

JOHNSON

W. R. Riley is in Boston. Mrs. Wm. Leslie, who has been ill is improving. H. M. Gordon returned from Boston Monday night. A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. John Dubray Sunday. Mrs. Stickey of Eden is visiting her daughter, Mrs. John Dubray. Miss Madeline McCain was home from her school in North Troy over Sunday. Cornelius Coleman left last Friday for Harvard College to pass his Senior year. Miss Lucy Baker has returned to her Normal School teaching at Whitewater, Wis. Mrs. Susan Holmes has returned from an extended visit with friends in Irasburg. The topic at the C. E. meeting at the Cong'l church next Sunday evening is: "What Will Make Our Society a Greater Success." Mr. William Manchester of Waterville, was in Milton last week the guest of Miss Louise Rich. S. B. Partlow and family of Hardwick were in town Sunday, visiting his father, Joel Partlow. The Sunday School attendance at the Cong'l church last Sunday was 85; collection, \$1.45. Joseph Lafleur has sold to B. S. Fullington the cottage lot and barn on the French Hill road. Mrs. Bertran Mills has returned from Barton and Glover where she has been spending a few days. Miss Jennie Maxfield, Miss Drusilla Waterman and Erle Holmes have returned to the U. V. M. The Oread Club will hold its first meeting for the year, Oct. 7. Mrs. Mattie Baker will have charge of the meeting. Robert Fuller entered the U. V. M. at Burlington this week, and Guy Fullington the Agricultural department of the same. This vicinity was visited Sunday by a fearful wind and rain storm, which lasted through the night. Considerable damage was done. The friends of Jason Hunt regret to learn that he was taken ill with mumps after entering Harvard Law School. He is being cared for in a hospital. All wish him a speedy recovery. Over 70 attended the social at Lee Carpenter's Saturday evening for the benefit of the Johnson Plot cemetery. A "Harvest Supper" was served and an interesting program rendered and much enjoyed. B. W. Fuller committed suicide at his home here by hanging Sunday morning. When members of the family returned from church at noon they found the body hanging in a stairway. Mr. Fuller was 68 years of age and leaves a wife, one son and one daughter. Stanley Darling, the youngest son of Mrs. Mary Darling, was run over Monday afternoon in one of the twin bridges near W. H. Stearns' mill by an automobile from out of town. Report says no bones were broken and he is not thought to be seriously injured. Eugene Grow, a highly respected citizen, died early Monday morning from cancer, aged 70 years. He was born in Johnson and has always lived here. He is survived by a wife and one son, Arthur Grow. The funeral was held from the home this afternoon. A. E. Partlow met with an accident on Monday afternoon at C. F. Hayford's factory at East Johnson. Mr. Partlow was running a lathe and his arm was drawn into it by the sleeve of his sweater being caught. The arm was badly bruised and a gash 2 1/2 inches long cut on his left temple. Injuries are not considered serious.

Congregational Church

A number are planning to go to Jeffersonville Thursday evening to hear Rev. James P. McNaughton, a missionary driven by the war from his work in Bardizag, Turkey. We will observe the "Everybody-at-Church" Day and Sunday School Rally Day next Sunday. The C. E. Society is planning to serve a Harvest Supper on Friday evening of next week.

Pentecostal Church

The children of the Pentecostal Sunday School will observe Missionary Day next Sunday by exercises at the time of the regular morning service. All are cordially invited to attend this service. The other services of the day will be as usual—Class meeting at 10 a. m., Sunday School following the morning service, and Praise and Preaching service in the evening, beginning at 7 o'clock. Come and bring a friend.

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is at her old stand with a nice assortment of Ladies' and Misses'

Fall and Winter Hats

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Opening Day, Oct. 2nd.

A. A. LESLIE, Johnson.

THE PATHFINDERS

Hike and Forest Meet Saturday, October 2. Meet Stowe at Lake Sterling.

The "Pathfinders" of Johnson High School are attracting no little attention with their hike and their strange athletic meet which is to run off at Lake Sterling, Saturday, Oct. 2. The daily and county papers all over the state have been taking up the matter, and the consensus of opinion seems to be that Johnson has solved the problem of fall athletics for the small country High Schools of Vermont. "Why not make the very best use of the natural advantages that God has given us? Why have football in the fall, a sport that is not adapted to the small High School and is expensive, when we have the mountains? We have few mountain sports simply because we have never created them, or established traditions around them. And we try to build gymnasiums for winter basket ball, the most pernicious game of all, when we have a perfect Norway for the sports that were made for winter. Compare snowshoe racing, ski jumping and ice hockey with basket ball and the indoor track meet, and the comparison is anything but favorable to the latter. The larger schools have not these advantages and wish they had them. We have them and have just made our first start toward making the best use of them.

The "Pathfinders" became this week a regular branch of the Green Mountain Club, at the special invitation of President Taylor of that organization. They are the first school organization in the state to take this step. Moreover, Mr. Taylor, with Dr. Louis J. Paris and some other Burlington men, is to act as an official at the meet.

The itinerary is as follows: The boys, accompanied by Warren Annis and Principal Davis, will camp on Thursday night at the Lake. Friday will be spent in making a permanent camp at that place, improving trails, and in making repairs generally. On Saturday the "forest meet" with Stowe High School will be held, and it is hoped that the Stowe people will remain in camp over Sunday. Devotional services will be held Sunday morning. The boys will start for Sterling Mountain early Monday morning and will reach Johnson before night. It is now expected that a large party of Johnson people will meet the boys on the summit of Sterling for the return trip. The class in Debating and the boys section of the class in Physiography will meet as usual on the trip. No school time will be lost on the whole trip, the time being taken from the vacation periods, as planned in the original calendar for the year. No boy who is not in good standing in his studies will be allowed to go.

The boys deserve a hearty send-off Thursday morning. The venture, well conducted, will be a great thing for the school. There's nothing like the mountains for making men.

Johnson High School Notes

The officers of the various classes and fraternities are as follows: Blazed Trail Girls: Pres., Alice Andrus; Vice Pres., Helen Bailey; Sec., Vivian Collins; Treas., Mildred Collins; Executive Com., Alice McFarland, Ruby Hitchcock and Sadie Nye. Pathfinders: Pres., Chellis Collins; Sec., Albert Stiles; Vice Pres., Harold Watkins; Treas., Harold Parady; Executive Com., Howard Bailey (Chair.) Harold Gonyea and Gaylord Westover.

Senior class: Pres., Harley Watkins; Vice Pres., Alice Milles; Sec., and Treas., Chellis Collins; class and school Reporter, Harold Parady. Junior Class: Pres., Wilbur Barrows; Vice Pres., Helen Bailey; Sec., Sadie Nye; Treas., Cola Hinds; Reporter, Grover Fletcher.

Sophomore Class: Pres., Gaylord Westover; Vice Pres., Mildred Collins; Sec., Howard Hill; Treas., Vivian Collins; Reporter, Howard Hill.

Freshman: Pres., Harold Codding; Vice Pres., Marion Barrows; Sec., Emelia Cheyette; Treas., Paul Woodard; Reporter, Frank Stiles.

Last Saturday afternoon the second debate was held between Gaylord Westover and Harold Parady as the Aff., and Albert Stiles and Welbur Barrows as the negative. A decision of 2 to 1 in favor of the negative was rendered. The base ball game Saturday afternoon was exceedingly close featured by the several bad plays and long hits made on both sides, the longest of which was without a doubt Bailey's sailing into left field to a great distance. Sylvester in the box for J. H. S. did some speedy twirling. The game was played ten innings the score then being 9 to 8 in favor of B. A.

A set of "Johnson's Encyclopedia" has been loaned by a friend of the school to the school library for the coming year. The school library will be catalogued during the next two weeks, as it is expected that some additions will soon be made and a system of some sort will be required in order to keep track of them.

A letter from former principal Archie Stone last week stated that a necessary business trip would prevent him from going on the "Pathfinder's Trip" as he had originally planned. The inter-class baseball game last week resulted in a victory for the Sophomores, 16-8. The plucky little freshman team put up a good game, though outweighed and outclassed by their heavier opponents. Since

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MORRISVILLE, VERMONT.

the classes at Johnson are now large enough to support teams of their own, the inter-class games will probably be regular annual events hereafter.

Cemetery Association Social

The social held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Carpenter Saturday evening, was well attended, and much enjoyed, and the sum of \$8.26 was added to the treasury for cemetery work. Several from out of town were present, among whom were Mrs. Clara Crowell, Mrs. Grace Blodgett and little daughter, of Morrisville. Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Penke and daughter, Norma, of Jay and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hooper of Fletcher. This association, since its organization, has raised \$61.90, \$54.20 of which has already been used for cemetery work, besides free work put in last year. The expense of keeping the cemetery mowed and trimmed this season has been \$10.00.

New monuments have recently been placed on the Avery Ladd lot, by the only remaining daughter, Mrs. D. C. Smith of Morrisville, and on the Wm. C. Atwell lot, also by the only remaining daughter, Mrs. Mina (Atwell) Whittemore of Clinton, Mass., the monuments being furnished and set by F. M. Ober of Morrisville, in place of broken and weather-beaten stones which were removed. The cemetery wall has been much improved and other improvements are to follow soon.

Building Operations Halt
Building operations on the Jose store near the depot have been suspended, owing to an injunction having been served by the town of Johnson, restraining Mr. Jose from building, as the officials claim, over the sidewalk. A hearing was set for today, but as V. A. Bullard, attorney for Jose, was unable to appear on account of illness, the case was postponed.

Methodist Church

The members of the Junior League held a social on Monday evening in the church vestry. The decorating committee are to be congratulated on the pretty effect it obtained. The large company spent a pleasant time in games and refreshments were served.

The members of the Official Board are asked to be at the parsonage on Thursday at 7:30 p. m. to meet the District Superintendent, Rev. W. B. Dukeshire.

Next Sunday evening a special song service will be held, to commence at 7. "Hymns That Have Helped." Violin-cello solos will be given by Miss Sears. An offering will be taken. All invited.

In accordance with the suggestion of the Inter-State Federation of Vermont the churches of Johnson invite the people to observe next Sunday as Everybody-at-Church Day and Sunday School Rally Day.

Normal School Notes

The Hike Club spent a very enjoyable Saturday afternoon on a trip to the Beaver Meadows. After a hearty picnic luncheon, the party returned in time for the band concert.

The Misses Skinner, Lang and Joslyn spent Sunday in Waitsfield.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Johnson and family visited their daughter Lena at the Dormitory Saturday and Sunday.

A vegetable cellar has just been added to the other cellar rooms of the Dormitory. Mr. Garrow of Enosburg Falls has superintended the work.

The entrance of Miss Worthen of Bradford brings the enrollment up to 101.

Mutual Attraction.

"So the telephone operator in the hospital is going to marry the surgeon."
"So I fear."
"Affinity of tastes, I suppose. She cuts people off, and he cuts 'em up."
Baltimore American.

The Consultation.

"My wife always consults me about every article of attire she buys—frocks, hats, shoes, gloves, everything."
"My wife does, too—that is, she asks me for the money."

"Sun Follower."

The old name of the sunflower was solisec, the sun follower. The ancient sunflower, or sun follower, was the marigold; the tall plants of the present day are of American origin.

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A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Payne last week.

W. G. Shaw of Bethel was a business visitor here Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Garrow of Essex are visiting at Will Aldren's.

C. O. Burt is in Boston and Springfield, Mass., on a business trip.

Mrs. Henry Reed of West Berlin has been visiting relatives here.

Miss Muriel Pike was at home from Essex Junction over Sunday.

Mrs. Cass Keene of Bridgeport, Conn., is the guest of her brother, H. Mayo.

Fred Snyder of Tomlinson visited his mother, Mrs. L. B. Tomlinson, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Paine are the parents of a daughter, born September 23.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Moody of Montpelier were guests at C. E. Burt's over Sunday.

Raymond, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Russell, is quite ill at their home in Nebraska.

Miss Isabel Smith has returned to Boston to resume her studies at Simmons College.

Miss Alice Merrill of Negaunee, Mich., is visiting her cousin, Miss Sadie Harlow.

M. M. Munn and family of Saratoga Lake, N. Y., are guests at F. S. Boardman's.

C. A. Riley, H. E. Shaw, P. S. Kaiser and A. C. Aiken were visitors in Orleans Thursday.

Mrs. Susan Thompson returned from the Mary Fletcher hospital the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hamelton returned Tuesday from a month's visit in Cleveland, Ohio.

Mrs. F. E. Wilkins and daughters, Pearl and Lucy, were in Waterbury Center Tuesday.

F. J. Waite has returned from an extended visit with friends in Shoreham and Crown Point, N. Y.

J. C. Larkin has finished his season's work as concrete contractor, returning from Randolph Saturday.

Miss Daisy Magoon is clerking in the Miles, McMahon & Co. store, and Miss Collins of Waterbury in that of F. S. Boardman.

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C. A. Gile and R. H. Atwood are in Boston.

Watch Campbell's space next week for something special.

E. S. Robinson picked wild strawberry blossoms and buds Monday.

Mrs. E. G. Wilson went to Montpelier Monday for a few days' stay.

Miss Irene Taylor of St. Johnsbury is visiting friends in town.

Jacques Senecac of Stanbridge, P. Q., came Saturday for a short stay at his home.

Miss Susan Delano went to Burlington yesterday to begin her studies at the U. V. M.

Mrs. Alonzo Marshall returned to Fairfield Saturday, after visiting her parents in Elmore.

Mrs. May Fuge of Burlington is a guest of her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Dodge.

C. J. Cornell was in Jeffersonville Saturday at a family reunion at the home of his father, Hon. H. M. Cornell. A brother, Chas. Cornell, of Knoxville, Tenn., was also present.

Attention is called to the Auctioneer's Notice of V. W. Rand of Hardwick, which appears elsewhere in this paper. Mr. Rand has had years of experience and has the reputation of selling the goods.

James Cleveland, a former Morrisville boy, and Miss Marion Bishop of Whitefield, N. H., were united in marriage at Woodsville, N. H., Saturday and arrived in town Saturday evening on a short honeymoon trip.

Saved by Fire.

The gigantic tropical fireflies which swarm in the forests and canebrakes of most of the low lying West Indian islands once proved the salvation of the city of Santo Domingo. A body of buccaneers, headed by the notorious Thomas Cavendish, had laid all their plans for a descent upon the place, intending to massacre the inhabitants and carry away all the treasure they conveniently could, and had actually put off their boats for that purpose. As they approached the land, however, rowing with muffled oars, they were greatly surprised to see an infinite number of moving lights in the woods which fringed the bayou up which they had to proceed, and, concluding that the Spaniards knew of their approach, they put about and regained their ship without attempting to land.

Perpetual Fires.

The following are some of the perpetual fires in the world. The sacred fire of Baharem, reputed to have been kindled 1,300 years ago, burns in a temple in the village of Jodwada, India. This fire was consecrated by the Parsees in commemoration of their safe voyage to India. In the vaults where the czars of Russia are buried two great candles, one at the head and the other at the feet, are always kept burning. When the tomb of Pallas, son of Evander, was opened in the twelfth century, they found a lighted lamp hung above his head, which had presumably been burning for 2,000 years.

Not at All Reckless.

Jennie was a gem of a servant girl, and her mistress was quite fond of her. She was taken aback when Jennie announced her approaching marriage. "I hope, Jennie," she said, "that you have given the matter serious consideration." "Oh, I have, ma'am!" was the earnest reply. "I've been to two fortune tellers and a clairvoyant, and looked in a sign book, and dreamed on a lock of his hair, and been to one of these astrologers and to a meejum, and they all say go ahead, ma'am. I ain't one to marry recklesslike, ma'am."

For Youth to Remember.

Sad will be the old age of the youth who forgets his father's struggles, his father's thrift, his father's God; and lets the morrow take care of itself. The world owes no man a living, but every youth owes the world a life.—Leslie's.

Rough on Both.

Patrick's face was so homely that it had been described as an "offense to the landscape," and he was as poor as he was homely. One day a neighbor met him and said: "And how are ye, Pat?" "Mighty bad," answered Pat. "It's starvation that is staring me in the face." "Is that so?" said the sympathetic inquirer. "Sure, and it can't be very pleasant for ayther of ye."—Pittsburgh Chronicle-Telegraph.

Saved by His Wits.

The Duke of Wellington once met by accident an officer in a state of inebriety. "Look here, sir," said the iron duke. "What would you do if you met one of your men in the condition in which I find you?" The officer drew himself up, gave the military salute and replied with great gravity, "I would not condescend to speak to the brute." His wit saved him his commission.

LIGHT IS ENERGY.

If the Rays Are Not Absorbed They Will Travel on Forever.

If one could get an inclosed room with perfectly mirroring walls and light an electric bulb in it for a second and then suddenly annihilate the bulb the light would go on reflecting back and forth forever. So if one could look into this room a year later he would see the lighted bulb, which no longer existed, mirrored in all the walls of the room.

However, if the bulb had been left in the room after being extinguished it, being dead and not a perfect reflector, would finally have absorbed all the light back and have converted it into heat.

If light from an object is not absorbed it, being energy, travels on forever. Take a church steeple with the sun shining on it and no clouds above. The light reflected from the steeple will go out into space and travel forever unless it strike some matter in space. So a person on a distant planet could see the steeple if he had glasses strong enough—the matter of seeing being merely to receive enough light from the seen object to impress the retina.

If this celestial observer were very far away the light of course would take some time to get to him and he could not possibly see the steeple as soon after the sun struck it as could an observer on the earth.

In the regions of space there are rays of light that were reflected from people and buildings ages ago. If some one were there to catch these rays he could actually see things that long ago ceased to exist except as light rays.

Astronomers do actually see such things, for they can look at stars whose light has taken forty years to get to the earth. If these forty year stars were to go out no one on the earth could possibly see them go out for forty years. They would still be seen in the sky as bright as ever for forty years more.

This fact demonstrates more plainly than any other that what one sees is light and not objects. A friend's face, for instance, is not seen. Nothing is seen but the light reflected from that friend's face. The friend could be annihilated and one would see his face for a short time thereafter—that is, would see the light from his face.—New York American.

The Arabs of Syria.

Among the Arabs of Syria a man changes his name after the birth of his eldest son, assuming the name which has been bestowed upon the heir, with the prefix Abu, meaning "father of." Thus, if the son is called Fudle Allah, "God's bounty," the father will henceforth be known as Abu Fudle Allah, "father of God's bounty." In like manner the mother would become known as Em Fudle Allah, "mother of God's bounty." This custom is not merely one of common speech, but extends to all occasions and even to legal documents. Still more strangely, even when a man though married has no son the courtesy of oriental society demands that he should be addressed as Abu Salim or Abou Mahmoud, after an imaginary son whom politeness confers upon him.

What Intermittency Means.

Intermittency is that form of irregularity in which the pulse appears to drop a beat occasionally. In some instances it occurs regularly and two or three times per minute for several hours. Sometimes also it is very irregular and is noted a number of times within a few seconds and not again for a minute or more. This peculiarity generally causes much uneasiness. Yet, while it may be a very serious symptom and associated with grave and incurable disease of the heart, it often signifies merely a functional disturbance which is in nowise dangerous.

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