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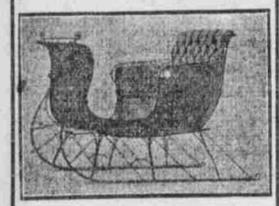
GOLD DUST cuts housework in half. It does all the hard part of the work without your assistance.

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## RANDOLPH

McIntyre Block Sold to H. C. Holmes of Barre.

The McIntyre block, at the corner of Main street and Merchants' row, has been sold, through A. C. Templeton of the Perry Real Estate agency, to H. C. Holmes of Barre for \$19,000, who buys it for an investment. This block was built in 1885 by Dr. H. H. and B. G. McIntyre, and the second and third stories are occupied by the post office and four stores, the whole renting for about \$2,000.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Browley of Newport, who have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kilburn since Thanksgiving, left here for Concord Thursday.

Mrs. R. W. McAllister and daughter returned Thursday from a two days' visit in Marshfield.

Mrs. Lena Bishop from Mont Clarks, Mich., was a guest of E. A. Shattuck on Thursday and went from here to Moretown to visit friends.

Mrs. Carrie Tichnor from Wapagton, Dakota, was entertained by Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Holman on Thursday.

Mrs. Maria Sleeper is seriously ill at the home of her son, C. L. Sleeper, in Barnard.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Trerise are in Barre with their daughter, Mrs. Elwin Scott.

John Orville Boyce and Vivian Freda Brown, both of Moretown, were married at the Bethany parsonage Tuesday evening, by Rev. Fraser Metzger.

Mr. and Mrs. E. I. Cladin have returned from a visit upon friends in Brooklyn.

Eugene Greene is very ill with pneumonia, though at the present more comfortable.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Morton have come from Montclair, N. J., where they spent Thanksgiving with their son, Robert Morton, and family.

Eugene Tracy of Readville, Mass., Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hawes of Berlin, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Tracy of Northfield were all guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Tracy on Wednesday.

Mrs. James Jones, who accompanied the remains of her nephew, William Jones, to Postville, has returned home and her daughter, Miss Verna Jones, has so far recovered from her late surgical operation as to be able to leave the sanatorium.

Mrs. W. P. Smith of St. Johnsbury and Miss F. B. Fletcher of Proctorsville, members of the library commission, were entertained by Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Wilson this week.

Mrs. Emma Durkee of Essex, who has been here with her children for the summer, has gone to Bethel to remain with Mrs. Martha Cushing for the winter.

Mrs. G. E. Cushman and Mrs. H. E. Sharpe are visiting friends in Newport, N. H., and Bellows Falls.

Laura, the second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Sargent of Woodsville, N. H., is critically ill with pneumonia.

Mrs. Sherman Moulton and son, Horace, who have been with Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Moulton since Thanksgiving, went to their home in Burlington Wednesday.

J. E. McCarthy of Springfield is here, assisting Griswold and Bryant in placing their machinery in the laundry on School street.

Mrs. George Oaks, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. L. H. Rumrill, has gone to her home in Hinsdale, N. H.

Mrs. Melina Jerd of East Brantree is with the family of her son, L. A. Jerd, for a stay of a week.

## A CARD.

We, the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on a 50-cent bottle of Green's Warranted Syrup of Tar, if it fails to cure your cough or cold. We also guarantee a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory, or money refunded. Red Cross Pharmacy, E. A. Drown, C. H. Kendrick & Co. D. F. Davis, George L. Edson, J. D. McArthur, W. B. Miles & Co., McAllister Bros., D. C. Howard, J. A. Cumming, J. W. Parmenter.

## PLAINFIELD

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Hill of Boston recently visited at the home of John Hill.

Will Whitcher returned to his work in Providence, R. I., Wednesday, after a few days' stay with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Whitcher.

Mrs. Hattie Shorey and daughter, Mary, visited relatives in Barre and Montpelier Thursday and Friday of last week.

N. D. Page and A. H. Page of Barre recently spent a few days with their sister, Mrs. Blaisdell, in Barton.

Mrs. Clement Bartlett and children visited at the home of Mrs. Walter Perkins in Barre part of last week.

Mrs. Emma Best Batchelder is quite ill. A trained nurse is caring for her. Mrs. Everett Bean and Miss Ruth visited relatives in Montpelier recently. State Forester Austin F. Hawes of Burlington was in town Saturday on business.

Mrs. Wheeler Batchelder visited relatives in Groton part of last week.

At a meeting held by the stewards of the Methodist church Tuesday morning, it was voted to sell the tract of land known as the Sherburn property to the state, to be used as a forest reserve. Consideration, \$450. A deed of the land will be given soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Abbott spent Wednesday and Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Abbott in East Corinth.

Carroll Lance of East Calais was in town Monday on business.

Arthur Griffiths has moved his barber shop from the basement of the post office into the room recently vacated by Homer Young.

Balsh Nye, who has been attending the Kurn-Hattin school at Westminster, has finished his studies there and is at home with his father, E. E. Nye.

Mrs. Thelbert Huntley and child visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Shortt of Sharon, last week.

Mrs. Winsor Perry and daughter of Hardwick are spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Cree.

Rev. Perrin B. Fisk went to Adams Sunday to officiate at the funeral of Guy Badger.

Mrs. Milford Kiser received word on Monday of the death of her uncle, Walter Scott of Santa Ana, Cal. Mrs. Kiser's mother, Mrs. Hammond, has made her home with Mr. Scott for several years.

News has been received of the birth of a son, Lewis Humphrey, to Rev. and Mrs. E. L. Walk of San Francisco, Cal. Mrs. Frank Martin is spending a few days with relatives in Barre and Montpelier.

The reading club met with Mrs. Orville Baker Monday evening. A pleasant time was enjoyed by all. Light refreshments were served.

Everett Waldo of Williamstown is spending the winter at the home of E. J. Colby.

The schools in town reopened Monday. Several from town attended the Thanksgiving ball given at North Montpelier last week.

## WHITE RIVER JUNCTION.

Peck-Clark Company to Start Business in Hartford Village.

The Peck-Clark company of Brookfield has decided definitely to locate at Hartford village. Its business is the manufacture of rakes, axes and forks and the conducting of a general saw and grist-mill business. This revives in the village an industry that for years was carried on successfully, but which for past years has been discontinued. The company's capital is \$25,000, and about 12 or 15 men are employed.

That the fur industry is large in Vermont is well known, but the total amount and number of varieties might be a little surprising. Recently a Canada lynx was reported in the northern part of the state and last week Milton Reynolds of Sharon killed a genuine wild cat, an animal so rare that its existence has been questioned.

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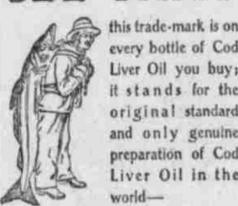
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## Wants to Help Someone.

For thirty years J. F. Boyer of Fertile, Mo., needed help and couldn't find it. That's why he wants to help someone now. Suffering so long himself, he feels for all distress from backache, nervousness, loss of appetite, lassitude and kidney disorders. He shows that Electric Bitters work wonders for such troubles. "Five bottles," he writes, "wholly cured me, and now I am well and hearty." It's also positively guaranteed for liver trouble, dyspepsia, blood disorders, female complaints and malaria. Try them. 50c at the Red Cross Pharmacy.

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## CABOT.

George Currier hurt one ankle quite badly while playing basketball Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Smith returned from Plum Island Monday, where they had spent several weeks.

Carl Harvey spent a few days' vacation with friends last week from his school in Middletown, Conn.

Will Pike of Marshfield was a guest of his aunt, Mrs. Mary Atkins, over Sunday. He left Vermont for California Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Barrett and Mr. and Mrs. Chester Walker were called to

East Montpelier Sunday to attend the funeral of their nephew, Guy Badger, whose untimely death was caused by being shot for a deer, while out hunting in Grand Rapids, Mich.

Clyde Hill extends his sincere and

heartfelt thanks to the many friends who so kindly remembered him with a generous purse of money the past week, and which was a genuine surprise; also for all other kindness shown him since his misfortune several weeks ago.

Best Pill For 60 years we have had perfect confidence in Ayer's Pills. We wish you to have this same confidence also. First of all, ask your doctor. Obtain his endorsement. He knows best. Then go ahead. J. C. Ayer Co., Lowell, Mass.

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Commencing Saturday, December 3, and Will Last to December 17

Surprise Merchandise Company Department Store. 1000 Bargain Items Here Inaugurated for a Fifteen Days' Sale

Sharp cutting of prices on Clothing, Shoes and Ladies' Garments, from Saturday morning, December 3d, to Saturday night, December 17th. The mild weather of September, October and November was a frost to the heavy garment trade in this section. It caught us with the goods. We must unload our big stock four to five thousand dollars, at least, for the next fifteen days, to accomplish our purpose. Will you help us. We are willing to give you all a chance. The big store is crowded over-full with great stocks of heavy fall and winter wear in every department. Merchandise everywhere! Tables piled high—racks hanging chock full—and shelves jammed. As it has ever been the policy of this progressive management never to carry over goods from one season to another, we have inaugurated this unloading and drastic price-cutting event for just fifteen days—from Saturday, December 3d, to Saturday, December 17th. Coming at a time preceding the cold weather, this wholesale sacrifice of prices will prove such a magnet to the thousands of shrewd buyers who are ever on the lookout for such special announcements that we shall attain the objects of this sale and meet the approval of hundreds of economical purchasers.

## Men's Department

Sensational Values in Suits and Overcoats, Furnishings, Shoes and Rubber Goods, for Men, Boys and Children, at Fully One-fourth to One-third Off.

Splendid values in Men's, Boys' and Youths' Suits of heavy double and single-breasted Cheviots and Casimeres.

## A Rousing Overcoat Sale

A complete line of the celebrated "Fresto" and Convertible Collar Coats in this show, and union labeled.

Extraordinary Trousers values—\$1.00 heavy Work Pants, marked to go at.....59c

Heavy Wool Mixed Pants, \$1.50 value, priced to...98c

All-wool Full Cloth Pants, \$2.25 value, at....\$1.49

\$2.00 Corduroy Pants to go at.....\$1.39

Finest Dress Pants, specially priced at.....\$1.98, \$2.39 and \$2.98

## CHILDREN'S COATS AT BIG DISCOUNT.

In this big 15-day stock reducing sale, we offer Children's Winter Coats in a good range of colors and in sizes 6 to 14 years, worth \$3.00, \$5.00 and \$6.00, divided into three lots, at..... \$1.98, \$2.98 and \$3.98

## MEN'S AND BOYS' UNDERWEAR UNDERPRICED.

Unloading sale values at less than wholesale prices.

## A MIGHTY SAVING SALE OF SHOES AND RUBBERS

For the entire family. Just note our prices and then compare them with shoe dealers'.

## SELECTED FURS AT BARGAIN PRICES.

We call attention to our present showing of Furs with real pride. We have put a great deal of thought and care and experience into the selection of the pieces, and the collection shows it.

## In Our Ladies' Department

### STRONGEST LADIES' SUIT AND COAT VALUES BARRE HAS EVER KNOWN.

Right here is unquestionably the grandest Suit-buying opportunity ladies have had for many years and we predict 15 days of the heaviest Suit selling we have ever known.

### ROUSING GOOD VALUES IN LADIES' AND MISSES' COATS.

Just when women's thoughts are turning most strongly toward, we throw the strength of our organization to preparing for this most important Coat selling—the result is values which even surpass our expectations.

### ARE YOU IN NEED OF DRESS SKIRTS?

If you are, come to our store and take advantage of the big Dress Skirt sale. No such values exist elsewhere. About 250 Skirts in the lot—Panamas, Voiles, Serges and Fancy Mixtures, in plaid, embroidered and hobble effect styles. Misses' regular and extra sizes, worth from \$3.00 to \$12.00, priced at \$1.98, 2.95, 3.98, 4.95 to 7.90

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Excellent values in Children's and Misses' Dresses. A complete line of the new styles, made of plaids, cassimeres and serges—for school, dress and general wear, at, each.....49c, 98c to \$4.98

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You must come and compare the prices with goods to realize the colossal savings to be made at this sale. None who are anxious to make their money reach the extreme purchasing power will miss this opportunity. Bear in mind this sale is limited to fifteen days, from December 3d to December 17th. We cannot continue it a day longer. Do not fail to see our large window display. It is interesting.

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