Greensboro Wednesday to attend the funeral of Harvey Stone, father of E. H. Stone of this place. The remains were brought here for interment.

ORLEANS COUNTY.

BARTON.

Deacon Daniel Tenney of Morrisville and daughter, Charlotte, a teacher in Mills college, at Oakland, Cal., are visiting at C. W. Tenney's.—Oscar Cook of Newport spent last Sunday here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Cook.—H. A. Spencer, presiding elder, preached at the Methodist church last Sunday morning.—"Christianity as compared with other religions" was the topic of an interesting meeting at the Congregational church last Sunday evening. Papers upon the subject were presented by Miss Florence Currier, Miss Alice Nelson and Miss Mabel Miles; remarks were made by the pastor, Rev. R. L. Sheaff.—Thomas King and Miss King and Miss Addie Chandler of Elizabeth, N. J., have arrived at R. S. Twombley's to spend the summer.—The Derby Line ball team, assisted by Ned Stiles, the crack second baseman of the U. V. M. club, and Heath, a first-class player of the Beebee Plain team, crossed bats with the local players at the fair ground last Friday afternoon. H. Foster and Fisk, the battery of Dean academy, were in the points for Derby Line, and H. Hitchcock and E. Jenness were the battery for Barton. Flags of Goddard seminary and K. Foster of Tufts college took a week's ease with Derby Line. H. Hitchcock and A. Robinson did good work for the home team. The general good playing of the visitors and the variety and magnitude of errors on the part of the Bartons were noticeable features. Derby Line won, 23 to 6.—There was a meeting of the board of civil authority at the town clerk's office Monday to hear the grievances of the taxpayers against the listers.—F. W. Baldwin started last Saturday on a business trip to Minneapolis, Minn., and Jamestown, N. D.—Justin Bigelow, aged 81 years, died at his residence on Main street Sunday morning. He leaves a wife and two sons, Henry and Avery of this place. The funeral was held Monday afternoon, Rev. W. E. Douglass officiating.

CRAFTSBURY.

Rev. Mr. Goodspeed of Springfield Mass., is spending his vacation in town.—The eldest son of Henry Dutton from Portsmouth, N. H., fell from a tree last Tuesday morning, injuring him severely.—Rev. L. D. Hillard has accepted a call to the Congregational church in Hardwick and has moved there with his family.—Homer Bartlette recently sustained some severe cuts about the head and face by being tipped off from a load of hay.—Charles Anderson has gone to Boston, seeking employment.—Mr. and Mrs. Conant spent last week in Cabot.—A special service of thanksgiving will be held in the M. E. church next Sunday morning. Subject of discourse, America's lessons to the world. Special music will be rendered by the choir.—Mrs. Robinson of Barton was in town last week.—Mrs. Mary Wylie and children from Chicago are in town to spend the summer with Mrs. Wylie's mother, Mrs. James Simpson.

LOWELL.

Bertie Davis, who has been living with Mrs. Byron Davis, has gone to Morrisville to live with her brother, Eli Davis.—The Ladies' Aid met with Mrs. A. I. Stebbins Friday.—Mrs. William Warner of Bethel visited at William Hodgman's the past week.—Mrs. E. B. Weed visited friends at Enosburg last week.—Rev. Mr. Eldridge delivered a war lecture Sunday evening which was largely attended.—Harland Shattuck and family of Eden were in town Sunday.—Mrs. Chas. Dodge of Burlington is in town on a visit.

GREENSBORO.

Prof. Barbour and a party from Burlington are in camp at J. J. Lindsay's.—Miss Tressa McCue is staying with M. McCue, her uncle.—Mrs. Dr. Kinney is visiting her sister in Middlebury; Master Albert is with his grandparents in Georgia.—The steamer Emma May has been thoroughly repaired by her present captain.—George Palmer and family have returned from Newport.

NEWPORT.

Mrs. Young has moved to West Derby.—O. L. Bennett is home from Boston.—Mrs. Jessie Laha, a former resident, is here from Boston on a visit.—Bert Chamberlin is home from Lowell, Mass.—Mrs. Frank Harvey has returned from Sherbrook, P. Q., where she has been on a visit to her mother.—Wallace Kendall sprained his arm quite badly Monday by being thrown from a load of hay.

A. Hutchinson has moved into one of W. E. Trick's tenement on Main street.—D. O. Cole of Hardwick recently visited at P. O. Holt's.—George B. Root and daughter of Lowell, Mass., are here on a visit to his father's, H. W. Root's.—Mrs. William Imple of Chicago is visiting her sister, Mrs. F. A. Blanchard.—C. A. Phillips has sold his steam laundry business to William Richard.—Andrew Robitille has closed his labors in Wadleigh's drug store.—C. M. Flint has moved into his own house, which had been occupied by J. H. Therloux, who moved into S. W. Keith's house on School street.

WESTFIELD.

W. H. Farman delivered an address at Newport Centre last Sunday evening.—Mrs. Edward Bell and children of Enosburgh Centre have been spending a fortnight with relatives in town.—Mrs. Hattie Blanchard of Essex is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Peter Gardner.—Mrs. S. S. Lunt of West Derby is visiting her sister, Mrs. M. C. Hitchcock.

ORANGE COUNTY.

RANDOLPH.

The company boarding house at Camp Randolph, Highgate Springs, was opened for the season Thursday. W. E. Lamson and family and Mrs. A. J. Walsh and family and Miss Clara Hendry of Boston left this morning for an outing there.

I. D. Litchfield has been entertaining his sisters, Mrs. J. Bixby and Miss Ines Litchfield of Springfield, this State.

Fred Beedle has recovered from his recent illness sufficiently to return to his home in Keene, N. H.

Mrs. A. B. Fish and Ferda Fish, Mrs. Harry Allen and family and Miss June Fassett enjoyed a picnic at Silver Lake in Barnard, Friday.

A party of young men from this village are camping at Brookfield pond for a few days.

R. W. Morse, for three years proprietor of the Junction House at White River Junction, formerly landlord of the Red Lion Inn here, relinquished his management of the Junction House Friday.

State's Attorney Darling of Chelsea, assisted by Officers Buswell, Parish, Clark, Lamson and Kent, raided the bakery and confectionery establishment of E. P. Libbey in Richmond block Saturday evening. Eight bottles of lager beer were found; also quite a quantity of "hop beer." Libbey was arraigned before Hon. James Hutchinson and pleaded guilty to five first offenses of selling and one first offense of keeping on hand with intent to sell. He was fined $30 and costs, which made his bill $66.06. He has been in business here about a year.

Miss Mary McIntyre is spending two weeks with Bennington friends.

Mrs. Asenath Cross went to Holyoke, Mass., Saturday to visit her daughter, May, who is a stenographer there.

John Udall of Strafford and Miss Clare Bagley of Keene, N. H., came Saturday to visit at Eugene Wardner's.

Margaret and Howard Burnap of Fitchburg, Mass., have arrived for a stay with Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Howard, their grandparents.

Misses Ellen and Kate Griswold, formerly of this place, but now of Boston, returned home Saturday after a 10 days' visit in this vicinity.

Floyd Bancroft of Brooklyn, N. Y., is visiting at Mrs. Ellen Blanchard's.

Misses Mary Thayer and Adeline Gray returned to Waterbury, Conn., Saturday, accompanied by Miss Bessie Holden, who will visit relatives there.

Mrs. J. C. Ordway and daughter, Mary, of Concord, N. H., are guests of N. W. McCollom.

Charles Flint, wife and baby of St. Albans spent Sunday here.

Col. A. B. Chandler and son, Albert Eckert of Brooklyn, N. Y., spent Sunday at Mari-Castle. Col Chandler will remain a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Story and Miss Helen West are at Ioleton cottage.

Erwin Whitcomb began work Monday in the store of Bell brothers.

Corn was badly injured by the frost last week and potatoes and gardens are looking poorly.

Edna King, 10 years old, fell 11 feet from a piazza roof last Friday evening and was picked up insensible. She was badly bruised but no bones were broken.

A daughter was born Saturday to Mr. and Mrs. Albert Tatro.

Prof. A. L. Hardy was here Tuesday to visit his brother, Rev. V. M. Hardy. He is on his way to Amherst, Mass., where he has been elected superintendent of schools. He will enter upon his work Sept. 1st. He had charge of the schools here about five years before going to St. Johnsbury, and is very popular in this place.

The co-operative creamery paid 16c a pound for butter fat during the month of June.

Mrs. Herbert Wiswell of Boston, her daughter, Carlotta, and her son, Richard, are at W. W. Jones' farm for their eighth season. Mrs. Wiswell's sister-in-law and a friend will arrive Saturday.

William Mann went to Saratoga, N. Y., Tuesday afternoon after an extended vacation from his business.

Miss Jennie M. Stewart, teacher of the Grammar school, is entertaining Misses Mary DuBois, Myrtle Walbridge and Eunice Flint of the school factulty, at the Stewart cottage at Highgate Springs.

Walter Wedgwood went to Boston Wednesday.

Miss Lucinda Dupuis goes the last of the week for a brief outing at Willoughby lake.

Mrs. John Peavey went to Burlington Tuesday for treatment in the Mary Fletcher Hospital.

Lyman Rix of Sharon came up Tuesday for a short visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Howell have returned to Philadelphia.

Judge Rowell and a party of friends have been spending a few days on Mount Mansfield.

L. B. Johnson, Lemuel Richmond, Miss Maud Putnam and Miss Jennie Campbell joined the campers at Highgate Springs Wednesday.

Mrs. M. L. Scott has gone to Irasburg to visit relatives.

Judge and Mrs. W. W. Goodrich went back to Brooklyn, N. Y., Tuesday.

Mrs. C. H. Marble of Boston is spending the week at Fabien Dupuis'.

W. B. Viall went to Rutland Wednesday on business.

RANDOLPH CENTRE.

Miss Clara D. Eddy is at home for the summer vacation.—N. L. Boyden and family go to Camp Randolph at Highgate this week.—Summer guests are not so numerous as usual at this season though there are new arrivals daily.—Farmers are well along in their haying and many of them have a crop so large that it is difficult to find storage.—Rev. W. R. Davenport is expected to preach at the Methodist Episcopal church next Sunday morning.—The "Murphy House" has been sold to W. B. Hebard. Possession is to be given Aug. 1st, when the house is to be repaired and put into suitable condition for keeping boarders.

BROOKFIELD.

W. C. Clark has a house full of city boarders.—Many deer have been seen about town lately.—Dr. and Mrs. Ellis entertained the lodge of Good Templars last Friday evening.—Harris Parmenter of West Concord, N. H., is visiting at J. W. Parmenter's and G. K. Sprague's.—Miss Mabel Black of Brooklyn, N. Y., is spending the summer at Nathaniel Wheatley's.—The house of Mark Stoddard recently caught fire from a defective chimney, but was put out with small loss.—Everett Newell of Bridgewater, Mass., is visiting relatives in town.—A very large hay crop is being harvested.—The Wheatley family formerly of this town, but now of Meriden, Conn., have come to spend their vacation at W. C. Clark's.

TUNBRIDGE.

Mr. and Mrs. James Farnham and Miss Susie Donaldson of New York city are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Amos P. Farnham.—Mr. and Mrs. Albert H. Cushman of Lowell, Mass., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Dustin last week.—Mrs. S. E. Slack has gone to Hanover, N. H., for a few weeks.—Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Woodard, Miss Mildred Woodard and Mrs. Arthur M. Keith of Campello, Mass., have gone to Silver Lake, Barnard, for a few weeks.—Cortez T. Brigham of St. Johnsbury was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Cushman last week.—Charles H. Allen is delegate to the democratic convention held at Burlington this week. W. A. Clark is his alternate.—Oscar Ward cut his left hand upon a scythe Monday morning. An artery was cut and the wound is a serious one.—Mr. and Mrs. James Cushman of Haverhill, Mass., and Mrs. Agnes Cushman West of Lynn, Mass., were guests of Mrs. S. A. Cushman last week.

NEWBURY.

Mrs. Charles Henderson recently died suddenly, aged 78 years. She was a native of Newbury, and a great grand daughter of Gen. Jacob Bailey.—Extensive repairs are being made at the Riverside farm, which a stock company use for raising hackney horses.—Business at Lake Morey is better this season than ever before.—Geo. A. Dickey a son of the late Col. A. M. Dickey is the proprietor and manager of the Glens Falls House.—Many summer visitors are enjoying the pleasures afforded by this village as a summer resort.—An Episcopal church is among the new projects now under discussion.—The Seminary building is undergoing extensive repairs preparatory to the begining of the fall school.—Hon. J. R. McLane of Topsham, who was recently nominated as a sub judge for Orange county has been appointed by Gov. Grout to fill out the term of Judge Kibby recently deceased.—Hon. Edwin A. Rogers, who recently died in Sonora, California was born in Newbury 74 years ago. He was a graduate of Harvard College in the forties. He studied law with the late Judge Underwood at Wells River, and went to California in 1852 where he gained much distinction at the bar and on the bench. At the time of his death he stood at the head of his profession and was a Vermonter of push and brains enough to be an honor to his native State. He leaves many relatives in this section.

WILLIAMSTOWN.

George L. Edson and family are at the Lynde cottage, overlooking Mirror Lake, Berlin, this week.—James Beckett and wife returned home last week.—H. L. Cheney, H. W. Cheney and Henry Wood, with their families are at Highgate Springs this week.—Prin. O. H. Smith of Ashville Academy, is spending his vacation at home with his father, M. A. Smith.—The base ball team played with the Barre Hustlers last Saturday. The visiting team won by a score of 11 to 8.—Mrs. Fanny N. Wilber is visiting relatives at Barre this week.—Leon McAllister is at home from three weeks visit in Chelsea and Tunbridge.—Edwin M. Whitney and Haden M. Jeffords have improved their farm by the building of new stables this season.—Henry C. House and wife visited in Waterbury last week, also making a short trip to Stowe.—Mrs. Liberty Jeffords is recovering from her late serious illness.—A. G. Wilber has built a house a short distance from a medicinal spring on his land in Calensieu Parish, Louisiana, a few miles from the town of Jennings.

CHELSEA.

During the month of June Orange County Creamery received 293,071 pounds of mink from which were made 14,492 pounds of butter, for which patrons were paid 16 cents per pound. Current expenses were $321.36.—State's Attorney Hale K. Darling was in Randolph last Saturday and filed his complaint against E. P. Libbey for selling and keeping intoxicating liquor with intent to sell. Libey pleaded guilty to one offence of keeping and five first offences of selling and was fined $30 and costs. His store was raided and eight bottles of lager beer were found and ordered to be destroyed.—Rufus Brown, aged 77 years, fell from the window in the second story of his barn last Saturday, breaking his hip and dislocating his shoulder.—Mrs. Archibald E. Mills of Alton, Ill., has arrived in town for her usual summer stay with her sister-in-law, Mrs. John B. Atwood, Mr. Mills intending to come somewhat later in August.—Miss Mary F. Fay of Grafton, Mass., is visiting at her cousin, George L. Stow, for a fortnight.—At the recent democratic caucus Herbert O. Elxby and John B. Atwood were elected delegates to the State and W. H. H. Hall and William H. Hill delegates to the district convention in Burlington July 20th.—Curtis S. Emery, whose wife has been under medical treatment in Burlington for many weeks, recently returned from Burlington, where she underwent an operation at Dr. Sparhawk's sanitarium.—Mrs. Hattie E. Jones, who has been absent in Reading, Mass., during several months, returned last week.—Orange County Court, which has been taking a recess since July 2nd, re-convened Tuesday, July 19th for the trial of criminal cases.—Principal William H. Cummings, of Kimball Union Academy at Meriden, N. H., with his daughter Julia, arrived last week Tuesday for his summer's vacation with his father-in-law, Alonzo H. Powers. Mr. Cummings is nearly recovered from the severe attack of pneumonia which he suffered last June.—Rev. Andrew J. Eastman and his wife arrived from his former home in Beth'ehem, N. H., last Friday.—Alice Noyes of Haverhill, Mass., is visiting his uncle, A. W. Whitney.—Mrs. Mary L. Scales, aged 76 years 7 months, died Sunday last, her funeral occurring Tuesday.

WASHINGTON.

The Mite society met with Mrs. G. E. Huntington last week Wednesday, about sixty persons being present.—Mr. and Mrs. Cole of Taunton, Mass., are visiting their niece, Miss Emily Calef.—Mrs. Byron Dwinell of Taunton, Mass., is visiting her mother, Mrs. Emily A. Barrow.—The Aid society meets with Mrs. Fred Huntington Wednesday.—Mrs. Waterman spent several days last week with her daughter, Mrs. Ed. Houghton, of East Barre.—Mark Carpenter is at home sick with mumps.—Mrs. D. M. Flint and Mrs. Sarah Downing gave tea parties last Thursday and Friday in honor of Mrs. Edna Watson Barrows.—Dr. Scribner who with his wife has been tenting on the Dickerman hillside has returned to his home in Barre city.—Miss White of Montpelier, and Mrs. Heman White of Denver, Col., who is enroute for London, Eng., were in town Saturday last.—Mrs. Frank Freeborn and Miss Bertha Hodgman, are visiting at Mrs. R. Houghton's.—Children's day was observed at the Baptist church last Sunday with appropriate and interesting exercises.—Miss Dorothy Ashland, and brother, Willard of Rouses Point, N. Y., have been visiting at Ernest Smith's.—Mrs. Cyrus Smith is employed as a nurse at Barre city.—C. G. McAllister is quite ill.

RUTLAND COUNTY.

RUTLAND.

J. M. Stoddard has been appointed office deputy by United States Marshal Fred A. Field.

At the monthly meeting of the board of managers of the Rutland Missionary association held at the old Ladies' Home yesterday the following officers were elected for the coming year: First directress, Mrs. N. P. Kingsley; second directress, Mrs. W. A. Patrick; third directress, Mrs. E. H. Wood; secretary, Mrs. Charles P. Harris; treasurer, Mrs. George R. Bottum; assistant treasurer, Mrs. M. R. Crain; committee on admission, Mrs. Milo Lyman, Mrs. Charles P. Harris, Mrs. George C. Thrall, Mrs. George L. Silliman, Mrs. A. P. Fuller and Mrs. O. Wooster; general visitor, Mrs. V. C. Thrall. The home has at present eight inmates.

The Methodist society have sold to local parties what is known as the "property on the hill." The building of the new church will be started very soon. The contract has been let to C. E. Paige, who will begin work on the interior of the old edifice at once as this is to form a portion of the new building. Some over $7000 has already been pledged and it is expected that the balance can be raised in time. It has not been decided where to hold services during the time repairs are going on and the addition is being built.

Five steel steam canal boats have commenced running on the Champlain canal. It is not generally known in this city, Henry Stanley of Poultney, Vt., was the inventor of the steam canal boat; also of many other practical and useful inventions. Mr. Stanley was once a wealthy manufacturer, the first president of the bank of Poultney and a member of the first Senate of Vermont. He died in extreme poverty at Troy, N. Y., and was buried at Poultney and for many years his grave was unmarked. A few years ago the citizens of Poultney and Troy, N. Y., erected a monument to his memory, which was publicly dedicated.

Hon. John W. Cramton had a partial stroke of paralysis on Saturday.

Fred A. Field, jr., has returned from a three weeks' vacation along the eastern sea coast.

Mr. Joseph M. Stoddard has been appointed clerical deputy in the United States marshal's office.

A telegram from Tangiers Saturday announces that the consul general at Morrocco, Col. Frank C. Partridge, is en route home. On his arrival he will resign the federal office, having been nominated for State senator.

BENSON.

Mrs. E. S. Howard, after an absence of five weeks in Burlington, returned Saturday.—Rev. W. G. Burleigh occupied the pulpit of the Methodist church Sunday morning and evening in the absence of the pastor, Rev. E. A. Blanchard.—E. L. Westcott and family of Whitehall were the guests of Mrs. Mary Potter over Sunday.—Mrs. A. J. Dickinson and Miss Sarah Bascom returned from Middlebury Saturday.

WASHINGTON COUNTY.

MONTPELIER.

L. P. Spooner of Barre left here nine weeks ago last Monday for Burlington to canvas for silver plating for the Colton Manufacturing company, by whom he was employed. Since that time nothing has been heard from him and his parents have been making an active search to learn his whereabouts. Spooner was anxious to join the army, but it is quite improbable that he has done so as he had one foot injured about a year ago and he could not pass the required examination. His parents are inclined to think that he has started for the Klondike.

Postmaster A. J. Sibley has made an application to the postoffice department at Washington for another carrier on the ground that people living in tenement blocks are entitled to have their mail delivered at their doors instead of having it left at the foot of the stairs as is now done. The receipts of the office for the year ending June 30, 1895, amounted to $16,296, and for the year ending June 30, 1898, $19,711, showing a gain of $3411. Mr. Sibley's time expires August 4.

The marriage of Theron S. Colton and Miss Eva, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Forrester Clark, took place in Brooklyn, N. Y. Thursday evening at the home of the bride's parents. After the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Colton left on a trip to Philadelphia. They will come to this city for a visit with Mr. Colton's parents, after which they will go to Chicago, where they are to reside.

Notice of the death of Lyman Woodworth Ormsbee, an aged gentleman of East Montpelier, was received in this city Saturday. Mr. Ormsbee was a farmer and has resided in East Montpelier for a number of years. He was ill only about ten days, death resulting from myacarditis. The funeral was held Sunday and the remains interred in the Cutler cemetery.

Thomas B. Reed was a visitor in the city Saturday and was a mark for the reporters but all failed to get him to say anything in the way of news.

The lawn party given by the ladies auxiliary of the Y. M. C. A. netted about $40.

Martin Wheeler of Calais, who was raided some time ago, has taken an appeal to County Court. The cider was condemned.

The democrats met Saturday evening and elected the following city committee: Ward one, T. J. Kelliher; ward two, Julius Volhaim; ward three, Edward Sweeney; ward four, Charles Heaton; ward five, E. P. Carleton; secretary, Harry C. Shurtleff. The county convention will be held here on Saturday, July 30, and from present indications, there will be some surprises given out at that time, which may tend to cause trouble to certain republican candidates, and the old saying that a nomination in Vermont is as good as an election may be disproved.

The street railway company have concluded to extend their tracks from College street down Main street, making a belt line, and possibly may run another line up Elm street on to the meadow. Superintendent Smith states that the cars would be started over the Seminary hill route the latter part of this week. At a meeting of the directors held in Barre Monday it was voted to build an addition to the car barn and also an office for the superintendent of the road, work on which will be commenced at once. The park work is being rapidly pushed forward and the dancing pavilion will be ready for use in a short time. Next season it is the intention of the company to put in seats in the pavilion and give entertainments by travelling companies and it is quite probable that music will be put into the park on certain days of the week.

Fred B. Thomas received a telegram Tuesday morning from Capt. W. A. Pattee stating that there was now a chance for him to join Co. H. Mr. Thomas was rejected at Fort Ethan Allen on account of a hernia, and wishing very much to go with his company, went to the hospital at Burlington, where an operation was performed and he was pronounced sound. He started on the 6 o'clock train Wednesday evening for Chickamauga, where he is to join his company. He has been studying law in the office of George W. Wing and gives up his studies to become a soldier.

News has been received in this city that owing to continued ill health, Col. O. D. Clark of the First regiment, Vermont Volunteers, has asked for a leave of absence of 20 days that he may return to Vermont to rec