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make some changes at once. The office, which is too small for its present use, will be made much larger. The partition between the billiard room and office will be taken out and the space used for the office which will make it much larger and more convenient. H. W. Flint, who has had charge of previous improvements made in the hotel, has been engaged to do the work.

FORESTDALE.

Miss Minnie Shelden of Rupert is the guest of Miss Ethel Walton.—Mrs. E. C. McGowan and daughter, Ruth, are visiting relatives in Bellows Falls.—Mrs. Allie Keeler and daughter of Rutland are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Wetmore.—Mrs. Ellen McCollam is spending a month at Queen City Park.—Mrs. Hattie Capen and son, Martin, of Stoughton, Mass., are guests at Mrs. A. C. Capen's.—The W. M. Sunday school held their annual picnic at Lake Dunmore Wednesday.—Mrs. A. G. Estey, Mrs. C. V. Maimede and Mrs. J. H. Wilber are visiting in Bartonville.—The funeral of Mrs. Clysta Gee, who died in Leicester, was held in the W. M. Church Monday afternoon, the Rev. C. E. Hill officiating. The interment was in Forestdale cemetery.

BENSON.

Miss Kittie Ladd of Brooklyn, N. Y., Miss Ida Ladd of Summit, N. J., and George Ladd of Fort Henry, N. Y., are in town calling on relatives and friends. —The Rev. and Mrs. Taylor have returned from Round lake, after a two weeks' absence.Mrs. Harley Wood of Glens Falls is at A. G. Bishop's.—Farmers are beginning to harvest one of the best hay crops we have had in years.—D. E. Belden and wife returned last Friday from West Rutland, where they had been to visit Mrs. Belden's mother. Mrs. Sarah Hall.—Miss Bessie Bascom of Whitehall is visiting at W. S. Bascom's.—Mrs. Charles N. Bond and Mary Bond of Keeseville are guests at Moses Stickney's, having arived on Monday. C. N. Bond is here also.—Miss Sylva Harrison of Fair Haven is visiting her brother, Newell Harrison.—Mrs. Adeline Van Wert of New York is visiting her sister, Mrs. James Dorsey.—Miss Alice Southworth of Brooklyn is a guest at H. S. Southworth's.

WASHINGTON COUNTY

CALAIS.

The Rev. Charles P. Wellman will have services at the Old West Church August 2 and 9, at two o'clock p. m.—The Ladies' Union will meet with Mrs. Lucy Guernsey, August 6.—Miss Georgia Hawkins is visiting in Burlington.—Ernest Lamphere of Hopedale, Mass., is spending his vacation with his parents.—Howard Kent came Monday from Boston, to stay a few days at his brother's, H. A. Kent's.—Mrs. Cherille Tobey is visiting friends and relatives in town.—Mr. and Mrs. Clark, who have been spending the summer in town, go Friday for a month's stay in New Hampshire.—Mrs. Bryden is visiting Mrs. L. A. Kent, also Mrs. Jones and her daughter from Chicago.—Mrs. M. A. Smith, who is ill with asthma and pleurisy, is slowly gaining.—Mrs. Azro Nelson's condition remains about the same. Dr. Wheeler of North Montpelier is attending her.—Miss Alice Mower went to Boston last Saturday.—Mrs. Lucy Keniston and daughter, Mona, are staying with her sister, Mrs. E. J. Sparrow.

EAST CALAIS.

Miss Flora and Ethel Bevins and Mrs. Emma Murray and children are stopping at the Moscow House.—Moscow Lodge will hold their next meeting on Monday evening, August 3, 1903.—Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Lamb were called to Cabot to attend the funeral of E. C. Smith.

EAST ROXBURY.

Dr. Bert F. Allen was home over Sunday.—Mr. and Mrs. John Herbert from Franklin Falls, N. H., are visiting the Duffury brother.—Arthur Cooper from Rutherford, N. J., who was spending his vacation at George Foss's was called home by the serious illness of his brother.—Mrs. John Davis's sister from Lebanon, N. H., visited here last week.

EAST WARREN.

Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Daniels visited in Rochester last week.—Mrs. Hattie Lamb and Lena Kilburn of Randolph spent several days at F. C. Lamb's last week.—Mrs. Mary Perkins is on the sick list.—Grace Campbell of Randolph visited her parents the past week.—Ruth Campbell is visiting in Montpelier.—Lottie Estey has returned from Waterbury.—Mrs. James Newcomb is spending a few days in Waitsfield.

NORTH MONTPELIER.

Abbie Davis and her niece, Clara, from Ohio, are visiting Mrs. Julia Hollister.—The Rev. Miss Selman will begin her work in this parish next Sunday and services will be held every Sunday at 1:30 until January 1.—Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Noyes of Philadelphia, Penn., are visiting Mrs. Julia Hollister.—The Ladies' Circle are preparing a comedy entitled "Sunbonnets," to be given in the near future.—Mrs. Willard is out again after a long, serious sickness.—Jacob Sheldon is moving his family into one of Miss Warren's tenements.—Jennie McKnight left on Monday for Worcester, Mass., to spend a few weeks with relatives.

PLAINFIELD.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Morrison of Chicago, Ill., John Morrison of Cambridge, Mass., and Mr. and Mrs. William Martin and children of Manchester, N. H., were in town on Tuesday.—Mrs. Fannie Blaisdell, who has been ill at the home of Mrs. L. Gibson for the past two years, died last Wednesday at the age of 95 years. Funeral services were held at Mrs. Gibson's home Thursday afternoon and interment was made at Albany.—Misses Jessie and Mabel Knox visited at O. L. Martin's, the first of the week.

MORETOWN.

Mrs. Josie McAllister of Providence, R. I., was in town Thursday.—The Moretown base ball team went to Waitsfield Saturday to play with the club there. Waitsfield won by a score of 12 to 4.—Mr. and Mrs. William Squires from Massachusetts are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Avery, this week.—Mrs. Heath of Montpelier is in town calling on old friends.—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Isaiah Austin went to Worcester Saturday.—Mrs. F. D. Griffith is failing. They have a nurse from Burlington to care for her. Mrs. Clara Heaton has been there the past week.—News has been received here that the Rev. David Fatcher was very low with hemmorage of the lungs.—Dr. K. J. Goss, wife and daughter, Barbara, of Norwich visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Goss, July 19, having taken a carriage drive through Windsor, Rutland, Addison, Chittenden and Washington counties. They left Tuesday on their way home by way of Montpelier and Williamstown, through Orange county and down the Centre Valley.—Gertrude Kinsbury and Herbert Austin and little Doris Wells were baptised last Sunday. The first two were admitted to the church on probation.—Wm. Freeman from Boston came to see his father last Friday for a few days' visit.—F. C. Atkins went to Waterbury Sunday.—Charles Stevens, an old resident of the town died at his home here last Thursday. The funeral was at the house Saturday. He was buried near his home. He leaves a wife and one daughter.—Mrs. F. D. Griffith died Tuesday morning of Bright's disease.

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WORCESTER.

Mrs. Carrie A. Town visited friends in Montpelier last week.—Mrs. C. N. Hunt of Montpelier is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alpheus Emery.—Dr. and Mrs. A. J. Lance of Portsmouth, N. Y., who were at M. P. Kent's during the past week have gone to Cabot, where they will spend a few days at the home of the doctor's parents.—Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Wilson spent last week with their children in Barre.—Miss Myrtie Bliss of Albuquerque, New Mexico, was the guest of Mrs. C. C. Tewksbury recently.—Mrs. Jerome Stone, who has been with her sister, Mrs. Vail for several days, returned to her home in Northfield on Saturday.—Clifton Emery of Boston was in town on Sunday, with Earl Hunt of Burlington.—Mrs. Parsons, who has been at M. P. Kent's for the past two weeks, has returned to her home in Portsmouth, N. H.

SOUTH WOODBURY.

Mr. and Mrs. Burt Benjamin were called to Albany last week to attend the funeral of Mrs. Wright Nelson.—Mrs. Emma Murry is visiting relatives in East Calais. —Mrs. W. J. Town and son of Boston have been making a short visit in town.—Mr. and Mrs. Henry Leach attended the funeral of Eben Smith of Cabot last Sunday.—The case of L. J. Benjamin against Asa Dutton and Dr. Wilder was given a jury trial before Justice R. M. Pray at the Center last Friday. John H. Senter appeared for the plaintiff, J. F. Lamora for Dutton and Shurtleff for Dr. Wilder. A decision was rendered in favor of the plaintiff.

WAITSFIELD.

Fred Baird of Barre has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Baird.—W. C. Joslin of West Somerville, Mass., visited in town last week.—Mrs. Alden Foley is visiting friends and relatives in Waterbury and Northfield.—Mr. Matthews from New York is visiting his aunt, Miss Douglass.—The Waitsfields and Moretowns played a game of ball on Tucker's meadow last Saturday, resulting in a score of 12 to 3 in favor of the Waitsfield team.—Fred J. Eaton and Miss Emily Johnson started for Highgate Springs last Saturday for a week's outing.—The entertainment last Thursday evening was a success, the receipts being over $20.—George R. Miller of Boston is in town, visiting his family at Richard Brown's.—A party of 20 or more came over from Northfield last Saturday evening to institute a Woodmen's lodge here. A lodge was started with about fifteen members.—George A. Howe of West Derby, N. H., is visiting his parents, Dr. and Mrs. H. T. J. Howe.—Mrs M. J. Berry returned Saturday from a two weeks' visit in Waterbury and Montpelier.— Miss Eva Persons is visitnig in Montpelier.—A family picnic and reunion was held at James Newcomb's Saturday, 26 being present.

WARREN.

Eugene Boyce of Burlington was in town over Sunday.—The band gave a concert on the Common Saturday evening and sold ice cream and cake.—Mrs. John Barber of Waitsfield and Mrs. Frank Martell of Boston have been visiting their sister, Mrs. E. A. Heath, the past week. —Warren Cooperative Creamery company statement average net sales per pound at railroad station 21.2; cost of making including one-half cent reserve 2.8; price paid on actual butter, 18.4; gain per cent. of churn 11.6; price of butter fat 21.—Eugene Thayer has blood poison in one of his thumbs.—E. A. Heath had a very fine catch of trout Thursday of last week, 40 which weighed from one-half pound to two and one-half pounds each.—Jessie McAllister and Miss Lucy Harris, Noel Hathan and Miss Amber Carpenter have just returned from Shelburne pond, where they have been camping for a week.—Mrs. Hervie Downing went to Starksboro Sunday where she will visit her parents.

WATERBURY CENTRE.

Mrs. Henry Smith and daughter, Martha of Barre, were guests of their cousin, Mrs. E. A. Newcomb, over Sunday.—E. A. Newcomb came home from Elmore Saturday for a few days' visit.—Mrs. Charles Hopkins went to Massachusetts last Thursday, and from there she goes to the Pacific coast for an indefinite stay. —The Misses Newall of Lyndon are guests of Jane Roys. They made the most of their trip to this place on their wheels.—Mrs. William Murry has a sister from St. Albans visiting her.—Stanley Elliott and wife have been visiting Mrs. Elliott's sister, Mrs. Horace White, in Washington the past week.—Golf is the amusement in this village at the present time.—There were two new arrivals at Green Mt. Lodge Monday.

MONTPELIER.

Among the corporations which have during the past week filed articles of association in the office of Secretary of State Fleetwood at Montpelier are, the Vermont Printing company of Ludlow, with a capital stock of $200,000; the Brattleboro Cabinet company, with a capital stock of $50,000, and the DeWitt Grocery company of Brattleboro with a capital stock of $40,000.

Mrs. Edward E. Dodge of this city, who is at present with her mother in St. Albans, has sued her husband for a divorce on the ground of intolerable severity. Mr. and Mrs. Dodge were married last February at St. Albans and were at a hotel in the Thousand Islands until recently, when they returned to this city. Mr. Dodge, who has been assistant clerk at the Pavilion since he returned to Montpelier, has gone to Hartford, Conn., to work in a hotel. It is said the petition for a divorce will be contested.

Miss Gladys F. Sanders of Barre has been appointed teacher of shorthand and typewriting for the ensuing year at Montpelier Seminary in place of Miss Lilla M. Isham, resigned. Prof. J. B. Sanderson of Worcester, Mass., will be in charge of the commercial branches for the next year at this institution.

Miss Nellie Whelan of this city, for the past five years organist at St. Monica's Church in Barre has resigned, her resignation to take effect August 1.

The trial last September in Washington County Court of the case of State against Alex Glinny for embezzlement has been brought to mind by the discharge of Mr. Glinny from the employ of C. P. Gill and company, granite cutters. Mr. Glinny was found not guilty, as he was a partner in the granite cutters' union and could not embezzle his own money. In the old case against him he was fined by the union $25 and had been asked to sign a paper which would appropriate 25 per cent. of his wages toward liquidating his fine. This he declined to do and the firm of Gill & Co. were notified that if Mr. Glinny continued to work in their sheds they would be declared opposition sheds. Mr. Glinn was discharged and it is said is now threatening suit for damages.

Rodney McDonald of East Barre has been committed to the county jail for 10 days for intoxication. The case is peculiar inasmuch as McDonald has been twice committed for a first offense, a reminder of the prohibitory law. He was sent to jail for 10 days for intoxication from Montpelier city court July 18, and prior to that time a warrant was out for him in East Barre for a similar offense. When he was taken to East Barre Tuesday the justice studied the license law for a half hour or more and decided that the only thing he could do was to impose a fine for a first offense. McDonald had no money and came back to his old quarters in the county jail.

The case of State vs. George Whitcher of Plainfield, charged with breaking into the mill of Arch Batchelder of Plainfield and stealing a sum of money was called in city court Tuesday morning. State's Attorney F. A. Bailey represented the State and R. A. Hoar and F. L. Laird, the respondent. Because of family reasons Judge Woodward did not desire to sit on the case and the State's attorney asked leave to enter a nol prosse which was granted. Young Whitcher is at present free, but it is probable the case will be brought to the attention of the grand jury in September.

The personal effects of the late T. W. Wood which were too valuable to be sold at auction are being collected by the trustees of the Wood art gallery, in a room in the Y. M. C. A. building and will soon be placed on exhibition. The collection includes several of the early paintings by Mr. Wood, art books, note books of travel and portraits of renowned foreign artists that Mr. Wood had been a life time in collecting.

The case of Joseph H. Bennett of Waterbury has been heard in probate court by Judge Carleton. Bennett was adjudged an insane pauper and has been committed to the State hospital at Waterbury at the expense of the State.

Edward Gabree, a "habitual drunkard" under the license law, was convicted of intoxication by a jury in city court yesterday and fined, with costs $48.79, with an alternative sentence of 146 days at hard labor in the House of Correction at Rutland. J. G. Wing, his counsel, appealed the case to county court and furnished bail in the sum of $150. This is Gabree's fifth conviction for intoxication under the license law. A trial Tuesday evening of the case in which he was yesterday convicted resulted in a disagreement of the jury.

M. L. Smilie and W. E. Adams, commissioners on the estate of Mrs. Caira Nicholas, gave a final hearing yesterday in the office of F. P. Carleton on the claims of Madame Eleanor Bishop Nicholas against the estate. Mrs. Nicholas put in a claim for about $10,000 for money loaned Anastasius Nicholas, husband of Mrs. Caira Nicholas, in his life time, and for services rendered. W. A. Lord appeared for the Nicholas estate and George W. Wing for Madame Nicholas. Mrs. Caira Nicholas was a sister of the late James R. Langdon.

Harry McAllister, the postman, entertained a party of 12 young men at his home in East Barre last evening. They were taken there in E. L. Putney's tally-ho coach, drawn by six horses.

John J. Candler of Boston, an engineer for the New England Telephone company, was in town yesterday with an assistant, en route for Barre, where the wires of that company on Main street are to be laid underground.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Farwell are on a carriage drive through northern Vermont with Willoughby lake as an objective point.

The Quiz club, composed of law students in Barre, Northfield and Montpelier, met Tuesday evening in the office of J. H. Senter. A talk on federal courts by Mr. Senter was much enjoyed and a vote of thanks was extended to him.

Edward Reed of Barre pleaded guilty to intoxication in city court yesterday. He had no money and took ten days in jail.

The two years' old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Stevens had both hands badly injured Tuesday evening by a window falling on them. The bones of two fingers on the left hand were broken and all the fingers on both hands were bruised and crushed. Dr. C. E. Chandler, who is attending the child, hopes to save both hands.

The case of State vs. John Roberts, larceny, was called yesterday in city court. Roberts is charged with stealing a sum of money from the house of William Brown some two months ago. He waived examination and was held for the grand jury. Bail was fixed at $500, which he hopes to raise.

The Barre city council has reduced the license for the Sawtelle circus from $50 to $5 and it will show in that city August 14. It is a small circus and will not be billed for Montpelier.

At the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Wetmore & Morse Granite company held Tuesday evening, a dividend of 5 per cent was declared, payable on and after August 1. Albert Johonnott, W. E. Adams, F. M. Corry, F. E. Smith and J. M. Boutwell were elected directors. These directors elected Albert Johonnott, president; W. E. Adams, vice-president; and J. W. Boutwell, clerk and treasurer.

W. A. Stowell, F. K. Carpenter and H. W. Drew attended the funeral of Henry Chamberlin at Burlington yesterday.

The civil case of E. W. Bugbee vs. C. H. Martin to recover $21.75 claimed due on dressed hogs, was heard yesterday by Judge Woodward in city court. Heaton and Thomas appeared for the plaintiff and J. G. Wing for the defendant. The court reserved its decision.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Scribner are in camp at Greenshore pond for two weeks.

A son was born on Monday to Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Smith of Boston. Mr. Smith was for several years foreman in the Daily Journal office.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Sheldon and child of Springfield, Mass., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Parmenter, parents of Mrs. Sheldon.

Marcus Peck of Burlington is the guest of Hugh Watson at the Riverside.

Mrs. E. M. Harvey is visiting at her former home in Colchester.

To-morrow is the last day to pay taxes for 1902 without extra cost. Every day and evening this week the office of the city treasurer has been the busiest place in the city. The indications are that the amount of uncollected taxes turned over to the city sheriff Saturday morning will be very small.

WATERBURY.

On Thursday the Rev. F. B. Kellogg will give an address at a Sunday school rally in Middlesex.

The Rev. P. A. Smith is expected to return from his vacation this week and will hold services at the Methodist Church next Sunday.

Mrs. T. J. O'Brien and children of Vergennes are spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Patrick King.

Miss Glenora Coose, who has been spending a few days' vacation in Mittteaugue, Mass., has returned to her duties as nurse at the hospital.

Darwin Cooley has returned from Gloucester, Mass., where he has been on business for a few days.

John Doherty of Boston, Mass., a former resident of Waterbury, visited in town Tuesday.

There will be a special meeting of the Rebekahs on Friday evening.

A special meeting of the Eastern Star was held last evening.

Miss Lillian Howe and Miss Davis of Rutland are visiting a few days with friends in town.

Miss Mabel Woodworth is spending a few days in Royalton.

Mrs. F. B. Taylor of Rochester, N. Y., is spending a few days with Mrs. F. H. Atherton.

Mrs. Ira Fuller and daughter of Lake Placid, N. Y., are the guests of Mrs. W. E. Palmer.

The New England Telephone and Telegraph Co. have rented rooms in the Record block and expect to move their central office from the hotel to their new room on August 1.

The W. F. M. society will meet next Saturday afternoon with Mrs. Whitehill and Mrs. Torrey. Following is the programme for the meeting: Roll call; quotations from favorite hymns; "The Missionary in India"; reading, "Relief of Lucknow"; "Methodism in India"; "Sepoy Meeting."

A daughter was born on Monday to Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Moody.

Robert Duffus is visiting Earle Boyce at Highgate.

W. E. Dow has sold his milk route to C. C. Corse. Possession is given August 1.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Grout are the happy parents of a daughter.

The Village Improvement association is to hold a meeting with Mrs. C. C. Warren Monday.

WINDSOR COUNTY

SOUTH ROYALTON.

Mrs. Mary Talbert, accompanied by Miss Nellie Adams, went to Northfield, Mass., this week Tuesday, to remain five weeks or more.—Mrs. Laura Buffum of Woodstock arrived in town last week and is the guest of Mrs. C. B. Viall.—Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Southworth of West Lebanon, N. H., are visiting their son, Charles Southworth.—Mrs. Mary Moxley and daughter, Miss Mattie, are spending the summer at Irwin Doubleday's.—Ned, George and John Sibley visited their sister in Barre last week.—Miss Ala M. Day has returned.—The Rev. Levi Wild supplied the Congregational pulpit last Sunday.—Miss Isabelle Martin has been visiting in Burlington, Essex Junction and Northfield the past week.—Mrs. James Smith was brought home from Hanover, Mass., after having been in the hospital for treatment.—Mr. and Mrs. Robert Burnett and Miss Edith Greene of Bethel were the guests of Dr. and Mrs. D. L. Burnett last week.—Mr. and Mrs. James W. Gow and daughter, Myrle, of Barre, are visiting at H. H. Whitcomb's.—Mrs. Bryant, who has spent some months with her son, Frank, has gone to spend the summer at her home in Randolph.—Miss Alice M. Lamb of Brooklyn, N. Y., is spending a month with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Lamb.—Edward Sargent and Amos Lamb are camping at Lake Dunmore.—Miss Mabelle Aldrich has been engaged to teach the fall term of school in South Tunbridge.—Mrs. Walter Farnham and daughter of Derby, N. H., have been guests at William Farnham's the past two weeks.—Miss Mayo of Bethel was at M. S. Adams's last week.—Dr. Jackson of Norwich visited friends in town last week.—Owing to the showers of last Thursday a picnic party of twenty ladies were very pleasantly entertained at the home of Mrs. Charles Folsom's.—George Dana and son of Washington, D. C., and Charles Woodard took a drive to Rochester on Saturday.—William Clogston of Boston is spending a few days at A. P. Skinner's.—Misses Lizzie Kimball of Bethel and friend, Miss Rogers, visited Mrs. Walter E. Webster last week.—Miss Brisbin of Lacole, P. Q., is the guest of Mrs. Ernest Moody.—Dr. D. L. Burnett was in Hanover, Mass., last Friday and Monday.—Miss Clara Bingham of Salem, Mass., is spending the summer vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Bingham.—Mrs. Georgia Vallie is spending a few weeks at her father's, J. M. Shepard's.—Mrs. Henry Clark has been ill during the past week.—Miss Molly Bingham is in Hanover where she is recovering from her recent illness. Her many friends will be glad to know that her operation for appendicitis was a successful one.—C. B. Viall visited his brother in Randolph last week.

BETHEL.

Miss Annie Lamson, a member of this year's graduating class of the Whitcomb high school, died at her home in the Foxville neighborhood last Monday, after a very short illness. Miss Lamson was a very bright scholar and popular with both scholars and teachers. The funeral which was held Thursday was attended by many friends and schoolmates, her class attending in a body.

L. M. Heath met with a painful and serious accident during the severe storm Saturday evening. While walking on the sidewalk near the residence of M. N. Kendall he was struck by a portion of a falling tree and one knee joint dislocated. He was immediately carried to his home and is doing well, although it will probably be many weeks before he will be able to be out again.

Dr. Otto V. Greene, son of Dr. L. M. Greene, and a recent graduate of Baltimore Medical college has decided to locate in town and to associate with the firm of L. M. & O. D. Greene in the practice of medicine.

A warrant for the arrest of Alvin D. Rindge was issued by Justice R. J. Flint upon complaint of State's Attorney H. H. Blanchard last Thursday, the charge being intoxication. Mr. Rindge plead guilty and was fined $5 and costs.

The Bethel ball team defeated the Randolph team on the home grounds Saturday afternoon by the score of 7 to 3.

Mrs. Kate Miller and daughter of Springfield, Mass., are visiting Mrs. Miller's parents, M. N. Kendall and wife.

Arthur Newell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Davis, disappeared from home last Friday, the boy is 13 years old. Diligent search and inquiry has been made but so far no information as to his whereabouts has been gained.

Osmer Raymond and family of Cohoes, N. Y., are visiting Mr. Raymond's sister, Mrs. John Parrott.

ROCHESTER.

R. H. Tupper and family of Bethel are spending a few days with his parents.—Fay Webber is at home with his mother, for his vacation.—Miss Clara Lewis of Newport was called here recently by the illness of her father.—Hugh Henry returned to Boston Monday.—As L. V. Piper and A. G. Stockwell were returning from a visit to the talc mines last Thursday the horse became unmanageable and threw them out injuring them both very severely. Mr. Piper's recovery is considered doubtful.—Mrs. Ella Harvey is very sick with nervous prostration.—The remains of D. N. Cooledge, an old resident here was brought to town for burial Sunday.—Dr. H. S. Chaffee and wife of Worcester, Mass., are visiting his parents.—Enoch Emerson is very sick at the home of his brother, Ezekiel Emerson.

GAYSVILLE.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Richardson and baby of Boston came the first of the week to spend their vacation at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Richardson.—Mrs. John Lowry and three children of Jeffersonville, Mass., are at Silas Lowry's.—T. A. Vinter and family of Pennsylvania have arrived at their summer home.—Harrison Abbot is confined to the bed by illness.—Mrs. Henry Webster and daughter, Eva of Woodstock visited her mother, Mrs. Caroline Ballard last week. Miss Eva will spend some time with her grandmother.—Mrs. Henry Holland of Northfield, Mass., is visiting her parents, Mr and Mrs. A. W. Chamberlain.—Mrs. Margaret Osborne received the sad news of her father's death in Nova Scotia on July 22.—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gould are spending a few days with his parents at Pleasant View farm in Randolph.—Mrs. Ella Page has a sister-in-law from Salmon Falls, Idaho, visiting her.—The Rev. James Sargent and wife and Miss Rosmond of Lisbon, N. H., are at the Cobble.—Mrs. Wilkins of Laconia, N. H., is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Ira Smith.—John Knowlton died Saturday, July 25 at his home in Randolph where he has been a sufferer for a long time with cancer. The funeral was held Monday, the Rev. George E. Ladd of Randolph officiating. E. C. Hagar, J. E. Hagar, G. H. Martin and O. U. Harrington, members of the H. H. Baxter Post of which he was a member were bearers. The remains were brought to Mount Pleasant cemetery for burial. Mr. Knowlton has been a life long resident of this town until two years ago they moved to Randolph. Beside his wife he leaves a mother and three children, Ralph of this town, Frank who resides in Webster, N. H., and Lillian a teacher in the South Royalton high school.

STOWE OLD HOME WEEK.

Programme for the Week—Dedication of Memorial Building on Wednesday.

Stowe, July 28.—Stowe Old Home Week will be observed from August 16 to 22. Following is the programme for the week. Wednesday, August 19, presentation and dedication of soldiers' memorial building; short speeches by distinguished guests; address by the Hon. Leslie M. Shaw, secretary of the treasury; reception from 4 to 6 p. m.; concert by Wilder's orchestra, 11 pieces, 8 to 9:30 p. m., followed by grand opening ball.

Union picnics and band concerts during the week.

Thursday, August 20, ball game, Morrisville vs. Cambridge; athletic sports, dramatic entertainment afternoon and evening.

Sunday, August 23, union service at Unity Church, sermon by the Rev. W. E. Douglass.

SUPREME COURT TO-DAY.

Montpelier, July 29.—Supreme Court will convene at ten o'clock Thursday morning in the court room at the State House, when several decisions are expected. It is understood that because several of the judges have only recently completed their June terms of court, quite a number of cases now with the court are not ready for final disposition.

NEWS OF VERMONT.

More Important Events Grouped for Free Press Readers—Editor Crane of Ludow Buys Windham County Reformer.

E. H. Crane, editor and proprietor of the Vermont Tribune, published weekly in Ludlow, has bought the plant and business of the Windham County Reformer, published at Brattleboro, the present proprietor being Jacob G. Ullery, who recently bought the New England Farmer and moved it from Boston to Brttleboro. Mr. Ullery bought the Windham County Reformer of the Reformer Publishing company September 16, 1901; it was then managed by C. H. Davenport, who established it in 1876. It is one of the leading state papers published weekly and has always been democratic in politics, although under Mr. Ullery's control it has been practically independent. There will be no change in the policy of the paper. Mr. Crane takes possession August 1, and will assume personal charge. The New England Farmer will continue to be printed in the Brattleboro office of the Reformer. The Tribune has not been sold, as both papers will be managed by Mr. Crane.

COULD NOT CONVICT THE BOYS.

The three Brawnington boys who were arrested on a charge of torturing a young son of Mrs. Canning by running him through a fire barefooted and throwing him down and jumping on him, from the effects of which he died, have been discharged as there was not sufficient evidence to convict them. The hearing was begun in Barton last week and was closed at 7:30 o'clock last night. The case was prosecuted by State's Attorney Albert W. Farman, of Newport. The boys under arrest were Alba Day, Raymond Adams, and a Waterman boy. The boy who died was Rolfe Earle Canning, aged 8 years, the youngest child of Mr. and Mrs. Canning of Brownington, and the affair happened near the school-house where the parties concerned were attending school. Colby Stoddard of this place, assisted State's Attorney Farman. F. C. Williams of Newport, appeared for the boys.

CLERK STOLE FROM HIS EMPLOYER.

For some months past E. H. Robbins has missed money from his store in Gouldsville and has been unable to account for its disapearance. Recently, however, suspicion rested on his clerk George E. Tenney and by marked bills and in other ways he became fully convinced that he had found the thief. Tuesday of last week he accused Tenny of abstracting money from him and the evidence in Mr. Robbins's hands was so conclusive that the clerk confessed that he had taken money from time to time. He had taken over to Mr. Robbins $30 in money and some other property. Mr. Robbins estimates his gross loss at something like $100 and the restitution made will cover over one-half of it. Tenney is 25 years of age and married. He has been employed by Mr. Robbins since December last. Tenney and his wife departed on the early south bound train Wednesday morning.

TO SELL FOREST PARK STOCK FARM.

M. M. Taplin of Barton was at Brandon last Friday and there met Max Marx, one of the most successive real estate dealers in New York, who made arrangements with Mr. Taplin to sell the Forest Park Stock farm at Brandon on the 19th and 20th of August. The stock will also be sold at the same time. There is but one farm equal to this in the entire state and that is N. T. Vial's at Lyndon.

FASTED FORTY DAYS AND DIED.

Miss Mary P. Stewart died at the residence of her brother, Azro B. Stewart, in Barnard, Sunday, July 12. The Thursday previous, she ended a forty day's fast, living only a short time after beginning to take food again. In writing of her case, a correspondent says: May 20, while living in Mansfield, Ohio, she decided, for some unexplained reason, to begin a forty day's fast