Ellen Hull at Starksboro Saturday evening, several pupils from here taking part.—Mrs. A. L. Walker returned to Burlington Tuesday after spending a week here.

SOUTH BURLINGTON.

The King's Daughters' meeting which was postponed two weeks ago on account of the cold weather was held with Mrs. Elias Sherwin Wednesday afternoon.—The sociable which was held at W. Butler's Wednesday, Jan. 21 was one of the pleasantest gatherings of the season. The house was filled with a company of the townspeople. H. H. Wheeler brought 21 pounds. The sum of $15.5o was realized from the sale of the boxes, apples, peanuts and home-made candy.—Mrs. W. E. Pierson was an over-Sunday guest at the home of her brother, H. F. Tiffey.

UNDERHILL.

A party of 16 ladies gave Mrs. Ada E. Lucas of Jericho a party at her home Wednesday afternoon.—Madam Nealy, who has been ill, is much better.—Miss Marjory Hayden of Burlington was at home for the week-end.—J. C. Nayphe gave a lecture at the Methodist Episcopal church Sunday evening on "The Oriental Understanding of the 23rd Psalm."

JERICHO CENTER.

There will be a social at the home of Celina Nash Friday evening.—There will be an installation of Grange officers at the parish house Thursday evening.—The Social Service club met with Mrs. F. S. Thomson Tuesday afternoon.—Mrs. J. W. Hurd and Miss Anne Warner are in Burlington.—Homer Wilder left this week for a five weeks' course in the agricultural college in Burlington.

WEST BOLTON.

A son was born January 22 to Mr. and Mrs. John Robinson.—Fred Streeter, who has been visiting his wife in Worcester, Mass., has returned.—Mrs. W. G. Minckler, daughter of Mrs. E. R. Davis, is at the Mary Fletcher hospital for treatment.—Lieutenant N. R. Hall has been recalled to Burlington.—The young son of W. Bassett, who has been very ill with pneumonia, is better.—Schools will close Friday until the spring term.

UNDERHILL CENTER.

The condition of Mrs. Charles Barrett, who has been critically ill for two months, is thought to be slightly improved.—A son was born Friday to Mr. and Mrs. Thomas E. Flynn.—James J. Mackie was married to Miss Mary Chapman at Burlington Tuesday.—The town auditors held their annual meeting at the town clerk's Monday and Tuesday.—There will be a social dance at the Mountain House Friday evening.

WESTFORD.

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Rice have returned to Clinton, N. J.—Mrs. Edith Wright and Miss Dunlap spoke in the churches Sunday. A union meeting was held in the Baptist church in the evening and a union of the town Sunday schools was organized. The officers are: President, Mrs. Chester Hall; vice-president, O. H. Jackson; secretary and treasurer, Jennie E. Allen; home department superintendent, Jennie Blackmer.—Mrs. Kidder is confined to the house by illness.—Evangelist Lewis E. Smith of Boston will begin a series of union meetings Wednesday evening, January 28. There will be a service every evening in the Congregational church except Saturday.—Mrs. Marion Rice has returned to Burlington.

CHARLOTTE.

The Fidelity class met at Mr. Gullick's last week and elected the following officers: President, L. J. Dean; vice-president, Carleton McNeil; secretary, Claire Beach; treasurer, Gilson Foote; teacher, Mr. Gullick.—Mrs. Julia Holmes is in Burlington.—Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Keese of Middlebury are in town.—Mrs. F. C. Hill is spending some time in Burlington.—The Union Club met at Library hall Wednesday evening.—The Grange is rehearsing the play, "Cranberry Corners," which they expect to give next month.—Mrs. E. B. Beers is ill.

Elmer H. Kinsman of Williamstown, Mass., has spent Saturday and Sunday with his sister, Mrs. F. E. Stoddard, at Orchard View; returned to his home Monday.—George St. Peter, only child of Mr. and Mrs. Bert St. Peter, died at the Mary Fletcher hospital Monday at 1:30 p. m. of blood poisoning. The funeral was held at his parent's home Wednesday at 2:30 p. m. The Rev. H. Gullick officiated. Burial will be in Middlebury on Thursday morning.—A large number from each of the Bible classes in town attended the Hinesburg county convention of Bible classes in Burlington Wednesday.

JERICHO.

The auditors of Jericho met at Page's office January 28 and 29 at nine o'clock to audit town accounts.—Miss Myrtle Holmes of Burlington, who has been visiting her uncle, R. R. Field, returned home Saturday.—Miss Sarah Safford is visiting in St. Albans.—H. E. Holmes of Burlington was at R. R. Field's Saturday.—The Ladies' Aid society will give a penny social in the parlors of the Congregational church Friday evening.—Mrs. Martha Remington, who has been visiting her cousins in Essex Junction for a few weeks past, has returned home.

WILLISTON.

The Williston junior basketball team played with the K. O. K's of Essex Junction Saturday night in the town hall. The K. O. K's won by the score of 16 to 25.—Mrs. Herbert Stockwell's little child, who has been ill, is improving.—James Bryant is still confined to his home by illness.—L. E. Pace, who has a quinsy sore throat, is improving.—There will be an illustrated talk Sunday night on "The Life of Christ" in the Methodist Church parlors by the Rev. A. J. Potter.—Elsie Potter is ill with chickenpox.

EAST CHARLOTTE.

The mid-week prayer meeting will be held at the vestry this week.—Miss Evelyn Hazard is ill with jaundice.—H. H. Whitney, who has been ill with the grip, is better.—Mrs. A. B. Stearns is spending some time in Middlebury with her son, Frank, and family.—Mr. and Mrs. Burton Beers and daughter of Essex, came to Charlotte Friday to spend the week-end with Mrs. Beers' parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Fonda, and visit other relatives here.—The annual meeting of the East Charlotte creamery association will be held at Lyceum hall February 3, at 7:30 p. m.—The town auditors met at the town hall Tuesday.—M. E. Teelyea has been drilling in Brandon and in Leicester Junction for several days.—David St. George with a force of men is filling his ice-house at A. R. White's creamery at the village. The ice is taken from Floyd Foote's private pond.—Joseph Carpenter went to Burlington Saturday to be present at the funeral of his great grandson, Donald J. Cole, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Cole, who died Thursday evening of cerebral meningitis.

MILTON.

Miss Grace Bushey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Bushey, and Henry Mendler were married at St. Ann's Church Monday morning at nine o'clock. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Fr. F. B. Paquet.—The Ladies' Aid of the Methodist Episcopal Church will serve dinner at the church on Thursday, January 29.—Mrs. Mary Robinson is ill at the home of her son, Ralph, in Burlington.—The Rev. D. H. Strong, Mrs. A. A. Herrick, Miss Florence Wells and Mrs. Woodruff were elected delegates from the Congregational Sunday school to the county convention at Burlington.—The I. O. O. F. are to hold their midwinter ball at the Odd Fellows' hall Friday evening, January 30. The St. Albans orchestra will furnish music.

HUNTINGTON CENTER.

S. J. Randall and daughter, Mrs. C. S. Brewster, O. C. Hallock, son, Merle, were in Burlington Friday to visit Ralph Hallock, who is still ill at the Mary Fletcher hospital.—Mrs. Clara Norton of Burlington and Rolla Sargent of St. Albans were over-Sunday guests at the homes of their parents.—Miss Rita Fisk, a student at Montpelier Seminary, and Jesse Gardiner of Jonesville were over-Sunday guests at the home of John Miles.—Mr. and Mrs. Holcomb of Grand Isle are guests of their daughter, Mrs. Fay Small.—Ezra Kimball went to Groveton, N. H., Monday to join his wife at the home of their daughter, Mrs. Mary Hill.—Mrs. F. H. Small visited Mrs. A. B. Small at Burlington the first of the week.—A number of the friends of Mr. and Mrs. George Baker, Jr., gathered at their home Tuesday evening for a surprise party.—Marguerite, the young daughter of H. W. Sargent, is ill.

ESSEX CENTER.

The public installation of the officers of Essex Center Grange was held last Wednesday night. State Master Cady and Mrs. Cady were present. At the close an oyster supper was served. Essex Center Grange has won a State prize for second best average attendance during the year. The prize was a Bible.

FRANKLIN COUNTY

ST. ALBANS.

William Himmel was taken to the State prison at Windsor Thursday morning by Deputy Sheriff Luke P. Martin to serve a sentence of not less than two years and not more than one for larceny of money from Louis Boublard, his former employer.

R. W. Wood, who was arrested at Stevens Mills in Richford, on the charge of giving a worthless check to L. P. Vincent of Richford, was arraigned in city court Wednesday, Jan. 21, before Judge N. N. Post. Wood wanted to make good the amount of the check, $21, and the case was held open pending further investigation.

R. W. Wood, who was arrested on the charge of giving a worthless check to L. P. Vincent of Richford, and who, when arraigned in city court, asked for leave to make the check good, has settled the case. Wood, who had overdrawn his bank account, agreed to pay Vincent the $21.

Leslie S. Morgan of Burlington has arrived in the city to take up work as assistant to Superintendent W. P. Jackson at the Stranahan Memorial club. Mr. Morgan, who was formerly physical director at Bennington, will have charge of the gymnasium and hopes that the professional and business men of St. Albans will become interested enough so that he can organize a class among them. M. D. Armstrong has presented to the club a gold cup to be contested for by the junior.

Alexander Tuscany and L. J. Peterson of this city have just been granted a patent on a stanchion-retainer. The objects of the invention are to provide that when the keeper of the stanchion is in an open position the device will latch the pivoted stanchion against horizontal swinging movement, the construction being such that when the keeper is swung inwardly to a locked position the stanchion will be released automatically for such movement; and also to hold the keeper firmly in its latched position. About 300 of the devices are already in use in Franklin county. Mr. Tuscany is a foreman in the Central Vermont foundry and Mr. Peterson is a blacksmith.

Mrs. W. S. Bailey has returned from Burlington, where she underwent a successful operation at Mrs. Rood's sanitarium about two months ago.

The invitation of the Owl club to the Vermont Press association to hold its 1914 meeting in this city has been accepted. The meeting will be held Friday, February 13, according to the announcement of Robert W. McCuen, president. A business meeting will be held at the Owl club assembly hall in the afternoon and it is expected that a banquet will be served in the evening at the Colonial Inn. Governor Allen M. Fletcher of Cavendish and Lieutenant-Governor Frank E. Howe of Bennington have been invited to speak, and efforts are also being made to secure Congressman Frank L. Greene, formerly editor of the Messenger, as a speaker at the post-prandial exercises.

A result of the organization of St. Albans business and professional men will be the establishment of a rest room in the building recently vacated by the joggery shop. At the meeting held with Dr. E. A. Hyatt an organization to be known as the St. Albans Business and Professional Men's association was formed, the object being "to promote the general welfare of St. Albans." A constitution was agreed upon, stating that the members shall be those individuals, firms or corporations whose applications have been favorably acted upon, who have signed the constitution and who have paid their dues. The officers are to consist of a president, vice-president, secretary, treasurer and executive committee, which shall consist of the president and four other members. The association is entered into for a year only, at the end of which time, if thought advisable, it may be decided to incorporate under the laws of Vermont.

William H. O'Neill died Tuesday afternoon at 12:35 o'clock at the home of his sister, Mrs. Frank H. Keenan, of Fairfield street after a long illness with heart disease. He is survived by four sisters and two brothers, Mrs. Keenan, Charles O'Neill and Walter O'Neil of this city, Miss Annie O'Neil, Mrs. James Stafford and Mrs. William Parsons of Boston.

C. H. Sabin underwent Tuesday an operation at the Royal Victoria hospital, Montreal, for the removal of a part of the chin bone because of a cancerous trouble.

At a meeting of the St. Albans district Methodist association to be held in this city Monday and Tuesday, February 23 and 24, Bishop John E. Hamilton of Boston, resident bishop, will give an address Tuesday evening. The Rev. W. J. Sheldon, assistant to the president of Wesleyan University at Middletown, Conn., will be in the city the Sunday preceding and will speak at the meeting Monday evening. Each church in the St. Albans district will probably be represented by its pastor and by a layman.

Mrs. Henry F. James and daughter, Miss Bertha R. James, left Monday for New York, whence they will sail Saturday on the Caronia of the Cunard line for Southern Italy, where they will spend three months.

The annual meeting of the St. Albans Cemetery association was held at the city clerk's office yesterday afternoon and the following trustees were elected: Col. E. A. Chittenden, A. D. Collins, Nelson Goodspeed and George C. Stevens. The meeting adjourned to Saturday, April 11, at the city clerk's office. The trustees organized by electing Colonel Chittenden president and Mr. Stevens secretary and treasurer. Colonel Chittenden, Judge Collins and Mr. Goodspeed were elected a committee on the care and improvement of the cemetery grounds.

Miss Anna Louise Preston, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Preston, and Martin H. Sheltus, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Sheltus of Highgate, were united in marriage yesterday morning at 9:45 o'clock, the ceremony being performed at the home of the bride's parents on Congress street by the Rev. W. Parkyn Jackson. The bride was unattended and only members of the two families were present. The bride wore a blue traveling suit and hat to match. Mr. and Mrs. Sheltus left on the 10:45 o'clock train south for Boston and New York and on their return will make their home in Weybridge, where the groom is engaged in business.

A. A. Parmelee, Miss Hazel Parmelee and Kenneth Parmelee have returned from Ottawa, Ont., where they were called by the death of Mr. Parmelee's brother, the Hon. Charles H. Parmelee.

Mr. and Mrs. John J. Hunt have announced the marriage engagement of their daughter, Miss May Hunt, to Charles Thomson Gray of Troy, N. Y.

BEAVER.

Mrs. Mabel Austin is visiting for a few days at the home of Mrs. George W. Craft.—Walter Haywood has just loaded at East Georgia a car of hay for T. S. Austin of Randolph.—Fred Thompson has taken a farm on Burton's Island.

ENOSBURG FALLS.

C. W. Lanctot went to Potsdam, N. Y., Monday. He returned Friday morning, accompanied by Mrs. Lanctot, who had been there for two weeks at the home of her brother, I. H. Kimball.—Prof. J. M. Barker of Boston University was a guest in the home of M. P. Perley Friday.—Mrs. Archie Austin has been ill several days at the C. H. Stratton farm in North Enosburg. A successful operation for appendicitis was performed Friday morning.—A team from Richford was to have played hockey here Friday evening. The game was called off that afternoon by Richford. The high school team played the Fullonian club, winning by a score of 7 to 4.—Lee W. Thomas of Burlington is visiting his brother, Dr. R. B. Thomas.

The second annual exhibition by the Enosburg Falls Poultry and Pet Stock association opened in Perley hall Tuesday with a fine display of a large variety of birds and animals. The majority of the towns in the county are represented and the quality is of a high order. The judging was done Tuesday by D. P. Shove of Fall River, Mass., using the score card method. The exhibit closes this afternoon.—There was a gathering of nine of the school girl friends of Miss Grace Densmore at the home of E. J. Parmelee Saturday evening.—Kimball's orchestra played for a dance in Sheldon Thursday evening. On account of the severe wind and big drifts they had some experiences in reaching home Friday, which consumed a good part of the day.—Mrs. Emily Forsythe is visiting her daughter, Mrs. W. S. Hutchinson, in St. Albans.—The Rev. John Wriston was in Burlington Monday to visit R. S. Hallock, who is ill in the Mary Fletcher hospital. Mrs. Hallock returned with him that evening for a short business visit here. She is staying in Burlington.—Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Kendall visited Mr. Kendall's mother in Richford over Sunday.—Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Mason returned from a twoweeks' visit to New York Monday morning.—H. Skoll returned from Morrisville Monday.—Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Perley and daughter, Miss Katherine, left Tuesday for Florida.—Sheldon & Mitchell have purchased of E. L. Graves the barn now occupied by W. L. Lafley as a livery. Possession will be given April 1, when it will be transformed into an up-to-date garage. The consideration was $1,300.

The annual convocation of the first district of Royal Arch Masons will be held with Lafayette Chapter, No. 4, Wednesday, February 4, opening at 3:30 p. m. At seven o'clock supper will be served in the banquet hall. At eight o'clock the chapter will be called from refreshment to labor by Lafayette chapter, on the Royal Arch degree.

A successful musical recital was given Monday evening at his home by the pupils of C. F. Rawson. Nearly all of his 27 pupils took part. Three solos were rendered by Mrs. W. S. Judd, Mrs. H. M. Martin and Mrs. L. S. Darrah.—D. M. Rose and daughter, Miss Myrtle, returned Monday from Waterloo, where they went Friday. They were called to attend the burial of Mr. Rose's brother-in-law, C. H. Parmelee, King's printer of Ottawa, Ont.—A pleasant surprise was arranged for C. A. Janes Monday evening in observance of his 62d birthday.—There was a joint installation of the officers of the Odd Fellows and Rebekahs in their lodge room Tuesday evening. Mr. Simmons of Richford was the acting district deputy grand master and E. K. Shattuck acted as grand marshal.—Joseph Cook has moved from L. A. Depatie's tenement to Berkshire into the tenement on the well-known Wheeler farm now owned by Jasper Baker of Richford.—Dr. L. Abernethy and B. Tillotson of Bakersfield were in town Monday.—Mrs. E. J. Parmelee and Mrs. Lucy Robinson were summoned to Burlington Wednesday by the death of a relative, Mrs. Annette N. Loveland.

RICHFORD.

The King's Daughters met with Mrs. E. L. Childs Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.—The annual village meeting will be held in the hall over the fire station Monday evevning, Feb. 2.—Mr. and Mrs. Oscar McGregor have gone to Lowell, where they will pass a few weeks where they will pass a few weeks with relatives.—C. J. Whitehead has bought of O. W. Ford of Claremont, N. H., the house and lot on Elm street now occupied by D. M. Marr.

Mrs. Laura Hammond has gone to Fortress Monroe, Va., for a few weeks.—Henry F. Rustedt has gone to Colorado on a business trip of two weeks or more.

EAST FAIRFIELD.

Supper will be served by the Woman's Auxiliary in the guild rooms Thursday evening from five o'clock until eight.—Dr. A. D. Patten and sister, Miss M. A. Patten, are visiting in Montreal for a few days.—Mr. and Mrs. Rubin L. Soule and Read Soule attended the wedding of their cousin, Raymond Soule, in Burlington last evening.—Alden brothers are to begin building immediately. The site is near the present creamery.—The teachers of the three grades in the village school are preparing the pupils for the entertainment to be given by them on the evening of February 6. The proceeds are to go toward the organ fund. Prof. C. H. Morrill of Brigham Academy will give an address.

HILL WEST.

Clyde Shangraw, who has been working for Charles Macia, has employment with Adlord St. Onge of East Enosburg.—Giles Jewett is seriously ill.—Miss Kathryn Daley, who teaches school in the Enosburg district, passed Saturday with Miss Mabel Foley of Montgomery Center.—Marshall Myott, who has been confined to his bed for a long time, remains about the same.—Mr. and Mrs. Charles Paronto passed Sunday with their son, Albert Paronto, of East Berkshire.—Fred Myott is teaming for the Domino Manufacturing company in East Enosburg.—Mrs. Henry Lumbra, who has been at the home of her daughter, Mrs. W. P. Shangraw, for the past few weeks, was called to care for her grand-daughter, Mrs. Walter Morway, who has muscular rheumatism.—Miss Alberta Rushford has been visiting in Richford.—John and William McGrail have employment with D. H. F. Borthwick.—Mr. and Mrs. Fred Martin, who have been visiting Mr. Martin's mother, Mrs Herbert Ronville, have returned to Richford.

FRANKLIN.

The Rev. C. C. Adams of Essex Junction is spending a few days with Mrs. Adams's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Anderson.—Miss Edith Gates of the University of Vermont is spending a few days at her home here.—The play, "The Spy of Gettysburg," which home talent has been preparing for some time, will be given in the town hall Wednesday and Thursday evenings, February 4 and 5.—F. A. Gallup went to Pittsford Monday and returned Tuesday with his sister, Miss Vinia, who has been at the sanatorium for some time. Her health has improved.—The Rev. F. W. Day is attending a Sunday school meeting in Burlington.

FAIRFAX.

Mrs. J. H. Cossitt of Denver, Colo., who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Stewart, left for New York Thursday morning, where she was met by her husband. They will go to Florida and other places in the South before returning home.—The freshmen and sophomore classes of E. C. A. enjoyed a straw ride to Cambridge Thursday evening.—Miss Pearl White was given a surprise party Saturday evening in honor of her 16th birthday. Refreshments were served.

HIGHGATE CENTER.

The Dramatic club will present the four act drama, "Valley Farm," Thursday evening at Foresters' hall for the benefit of the public library.—Mrs. M. A. Shackwell and daughter, Marion, returned Sunday from Marlboro, Mass., where they have been visiting a month.—E. H. Linden of Boston, representing H. P. Hood & Sons, was in town last week and purchased the large hay barn owned by D. W. Steele, located near the St. J. & L. C. railway station. Carpenters are remodeling the same into an ice house, which Hood & Sons will use in connection with their creamery.—Mrs. Frank Stemm, who has been visiting her father, J. W. Judkins, for several weeks, has returned to Montreal.—The Highgate Driving club plans to open its series of matinee races Saturday afternoon. Five classes well filled will be raced off.—J. C. Place is confined to the house with an attack of the grip.—Mrs. G. H. Deal is recovering from an attack of the grip.—L. O. Nye returned Saturday night from a business trip to Maine, where he went in the interests of the Highgate Manufacturing company.

EAST BERKSHIRE.

Miss Grace Wadleigh, who for three years has been teaching lip-reading in Montreal, has been asked to go to Toronto, and give the course this winter.—Mr. and Mrs. Lowe of Waterbury are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hope.—Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Rubier.—Mrs. Robert Halle is at the home of her sister, Mrs. Charles Powell.—Miss Gladys Larock, who is attending school in St. Albans is passing a few days at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. Larock, Jr.—Mrs. Hawley Fuller of Montgomery is at O. Moffatt's for a few days.—Miss Frances Hadd and Miss Eva Hadd have returned home from Jericho.—Mrs. Ladd Andrus passed Sunday in Enosburg Falls, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Hathaway.

ENOSBURG.

The Sunday school of the Memorial Congregational Church was reorganized January 25 and teachers were installed by C. R. Leach, superintendent.—There will be a social at C. R. Leach's Friday evening for the benefit of the Sunday school.—Mrs. W. W. Cole, who had a severe attack of rheumatism in her arm and hand, is a little better.

WEST BERKSHIRE

Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Chaffee returned from Lowell, Mass., Monday, where they went last week to attend the funeral of Mr. Chaffee's uncle, Laurraston Livingston.—Mr. and Mrs. Edward Johnson of Morrisville are visiting at W. S. Hicks's and G. E. Hammond's.

SWANTON CENTER.

A son, Robert Beals, was born January 2? to Mr. and Mrs. Gaylord Corliss of the Maquam road. Mrs. Corliss was formerly Miss Lois Beals of East Swanton.—Mrs. Lettie Warner is visiting her cousin, Mrs. A. K. Hensinger.—Not for many years have snow-plows been so busy as they have been this month and it is only by persistent hard work that the roads are kept open. J. P. Kelley has charge of the west cross road, and Henry Young the main and east cross roads. Tuesday Rural Mail Carrier Merrick could make but a part of his regular trip for the third time in two weeks. During his continuous service of nearly 14 years Mr. Merrick has failed to serve his patrons scarcely a half-dozen times.

MONTGOMERY CENTER.

The three children of James German have been ill.—Louis Desautells is in town for a short stay, visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Desautells. Mr. Desautells is residing at Littleton, N. H., at present.—Herbert Longey was taken suddenly ill Friday near Nelson & Hall Co.'s log camp at Black Falls while driving a team. He was removed to the camp and died within 30 minutes. The funeral was held at the Baptist Church Monday afternoon and was largely attended. He leaves a wife and one child, besides his parents, brothers and sisters.—Mrs. A. A. Rogers died Friday of pneumonia. She leaves a husband and several small children. The body was taken to her former home near Island Pond for burial.—Miss Leslie Gates of East Berkshire was in town Saturday.—At the annual business meeting of the Baptist society the following officers were elected: Clerk, C. C. Purrier; treasurer, Lizzie Morrison; solicitors, Mrs. Ann Conterbar and Mrs. Margaret Rowley.

GRAND ISLE COUNTY

ISLE LA MOTTE.

At the annual meeting of the Isle La Motte Telephone company January 20 the following officers were elected: President, W. F. Hill; vice-president, M. S. Thomas; general manager, Mrs. H. H. Skeels; secretary, Dr. J. S. King; treasurer, Mrs. H. H. Skeels; auditor, N. W. Fisk.

GRAND ISLE.

Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Samson have moved into their own home.—Mrs. Huntington is visiting her son, Samuel, at R. E. Samson's.—News has been received of the birth of a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Crozier of Lebanon, N. H. Mrs. Crozier was formerly Miss Nellie Dubuque of this place.—Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Lebeau have returned from their wedding trip.

LAMOILLE COUNTY

STOWE.

Harmony Pomona Grange, Patrons of Husbandry, will hold a regular meeting with the Mansfield Mountain Grange, No. 273, Wednesday, February 4. The lecturer's program for the afternoon will be open to the public as usual and will include music, recitations, addresses upon the progress of the temperance cause in the various States for the past 10 years and a discussion of the question, "Should the United States Government Intervene in Mexico?"—The topic for the meeting of Mansfield Mountain Grange, No. 273, Saturday evening will be "Vermont." The program will include a roll call, "Do you know of a better place than Vermont in which to gain an honest livelihood; if so, why are you not there?" recitation, Mrs. George F. West; paper, "In What Respect Does Vermont Excel All Other States?" R. L. Chaffee; discussion, "Do farmers as a rule till too many acres upon our Vermont farms?" led by George W. Chapin and A. J. Mason; paper, "Pioneer Life in Ohio," Mrs. A. R. Straw; 15 minutes surprise program in charge of Mrs. G. W. Chapin, Mrs. E. E. Smith and Miss Inez Ayers.—The fourth entertainment in the Stowe high school lecture course was an illustrated lecture upon "India" by Basanta Bonarjee at the Akeley Memorial building Monday evening.—About 100 people from Stowe accompanied the Stowe high school basketball team to Morrisville Friday evening. The Stowe team won by a score of 31 to 19.—Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Stevens and grandson, Laurel Sampson, of Enosburg have visited Mrs. Elenora Wilkins.—Mrs. R. C. Robinson has returned from a visit of several weeks in Syracuse, N. Y., and Burlington.—Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Garrow returned Friday from Milton, where they were called by the illness and death of Hermon A. Garrow. Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Tomlinson, who went from Milton to attend the funeral of Mrs. Jane Glover in Richmond Friday, visited Mrs. Tomlinson's parents in Essex over Sunday.—Among those who attended the C. E. Eddy hearing in Montpelier Friday were O. E. Luce, C. L. McMahon, M. C. Loveley, H. E. Shaw and J. C. Benson.

The ladies of Unity Church will hold a peanut social at the church parlor Friday evening at 7:30.—Mrs. E. J. Adams, who was taken seriously ill Saturday with an attack of gall stones, is more comfortable. She will go to a hospital for treatment as soon as her condition will permit.—C. E. Eddy is confined to his home with the mumps.—Mrs. J. B. Ayers, who has been ill with pneumonia, is recovering.—Harley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Plood, is seriously ill from complications following the mumps.—John Boardman, who is recovering at the Fanny Allen hospital in Winooski from an attack of appendicitis, is doing well.—Mrs. Celia Hawley, who has been confined by illness for a long time, is not so well.—J. F. Campbell, besides supplying his family of five all the year, and six for the great r part of the year, he has sold from eight cows $613 worth of butter, an average of $87.86 1-4 cents per cow. He sold two of the eight cows November 1, one of them fresh in August, the other farrow. If he had had the use of these for the entire year they would easily have brought the average up to $90 per cow.

Giles A. Dewey of Stowe Hollow and Miss Maude Verness Crossett of Waterbury were married Tuesday afternoon at the parsonage of the Advent Christian Church in Waterbury by the pastor, the Rev. A. B. Page. After a trip to Montreal and northern New York Mr. and Mrs. Dewey will reside at Forest Dale farm, which Mr. Dewey has recently purchased of his father, S. L. Dewey. Among those who were present at the ceremony were S. L. Dewey and Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Grout of Waterbury.—A farmers' institute will be held at the auditorium of the Akeley Memorial building Monday, February 2. There will be sessions in the afternoon and evening, opening at two and seven o'clock. The speakers will be the Hon. Andrew Elliott, famous farmer and stock breeder of Gault, Ont., and the Hon. E. S. Brigham, commissioner of agriculture of St. Albans. The subjects will be breeding, feeding, keeping records, corn, clover, grain, marketing and forestry.—Arthur P. Bigelow and son, Paul, of Middlesex visited his mother, Mrs. Newell Bigelow, Tuesday. Mrs. Bigelow is gaining slowly.—The fourth entertainment in the high school lecture course was an illustrated lecture on India by Besanta Bonaryta.—Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Tomlinson have returned from Essex, where they visited Mrs. Tomlinson's parents.—A. C. Oakes was at home from Moretown over Sunday.—Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Mills of Essex Junction are visiting in Stowe.

A. A. Royce has recovered from his illness so far as to be able to resume work dressing hay at Joseph White's.—Miss Martha Campbell of the graded school was unable to teach Wednesday on account of illness.—The ladies of Unity Church will serve an oyster dinner at noon Wednesday, February 4, at the Akeley Memorial building.

MORRISVILLE.

The condition of A. E. Grant, who was struck by a falling tree Friday, was not as favorable Sunday night.—The game of basketball Friday evening, P. A. vs. Stowe high, was won by Stowe high, the score being 19 to 31. P. A. team went Saturday to Barre for a game that evening with Spaulding high.—Mrs. George Spear of Greensboro, who has visited her aunts, Mrs. Emma Marvin and Miss Hettie Sternburg, for several days, returned Saturday.—Mr. and Mrs. John Peck, Mrs. Permelia Boynton and Miss Inda Campbell were at Hyde Park Saturday to attend the annual Campbell reunion, which was held with Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Sherwin.—Mrs. A. L. Harlow returned to Wolcott Saturday after passing a few days with the Misses Bugbee.—The Rev. and Mrs. H. A. Durfee of Burlington passed Sunday with their daughter and husband, Superintendent and Mrs. C. D. Howe.—Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Lunt spent Monday in Burlington.—Mrs. C. F. Smith was a visitor Monday in Burlington.—George W. Clark left Monday for Boston.—Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Ward went Monday to Hardwick for a two days' stay, guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Warren.—Miss Alice Amsden of Hardwick was at home over Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Abbott Amsden. She was accompanied to Hardwick by her sister, Miss Edith, who will have employment there.—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Marian of Hardwick passed Sunday with her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Small.—Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Hopkins of St. Johnsbury, who were called here three weeks ago by the death of her mother, Mrs. O. H. Hawkins, returned home Monday.—Guy Stafford went Monday to St. Johnsbury.—Mr. and Mrs. William Sinnott of Proctorsville will soon move to the George Foss farm. Mrs. Sinnott and three sons arrived Monday and are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Tillotson.—Mrs. W. W. Raymore of Cambridge was a guest Monday of her son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Raymore.—Miss Edith Spiller of St. Johnsbury passed Sunday with her mother, Mrs. C. A. Spiller.—C. T. Morrill is confined to his bed with lumbago.

The Congregational Brotherhood held a get-together Tuesday evening with the Rev. R. D. Cranmer of the Universalist Church as speaker of the evening. Refreshments were served.—Randall Child of Amherst College came Monday evening for a stay of a week or ten days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Child.—Mrs. Edward Davis of Garfield left Monday evening for Fort Worth, Tex., where she will visit her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Swift, former residents.—Miss Jane Bing of Huntington came Monday evening for a visit with her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Atchinson.—Miss Emogene Burbank has resumed her work as local editor of the News and Citizen after a two weeks' visit with relatives in Massachusetts.—Miss Mamie Weafer was given a surprise Saturday evening when she was visited by members of her school (but closed) and other young people of North Leporte district, sixteen in number. Games were enjoyed and refreshments were served.—Mr. and Mrs. Howard Stevens arrived Monday evening from Rochester, Minn., where they went some weeks ago for an operation upon the neck of Mrs. Stevens.—Mrs. George Goodrich, who has been employed for several years as bookkeeper in the store of H. Waite & Son, has completed her work there and is succeeded by Miss Inez Smith of Stowe.—Miss Laura Ellis has completed her work as stenographer in the H. A. Slayton & company store. Mrs. Etta Richardson returned Tuesday to Jeffersonville after several days' visit here with friends.—Miss Annie Wotch went Tuesday to her home at Wheelock for a stay of a week.

The regular session of Lamoille Grange, No. 223, will be held Thursday afternoon, January 29. The program will include a roll call, pertaining to the life of the late President McKinley, music, recitations, rhymes, conundrums, etc., and the question, "How Does the Intelligence of the City People Compare With That of the Country People?"—G. H. Lazarraway, who has had charge of the C. T. Terrill farm for the past year, has completed his engagement there.—Mrs. G. W. Clark went Tuesday to Waterbury for a short visit with friends.—Mrs. E. R. Jacobs and daughter, Lucy, returned to Jeffersonville Tuesday evening after visiting her mother, Mrs. Lucy Thayer.—Mrs. L. V. Peck of Hyde Park passed Tuesday with her daughter, Mrs. John Ovitt.

EDEN.

Harry Hines has sold his farm to J. T. Foss.—Don McAllister has sold the Hunt farm in the west part of the town to Harry Hines.—Mrs. Betsey Hines is assisting Mrs. N. E. Hinds.—There has been no Sunday school at the Mills through January on account of the severe weather.—Mr. Ingalls bought the E. C. White house at the Mills, and not Mr. Whittemore, as stated.

JEFFERSONVILLE.

Cyrus Flood has sold his farm, known as the Sabin place, to Hiram Patterson of Fairfield.—B. E. Reynolds went to Morgan Monday, where he has an interest in a lumber business.—The Cemetery association will meet with the president, Mrs. J. H. Bean, Tuesday afternoon, February 3.—Mrs. Loraine Holmes of Burlington was the guest of her sister, Mrs. Aurilla Edwards, over Sunday.—Mrs. R. W. Swift is visiting in St. Johnsbury.—The town auditors are at work in the office of F. L. Starr.—A daughter was born January 26 to Mr. and Mrs. Laurence Thomas.—The Crescendo club will meet with Mrs. H. C. Howard Friday evening.—Beulah Soule of Fairfield is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. F. L. Starr.—Fred LeBarron and C. J. Thomas attended the poultry show in St. Albans Saturday.

HYDE PARK.

Robert P. Putnam died Saturday evening after a long illness. He was born in the town of Johnson, where he lived several years. For a time he lived in Wolcott and the White Mountains, following his trade, that of carpenter. In 1882 he married Effie Wood of Morristown and located in this village. He lived here three years and then bought the home farm in Johnson, where he lived 15 years, then again coming here, where he since resided. In 1905 he built the block now occupied by Noyes Wood's general store. He was 63 years old and is survived by his wife, three sisters and a brother. His only child, a daughter, died in 1888, aged three years. The funeral was held Tuesday afternoon at two o'clock at his late home, the Rev. E. G. French, an old time friend, officiating.—Miss Helen Wood of Boston is here, called by the death of her uncle, R. P. Putnam.—Miss Ruth Clapp of Montgomery spent Sunday here with Miss Bundy.—The Rev. G. L. Story of Waterville was in town Monday.—Professor Eddy of Shoreham was in town Sunday.—F. E. Smith of Jeffersonville was in town Monday.—R. W. Hulburd is out a valuable overcoat, which caught fire from a spark while its owner was building the morning fire at his home Monday. He did not discover the fire until he had worn the coat to his office and hung it in a closet. Smelling smoke he investigated and found his coat ablaze.—The annual reunion of the Campbell family was held at the home of E. G. Sherwin in this village Saturday, about 35 being present. Of the original charter members there is now but one survivor, Mrs. Lucy Campbell.

JOHNSON.

The Rev. E. G. French preached in Hardwick Sunday.—R. H. Royce spent Sunday with his wife here.—C. F. Hayford is hauling logs from his Waterman lot to the Guzman mill at the station.—Frank Miller spent Sunday with his family here.—The special meeting of Tucker Chapter, R. A. M., was well attended Friday night when H. C. Parker, A. G. Peaks, Henry Molles and C. L. Bishop received the M. M. degree. A banquet was served by the Ways and Means society.—The burial of Mrs. Mary Dodge, wife of Nathan Dodge, was held Friday. She had been ill for several months. The Rev. W. F. Hazen and Rev. E. G. French officiated.—The talc mine in the Fullington farm has been closed for the winter, and additional help put into the new mine. The talc is drawn to the mill here.

WOLCOTT.

Miss Ethel Taylor left Monday for Orleans, where she will remain for the rest of the winter.—Arthur Bullard is in Burlington for a short stay.—Miss Coral Richardson of Waterville is