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Regular \$20.00 Men's Suits and Overcoats, now	\$13.50
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LOCAL NEWS

MORRISVILLE

Renew your subscription now.

Morrisville news on pages 1, 2, 4, 5 & 8. A. A. Niles is gaining from her recent attack of grip.

R. E. Robinson is critically ill from pneumonia at the home of his daughter, Mrs. O. W. Wisley.

F. C. Luce & Co. have started a very remarkable mid-season clean-up sale of shoes. See advt' on page 8.

The Morrisville Fruit Co. have added two handsome floor show cases for confectionery to their store equipment.

The Methodist Brotherhood are arranging to have Judge Weeks of Middlebury deliver an address here in the near future.

Mrs. R. W. Clark, who has been caring for her daughter, Mrs. L. J. Fleming was called home Monday on account of illness in her family. She was accompanied by Mrs. Fleming and daughter.

The Red Sox defeated the town team at Waterbury last Friday evening by a score of 25 to 10. This makes the eighth straight victory for the Sox, whose lineup for the game was as follows:—George Thomas, Earl Merrill, Kaiser, Gibson Barham, H. Stowell.

T. H. Daniels is critically ill.

Mrs. Mary Towne is visiting relatives in Fairfield.

R. J. Caswell of the west part of town is recovering from a serious attack of grip.

South Randolph school is closed for a time, owing to the illness of the teacher, Miss Bessie Ryder.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smith were in Stowe Monday, called there by the serious illness of her father, Henry Gibbs.

The condition of Mrs. R. W. Cheney, who is suffering an attack of bronchial pneumonia, was reported as comfortable today.

Miss Grace Gover of the Johnson Normal was a guest Sunday and Monday of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Gauvin.

H. W. Drowne of the west part of town has been confined to the house the past week, suffering from a severe cold and bronchial trouble.

E. G. Foss' horse was badly injured when coming from the Edgerton place a few days ago. He ran away and was considerably cut up.

Mrs. A. L. Cheney picked four pansies, each with perfect buds and blossoms, in the garden at the Cheney home on Harrison Avenue yesterday.

While driving home from church last Sunday, John P. Miller's wagon got into a rut and a rear wheel was badly demolished. Fortunately, no one was injured.

Miss Dorothy Lang is critically ill from pleuro-pneumonia at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Smalley. Her mother, Mrs. Chas Lang, and Mrs. Mary Carty are caring for her.

Mrs. A. W. Spaulding, who has been assisting in the care of her father, A. A. Niles, returned to Montpelier Monday evening, owing to the illness of Mr. Spaulding.

There was a good attendance at the Masonic hall at town hall last night, about \$40 being cleared, to be added to the Masonic Temple fund. Music was furnished by the P. A. Orchestra.

Mrs. Eva Stanley and three children left today for Clinton, Mass., where they will reside. Mrs. Stanley having secured employment in a mill. The family has been living at Morristoryn Corners, where Mr. Stanley died last August.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Thayer of the west part of town are receiving congratulations upon the arrival of a son, Wayne Robert, born last Thursday morning. Mrs. Albert Douglass of Morristoryn Corners is caring for mother and son.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Macomber, who live on C. F. Smith's Viele farm in Wolcott, are the happy parents of a 10 pound son, born last Friday at the Holden Hospital in Hardwick. The young man has been christened Smith Palmer. Congratulations.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Wells of Clarksburg, Va., were guests at the Randall several days the past week. Mr. Clark is interested in the granite industry and does an extensive business in the Vermont product. He visits Morrisville once a year as he does a large business with the Union Granite Co.

Among those from out of town to attend the funeral of Mrs. Fred M. Small were Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Douglass of Bethel, Frank Douglass of Medford, Mass., Millard Douglass of Greensboro Bend, Mrs. Thomas Wilson of Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Sherwin, Hyde Park, O. A. and E. L. Barrows, G. W. Chapin, L. L. Harris, George Towle and Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Maynard of Stowe.

Mrs. E. W. Potter, daughter of the late William Silloway, and a sister of E. E. and F. W. Silloway, and the late Mrs. Geo. A. Morse of Morrisville, died Monday at her home in Woodstock. She had been in poor health for several years, but the immediate cause of death was pneumonia. She leaves a husband and four sisters and three brothers. The funeral will be held from the Methodist church in Morrisville Thursday afternoon at one o'clock, Rev. W. T. Best officiating. The remains will be buried in Pleasant View cemetery.

Death of Mrs. Cordelia Smith
Mrs. Cordelia Smith, mother of Gustin E. Smith and Mrs. L. C. Tillotson of Morrisville and Mrs. Will Smilie of Waterville, died last night at six o'clock at the Tillotson home on Congress street from bronchial pneumonia, after a long period of ill health.

The funeral will be held Friday afternoon at two o'clock from the home.

A "Benefit" Supper
The Y. P. C. U. of the Universalist church will serve a supper in the vestry Thursday evening of this week beginning at 5:30. The ladies of the Union will act as kitchen mechanics, under the superintendency of Mrs. Barrows and Mrs. Fisher, and the ladies will act as waitresses. A good attendance is desired as an encouragement to the young people who are trying to realize a new carpeted and redecorated church interior at an early date. The P. A. Orchestra will furnish music during the supper hour.

CELEBRATE 78th BIRTHDAY

G. A. R. and Allied Societies Assist Comrade in Observation of Event.

Last week Thursday evening the G. A. R. hall was the scene of a most happy gathering, when members of James M. Warner Post, the W. R. C. and Auxiliary met at the invitation of Comrade W. G. McClintock to assist in the celebration of his 78th birthday anniversary. It was one of the most enjoyable social events of the season and each society was well represented and several invited guests from outside the societies were present, there being 83 at supper.

In the early evening an oyster supper, with all the good things incident thereto, was served a la Sulham, following which post prandial exercises were enjoyed, Commander Austin Wilkins acting as toastmaster. The speeches were interspersed with the rendition of patriotic airs, both vocal and instrumental, Miss Lulu Towne presiding at the piano. The speakers all took their cue from the toastmaster, who was in a happy vein, and each response was well given and much enjoyed by all. The speakers were George A. Bridge, D. W. Rodgers, W. B. Patch, A. L. Cheney, Mrs. Ila Niles Jackson, S. L. Ring, Mrs. Hannah Taylor, George W. Foss, S. D. Luce, Mrs. Geo. W. Drown, Mrs. Alice George, Don A. Sanders, L. L. Camp and Rev. W. T. Best.

In behalf of the W. R. C. and G. A. R., Mrs. Alice George, in well chosen words, presented Mr. McClintock with a bouquet of sweet peas and Mrs. Hannah Taylor, Past President of the Auxiliary, in behalf of that society and the Sons of Veterans, presented a birthday book, in which was written the names of the guests present. Mr. McClintock responded feelingly and took occasion to express his pleasure in being able to greet so many of his friends at this time.

A large birthday cake was cut during the banquet hour and each guest was given a souvenir piece, neatly wrapped in paper napkin.

Mr. McClintock has been a member of the local G. A. R. since its earliest years, having been identified with the organization when the meetings were held in the Gleed building in the late sixties. He came to Morrisville in 1861 from Manchester, N. H. He enlisted in the 17th Vermont and had an active service of about 18 months. Being asked about his Masonic career, having joined Mt. Vernon lodge in July, 1862, Mr. McClintock replied that if he had not been a Mason he believed he would not have lived to celebrate the event referred to in this article. Pressed for an explanation he said that he was present at the explosion of a mine on July 30, 1864, in front of Petersburg, and afterwards when desperately sick in a rebel prison, he made his membership in the order known to a rebel doctor, who took him from the prison before sunset and put him in charge of Union sympathizers at Danville, Va. The doctor kept track of him until he was safely aboard the train for Richmond, where he was paroled.

Woman's Club Musical

Mrs. J. W. Votey addressed the Club on Monday evening at the regular meeting, the occasion being the second musical evening of the regular program of the year. The meeting was held in the vestry of the Cong'l church and in the absence of the president, Mrs. H. J. Fisher, Miss Marie Gulick presided. Mrs. G. M. Powers, chairman of the musical committee introduced Mrs. Votey, who gave a most interesting and inspiring talk on music, its origin and development from the first savage discords of primitive man to the finished product of the modern composers. Mrs. Votey followed her talk with examples from most of the greatest composers, giving a short sketch of the life and methods of each. Following was the program—

Scarlati—"Pastorale."
Bach—"Gavotte."
Mozart—"Larghetto Konig" Concerto.
Beethoven—"Moonlight Sonata", 1st and 2nd movements.
Chopin—"Prelude."
Schumann—"Des Abends," "Romanze."
Liszt-Schubert—"Song "Du bist so ruh."
Grieg—"Tone Picture," "Homersque," "Autumn Leaf."
Strauss—"Traumeri."
MacDowell—"To A Wild Rose."

The members are reminded that the next meeting occurs next Monday evening, at which time the following program will be given:—General Survey of Modern Poetry, Miss Catherine Wilcox; Poetry of the Home, with illustrative readings, Mrs. C. D. Howe, Mrs. J. T. Sears.

No License Mass Meeting

Tomorrow afternoon at two o'clock at the Congregational vestry will be held a meeting for organization, preparatory to the no license campaign. It will be a county meeting and all men of the county interested in the work are invited. Rev. C. H. Smith, President of the Anti-Saloon League will be present.

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Are just in and are as neat as a new pin. Some in colors, some in white, some in silk crepe de chine: all in the newest models.

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Are also among the new arrivals in the kid glove line. They are a pretty glove for street wear and have the advantage of standing a thorough washing without harm.

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We have a full line of sizes in the famous Velastic union suits for misses. This is the best garment made in this country for real warmth and long wear. They may save you from the grip.

Send for Samples

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Winter Garments

There are still a few of them left that you can buy at less than cost. If you are going to need a new coat for next winter, it will be a good investment to buy now.

GEORGE F. EARLE

Morrisville, Vermont

Death of Mrs. I. N. LeBaron

Mrs. Isaac N. LeBaron, who had been in failing health the past three years and confined to her bed since last May, died Monday morning at one o'clock. Death was due to hardening of the arteries and was probably hastened by an attack of grip, from which she had suffered since the middle of January.

Maria Barrows was born April 28, 1842, one of six children of Malachi and Patience Benson Barrows, on the old Barrows farm, now owned by the Allens on the Randolph road, and always lived there until the LeBaron family moved to Morrisville, twenty-five years ago last October. Of the family of six children, only one son, G. A. Barrows, survives. The others were Mrs. Asa West, Mrs. William Gilbert and Mrs. Jane Benson of Morrisville, Mrs. Thomas Tracy of Nashua, Ia., and one son, Joseph, who died in childhood.

Mrs. LeBaron received her education in the district schools of Morristoryn and at Peoples Academy, attending the latter institution in the late fifties, at which time she met Mr. LeBaron, who came here from Barre to attend the academy. She was married to Isaac N. LeBaron on June 19, 1861. To this union were born seven children, four girls and three boys, as follows: Ada, who died at ten years of age; Mrs. E. H. P. Merrill, who died about seven years ago; Dana F. LeBaron, who has been with his parents for several months; Mrs. F. J. Stewart of Morrisville, Miss Daisy LeBaron, who has cared for her mother during her last illness, and W. I. and I. Newton LeBaron, Jr., of Morrisville. Besides her husband and children, she is survived by twelve grandchildren.

The funeral was held this afternoon from the home, Rev. R. D. Cranmer of the Universalist church officiating. Interment was in Pleasant View cemetery. The bearers were the three sons and two sons-in-law. M. B. White had charge of the funeral.

Mrs. LeBaron was a woman of strong convictions and a pleasing personality. She had a wide acquaintance and her death will be regretted in many circles. She was a member of the Universalist church and the Mission Circle, in which she was an active worker until her health failed. She was a charter member of Lamaille Grange and much interested in the order.

Chas. A. Davis Dead

Charles A. Davis, a member of James M. Warner Post, G. A. R., who suffered a second shock about two weeks ago, died at his home on West Hill late Monday evening. He is survived by his wife, formerly Mrs. Lucinda Gregg, and two sons by a former marriage. The death of his sister, Mrs. Maria Chaffee, is recorded in this issue. The funeral of Mr. Davis will be held Thursday at two o'clock from the home. The deceased was 75 years of age. A more extended notice will be given next week.

The first step to WEALTH—and we KEEP THE KEY. The Union Savings Bank and Trust Co. See ad. in another column.—adv.

Hon. Frank Plumley Coming

At the solicitation of the Brotherhood of the Methodist church, Hon. Frank Plumley will deliver an address here next Sunday evening. It is not known what Mr. Plumley's topic will be, but it can be relied upon to be one that will interest everybody who will attend. The speaker has filled many responsible positions in the state and nation and his large knowledge gained thereby, together with his natural ability as an orator, puts him in the front rank of Vermont's public speakers. All who possibly can should hear him on this occasion.

Pastime Club Entertains

The Pastime Club entertained the Sterling Club of Stowe at their rooms in the Drowne block last Friday evening, about twenty members of the Stowe Club being present. The evening was a most enjoyable one, being spent with cards, billiards and music, both instrumental and vocal. Refreshments were served by Caterer Sulham. It was planned to entertain members of the Hardwick Club, but the members from the granite town were obliged to decline at the last minute.

HYDE PARK

Harry Foss and family are spending a few days at Hardwick.

Pansies picked in January were exhibited last Saturday by Agnes Ladeau.

A picked team, who played basket ball with Morrisville boys last night, won the game 27 to 21.

An accident to the boiler at the Cheese Factory suspended operations there for awhile last week.

The warm weather has put sleighing out of commission and consequently wheeling is resorted to.

A preliminary meeting of the Cemetery Association will be held Tuesday, Feb. 8, at 3 p. m., at the home of the president, Mrs. Lillian Noyes.

The chateau which has been temporarily located on the north side of the Gym, is to be moved onto the lot at the junction of Depot and Bridge streets and fitted up for a tenement.

Assistant Judges Leach and Jackson were in consultation with County Clerk Waite yesterday in regard to county expenditures, making the annual report and fixing the tax rate for next year.

The expenses of the December term of Lamaille County Court, which was a term of fourteen days, were as follows:—Petit Jurors, including that "struck" jury, \$521.18; Referees, \$46.36; State Witnesses, \$136.70; Court Reporter, \$114.00; Reporter in Referee Cases, \$63.50; Assistant Judges, \$105.00. Total \$987.36.

"The Court of Fame," under the direction of, and staged by, Miss Harriet Harris, of Weymouth, Mass., is soon to be given by the ladies' Home Culture Club of this place. Characters to the number of forty will participate in the drama, a cast of which will be given later. This "Pageant Drama" was played in Stowe two nights recently and is pronounced "the best thing there in many years." Watch for further announcement.