

LOCAL NEWS.

MORRISVILLE.
George Bugbee of Montpelier was in town over Sunday.

Frank Chandler of Greensboro was a guest of friends in town over Sunday.

Miss Nan Wombell left to-day for Sherbrooke, P. Q. for a visit of several weeks with friends and relatives.

Misses Edwina and Hortense Flint of West Randolph were guests of Miss Maud Booth several days recently.

George S. Gates and daughter, Miss Ethel, of Blandville, Ill., are visiting the former's son, E. W. Gates, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Bradley and son of Boston have been recent guests at the home of Mr. Bradley's sister, Mrs. A. A. Niles.

Rev. D. E. Croft, returned to Boston last Saturday after a visit of several days with his family at the home of Mrs. E. J. Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Rodgers and daughter, Mrs. Myra Heath, returned last Saturday from a visit to friends in Winchendon, Mass.

Mrs. Closson and Miss Graves of Waterloo, P. Q., Mrs. Flint and daughters of Randolph and Mrs. Wheeler visited at C. H. Cole's Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Oront of West Burke have been guests for several days at the home of Mrs. Oront's aunt, Mrs. D. C. Spaulding on Summer street.

Mrs. H. A. Skinner and daughter of Craftsbury visited last week at the home of her parents in this town. Mr. Skinner came down Saturday for a short visit.

Miss Emma Larabee left Monday morning for a week's vacation, to be passed with her sister, Miss Dora, at Highgate Springs and with friends in Essex Junction.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Cheney and W. S. Cheney left last Saturday for a two weeks' visit at Penak's Island, Me., where they will join Mrs. W. S. Cheney and daughter, Winnie.

A small party of Morrisville young people enjoyed an informal dance at town hall last Thursday evening. Miss Alice Gilb furnished piano music and all reported a fine time.

J. M. Jackson left last week for Canada to meet his brother, John, from Missouri. This is the latter's first visit here in the past 30 years. They will both come here later.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Thomas were guests of Mr. and Mrs. P. T. Denio at Camp Windemere, Eden over Sunday. Their niece, Miss Effie Butler, was a guest there several days recently.

Mrs. Henry Puffer and two daughters, who have been visiting at the home of Mrs. Puffer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Camp in Elmore, returned to their home in Richford Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn A. Wilkins and Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Tillotson went Monday noon to Greensboro for a short outing, returning to-night. They expect to go Friday to Lake George, where they will pass Sunday.

Prof. Herbert Terrill, wife and son of Wolfboro, N. H., are guests at the home of Mr. Terrill's brother, G. H. Terrill at Cady's Falls. Prof. Terrill is at the head of the Wolfboro Academy. They will pass two weeks here.

Rev. and Mrs. I. P. Booth returned last Wednesday night from a visit of several weeks with relatives in Massachusetts and Connecticut. Mr. Booth and family went to Elmore to-day, where they will enjoy a few days in camp.

The auction at the store of Farrer & Sawyer on Lower Main street last Thursday evening was largely attended. The goods offered for sale were a miscellaneous lot purchased for this purpose. While many bargains were given, the goods sold well as auctions go.

A party of campers went to Lake Elmore last Saturday, where they will pass a week in one of Bacon's cottages. The party is made up as follows:—W. I. and I. N. LeBaron, C. M. Fisher and Bennett Eaton and the Misses Ida Norton, Lilla and Florence Merrill and Gladys Brooks. The company is chaperoned by Mr. and Mrs. Henry Small.

Mrs. W. R. Messer returned last Wednesday from a trip to Europe, made in company with her father, who resides in Montreal. They visited many interesting points in Italy, France and Scotland and Mrs. Messer reports a delightful time. They returned about six weeks earlier than was expected on account of the ill health of her father. Mr. and Mrs. Messer left to-day for a short trip, Mr. Messer going in the interest of his optical business and his wife visiting the Boston market to secure new goods for her tail millinery.

A check for \$100 has been sent by President Roosevelt for Theodore Roosevelt Signet, the boy born to Mr. and Mrs. William Signet, of McKeepert, Pa., some weeks ago, and which is the twentieth child born to Mr. Signet. The money has been placed in the bank to the credit of the youngster. The interest will accumulate until he is 21 years old. The President will find his salary fitting like the wind if he keeps sending checks of \$100 to every child who is named after him, especially if it is known that the name carries with it a substantial present. But if the President couples with his offer that the youngster must be the twentieth child born to a family, that's another calculation.

HYDE PARK.

Mrs. S. R. Miller is spending a short time in Waterville.

Mrs. H. M. McFarland was in St. Johnsbury last Friday.

Miss Helen Hall spent Sunday at her home in St. Johnsbury.

James Eaton is to move into the Vaughan house on Prospect Ave.

The Academy building is very much improved by its new coat of paint.

Over fifty took dinner at the Phoenix Sunday last—and a good dinner it was.

Dr. Slayton and wife and daughter spent Sunday with relatives at Elmore.

Frank Keeler is spending a few days with his brother Fred at St. Johnsbury.

E. A. Butterfield of Montpelier visited his friend, Nelson Bundy, last week.

Miss Hallie Gates has been visiting friends in Craftsbury the past few days.

The circus drew a large crowd from here. The verdict of all was "a slim show."

Miss Gertrude Fife of Wolcott spent Sunday with her aunt, Mrs. Noyes Wood.

Arthur Grimes is away at Montpelier and Waterbury on professional business.

We acknowledge receipt of late copies of western papers from I. C. Vaughan.

Will Ruddy, who has a situation at St. Albans, spent Sunday here with his parents.

Mrs. Jas. Buckham and Master Walter returned to their home in Melrose, Mass., last Friday.

W. D. Manning is home from Boston for a short time. Will like living and business in the Bay State.

Mrs. J. S. Scofield and daughter visited her mother in Albany recently, returning home last Thursday.

C. A. Knight and wife, together with his guests and Gov. Page and family spent last Wednesday at Elmore Pond.

Mrs. Chas. Merrill left Friday last for Waltham, Mass., where she will spend a few weeks with her husband, who is working there.

Prof. Drown of Johnson, who assumes the principalship of the High School at Stowe this fall, was a guest of Miss Lessie Davis last Friday.

For a box of fine fish, fresh from Eden Pond, we are indebted to P. T. Denio, who while enjoying the beauties of Point Windemere, did not forget the stay-at-homes.

Noyes Wood has purchased A. F. Grimes' mileage business and will carry on the same in connection with his mercantile business at the Corner Store.

Miss Bertha Minor has secured a position as teacher in the primary department of the Grade 1 school at Williamstown and leaves for that place soon.

The village meeting for last Thursday evening was further adjourned until Thursday evening, Aug. 27, as the report of the Surveyor was not ready. A meeting has been called for the same time and place to see if the village will instruct the Trustees to hire money and go on with the putting in of the water system. As we have before said, the taxpayers should keep this meeting in mind and be present, as it is they who have to pay the bills.

The "East Indian Remedy Co.," closed a week's engagement here Saturday night last. They gave interesting entertainments—Billy Melony and Clara Henley being particularly good in their specialties. The Company sold considerable of their medicines and soap, and several express benefit from the use of the medicines. The silverware voted to the most popular young lady, went to Miss Blanche Camp, who headed the list of a dozen or more. The young lady is greatly pleased with the gift. The Company went from here to Cambridge.

"Don't Put it in the Paper."

"Don't put it in the paper," is one of the requests that come to the local newspapers at all times. These requests have been more frequent since the license law went into effect and come from parties who have just settled a little bill in the police court for having been drunk—and caught at it. So far as this journal is concerned it is a most disagreeable duty to publish such items when the participant has enough sense of shame over the results of his spree to wish to keep his name out of print. But police news is legitimate news and every subscriber pays for his paper with the tacit understanding that he shall be furnished with all the news so far as the editor can reasonably obtain it. Therefore it would be a breach of faith with the subscribers to omit the police reports or any part of them, however much the editor might wish to do so out of sympathy for a human weakness. When the matter is placed in this true light every reasonable person must see that it is impossible to grant a request to keep a legitimate item of news out of the local newspaper. There is one true and effectual way for a person to keep his name from a disagreeable item in the police court doings, and that is to keep sober; and the time to think about avoiding it is while he is sober.—Northfield News.

Accidents come with distressing frequency on the farm. Cuts, bruises, stings, sprains, Dr. Thomas Electric Oil relieves the pain instantly. Never safe without it.

How Tuskegee Helps the South.

From the car windows of the Southern Railway system in going south from Washington one is impressed with marks of a general improvement. Fences are in a better state of repair than they were eight years ago when I last visited Tuskegee. Barns are painted. Factories have been built and they seem to be busy. Long freight trains onsidings with their variety of machinery and general merchandise confirm the impression. Nowhere else in the section, however, is there any sight more inspiring in its promise for the future of the South than this work at Tuskegee institute. It is the object lesson for the section. It tells the people what they should do and shows them doing it. Every man and woman in the South, whatever his position in life or his complexion, must profit by contact with the burning intensity and the trained intelligence which mark the work of this little community. No statesman, whatever his prejudices, can leave the place after even a cursory examination of the work without feeling that the nation should be doing throughout the country what private philanthropy is doing at Tuskegee. No farmer can see the system and study the details in stock raising, dairying and general agriculture on most unresponsive soil without being a better man for the experience. Indeed the annual conference of the negro farmers are continued all the year round, for they come in for advice and other assistance whenever they find themselves confronted with agricultural or financial problems.—Nat'l Magazine.

Uncle Sam's Typewriters.

From 8 o'clock in the morning until close to 9 in the evening there are 5,000 typewriter girls grinding out letters for the United States government. During these hours there are of course 5,000 typewriter girls busily hammering the machines.

Uncle Sam is the largest employer of typists in the country and should be the patron saint of the typewriter girl. The amount of manuscript his workers turn out would make even Clyde Pitch look dizzy.

Uncle Sam is the nicest kind of a man for typewriter girls to work for. He pays large salaries and he supplies his workers with everything they want. If a girl expresses a preference for a certain kind of a machine she gets it. She does not have to sit down and try to pound a typewriter she does not like.

Whenever a new typewriter girl is employed in one of the departments she names the machine and it is purchased for her.—Chicago Tribune.

There is nothing like advertising in the newspapers, especially when one knows how and what to advertise. An incident which occurred in a town not far from Cleveland, Ohio, is an illustration in point. A firm of rich brothers kept their money because they were afraid to trust it in care of the banks. One night burglars came and carried away all their cash. Next day a leading banker published in the local newspaper an advertisement in display type calling attention to the superior safety of his institution as a depository for surplus funds. And it is a good guess that the adv. brought substantial returns. That was seizing a telling opportunity in the nick of time—just the thing which the successful advertiser is on the alert for.

The Death Penalty.

A little thing sometimes results in death. Thus a mere scratch, insignificant cuts or puny boils have paid the death penalty. It is wise to have Bucklen's Arnica Salve ever handy. It's the best Salve on earth and will prevent fatality, when Burns, Sores, Ulcers and Piles threaten. Only 25c, at Slayton & Sanders' Drug Store.

The gold mining boom in the Deerfield Valley has passed. A year ago some heavy investments were made there in lands and machinery, prices of farms went soaring because there was a prospect that gold mining might be made to pay, some capitalists carried on experiments with promising results, but now all has flattened out. There is gold in the Deerfield valley but not in sufficient quantities to make gold mining profitable.

End of Bitter Fight.

"Two physicians had a long and stubborn fight with an abscess on my right lung," writes J. F. Hughes of DuPont, Ga., "and gave me up. Everybody thought my time had come. As a last resort I tried Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption. The benefit I received was striking and I was on my feet in a few days. Now I have entirely regained my health." It conquers all Coughs, Colds and Throat and Lung Troubles. Guaranteed by Slayton & Sanders' Drug Store. Price 50c, and \$1.00. Trial bottles free.

In the Conservatory: He—"There is something, darling, I want to tell you." She—"Oh, then, let us get away from the rubber plant. Come, tell me under the rose."

Consumption Threatened.

C. Unger, 211 Maple St., Champaign, Ill., writes: "I was troubled with a hacking cough for a year and I thought I had consumption. I tried a great many remedies and was under the care of physicians for several months. I used one bottle of Foley's Honey and tar. It cured me, and I have not been troubled since."

Sold by Foss & Strong, Hyde Park; C. P. Jones, Johnson; J. J. Venron, Stowe.

Scrofula

Few are entirely free from it. It may develop so slowly as to cause little if any disturbance during the whole period of childhood.

It may then produce irregularity of the stomach and bowels, dyspepsia, catarrh, and marked tendency to consumption before manifesting itself in much cutaneous eruption or glandular swelling.

It is best to be sure that you are quite free from it, and for its complete eradication you can rely on

Hood's Sarsaparilla
The best of all medicines for all humors.

Bright Boy: Teacher—"Now, Tommy, you know it is impossible to be in two places at once." Tommy—"Two places? Why, pop is at Thousand Islands now."

Potent Pill Pleasure.

The pills that are potent in their action and pleasant in effect are Dr. Witt's Little Early Risers. W. S. Philpot of Albany, Ga., says "During a bilious attack I took one. Small as it was it did me more good than camomel, blue-mass or any other pills I ever took and at the same time it effected me pleasantly. Little Early Risers are certainly an ideal pill."

Sold by Foss & Strong, Hyde Park; Slayton & Sanders, Morrisville; M. J. Leach, Wolcott; F. L. Laraway, Waterville; C. P. Jones, Johnson; E. W. Smith, No. Hyde Park; Shattuck & Son, Eden.

Irresistible Combination: Miss White—"So you finally let dat Sam Cook kiss yo'?" Miss Snow—"Ya-as; de way he beggited Ah jist could 'nt help it. He said ef Ah'd low him to kiss an lebben times he'd be in desebbt' hebben foh forty foh minutes."

Eat All You Want.

Persons troubled with indigestion or dyspepsia can eat all they want if they will take Kodol Dyspepsia Cure. This remedy prepares the stomach for the reception, retention, digestion and assimilation of all of the wholesome food that may be eaten and enables the digestive organs to transform the same into the kind of blood that gives health and strength.

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Ill informed: Mr. Upjohn—"I wish you would tell Kathleen she cooks her steaks too much." Mrs. Upjohn—"You are three girls late, John. The name of the present one is Mollie."

A Gettysburg, Ohio, baby has more than its share of grandmothers. It recently had its picture taken with its two grandmothers and its four great-grandmothers, which must be a record.

Puts an End to it All.

A grievous wail oftentimes comes as a result of unbearable pain from over taxed organs. Dizziness, Backache, Liver complaint and Constipation. But thanks to Dr. King's New Life Pills they put an end to it all. They are gentle but thorough. Try them. Only 25c. Guaranteed by Slayton & Sanders' Drug Store.

Mrs. Kampus—"But how came you to decide to send your son to Yale?" Mrs. Green—"Oh! I thought Yale would be more appropriate than Harvard because of Reginald's blue blood."

WESLEY'S INFLUENCE.

Immense Personal Power Used With Wisdom and Liberality.

Even upon the manners of the English people no man of his century had so much influence as John Wesley. It was peculiarly fortunate that the leader of a great popular movement united with intense religious earnestness the tastes of the scholar and the instincts of the gentleman. He never felt it necessary to vulgarize his teaching or to make any concessions to coarseness. In his spotless linen, his cassock, his black hose and silver shoe buckles he was a model of scrupulous precision in personal attire, and his oft quoted saying, "Cleanliness is next to godliness," well expresses the almost fastidious habit of the man. His dignified yet gentle courtesy, his refined self possession, made his very presence an example and an inspiration.

And it should be said that Wesley used his immense personal influence with singular wisdom and liberality. He had in his hands control of the whole system of Methodist discipline; but he did not attempt to bind the members of his societies by narrow or rigid rules, still less to impose upon them arbitrarily his own judgments. He was anxious only that Methodists should be good Christians. On doubtful matters he did not prescribe or prohibit, but left the decision in such cases where it belongs—with the individual conscience.

In an admirable sermon on amusements, after admitting that much may be said for the drama—he was a lover of dramatic literature himself, and used to advise his preachers to read plays that they might cultivate a natural mode of speech—he decides that, for himself, he could not go to the theater or play at cards with a clear conscience; but he adds: "Possibly others can; I am not obliged to pass any sentence on them that are otherwise minded. I leave them to their own Master; to him let them stand or fall."—C. T. Winchester in Century.

ICE CREAM

We are prepared to furnish Ice Cream, for family use or for public occasions at the following prices:

GAL. \$1.25. QT. 35c. PT. 20c.

Quantities from one quart up packed to keep several hours. Parties desiring one or more gallons are requested to place their orders at least twenty-four hours previous to time cream is to be delivered. Ice Cream Bricks furnish an attractive method of serving cream for table use. We furnish these in pints and quarts at 45c per qt. and 25 per pt.

SLAYTON & SANDERS, Morrisville.

HOT WEATHER GOODS

A large variety of Hammocks, from \$1 to \$4.

"THEY ARE DANDIES"

Croquet Sets from 79c to \$4.00. A large stock of Rattan, Willow and Splint Chairs and Settees. Call in and see and be convinced.

FURNITURE.

G. W. DOTY, 20 Main St. MORRISVILLE, VT.

FARMERS, ATTENTION!

Salt Salmon, [Just opened] 8c.
Cod Fish, [whole,] clean and white 6 1/2
Salt Pork and Lard [in pails or bulk]
Gold Medal Bread Flour and the very choicest of Pastry Flour constantly on hand at right prices.

A Few Hundred of Sorted Cedar Posts at \$8 per Hundred.

E. W. GATES, Successor to C. J. S. BRICK STORE, MORRISVILLE, VT.

FLOUR IS WORKING UP.

A good time to buy, as it looks now—ask for prices. Try Dr. Hess' Stock Food, Poultry Penacca and Instant Louse Killer. We have them. Also good hand made bushels suitable for Potatoes.

H. P. MUNSON, Morrisville.

Gentlemen Hush!

We have a large quantity of McCORMICK BINDING TWINE, Sisal and Standard at a very low price, Lightning top glass jars and the rubbers.

Vandergrift and 1900 washing machines are the style the year around, warranted wringers are the best and we have them.

Boilers, Tubs and Pails. tin, copper bottomed, and all copper boilers, wood, paper and galvanized tubs, all kinds and styles of pails and everything you need in Tinware.

Ranges. We have just received a new lot of Ranges of the best make and can suit everybody.

First-class Plumbing. We are fully equipped to do any job, large or small, of Steam, Hot Water or Hot Air heating and are strictly in it in the plumbing line, we do first-class and up to date work and we stand back of it every time. Come and see us.

WEBSTER & SANDERS, MORRISVILLE, VERMONT

"Sebasticook" Skirts.

Skirt that will bear the most minute scrutiny—in fact, invites the most rigorous investigation by its makers—must possess unusual merit.

We Take Your Measure.

We can show you a large line of Ladies' White Shirt Waists Gents' Shirts, Neckwear, Hosiery, &c.

N. G. WOOD, Hyde Park.

WANTED!

100 Good Farmers to Buy National Cream Separators

WHY!

Because it has been on the market for six years and stood the test. Because it is a close skimmer. Because it is the lightest running. Because it is the most durable. Because you can have the machine to test it before you buy.

If it will not do as we claim, we will cheerfully take it out. Can you ask more? Call and see sample machine.

No. 0, 250 lbs., \$65.00 } PRICES (No. 6, 500 lbs., \$100.00
No. 1, 375 lbs., 75.00 } (No. 7, 750 lbs., 125.00

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