IN THE LOCAL FIELD.

WILLIAMSVILLE. sally Franklin is visiting Lyman.

my of young people from here went lames Shipman of Syracuse, N. Y. Mr. Shipman's parents here. m and Bertha Walcott of Green e a short visit at G. B. Lamb's

J. A. Young is finishing the lower rhouse, making kitchen, dining-

B. Lamb will open a select her home September 3, to con-TE Works.

sung people have established court on the school grounds, min an attraction. Frank McGnire of Cambridge

preach at the Universalist ext Sunday morning. snow and family have moved into formerly occupied by C. K. They are welcome to our midst.

on who have lived on the banks of ok, say the water has not been rab years as it has been for the Williamsville boys went to West

aton last Saturday to play a game ball with the boys of that place, salled in a score of 19 to 18 in the Williamsville club, boys propose to come here unlay and have another game.

S 6 % Lamb will open a select school at the commencing Sept. 3, and continuing amon English, \$4.00, higher

WILMINGTON.

mand Mrs. Oscar Love left town on ay to make Ollawa, Ill., their future

of the finest residences erected this hat of Herbert W. Miller, one milses Laura E. Haynes, Mabel R. and Hattie Haynes are attending

hers' institute at Chester. Eniscopul service held at the Methosh last Sunday afternoon was well and was very impressive.

Mr. McKenzie has improved the k near the Methodist church, and defin that near his residence. A. J. Dyer of North Brookfield

accupied the Congregational pulpit mlay and delivered a most interest-Menday evening Mr. and Mrs. Dyer

informal reception to a few of ends at the residence of Mrs. Mary recent summer visitors are Mrs. banks and daughter of New

Mrs. Bennett and daughter of Mount Haystack made the trip lay. The party numbered 113, all climbing to the summit. A paper ip, and when last seen over Newfane, and still speed-The day was favorable, and

ad a delightful time, hing runaway occurred last Friteam drawing logs for the Wil-Gran & Lumber company took and ran through the street. Thomas who was on the load, managed to elf from injury, and also little Pettee, who was riding with him. line's presence of mind alone saved

faneral of Miss Gertie E. Fitch, of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Fitch, was sterday, and was attended by a large of heighbors and friends. Miss as a young woman of amiable disand estimable character, who was by all who knew her, and her death orrow to many hearts. The fuwas conducted by Rev. R. C. and the burial was in Inter-

MacLellan died on Wednesday While his death was not unext was not looked for so soon. His at was cancer in the head. Mr. in Iwas born in New York city 15, 1850. His father was an arbut the son was by occupation a lie married Miss Nellie Bowker in ving to this town 11 years ago. n one daughter, Helen, the survives her father. Mr. Mac-has been for five years associated his brother-in-law, M. L. Burr, in amagement of the Vermont House. as of a genial nature, and was an traindagreeable friend and neighbor, ill be greatly missed. When a resi-of New York city he was a constant t upon the services of the Presby-urch, but here he has been promiidentified with the Universalist so-He leaves one sister, Mrs. Hazard, es in California. The funeral serwas held from his residence this afterat lo'clock, | Kev. Mr. Abbott officiat-

WINDHAM. lathe absence of Mr. Harris E. H. Jones

and evening.

unted the services last Sunday and ria fine sermon Mrs. Ledger of Boston, now attending is Northfield meetings, will speak at the

regational church next Sunday morn-

he following is a list of those known tre attending the meetings at North-from this place: Mr. and Mrs. C. J. hs. Mrs. Mason, Mrs. Mary D. Harris, Mrs. A. O. Pren-Mrs. and Misses DeKrafts, Della Dut-A. F. Dutton, Constance Upham, has Prentiss, Tate, Lenore, Roland phan, Otis Wilson, Bliss B. Prentiss 2d Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Butler,

NEW HAMPSHIRE NOTES.

Il M. Darling of Keene had one finger wated Monday. Mr. Darling cut his recently upon a meat bone and blood

tel McCrillis of Woodsville, aged two, freight conductor on the Con-Montreal railroad, was killed at field, N. H., Monday, while coupling

Ererett Page of Keene was seriously inat Fitzwilliam Depot Saturday by s rin over by a heavy team which he diffing one leg being broken in four Amputation may prove necessary. partially decomposed body of a man, hear Manchester last week, is sup-to be that of John Lamprey, who peared June 27. In the left hand arxover, one chamber of which had discharged. Lamprey was about 20 of age, and a young man of good

A purrel at Hanover Sunday nearly reof in another murder. The quarrel shout through some of Silas Brown's thing into a barley field of Frederick the controversy Brown attacked with an iron bar; when Brown's son the rescue with a shotgun, Boyd's ook the weapon away from him and tiln the fight. Bystanders separated Bystanders separated bet, but not until Boyd was seriously

HINSDALE, N. H. The Amidon mill is shut down this week

M. B. Wilder has joined the party at Spofford lake

Miss Margaret Leonard is enjoying an uting in Dublin. Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Jeffords are rusti-

cating on a farm in Westport. Mrs. Newton Stearns and daughter Car-rie are taking a carriage drive through

Mrs. F. J. Cantlin and children from Bristol, Conn., are with her mother, Mrs.

The Misses Fitzgerald, with Miss Katherine Cunningham, are wooling the breezes at Pequot, New London.

Mrs. J. W. Attwill, with a large party of friends from Lynn, Mass., is at the home of her father, Dr. I. K. Bascom, Bellevue Mrs. W. B. Stacey and little daughter from Holyoke are spending the month with her aunts, Mrs. Geo. Britton and Miss Sa-

Miss Cora Wellman is enjoying a week's recreation at Wells River, Vt. Miss Em-ma Wellman is performing her duties at

the Hinsdale savings bank. F. W. Colton is spending his vacation at Lebanon and Mascoma lake, going thither on his bicycle, accompanied by his nephew, Willard Holton of Winchester,

Carrie Taylor, wife of President George T. Winston of the University of North Carolina, and young son Lewis are visiting her mother, Mrs. M. A. Mitchell, on De-

D. Natt Bartlett, one of Hinsdale's most highly cherished boys, now secretary of the Y. M. C. A. at Nashua, made his friends a flying visit this week, passing through on his bicycle en route to Rutland, Vt.

Miss Lucy Adams has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. Solon Alexander of Bellows Falls, who returned with her by carriage Tuesday. Mrs. Alexander formerly lived here and is the daughter of the late Oliver Adams.

The field meeting of Pomona grange takes place at Keene next Tuesday. The next regular meeting of the local grange will be held at Hoyt Day's on Northfield street. Miss Grace Day will have charge of the program. of the program.

NORTHFIELD, MASS.

The Grand Army are requested to meet in their rooms to-morrow evening to make arrangements for the coming anniversary. Miss Henrietta Webster has accepted a position as stenographer in a business of-fice in Springfield, Mass., and went to begin her work last Friday morning.

Miss Martha Collins of Wilmington, South Africa, is the guest of Miss Annie Wells. She is engaged in teaching in Huguenot seminary at that place, and will re-turn to her work soon,

The Henry H. Johnson post, No. 171 will celebrate the 10th anniversary of its organization on Wednesday evening, Aug. 22, at the town hall. The exercises will consist of short speeches by prominent veterans from away and by home talent. The brass band will play at intervals during the evening. Among the expected guests are the Grand Army department of-ficers and their staff, and President Mrs. Burleigh and department officers of the Woman's Relief corps. Invitations have been sent to neighboring posts, and all vet-erans and friends are invited without further notice to come and help make the

evening a success. The community was very much saddened to learn of the death of Mrs. G. F. Piper, which took place at her home on Monday afternoon. Having been in delicate health for several years, she was unable to withstand the disease which attacked her. She was domestic in her tastes, her delicate health confining her to the home; but she attracted to herself a large circle of friends tery, Me., in 1841, and had been married 33 years. Her funeral was held in the Unitarian church on Thursday, a large company assembling to show their regard

and sympathy. Never in the history of the Northfield rel gious meetings have such crowds assembled as upon the present occasion. Not only is every available room in town occupied by boarders, but excursion trains from Brattleboro, Springfield and Boston are daily bringing crowds to spend the day, and large numbers are coming in carriages.
On Sunday the largest company of all ason Similar sembled, the vast auditorium being filled and fully 3000 people being accommodated. This beautiful building fulfills the expectations of all and is in every way a success, the speakers being readily heard from all parts of the room. D. L. Moody conducts the meetings and speaks every day. Dr. Meyer of London speaks every morning, Meyer of London speaks every morning, and is very popular. Among the other speakers are Dr. T. S. Hamlin of Wash-ington, D. C., and Drs. Gordon, Mabie, Chapman and Gregg. One of the delight-ful features of the meetings is the music, which is maker the discretion of Masses. which is under the direction of Messrs. Sankey and Stebbins, the program besankey and Stebons, the program ing varied by solos, duets, quartets and congregational singing. At the beginning of every regular service a praise service of song is held. The meetings will continue until Monday.

BONDVILLE.

Horace Fuller and wife visited in town last week.

Mrs. Lorenzo Burbank gave her son George a birthday party last Saturday. Mrs. S. H. Tucker and Miss Lora Williams are attending the W. C. T. U. camp meeting at New Haven.

The entertainment and supper on Friday evening passed off successfully notwithstanding the rainy weather. The W. C. T. U. and the Helping Hand

societies meet at the church on alternate Wednesdays, next Wednesday being the day for the W. C. T. U. to meet.

It is the duty of everyone, whether at home or travelling for pleasure or business, to equip him soft with the remedy which will keep up the strength and prevent illness, and cure such ills as are liable to come upon all in every day life. Hood's Sarsaparilla keeps the blood pure and less liable to absorb the germs of disease. Hood's Pills are hand made and perfect in propertion and appearance; 25 cents a box. Home and Abroad.

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MASSACHUSETTS NOTES.

Conway's Sensation

Mysterious Fires --- Suspicions Arising that the Husband of Mrs. Taylor May Have Been Unjustly Imprisoned.

The recent arrest of Mrs. Susan J. Taylor of Walpole, charged with firing her millinery establishment to obtain the insurance, and her being bailed by her brother, Brice McDowell, causes considerable talk in regard to various fires in the vicinity in recent years. The McDowell brothers, Geo. R. and Brice, a year ago in May bought a mill and a farm near Conway. A barn on the property, not valuable, but insured for \$100, was burned, and there was a dispute about the insurance. Then in January the mill burned. That was insured for \$1500 and the contents for \$2500. The brothers had bought the whole property, including the farm for \$4200. The erty, including the farm, for \$4200. The loss on the mill and contents has not yet been adjusted and a suit will be brought. by insurance companies, and a brisk con-test is expected. According to the insur-ance agents, the McDowell family have had 26 losses by fire during the family exist-

Mrs. Taylor is known chiefly through the imprisonment of her husband, Eugene Taylor, for poisoning his little son. Taylor was born in Wardsboro, Vt., about 48 years ago, his father being Calvin Taylor, an old farmer honored by all his friends and neighbors. There is a strong feeling that there was a mistake eight years ago when Taylor was imprisoned, and that he s innocent, and a petition is talked of for the pardon of the unfortunate man, if it shall prove true that he did not commit th deed charged. A movement will soon take shape in Greenfield among her solid business men to press a petition for the release of the prisoner. The circumstances of the case were these: Taylor purchased, at a Greenfield drug store, five grains of strych-nine to kill a vagrant dog, and that night he and his little son were found in convul-sions from poison. At the hearing there were conversations which bore strongly against the prisoner, but through it all there was also an entire absence of motive. It is agreed that Taylor loved his child dearly; that he was an honest, conscientious, hard working man; that he made a success of his tobacco land, and held the respect of all who knew him. In prison he has always stood for law and order, and a few years ago did good work in stopping an incipient riot among the other prison-ers. Altogether it is a peculiar case which people in the vicinity of Conway hope may

Albert Duguett, 9, of North Adams fell from a log into the raceway of the Bray-tonville mill Tuesday and was drowned. James Oliver of Athol was run over at

Charlestown, Mass., Tuesday by a locomo-tive engine, and is at the Massachusetts general hospital, with slight chance of his recovery. The contract for building about nine miles of sewers in Athol was awarded

Monday to Gennero, Long & Little of South Braintree for about \$35,000. Work is to be begun immediately. There was a sensation at Lake Pleasant Saturday when State Detective Munyan and Officer Ward raided the cottage of Mr. Putnam and discovered goods which had been stolen from Mr. Brainard, who formerly ran the Lake Pleasant House. The premises of Mrs. Raymond and Mrs. Ron-soville of Montague were also searched and found to contain some of the goods. All three were arrested. The raid is the outcome of the recent stealing of coal from

the Fitchburg railroad. Adolph Schwartzer, 18, and Paul In-nereskie, 16, were instantly killed on the railroad last Friday night near North Adams, and were found the following morning on either side of the track, each body being completely severed at the waist and terribly mutilated. It is supposed that by her sweet, womanly ways. Her hus-band and five children survive her, the three youngest being still at home. Mrs. Piper was in full sympathy with her hus-stole a ride back on a freight train, and stole a ride back on a freight train, and band's work, siding him in all of his ef-forts for the church. She was born in Kit-tion drew them under the wheels. Innereskie was the eldest of five children and was

the main support of the family.

Private Fortunes and Public Want. In this country today there is one Amercan family whose private fortunes amount to \$274,000,000, or considerably more than one-half the valuation of the great state of Iowa. There are five citizens whose fortunes average \$60,000,000 each; 50 with \$10,000,000; 100 with \$5,000,000; 200 with \$3,000,000, and there are millionaires alnost without number. Less than 2000 persons own twice as much as all the money in the country, to say nothing of the many millions more that they control. Two thousand capitalists already own more than all the rest of our 65,000,000 of

With these figures on one side of them, and a million idle men looking for work on the other, what has Congress been do-ing? It has been dickering and trading over a mere question of taxation, in the midst of a scramble of selfish men for the loaves and fishes.

So much for the great question of equitable distribution. Now let us look at the land question. Mr. Vanderbilt "owns" 2,000,000 acres of land. Mr. Disston of Pennsylvania boasts of his 4,000,000 broad acres. The Schenley estate owns 2000 acres within the cities of Pittsburg and Allegheny. The California millionaire, Murphy, owns an area of land bigger than the whole state of Massachusetts. For eign noblemeu, who owe no allegiance to this country, are permanently absentee landlords and spend all their money abroad, own 21,000,000 acres of land in this country, or more than the entire area of Ireland. Lord Scully of Ireland owns 90,000 acres of farming land in Illinois, which he rents out in small parcels to tenant farmers, and pockets his annual \$200,000 in

rent, to spend abroad.

Now, while over one-half the people of the country are landless, what has Congress ever done with the land question? since 1801 it has given 181,000,000 acres of the people's land to railroads, of which the Illinois Central alone got a subsidy of 2,500,000 acres, a good part of which has been put into house lots, whereby to extort rents and profits from the landless and houseless.—Donahoe's Magazine.

Fedatives and opiates won't do it. These pervises do not make the nerves strong and falling to do this fall short of producing the essentials of their quietude vigor. And while in extreme cases—and these only—of nervous irritation such drugs may be advisable, their frequent use is nightly prejudicial to the delicate organism specially which they act, and in order to remove their quieting effect increased and damerous does eventually become necessary. Hostetter's Stom ach Bitters is an efficient substitute for such pericious drugs. It quiets the nerves by bracing, toning, strengthening them. The connection is even weakness of the nervous system and that of the organis of digestion is a strong and sympathetic link. The Bitters, by imparting a healthful impulse to the digestive and assimilating functions, promotes throughout the whole system a vigor in which the nerves come in for a large share. Use the Bitters in unitaria, constipation, bilious and kidney trouble. Brace the Nerves.

Every nervous person should try Carter's Lit-tle Nerve Pills. They are made specially for nervous and dyspeptic men and somen, and are just the medicine needed by all persons who from any cause do not sleep well or who fail to get proper strength from their tood. Cases of weak stomach, indirection, dyspepsia, nervous and sick headache, etc., readily yield to the use of the Lattle Nerve Pills, particularly if combined with Carter's Little Liver Pills. In vials at 25 cents.

HAWLEY.

August 3.

July business just closed shows my sales more in dollars than any previous Julywhich means more goods, as we never before gave so much merchandise for a dollar.

It took live bargains to do

We start into August with increased attractions.

Women's Wrappers

Tea Gowns.

Yesterday I added my third large purchase at a sacrifice to the manufacturers of wrappers, so that I am able to continue this phenomenal sale. Among yesterday's arrivals there was a good assortment of sizes 42 and 44 bust, which we were nearly sold out of. Some of them are extra fine in quality of fabric and style of make. There are some of the 59 and 69 cent ginghams yet, and to-morrow's freight is expected to bring one more lot to sell at 49 cents. With them I expect another lot of two pieces Duck suits to sell at \$1.49 each—same as sold early in the season at \$3.50.

new lines of white [and one Good place to pick up summer of colored striped shirt waists, reading. all bought so low, to close the season, as to make what I had in stock look high, so down

50 cents each, which I believe made for the price. to be better than any I ever before saw sold at that price. Try them and see if it is not a

Few novelties in neckwear for ladies.

Best white quilt we ever

More white chamois gloves at 75 cents. We had been out of them. They are scarce and in quick demand.

Swivel silk ginghams 37 1-2 two pairs for 25 cents. cents, were 58 cents.

goods which was not sold out You can now pick from them at reduced prices in July is to at just half price.

For next week shall put in remnants of dark ground print with what 3 1-2c light ones

The capes advertised last week at \$1.99 and \$2.50 sold out quickly, and I did not expect to buy any more; but I made an offer for another lot and got them to sell at \$1.99, \$2.50 and \$3.50. Four \$7.50 ones now left.

I have a rack tull of spring weight coats left which are just the right thing for fall wear. To-morrow morning I am going through them and shall make a price to move them quick. Ask to see them.

Below are some of the things previously advertised which are not yet sold out.

Satines, light ground, 12 1-2 cent quality, now 6 1-4 cents a yard.

Apron checked ginghams, 4 3-4 cents a yard.

Fine fancy striped ginghams, 5 cents a yard.

Crinkled Seersuckers, clear white ground, wide stripe, has been sold all the season at 15 cents, now 8 cents a yard.

All our best 12 1-2 and 15 cent colored seersuckers, 8 cents a yard.

Job in brown and tan shoulder capes \$1.99 each.

Job in brown higher grade capes, \$2.50.

Big lot manufacturer's sample ladies' night gowns to be sold at 50, 65, 78 and 94 cents each, hardly any two alike, all worth more.

New lot white cotton laces 5 to 12 inches wide, 15 to 25 cents a yard.

Bargain in white Duchesse Applique lace matched set of seven different widths. Ultra tashionable, rare design-the importer stood the loss---and the buyer gets for 15, 25, 35, 48, 58, 68, and 78 cents; a lace usualty sold for fully double the price on each number.

New white aprons at 25

New white lawn waists with balloon sleeves.

Fresh lot Chemisettes and tour-in-hand scarts for ladies.

At \$1.25 and \$1.50 a dozen two lots of linen napkins which are particularly good for the price.

There is also a two-yard damask at 99 cents which is worth \$1.25, and one at 85 cents, which is worth \$1.

Many books added to the Yesterday I added three 10, 18, 25 and 50 cent tables.

The night gowns, previously advertised, at 78 and 94 cents, the white skirts at 98 and 94 cents are not yet I have bought, and expect all sold. The lot was large, to receive to-morrow, a make but should sell out rather of corsets which I shall sell at quickly. They cannot be

> There is still some of the outing cloths to pick from at 5 3-4 cents a yard.

Forty new designs of best standard prints, 5 cents a yard.

White ground prints 3 1-2 Seconds best American in-

digo prints, 4 1-2 cents yard. Challies, 3 3-4 cents a yard. Seconds, Canfield shields,

I have a few fine parasols Anything in wash dress left which were \$4 to \$5 each.

> Twenty-five cent satines still selling at 17 cents.

> Only \$15 for our fine \$22.50 and \$25 suits.

Balance of our cheaper suits at reduced prices to

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this summer for the very best class of trade there is to be had. We feel that we are in a position to handle it, and we are doing our very best to merit the liberal patronage

We are carrying a clean, fresh stock of goods. Our prices are right. We try to see that every customer is served promptly and courteously, in fact, we intend that every customer shall be satisfied, for we know that that is the best advertisement we can possibly have. If you have not satisfied yourself as to our ability to supply your wants, we would be pleased to have you give us a trial. We have enrolled a good many new names on our list during the past few months, but there is still another blank page

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A Western stage driver lay dying. The watchers beside his bed saw his right foot move uneasily under the clothes, and asked: "What is the matter?" He, supposing he was still driving down those steep mountain sides resilied, "I am going down an awful steep grade, and I can't get my foot on the brake."

DOES that describe your situation, neighbor? Have you taken a little more strong drink as the months have passed or ido you want a little more than you used to? On a steep grade, are your Well, have you your foot well on the brake? Or are you becoming conscious that you CAN'T STOP?

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