The following from the Burlington *Free Press* will correct some false stories that are flying about in regard to the State House. No one can find a word of fault with the manner the subject is treated—it is done fairly and handsomely.

The State House Question.

It is often said that one must go away from home to hear the news. An article in the St. Albans Messenger of the 21st has brought the saying to mind. Speaking of the State House it says: "A meeting has already been held in Burlington to adopt measures to secure its location at that place, and some seventy thousand dollars already pledged towards the expense of building a State House in that Town. Ground has also been selected, being a square lot on which stands the residence formerly occupied by Mr. C. Peck, on College street. This would be a most excellent site for a State House. We understand that the people of Burlington have presented a petition to Gov. Fletcher to call an extra session of the Legislature as soon as practicable, that a location may be selected and measures taken to build a new State House."

All that was news to us here. There has been plenty of loose and informal talk going on here, as in many places, ever since the State House was burned, and the general sentiment has been that this is the best place in the State for the State House; but there have been no pledges of seventy thousand dollars made, nor any selection of a suitable site for the building, nor any petition from the people of Burlington to the Governor for him to call a session of the Legislature to attend to the business. The Messenger had got ahead of us. Perhaps it was our own fault though, and we will try to overtake it—especially when it is on so good a track.

But if, when the Messenger wrote, we had done none of the things which it gave us credit for, we have done *one* of them since. Yesterday, Jan. 22d, there was a public meeting held, of the citizens of Burlington and adjacent towns, to consider the subject of the State House question under its present conditions.

It was a large meeting of earnest and intelligent men, and there was shown an entire unanimity of feeling in favor of a fair and manly effort to secure the location and erection of the new State House in Burlington. No one spoke of disparage the efforts or wishes of any other locality in the State; nor was any thing said which could have offended any citizen of any other town in the State, had any one been present. There was an undoubted expression of opinion in favor of this place, as one which, both at present and prospectively, can better accommodate the people of the State, as a place for the Capitol, than any other town in the State. That makes a claim, a *just and fair claim*, in favor of it, before the people of the State and their representatives. No *claim*, properly speaking, can be based on any other ground in favor of Montpelier, Burlington, Rutland, Bellows Falls, Northfield or any other town which has been spoken of.

As to the expense of building a State House, though we concede the property of State's bearing the entire expense of all erections which are made for the accommodation of its General Assembly and public officers, it is well to bear in mind what has been the practice of the State hitherto on that subject. It has been wont to regard the incidental benefit which the location of the public buildings may bring to a vicinity, as a circumstance to be taken into the account; and as local contributions have been required heretofore to a greater or less extent, it is, to say the least, probable that they will be in this instance.

In view of all these considerations, the meeting appointed proper committees to initiate and carry out such plans for raising a subscription, to be available if wanted, as shall seem to them good.

Nothing was said of any petition to the Governor to call an extra session; but the necessity for an extra session of the Legislature was freely spoken of as according to the general sentiment of the people of the State, so far as had been heard from.—We have never doubted that the more the subject is thought of about the State, the more clearly it will be felt that to defer legislative action on the subject to the regular session, next fall, will put off for a whole year, that which, for the public convenience, ought to be attended to very soon; and by being so deferred the question would inevitably become entangled with all the general and special legislation of the State. In that way a great public injury would be done, without a particle of corresponding good. We say this without any reference to what effect an extra session would have on the question under any of its aspects.

Whether the ruins of the present building are to be used as they stand, repaired if possible, and the building brought back to its former condition as near as may be; or whether a new building is to be erected, enlarged and made more convenient as it ought to be, on that location, or in another one—either with or without the use of the available materials left of the old one, are questions which no body but the legislature of the State can decide; and the sooner that decision is made the better it will be for the State and for all concerned. No new legislature would be likely to decide on those questions more fairly than the present one. The decision has no relations to the political parties or questions of the day. It concerns only the *convenience and benefit* of the people of the State, who now are, and who are to be, for generations to come; and we say as we have said before, no persons and no localities have any *just claims* to be regarded, except in that respect, and we hope that will be kept steadily in view by all.

THE PEPORTED INJUNCTION.—Among the idle stories afloat in the State, and going the rounds of the public press, is one that the citizens of Burlington have caused an injunction to be issued on the people of Montpelier, against their proceeding to rebuild the State House without waiting for legislative action. Nothing of the sort has been done, or thought of. We wonder that anybody should have given a moment's credence to such rumor.

FRUIT IN CALIFORNIA.—California is undoubtedly to become a great fruit growing State. A letter from Los Angelos, dated Dec. 5, speaks of the last shipment of grapes for the season as about to be made, and says that the prices have ruled so low that the growers were turning their attention to wine making. Several vineyards there have orders from San Francisco for all the wine they can make. In a few years, there will be several thousand orange trees in fruit. There are at least 25,000 orange trees in nurseries there and at Pueblo. Several individuals will next year plant lemons, limes, citrons and olives. It is claimed that a thousand tons of grapes are sent from Los Angelos to San Francisco in a single season, and as many more made into wine and brandy. That region is doubtless destined to be the fruit garden of the Pacific coast, and right royally is it being developed.

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STATE OF VERMONT.

BY RYLAND FLETCHER,
GOVERNOR.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS, by the recent destruction of the State House by fire, and the consequent want of any accommodations for the stated sessions of the Legislature, a necessity has, in my opinion, arisen for assembling the Legislature of the State before the time of its next regular session, as prescribed by the Constitution: I do, therefore, by this my Proclamation, convene the Senate and House of Representatives, composing the General Assembly of the State of Vermont, to meet at Montpelier, on Wednesday, the eighteenth day of February next, at ten o'clock, in the forenoon; hereby requiring the respective Senators and Representatives then and there to assemble, to consult and determine on such measures as the public good may seem to them to require.

Given under my hand and the seal of the State, at Cavendish, this twenty sixth day of January, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty seven.

RYLAND FLETCHER.

By the Governor,
WILLIAM G. SHAW, Secretary.

A REMEDY FOR THE MURDERS IN THE STATE PRISON.—An old wag, remarking upon the recent murders at the State Prison, insists that they are not attributable to a want of discipline among the prisoners, or the inefficiency of the officers in command; but that they are the result of the bad morals and low breeding of the present class of convicts. "Fill the prison," he exclaimed, "with gentlemen—educated and refined thieves—such as financial swindlers, who steal from railway corporations, and parade the streets afterwards; who fail, and subsequently live in style; who obtain money under false pretenses, and call it joking—put that class of persons into the State Prison, and there'll be no more murders there." This is one plan for the great evil; but as it would involve an expenditure of money for the enlargement of the Penitentiary, it will hardly be adopted.—*Boston Courier.*

The Boston, Concord and Montreal railroad of New Hampshire, running from Concord to Wells River, 93 miles, and costing three millions dollars, has failed for one million, and gone into the hands of trustees or assignees; the laws of New Hampshire make stockholders in railroads personally liable for the debts of the company, and suits have been commenced against leading owners in this road by some of its creditors.

COUNTERFEITS.—Among the latest counterfeits are twenties on the Commercial Bank, Providence, R. I., altered from ones on the Commercial Bank, Perth Amboy; vignette, horses and goats at a well. Fives on the Tiverton Bank, R. I.; three and tens on Columbia Bank, Pa.; tens on Mechanics' Bank, Williamsburg; twos on Kirkland Bank, N. Y.; tens on Indian Head Bank, N. H.; tens on Missiquoi Bank, Vt.; tens on Cambridge City Bank, Mass.; and twos on Lancaster Bank, N. H.

CAMBRIDGE CATTLE MARKET.

WEDNESDAY, January 28, 1857.

At market 864 Cattle—mostly Beeves and Stores, consisting of Working oxen, Cows and Calves, and one, two and three years old.

PRICES—Market Beef, Extra $8.25 a 9.50 per cwt; 1st quality, $7.75; second quality $7 a 7.25; third quality $6 a 6.25; ordinary $5.

Stores—Working Oxen—Sales at $75, 100 a $175.

Cows and Calves—$35, 40, 50 a $65.

Yearlings—Notes. *Two Years Old*—$28 a $30. *Three Years Old*—$35 a $40.

Sheep and Lambs—2008 at market. Prices—In lots, $2.37, 4, 4.12, a 5.25; extra and selections, $6, 8 a $10.

Swine—Live none at market. Prices—Dressed 9 1-2 a 10c. *Hides*—6 1-2 a 8 3-4 per lb. *Tallow*—3 a 3 1-2c. *Pelts*—$1 a 1.50 each. *Calf Skins*—13c 14c per lb.

There were 10 cars over the Boston and Maine Railroad, 64 over the Boston and Lowell, 76 over the Fitchburg Railroad, and none over the Western Railroad, loaded with Cattle, Sheep, and Horses.

REMARKS—The market for Beef was quite good in the morning, but owing to the large supply, it became dull after the first sales, and indicated a decline. A large supply of Sheep, and sales dull for second quality lots. River Sheep sold better at fair prices.

N. B. There arrived last week after market day about 150 head of Cattle, and 1500.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

DONATION VISIT.—All those who would favor Rev. S. SPENCER, with a Donation Visit, are requested to do so at the Parsonage on Tuesday, Feb. 3d, next, afternoon and evening.

Per order one of the Committee.

Dover, Jan. 21st, 1857.

MERCHANTS, DRUGGISTS, and PEDLARS, do you wish to retain your customers? Keep a supply of Bacon's Excelsior Preparations, or they go where they can get them.

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MARRIAGES.

At South Boston, Mass., Tuesday evening, Jan. 27th, by Rev. W. W. Dean, CHARLES CUMMINGS of this village and Miss ELIZABETH R., daughter of the late Brewster Reynolds of South Boston.

In this village, at the Brattleboro House, Jan. 28th, by Rev. Geo. H. Deere, GILBERT BROWN and ABBY F. B. KILBURN, of Warwick, Mass.

In this village, at the Brattleboro House, Jan. 26, by Rev. Mr. Bush, Mr. CHARLES E. WHEELER and Miss HARRIET A. SCOTT, both of Halifax.

DEATHS.

In West Halifax, Dec. 50th, Mrs OLIVE N. wife of James Wm. Plumb, aged 18 years and 10 months.

In Marlboro, Jan. 22, ALONZO LOCK, son of Almerin and Sally Ames, by inhaling steam from a boiling ten-kettle.

In Hayesville, Ohio, Dec. 21st, WILLARD DOOLITTLE, aged 51, formerly of Townshend. Printers in Chicopee, Mass., please copy.

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FESTIVAL!!

THE LADIES OF THE UNIVERSALIST SOCIETY invite the public to a social entertainment in the TOWN HALL on Thursday evening, Feb. 5th. A GOLD RING will be awarded by impartial judges to the author of the best Conundrum there read; the Brattleboro Cornet and Quadrille Bands will be in attendance; the tables will be furnished with ample provision. The ladies feel confident that their arrangements will so blend the festive, the musical, and the intellectual, as to give rare and innocent enjoyment.

Admission 15 cents.

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Excellent advantages will be furnished to all wishing instruction at very moderate charges.

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For further information address Rev. L. Hayden, A. M.—Wm. N. Wilbur, A. B., Principal, or J. A. Farnsworth, Esq., Secretary.

NOTICE. THIS MAY CERTIFY THAT I HAVE this day given my adopted son, CHARLES S. JOHNSON, his time during his minority, and shall claim none of his earnings nor pay any debts contracted by him after this date.

ISRAEL JOHNSON.

Vernon, Dec. 22, 1856. 3w5

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This is to certify that I have had an article called the Berlin Hair Wash, supplied during the last five or six weeks, to my head, for the purpose of renewing and strengthening the hair. It has been very effective in producing such a result; and I can cheerfully recommend the same to those afflicted with baldness or dishevels connected therewith.

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WINDHAM
PROVIDENT INSTITUTION
FOR SAVINGS.

REPORT.

TENTH ANNUAL REPORT OF THE WINDHAM PROVIDENT INSTITUTION FOR SAVINGS.

The Trustees, by the undersigned their committee appointed for the purpose, present to the Corporation the following Report upon the financial condition of the Institution on the 6th day of January, A. D. 1857.

The whole amount deposited therein since it commenced operations, in January, A. D. 1847, by 2261 depositors, is

	$443,255 50
Add twenty dividends and one extra do,	59,446 41
	$502,741 91
Total amount paid and withdrawn,	247,912 12
Leaving,	$254,829 79
To which add surplus profits on hand,	9,539 74
Making present amount on deposit,	$264,369 53
The funds of the Institution are as follows:—	
Loans on mortgages and personal securities,	$247,425 49
Interest due and unpaid,	2,472 02
Cash on hand,	14,474 02
	$264,369 53
At this date, the cash on hand on the 6th inst., is loaned and the interest then due is nearly all paid. There has been an increase of the capital of the Institution of	$18,492 10
On the first Wednesday of January inst., being the close of ten years from the opening of the Institution, the Trustees declared a second extra Dividend of one per cent on all deposits entitled to the same, which required,	$8,164 64
And leaving a surplus still of	$3,975 10

Your committee have carefully examined all its Notes and Securities and would report that, in our opinion, the Funds of the Institution are safely and judiciously invested. And we believe the Books and Statements of the Treasurer to be correct.

LAFAYETTE CLARK,
BARNARD LYNDE,
O. R. POST.

Brattleboro, Jan. 21, 1857.

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NOTICE. ALL PERSONS ARE HEREBY REQUESTED to take notice that I have this day given to my son DANIEL WEBSTER TENNEY, his time during his minority, to trade and make contracts for himself, and to receive the proceeds and benefits thereof, and that I shall neither claim any of his earnings nor pay any debts by him contracted after this date.

JOSIAH TENNEY.

*Putney, Jan. 24, 1857. 3w5

CHAMBERMAID WANTED. AN AMERICAN girl to do chamber work at the **Brattleboro House.** Apply as above.

Brattleboro, Jan. 17, 1857. 2w4

Westminster Seminary, Vt.

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WANTED 10 OR 15 MORE AGENTS FOR PAGE'S Railroad Pills. Should prefer to engage them soon; but any time before the first of April next will do. Don't wish to engage for any shorter time than one year, and don't wish to pay any more for less than $30 per month, and all necessary travelling expenses. Agents travel on foot. Should be happy to confer, at any time, with those desiring such a situation, at my office, Rutland, Vt. A personal interview important.

T. J. PAGE, Proprietor.

Rutland, Vt., Jan. 27, 1857. 5w2

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Double and Single Barrelled Guns, Pistols, Revolvers, Gun-Canes, Powder, Shot, Caps, Flasks, Pouches, &c.

Gun materials always for sale.—Repairing of Rifles, Guns, Pistols, Umbrellas, Parasols, Rattan, Locks, Keys, &c.

☞ All work done to order and warranted to give satisfaction. Gunshop opposite the American House, Main-St.

LOCKHART BARRETT.

Brattleboro, Jan. 1st, 1857. 1

Leather,- - - - Leather.
J. H. SIMONDS,
OPPOSITE THE AMERICAN HOUSE,

IS now offering all kinds of LEATHER and FINDINGS, at a small advance from cost, for Cash.

WANTED.

Slaughter Hides, Calf Skins and Sheep's Pelts, for which cash will be paid on delivery.

Brattleboro, Dec. 16, 1856. 51-2m

VERMONT AND MASSACHUSETTS RAILROAD CO. The annual meeting of the Vermont and Massachusetts Railroad Company will be holden at the Passenger Station of the Fitchburg Railroad Company, on Causeway St., Boston, at ten o'clock, A. M. on Wednesday, the eleventh day of February next, for the following purposes, to wit,

1st. To hear the Annual Report of the Directors;
2nd. To choose a Board of Directors for the ensuing year;
3d. To see if the stockholders will so alter the fourth article of the By Laws, that a quorum can be obtained without a representation of as large an amount of stock, as is now required.
4th. To see if the stockholders will authorize a mortgage to be executed and delivered by the President and Treasurer, in the name of and in behalf of the Company, to John C. Howe, John H. Wilkins, and William Minot 3d., Trustees of certain Personal property, and Estate of the Company, to be held by said Trustees, upon the same trusts, uses, and purposes, and as security for the same debts, as are set forth and declared in the mortgage, given by the Company to said Trustees, on the ninth day of July, last past.
5th. To transact any other business which may legally come before them.

JOHN ROGERS,
BOSTON, January 20, 1857. (4-5) Clerk.

COMMISSIONER'S NOTICE. The subscribers having been appointed by the Honorable the Probate Court for the District of Marlboro, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust, all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of ADOLPHUS STEBBINS, late of Brattleboro, in said District, deceased, and all claims and demands exhibited in offset thereto, (six months from the 12th inst., being allowed by said Court for the creditors to exhibit their claims,) hereby give notice that they will attend to the business of their appointment at the late dwelling house of said deceased on the first Thursdays of February and June next, from one o'clock until four P. M., on each of said days.

GEO. NEWMAN,
ASA MILLER, } Commissioners.
SAM'L BIRT,

Brattleboro, Jan. 14th, 1857. 3w3

PLEASE READ THIS! WHOEVER IS TROUBLED with a cancer, sore or tumor, that may terminate as such, if they will call on me they will find it for their advantage. I had a cancer near my eye some thirty-five years since, which was cured by the same means which I now offer to those afflicted. I know a cure can be effected if taken in season, as the same preparation has cured a number of persons within three or four years.

AMASA CLARK.

Brattleboro, Jan. 14th, 1857. 6w3

NOTICE. ALL PERSONS INDEBTED TO ME MUST make payment previous to the 1st of March next, or all notes and accounts of more than one year's standing *will* be left for collection.

B. W. STEVENS.

Guilford, Jan. 1st, 1857. 3w3

WANTED. 350 YOUNG MEN TO ACT AS LOCAL and Travelling Agents, in a business easy, useful and honorable, at a salary of $100 per month—a capital of $3 only required. No patent medicine or book business. Full particulars given free to all who enclose a postage stamp or a three cent piece, and address

B. F. SHANNON & CO.,
Jan. 1, 1857. [6w2] Atkinson Depot, N. H.

CARPETINGS.

HEAD-QUARTERS
—FOR—
NEW AND RICH STYLES OF
CARPETS
AT LOW PRICES.
O. E. AUSTIN'S,
Corner of Main and Elliott-Sts.

COTTON CARPETS.
Hemp do.,
Cotton and Wool do.,
Fine All Wool do.,
Extra Fine do., do., do.,
Super do., do., do.,
Three Ply do., do., do.,
Brussells do.,
Stair do.

FLOOR OIL CLOTH CARPETS,
4-4, 5-4, 6-4, and 8-4, dea. dea. do., best make.

White and Checked Straw Mattings.

WOOL ROCKINGS, COTTON DO.,
Crum Cloths, Rugs, Mats, &c.

All of which will be sold in the general rush of LOW PRICES at our

Carpet Ware-Rooms,
Corner of Main and Elliott Streets.
O. E. AUSTIN.

BRATTLEBORO, Jan. 15, 1857. 3

THE
Wilmington One Price Store
SOLD.
THE GOODS GOING, GOING,
—AND—
Will soon be gone!
NOW IS THE TIME TO BUY.
E. & O. J. GORHAM

WOULD respectfully announce to the inhabitants of Wilmington and its vicinity, that having sold

The Far-Famed One Price Store,

they now offer their entire assortment GOODS for the next SIXTY DAYS, at unprecedented LOW PRICES—such as never before known in the annals of Trade.

We offer no humbug to the people, as is many times the case, *but have actually sold our Store*, and we are bound to leave for sale other *things*, as soon as we sell our immense stock of Goods—which by the way we intend doing ere March 1st, 1857. It is truly for the advantage of all those wishing Goods, to call before that time and make selections.

OUR STOCK IS COMPLETE!
Our Magnificent Stock
Ladies' Dress Goods,
WERE ALL RECENTLY PURCHASED,
WILL BE SOLD AT COST!
—OUR—
THIBETS, & LYONESE CLOTHS,
WINTER PLAIDS, DE BEGES, CASHMERES,
STRIPE AND PLAIN ALPACAS, PERSIAN CLOTHS, ALL WOOL DE LAINES, COMMON DE LAINES, PRINTS, &c., &c.

Together with an immense stock

Gloves & Hosiery,
HATS & CAPS,
BOOTS, SHOES, & RUBBERS,
CARPETS,
PAPER HANGINGS,
&c., &c.

SHAWLS! SHAWLS!

A large assortment SILK, CASHMERE, BAY STATE, STELLA, & DE LAINE SHAWLS,—going at cost.

☞ A LOT OF RICH BLACK SILKS, (bought before the present high rates,) will be sold at cost.

☞ The Remainder of our immense stock will be sold at

GREATLY REDUCED PRICES.

☞ Ye lovers of Good Bargains,
COME ON!

The bell will soon ring, and we shall be off for another port.

All those having Notes with us that have run six months or more, will please bear in mind they must call and settle immediately. All Notes must be paid on or before March 1, 1857—special contracts excepted. We will take CASH or GOOD NOTES only from date up to March 1, 1857.

A CARD.

To our large circle of friends and patrons we have one word to say as we shut the door of our mammoth establishment in this place. We tender you our warmest thanks for your liberal patronage during the past twelve years—being entitled by the large increase of our sales from year to year that our honest efforts in the *One Price and Low Price System* has been appreciated. We have disposed of our establishment to one who is favorably known to you, and we cordially recommend him to your favor and continued patronage. He will keep the same "old colors flying." With hearty wishes for your welfare and prosperity,

We remain,
Yours Truly,
E. & O. J. GORHAM.

Wilmington, Jan. 1, 1857 tf

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(LATE AGENT OF U. S. PATENT OFFICE, WASHINGTON, UNDER THE ACT OF 1837.)
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From the present Commissioner.

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