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All of the lands in Shoreham, Addison county, now belonging to the estate of the late A. B. Treadway. Said lands containing about 375 acres, and consisting of a variety of lands (meadow, woodland and pasture) and include the home place of said Treadway, upon which there is an expensive modern dwelling house, with sufficient outbuildings in fair condition. These lands will be sold in an entire parcel or in several parcels, to suit customers, and as shall seem most beneficial to the estate. Terms easy, but made known on day of sale. I will also at the same time sell a quantity of hay and grain and fifty head of registered sheep.

This farm and the dwelling house and barns are well supplied with good and durable spring water. And included in the lands offered is about 16 acres of woodland, upon which there is a large quantity of wood, two sugar orchards and a large amount of sawing timber, hemlock, butternut and basswood.

JOSEPH T. STICKNEY, Adm'r. of A. B. Treadway, A. H. HUBBARD, Auctioneer, Shoreham, Vt., Oct. 1, 1886. 40-14

County News.

BRIDPORT.

A few of our people started on Tuesday for New York.

A new sign has appeared on one of our streets that tells of "old chairs to mend."

Dr. Townsend has rented and moved into the Frost house below the Congregational church.

The long-looked-for sidewalk is appearing slowly but surely. Beginning at the Congregational church it will go just as far as the lumber holds out, which at the present time is only half way to the Methodist church.

A meeting was called last Monday evening to decide as to whether it would be best to buy a few acres of land for a trotting course. It was decided to organize a stock company, and Saturday night was fixed on for a meeting at the town hall.

BRISTOL.

Dr. Levi Hasseltine of Brandon was in town over last Sunday.

E. B. Patterson returned to his duties at the capital last Monday.

Whitmore & Clark's minstrels will appear at Holley hall, October 27.

Rev. P. B. Strong arrived home from Lansingburgh Tuesday night.

Dan Strong has the foundations laid for a house on Mountain street.

The Methodist people are putting a new roof on their church sheds.

Rev. C. S. Sargent of New Haven preached at the Baptist house last Sunday.

A squirrel hunt is in progress at this present writing, led by O. V. Carpenter and Dr. D. A. Bistie.

Mrs. Quincy Shattuck is very ill. J. B. Dike continues very low. The fever cases are all convalescent.

Mrs. William Grant of Rutland is in town. Deacon Grant is expected home from Fort Edward next week.

We looked through the new hotel the other day. Mr. Hatch has things in tip-top style. The finishing and the furnishing are first-class in every respect, and Mr. Hatch may fairly expect to make a success of his new venture. The house is to be opened with a dance in a few weeks.

We are very happy to state this week that fears in regard to the Bristol Lecture association, expressed last week, were groundless. It is not dead, nor even sleeping, but is getting up a programme for a course of lectures that will be a source of both pleasure and profit to all who attend. The sale of season tickets will begin at Holley hall on Saturday, October 16.

CORNWALL.

The old Ford cider-mill is again being run this season by James Stevens.

Mrs. Fayette Miller of Whitehall, N. Y., is visiting her sister, Mrs. E. D. Searl.

Roscoe Bruce, who has been in the employ of Dr. F. Bond, has moved to Orwell.

The sewing-circle of South Cornwall will meet with Mrs. J. Q. Atwood on Thursday afternoon next.

Several of our people attended the camp-meeting at Silver Lake last Sunday and report a very interesting meeting.

Lewis Baldwin, who has been operating in Fred Dean's blacksmith shop, has moved to Weybridge, leaving his entire lot of tools for sale.

Last week N. B. Douglas attended the Bay State fair, taking with him some specimens of the products of his creamery, which were pronounced superior.

On Tuesday last Mrs. S. S. Gale celebrated the thirtieth anniversary of her marriage with a good old-fashioned quilting. Twenty-four ladies were present to enjoy the occasion. Some useful presents were received.

NEW HAVEN.

Mrs. H. W. Carter is quite out of health. Dr. Dean of Bristol is in attendance.

Chas. W. Mason left for Denver, Col., on Monday of this week in the sheep interest.

Will Eno's child, who has been dangerously ill, is thought to be somewhat improved.

H. D. Squier has been more poorly of late, having been confined to the house for several days.

Delegates appointed to State Sunday school convention are W. W. Warren and Dea. H. R. Barrows.

The pastor gave an excellent discourse last Sabbath morning, and in the afternoon occupied the desk of the Baptist church in Bristol.

Mr. Henry of San Francisco, Cal., spent Wednesday in town, having come East to attend the golden wedding of his parents, who reside in Geneva, N. Y.

Mr. Satterly Phelps of Washington, D. C., a brother of Hon. E. J. Phelps, United States minister to England, was in town a few days, the guest of Hon. Wm. P. Nash.

WEST CORNWALL.

Rev. J. H. Bond of Benson was in town on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Dalrymple of Vergennes were guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Dimmock over Sunday.

Lucius White and Olive Ahear of this place were married at the Catholic church in Shoreham, Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Simeon Rockwell are cozily located in their new rooms, lately added to the main dwelling. May they live long to enjoy their pleasant home.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Bessette of Orwell were in town last week, also H. T. Cutts of the same place, Mr. Myers of Norwood, N. Y., and E. Adams of Pantton.

Last week we had beautiful weather, balmy and soft as southern air. Farmers improved it by picking their apples, of which there is a fine supply. Many are being carried to the mill for cider.

WHITING.

The work train, with a gang of men, has been on the Addison railroad the past week.

Mrs. E. D. Peck is still sick in Brandon, but is improving slowly under Dr. Dyer's care.

The coming Wednesday the Ladies' Sewing society meets again at the vestry room of the Congregational church to transact business.

Charles Seymour, an old townsman, now located in Illinois, was in town last week visiting his brother and sister and calling upon old friends. All were glad to see him.

C. P. Parker, station agent at Port Henry, was home visiting his father's family Saturday and Sunday. His wife and two boys returned home with him Sunday afternoon.

Saturday evening, October 16, Hon. W. E. Howard of Fair Haven will deliver one of his able lectures at the town hall for the benefit of the Ladies' Aid society; subject, "True Manhood"; a fifteen-cent admission fee will be charged.

VERGENNES.

Butter is still advancing in this market.

Rev. A. A. Robertson preached in Orwell last Sunday.

Wm. E. Greene is considered in a very critical condition.

Fresh fish were quite plentiful on the streets, market day.

Richard D. Kingsland is a great sufferer from rheumatic fever.

The public miss those park serenades by the Vergennes cornet band.

Fred W. Halsey of Port Henry, N. Y., called on his friends here Monday.

The illness of Rev. Mr. Bennett's wife prevented his preaching here Sunday.

Representative W. S. Hopkins, M. D., visited friends in Vergennes last week.

The steamer Vermont went into winter quarters, Saturday, in Shelburn harbor.

We have seen some fine specimens of amateur photography by Lieut. C. A. Booth.

Fifty-four swarms of bees yielded Alexander Fraser of Hinesburgh one ton of honey.

Several loads of those "noice onion" were on sale, Saturday. "Only seventy-five cent."

Mayor McCuen is arranging for a new brick sidewalk in front of his premises on Main street.

Mrs. Wm. Gwinn of Cleveland, Ohio, daughter of Wm. E. Greene, Esq., arrived here Saturday.

Only thirty cents a bushel was paid for potatoes by Martin & Noonan, North Ferrisburgh, for shipment.

Barrels for apples are in good demand, and the weather for barreling has been very favorable for some time.

A round wagon-load of fine Burbank potatoes were sold, very slowly, market day, at thirty-five cents per bushel.

Miss Field of New Haven and Miss Mary Everest are visiting C. B. F. Palmer's family, at Woodsville, N. H.

The low water in the lake has compelled the Reindeer to tie up for winter nearly a month earlier than last year.

The Baptist sociable netted some twelve dollars, which, considering that they had no opportunity to advertise, was doing well.

Three tons of honey will be the result of the season's work by Thos. Fish's bees. They did better last year by two tons.

Wm. Frisbee of Cold Spring place, Vermont, has an ear of common twelve-round corn having sixty-two kernels to the row.

Friday evening's sociable in the vestry of the Methodist church was liberally patronized. Between forty and fifty dollars received.

The New York excursion took from this place, Tuesday, Miss Kate Dolan, Miss Cynthia Perkins, Miss Mary Kimball and John Donnelly.

The frame for the new barn, on the site of those lately burned on the premises of Hon. J. M. Dyer, West Salisbury, is nearly ready to be raised.

A petition in favor of legislative action on the matter of introducing temperance study in the schools of the State has been circulated among our citizens, and is very largely signed.

The city hall will soon be ready for the reception of exhibits. Friday and Saturday of this week are the days for the different articles to be brought to the hall.

Rev. Mr. Calhoun of Orwell preached in the Congregational church last Sunday. His sermon was on the 4th verse of the 13th chapter of Matthew, and was listened to by an attentive audience.

E. F. Benton is making additions to his lake shore property, which is located just south of Fort Cassin. It is surmised that additional cottages may be built by

him the next season. He has a very fine location.

The entire edition of the history of Addison county, gotten out by D. Mason & Co., Syracuse, N. Y., has been destroyed by fire. Judge Smith has received assurance from the firm that it will be reprinted.

Vermont butter came to the front in the recent Bay State fair in Boston. The second prize of \$10 for the best thirty pounds of butter, made at any time at private farm or dairy, was awarded to A. D. Everts of Waltham.

Rev. Mr. Robbins of North Ferrisburgh officiated at the Methodist church, Sunday, and conducted the services at the creek, at 2 p.m., on which occasion three were sprinkled and two immersed. The place selected for the ceremony was just below the Curlew dock, opposite the State school grounds.

The loss of the Royal George, off Spithead, England, with her "twice five hundred souls," in 1772, has been immortalized in song. Its memory will be thrillingly revived by one of the exhibits that will be in the loan exhibition at the city hall next week. It is a carving knife and fork, finely finished, made from steel taken from the Royal George. They were presented to a lady of this place by the late Capt. Richard W. Sherman.

Among the old newspapers that will give interest to the exhibition in the city hall next week will be a copy of the "Vergennes Gazette" of Thursday, Feb. 6, 1890. It is No. 74 of vol. 2, and was "printed for Samuel Chipman, Jun., at his printing office adjoining the Court House." Among other matters of interest, it contains a funeral oration on General Washington, by Maj. Gen. Henry Lee, M. C. from Virginia, and was delivered at the request of Congress.

M. J. Graves, who sold out a stove and tinware establishment here, several years since, and went to near Fort Collins, on the northern border of Colorado, and embarked in sheep raising, in connection with W. G. Bixby and J. N. Hawley, was brought back by Mrs. Graves last week, to Montpelier, greatly reduced by mountain fever. He was so low that he was carried on a bed. We learn that the change of air is helping him, decidedly. Mr. Graves has many friends in Vergennes.

State News.

Mrs. Dan Averill of Barre committed suicide Saturday by taking laudanum.

E. W. Meigs of Georgia has raised and sold 5000 bushels of potatoes this season.

Bennington is soon to have a new hosiery mill 30 by 70 feet in size and two stories high.

The pair of big oxen shown at the State fair have been sold by L. D. Hazen to Moore & Hastings for \$500.

While playing "snap the whip" at Bartonville, the other day, Arthur Day, four years old, had a leg broken.

The auditor of accounts has caused to be paid \$1800 for bounties on bears and lynxes for the past two fiscal years.

Of the eighty-eight convicts in the State prison Burlington furnishes ten, Montpelier eight, and Rutland twelve.

James Fallon has been killed at St. Albans. He was thrown from a car, the wheels of which passed over him and he lived but 30 minutes.

Senator Edmunds has gone back to Burlington, having finished his work as a member of the Senate committee to look into the fisheries question.

Grand Master N. P. Bowman of St. Johnsbury has issued a call for a convention of the Rebekah Lodges of Odd Fellows, to be held in Burlington, Nov. 1.

A Burlington man takes railroad rails, has them painted black and the flange bored for wires, and then uses them for fence posts. The effect is said to be unique and striking.

Jarrold Bassett of Waterbury, aged 12, was fatally wounded Saturday by the accidental discharge of a gun in the hands of Calvin Townsend, a companion with whom he was out gunning.

Mrs. Sarah McLellan Watts, aged about 45 years, committed suicide Sunday at day with a ribbon tied to a bedpost, while the family attended church. Insanity through domestic trouble caused the deed.

The Vermont Marble Co. of Rutland has contracted to furnish material for finishing the west terrace of the capitol at Washington, and will soon begin work in getting out the marble for it. The amount of the contract is about \$75,000.

The \$10,000 which the late John P. Howard made a condition of his gift of \$29,000 for the endowment of the girl's department of the Vermont Episcopal institute at Burlington has been raised, and the plans will be drawn up at once.

All the prisoners, three in number, escaped from the Bennington jail, Saturday night. They sawed the lock of an iron door and sprung it so that they could crawl through. Two of the prisoners were Italians, arrested for boycotting, and the other was Edward Perrault.

The lawyers of Rutland county talk of establishing a law library in Rutland and also of building a "barrister's block" in town, fitting it up with law offices enough for all the practicing lawyers in town. For the latter purpose a stock company is proposed.

Enily Williams, a crazy woman belonging in Jeffersonville, left her home mysteriously and was found in a house at Burlington, where she had sought shelter and food. She had wandered through all the intervening towns, walking 18 miles the afternoon of the first day.

The annual meeting of the Reunion society of Vermont officers will take place at Montpelier on the 3d of November. The business meeting will be held as usual in the general committee room in the State house, and the oration will be delivered by Gen. Francis A. Walker of Boston, in the evening.

As Dennis Donohue and Horace Barney were returning to their homes in Berlin and Moretown on Saturday night, their horses, attached to a lumber wagon, became frightened and ran, throwing out both of the men. Barney struck upon his head and his neck was broken, and Donohue was severely bruised.

The Boston and Lowell mail train due at St. Johnsbury Friday afternoon was thrown from the track three miles west of that town by the breaking of the forward truck on the engine, which plunged 25 feet down an embankment, carrying the engineer and fireman with it and bruising the fireman somewhat. None of the passengers were hurt.

Customs officials from Plattburgh drove away from the ancient wreck off Valcour island the two Boston divers whom a Brandon man had set to work to recover suppositions treasure. They had explored the bulk for two days, however, and had found many old-fashioned silver spoons, as well as a quantity of bullets, cannon balls and bar shot. The vessel is believed to be the British flagship the Royal Savage, which was sunk by its crew during the Revolution to prevent it from being captured by the colonists.

Orison Butler, the Plymouth fat boy, is dead. He was 14 years of age, weighed 350 lbs., and measured 61 inches around the waist. After his death no coffin could be found large enough for him, and one was made, but it could not be carried in a hearse, and to get it in the room where he died they had to take off the casings of the door. When he was but four or five years old he could easily lift his father. Notwithstanding his obesity he was a bright boy. Barnum had tried to get him for his show.

Two old paintings, valuable for historical associations, have been given the Belkows Falls library association by Dr. William Dickinson of St. Louis, a descendant of General Benjamin Bellows of revolutionary fame, for whom the falls and the place itself were named. They are, in 1771, owned by Colonel Cream Brush of Westminster, a tory, so faithful to King George as to cause his arrest, and the confiscation of his property. The paintings were bought at auction by General Bellows, and were always kept in the family till now.

A Montpelier dispatch of Friday says: Great exaggeration has been made in the report of the amount of liquor captured in the recent raid under the prohibitory law. Following is a statement of the value of the liquor taken from each party: William Miller, \$59.70; F. R. Stevens, \$392.75; J. A. Locklin, \$196; Omer Miller, \$295.30; Ed. Sullivan, \$22.25; D. C. Slom, \$376. Total, \$1046.20, not including lager and domestic ales, valued at less than \$150, but including all foreign ales. At the county court Omer Miller was convicted of adultery this afternoon. He took an appeal to the supreme court and his bail was fixed at \$800. He was then arrested for selling liquor as a result of the raid and put under \$500 bonds. All the liquor dealers in town, including the druggists, were taken into court to-day and put under bonds to answer indictments.

General News.

DOMESTIC.

Chicago is flooded with counterfeit \$10 silver certificates.

Minister Cox returned to New York Monday from Constantinople.

About \$20,000 worth of smuggled opium has been seized at San Francisco.

The cranberry crop in the vicinity of Sandwich, Mass., has been badly damaged by frost.

The public schools at Berwick, Me., have closed because of the diphtheria raging in town.

Slight shocks of earthquake were felt Saturday morning at Charleston, S. C., and Augusta, Ga.

The Tammany hall Democrats have nominated Abram T. Hewitt for mayor of New York city.

The new congressional library building at Washington will cost \$4,000,000; its erection will take five years.

From September 7 to October 9, 217,542 rations were distributed by the Charleston earthquake relief committee at a cost of \$14,839.

The late Milton Shirk's \$2,500,000 go to his three children in a will printed on a single page of note paper. He was a millionaire banker of Peru, Ind.

Judge Jones at Cleveland, Ohio, on Friday, instructed the grand jury to indict all persons who engaged in prize-fighting or are in any way concerned in them.

The President has appointed Col. W. H. D. Cochran of Nashua, N. H., pension agent for Vermont and New Hampshire to succeed Col. T. P. Cheney of Concord, N. H.

The Southern Express company has been robbed at Fordyce, Ark., of \$2000 by H. B. Miller, a telegraph operator, who has lost one arm between the elbow and wrist and wears an artificial leg.

N. N. Need, managing partner of J. C. Ferguson & Co., Chicago pork packers, has ruined the firm by speculation and fled to Canada. Bogus warehouse receipts for \$250,000 were issued. New York banks will lose.

Willard Thayer Shupkins, about 22 years of age, son of a well-known broker of New York city, while riding in Central Park on Saturday was thrown from his horse and died a few hours later. He was worth \$1,000,000.

The Boston Journal of Saturday publishes a statement prepared by an expert employed by the directors of the Atlantic cotton mills, showing that the late William Gray, jr., who embezzled half a million dollars and committed suicide when discovered, lost heavily in stocks in which he dealt on margin.

It is reported to the treasury department that the Eastport (Me.) collector of customs has been allowing stuff invoiced as "iron sand" to be imported from St. Johns, N. B., at a duty of 20 per cent ad valorem, when in fact it was said to be pure metallic cast-iron in the form of fine shot. An investigation will be held.

The 51st Indiana regiment adopted resolutions at Indianapolis, recently, denouncing the President's pension act, especially the bill for the relief of Ayres, whom the President holds as a deserter. The resolutions deny the charge, and say that Ayres served throughout the war, spending part of the time in Libby prison.

Four indicted New York aldermen of the boodle board of 1884, William P. Kirk and Patrick Farley, Democrats, and William H. Miller and Henry L. Sayles, Republicans, were arraigned before Judge Cowing in the court of general sessions at New York, Friday, and placed under \$25,000 bonds to appear for trial when wanted.

Assistant Postmaster Edward W. Burage of Troy, N. Y., is a defaulter, having stolen \$3700 and departed for Canada. He has been away since Saturday and sent word from his home in Lansingburgh that he was ill. The money was taken at once and Burage's accounts up to Saturday were found to be all right.

Gambling in stocks caused his ruin. The hoodlums will make the deficiency good.

Just before the beginning of the evening performance in the Alhambra variety theater at St. Louis, Sunday, Frank Handmeyer, a worthless fellow, had a quarrel with Josie Martello, 30, a rather pretty "specie" woman with whom he was said to live, and suddenly plunged a knife into her breast. The blade penetrated the heart and she fell dead. Handmeyer then stabbed himself to the heart with the weapon and fell dead beside his victim. Jealousy caused the quarrel.

The trial of Professor Ira G. Strunk charged with killing Charles V. Hoover in New Albany, Ind., about three months ago ended Saturday night at Louisville, Ky., in a verdict of "not guilty." Hoover was a prominent druggist and the evidence went to show that the shooting was the result of his intimacy with Strunk's wife. Strunk met Hoover and shot him down on the street and also accidentally and dangerously wounded Hoover's father who was walking with him. Strunk's plea was insanity.

A remarkable looseness in the keeping of accounts has been discovered at Washington in the office of the register of the treasury and in the office of the third auditor. In the former the register himself would have seemed to be a defaulter to the amount of \$30,000 and a salaried clerk to the amount of \$250,000, but for the raking out of old vouchers which changed the situation. The accounts in the third auditor's office, compared with vouchers, show that the State of Indiana is indebted to the United States \$46,123.

A man named Rudolph Hosburg of 139 Allen street, New York, was taken to a police station Sunday barking and acting like a dog. Hospital attendants, when they arrived, found him running aimlessly about the station-house biting his clothes, snapping at the rings of the chairs and throwing himself on the floor frothing at the mouth. They pronounced it a case of hydrophobia. The policemen tried to catch him, but he darted about snapping and barking. It was some time before the man was caught off his guard and bound hand and foot. His barkings, as he was being taken to the hospital, were so loud and so much like a dog as to cause wonder among passers-by. It took six men to hold him while being fastened to the hospital couch. He said he had been bitten by a dog five years ago but the wound is evidently not over five months' old. It is supposed he is suffering from rabies, but his mother says that he has had similar fits since he was struck by a brick on the head six years ago.

The long-overdue Anchor line steamer Ancheria from Glasgow for New York was towed by a tug into the harbor at St. John's, N. E., at 3 o'clock Monday morning and now rides safely at anchor after a perilous voyage of 22 days. Her 422 passengers appeared none the worse for their experience and spent Monday at St. John's awaiting the Anchor line company's arrangements to transport them to New York. The Ancheria left Glasgow on the 15th of September, bound for New York. She had 700 souls on board, including passengers and crew. On Wednesday, September 22, four days after the ship had cleared from Glasgow, a strong gale sprung up and during its progress a heavy sea struck the ship, and in the lurch which she made, the shaft of the propeller suddenly broke. The ship at the time of the accident was in latitude 50° 19 north and longitude 30° west. She was reckoned to be about 1200 miles west of Ireland. Attempts to repair the shaft were made, but were unsuccessful, and sails were hoisted. On Saturday the ship reached a point about 70 miles east of