

NOTES FROM MISSISSIPPI.

MONROE Co., Miss., Oct. 22, 1866.

The Union men scattered through out the South send back greeting and thanks to their brethren at the North. The thrilling news from Iowa, Ohio, Indiana and Pennsylvania has reached even to this darkened nook in our great country. People here read and passed their comments upon it. It was not unexpected, and hence created no particular excitement. Prominent ex-Confederates looked a little sad and talked decidedly gloomy. They know and appreciate better than Northern Copperheads the spirit and temper of the people with whom they waged bitter war for four long years. They believe that when the "Yankees" undertake a job in earnest, it will be finished, and while they understand the rebellion to be utterly destroyed, they know that the cause that engendered it is not, and till that be done no peace can be secure or lasting. In these election returns they find an indication of a firm determination on the part of the people to finish the pacification justly, and yet leniently, spite of a treacherous President and unscrupulous partisans. The Chicago Times which is much quoted here, finds consolation and encouragement in these returns. Perhaps the party it represents does, but their friends here do not; they have better sense than that. Not a paper, not a person that I have seen expresses even a hope that it is not a crushing defeat at the polls. They now wear themselves in the assumed garb of passive indifference and wait for the "Policy" to develop itself further. They profess to have no interest, because they have no voice in the matter. Some say they want no representation, for they would not exercise no control. Without representation they maintain there is no justification for taxation, and arrest in contempt terms to the "judgment of the civilized world" against the United States Government as arbitrary and tyrannical in imposing it.

Civil war at the North is predicted and expected, and in some sections remote from mails and railroads, people to-day will tell you (and they believe it) that the fighting has already commenced. Few here would develop the breaking out of such a war if its theatre could be confined north of Mason and Dixon's line, but they want no more of it here. They have tried it, tasted its bitterness, and are not anxious to have the dose repeated. This is the feeling of the solid, influential, responsible men. They stand aloof from politics, saying and doing nothing, except to grumble harmlessly. What has already brought much suffering to them, and still they know the account for past evils is not yet balanced, and the only way to escape the dread reckoning is to quiet the war till lapse of time makes the whole thing a doubtful issue. The boasting, invective, rancorous predictions and dark insinuations of what may take place, come from a younger, more turbulent, less responsible class. That some importance is to be attached to their words, is perhaps true. So the lion or season-ed egotism of Mr. Johnson necessarily attract attention, but no prevailing party will endorse or sustain either. If Mr. Johnson flatters himself that his policy is the rock upon which a new and conquering party is to be builded, or that he is making himself the idol, the favored leader of the South, the quicker he disabuses himself of that idea the better for all. Less is said of him individually and of his "policy" here to-day, than in any Northern community. People talk of the contest between the "reds" and the "Copperheads," and simply rank Mr. Johnson with the latter class. He is not their chosen prophet or leader, though they are glad to use him while they can.

Election here passed off very quietly. The day before, which was Sunday, was given up to electioneering, and some of the candidates at least got most gloriously drunk. The election was simply for judges and local officers, and was merely a question of preference for individuals. No principle was involved, and the candidates were nearly all ex-Confederate soldiers. And naturally so, for scarce are but few of the people who are not the same. The crops are a mighty sorry. To use the expressive terms current here. Within a week I have traveled through a good part of Lowndes, Monroe and Chickasaw counties, and we can hardly calculate on one-fourth of an average crop of cotton in this section. The corn crop is but little better; not enough for home consumption will be raised. Floods and drouth, the army worm and boll worm have all conspired to ruin the crop and have succeeded. The "oldest inhabitants" never saw such a season before, and I trust the youngest will never see such another. As a general rule the freedmen are working well and behaving quietly, and are well treated. They will steal, but this accomplishment is not confined to the black race. Horse thieves are remarkably bold, persistent and successful in their operations. The sternest measures are needed to repress the class.—Cor. of Boston Journal.

Robert Toombs, the wandering traitor, lately insulted a party of Americans while ascending the Rigi in Switzerland. He was very abusive of the North and Yankees, and wanted to fight one of the gentlemen of the party, at whom he rushed with a knife, greatly alarming the ladies. This "chivalric" Southerner was drunk.

THE ELECTIONS.

Massachusetts.

Gov. Bullock is elected Governor of Massachusetts by 60,000 majority. All the Republican Congressmen are elected. The Legislature is almost wholly Republican.

New York.

There was an earnest and exciting struggle. The Democrats gained one Congressman. The main State ticket is elected by from 5,000 to 12,000 majority. The Legislature is Republican. Fenton's majority is 5,000.

Maryland.

Two Democratic Congressmen are elected. The Legislature is strongly Democratic. There is great rejoicing among the rebels.

Michigan.

All the Congressmen elected are Republican. Union majority of 20,000.

Minnesota.

Heavy Republican gains.

New Jersey.

Gain of two Union Congressmen. A Republican Legislature elected.

Missouri.

Gain of one Radical member of Congress. Probable conservative defeat in the State.

Illinois.

Union majority over 49,000.—Heavy Republican gain. The Congressional delegation same as in the present Congress.

Wisconsin.

Heavy Republican gains. The Legislature largely Republican.

Kansas.

Republican Governor and Member of Congress elected.

GUARDIAN'S LICENSE.

STATE OF VERMONT.

In Probate Court, holden at West Fairlee, within and for said district, on the 23d day of October, A. D. 1866.

Joseph Watson, Esq., of the said County of Franklin, and Lucy George, of said District, makes application to said Court, for license to sell all of the Real Estate of his said Ward, within this State, to wit: A certain lot, more or less, of land, situated in said District, on the main road leading to Fairlee, and about one-half mile Northwesterly of Post Mills Village. Representing to said Court that the sale of the same would conduce to the best interests of his said ward.

Whereupon it is ordered by said Court, that said application come under consideration and be heard at a session of said Court to be holden at West Fairlee, in said District, on the last Saturday in November, A. D. 1866, and that all persons interested in the same, be notified of the time and place of hearing by the publication of this order in the National Opinion, printed at Bradford, Vermont, three weeks successively, as soon as may be, that they may appear and at said time and place, if they see cause, object thereto.

By order of Court, ALVAH BEAN, Register. A true copy of record. J. W. J. Attest. ALVAH BEAN, Register.

West Topsham High School.

EXAMINATION OF CLASSES TUESDAY November 13, Student's Exhibition, Thursday, November 15, 7 P. M.

No person can have Dyspepsia when they use Doty's Mandrake Bitters.

MARRIED.

In Bradford, November 6, by the Rev. S. M. Keen, D. D., Mr. V. H. Bragg, of Westmanster, and Mrs. Ellen M. Williams, of Bradford.

In Bradford, Oct. 31, by Rev. J. L. Barlow, Jr., Mr. M. W. Sargent, of Thetford, and Miss Lucy I. Barber, of Fairlee.

Also by the same, in Bradford, November 1, Mr. Edward Flanagan, of Canada East, and Miss Mary Twamby, of Bradford.

DIED.

In West Fairlee, on the 28th of October, Mrs. Mary Ann, wife of Mr. Lorenzo W. Smith, and daughter of Mr. Benjamin Gilman, of South Strafford, in the 25th year of her age.

Stagnantly attractive in heart, mind and person, she had endeavored herself to a large circle of relatives and friends, who are called to mourn her irreparable loss. To the young husband, this dispensation of divine providence falls heavily indeed. They were married in May last. In just five months to a day and hour, from the time they stood at the bridal altar, her spirit took its flight to the God who gave it. And in just five months to a day and hour, from the time she was welcomed to her home from her bridal tour, her mortal remains were brought back encased in her coffin to the same abode in the earth. Her funeral was attended at the Episcopal church in the South Village, on the following Wednesday, where appropriate religious services were impressively performed by Rev. Ed. Ballou, D. D., who, five short months before had united them in the holy bonds of matrimony. A large circle of sympathetic neighbors and friends were gathered to render their aid and consolation to the living, and honoring the memory of the departed.

Receipts for the National Opinion.

Table with columns for Name, Amount, and Total. Includes entries for Clark, M. M., R. H. Wild, P. K. Robinson, Edwin Tuttle, Lewis S. Hovey, C. H. Curtis, and others.

BRADFORD PRODUCE MARKET.

Table with columns for Commodity and Price. Includes Butter, Eggs, Beans, Potatoes, Corn, Wheat, and other agricultural products.

BOSTON LIVE STOCK MARKET.

Table with columns for Commodity and Price. Includes Cattle, Sheep, Swine, Fat Hogs, and other livestock.

REMARKS.—We find occasion to change, but few of the figures in our scale of prices this week. Live hogs are, however, quoted somewhat lower, the advancing prices of corn, &c., is assigned for the refusal of farmers and others to buy stores, and the large number of hogs thrown upon the market accounts for the decline on pork. We find full 1200 head of cattle the northern roads in place of 1000 last week; 1742 Western instead of 1200, and 400 from Maine to compare with 251 last week. The weather's fine, and trade if not better, is certainly quicker and more comfortable than last week. While there are more called at market than last week, there is a large increase in the number of buyers, and the whole as compared with last week we think trade favors the seller.

There appears to be over 12,000 sheep and lambs reported as at market. Most of the above remarks in relation to cattle, apply as well to sheep. As compared with the prices of the market two weeks ago there is probably an improvement of 50c per head, and certainly there ought to be. Several slim lots were sold for \$2 per head, Corsets averaging 100 lbs, 64c; 80 lbs. for 54c good fair lots \$3 to \$4.

By order of Court, A. H. GILMORE, Judge. A true copy of record. J. W. J. Attest. A. H. GILMORE, Judge.

Just From Market.

Elegant Stock of Dress Goods.

Woolens, Hats, Caps, &c., Comprising a complete assortment of.

FALL AND WINTER GOODS.

Which, for elegance of style, will be found entirely superior to anything heretofore offered in this village,—all bought during the present stagnation of prices.

Plain and Fancy Silks, Poppins, Mohairs, Bombazines, Alpaccas, Grenadines, Berges, All Wool, Chambrays, Ginghams, Prints, &c.

Our success in Bradford has thus far been beyond our expectations and our trade is daily increasing. Our determination is to so manage our business as to merit a continuance of the success which has attended our beginning. As regards the

HOOP SKIRT TRADE, Only come and see what we can do for you. Our stock in this line is very large, and of the Very Best Makes and Styles.

WARRANTED. Fancy Fans, Beautiful Sun Shades, Embroideries, Notions, Trimmings, and Buttons.

NO OLD STOCK! NO OLD STOCK!! We shall try to make it for the interest of every one to buy goods at our Store. We buy

GOOD GOODS AT LOW FIGURES. In order to sell good goods at low figures.

FAMILY GROCERIES and PROVISIONS. Will always comprise the best to be found in the markets, at home or abroad, and will be sold as

as the same quality can be found in the county of W. & R. C. HALLETT

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PURELY VEGETABLE! It is prepared from the prescription of a Physician of many years of successful practice; therefore the public may feel safe in giving it a trial. It is perfectly harmless, being

And is warranted to be the best preparation ever offered for the prevention and cures Cholera, Dysentery, Diarrhoea, Cholera Morbus, Colic, Pain in the stomach or Bowels, Flatulency, Headache, Toothache, &c. For a Weak or Lame back, or Pain in the Neck or between the Shoulders, or any other part of the body, the Panacea acts like a charm. In a word, it will relieve pain from whatever cause quicker than any other medicine in use. Its power over Neuralgia is perfectly wonderful.—Nine out of every ten cases of all Fevers, low, difficult, and inflammations of whatever nature, are induced by sudden change of the pores, caused by sudden colds, and the only safe way to cure them, is by the use of Panacea, in these cases, to use some remedy that will open the pores at once, and we believe the Panacea will do it quicker, and more effectually than any other medicine. TRY IT.

It will do you No Harm. and if it does you no good your money will be refunded in all cases, as we give all our agents careful orders to return the Panacea if any and all who have given the Panacea for trial, and will say they have not been benefited by its use. In the large sales which we are making we have never failed to send a single bottle, but otherwise, every one who has used it speaks in the highest terms of its worth. Every family should have it by them, as it will not only save them much expense, but may be the means of saving the lives of many who reside at a distance from a physician.

The Panacea is of great strength, requiring as you will see, but few doses, but a small quantity for a dose; therefore it is the cheapest medicine, the strength considered, in the market.

DIRECTIONS.—For Cholera, Cholera Morbus, Bilious Colic, take from half a tea spoonful to a tea spoonful in sweetened water, as hot as you can get it, every fifteen minutes, until the pain is relieved; then take it at longer intervals until the disease is entirely removed, having the stomach and bowels freely with the Panacea. For Dysentery and Diarrhoea, take a tea spoonful in from one to two hours, according to the severity of the case, having the bowels and stomach freely with the Panacea.

For Neuralgia, Sprains and Rheumatism, bathe the parts affected with the Panacea for at least an hour, when you will be astonished at the result.

For a Cold you will find nothing equal to it; take a tea spoonful in a tumbler of hot water, and go to bed.

For Toothache, fill the cavity of the tooth with cotton saturated with the Panacea, and bathe the gums twice.

For Cuts and Bruises, dilute with water and bathe freely two or three times a day. The Panacea is now placed within the grasp of all at the small sum of FIFTY CENTS, large bottle, or Thirty Eight Cents small.

Sold by the principal Druggists, or sent by express, on receipt of price.

A Liberal discount to the trade. Send to C. C. DOTY & CO., Proprietors, Bradford, Vt.

Universal Satisfaction. Every one that has tried them speak in the highest terms of their medicinal properties.—They are NEURALGIC, COLIC, HEADACHE, THIRSTY, and a medicine for the sick. They are warranted to be the

Best Compound ever offered to the Public. For the cure of Dyspepsia, Jaundice, Costiveness, Piles, Sick Headache, Morning Sickness, Hæmorrhoids, Worms.

Foul Stomach, General Debility, Liver Complaint, &c. We have in this Compound a combined Tonic and Stimulant with Cathartic, that while it is thorough and certain in its action, it in no way weakens the tone of the bowels or stomach.

For a Family Medicine they are unequalled. For a cathartic they are unparalled, being far superior to the various Pills that are so much used, as they do not weaken the bowels or leave them costive. They are purely vegetable, therefore perfectly safe for all ages. The smallest child can take them with perfect safety. They are warranted all we represent them. If on giving them a trial they do not prove equal to our recommendation, the money will be returned. If you are troubled with Headache or Dull or Dumb Cough, Phlegm at the Heart, Headache, head dull and heavy, fullness or weight in the stomach, Substituting or hocking sensation while in a lying position, Dimness of vision, Swelling of the Head, Dizziness, Yellowness of the skin and eyes, Pain in the Back, Side, Chest, Lungs, &c., or Inward Pains, Acidity of the Stomach, Dull Pain in the Head, Sudden Flashes of Heat, Burning in the Flesh, nausea, Digestion of Food, Great Depression of spirits and constant harassing of evil, &c., &c., you will find a speedy and permanent relief by using the Mandrake Bitters. They are the best Vegetable known, as those who are troubled can testify. They recommend themselves, all we ask for the afflicted to give them a fair trial. They are meeting with rapid sales and giving universal satisfaction. Give the three to three bottles will cure the worst case of Dyspepsia. 23

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Diarrhoea always cured by using the Panacea. Never forget a kindness. Study to be useful. To Renew and Restore, use the Regenerator. Eat to live, and not live to eat. Prepare for sickness in the day of health. The Pen is mightier than the Sword, but Neuralgia is only conquered by the Vegetable Panacea. Never quit certainty for hope.

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W. B. & C. S. STEVENS

Announce that they have just received and are now opening an unusually large and well selected stock of all articles in the Dry Goods line, comprising many desirable goods.

DELAINS, ALPACCOS, THIBETS, COBURGS, CLOTHINGS, ALL WOOL POPLINS, PLAIN AND RIBBED BLACK SILKS, PLAIN, WHITE, RED, MIXED, SHAKER and SHEETING, FLANNELS, &c., &c.

Matings, Tickings, Cotton Flannels and WORSTED GOODS.

The best assortment of Woolens to be found in this vicinity; and as "Shoddy" has about played out, and as the purchasers of it will want another Suit soon we shall be pleased to show him our goods and price.

Also A Big Pile of Ready Made Clothing. Mirrors of all sizes and prices, Hats and Caps, Men's and Boys' Trunks, Valices and Check Bags, Crockery, Glass and Hard Ware. Finally we have a Store full of Goods and will not be undersold by any one. Don't ask too long credit.

Bradford, October 1866.

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DR. S. R. DAY'S ANTI-BILIOUS & STRENGTHENING BITTERS.

THE PROPRIETOR HAS JUST FITTED UP one of the most complete Job Offices to be found in the country.

New and Fashionable Type. Of the latest styles, and from the best Foundries in the United States.

Everything is New, And of the BEST QUALITY.

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And are the best of this class in the market. Every description of PLAIN & ORNAMENTAL PRINTING.

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EVERY SKIRT WARRANTED. All orders promptly filled. Skirts made to order. GEO. R. ANDROSS, Metropolitan Skirt Co., 101 Broadway, N. Y. R. C. HALLETT, Bradford, Vt., 21 1/2

NEW GOODS. A LARGE STOCK NOW OPENING. For sale at LOW PRICES. GEO. RICHARD, Agt., Bradford, Sept. 5, 1866.

NOTICE. MY WIFE MARIA, HAVING LEFT ME without cause, I hereby forbid all persons from harboring her on my account, as I shall pay no debt of her contracting after this date. MORTIMER S. RICHARD, Bradford, Nov. 5, 1866.

STRAYED. STRAYED FROM THE PREMISES OF THE subscriber on Tuesday September 25, and six years old lighted Cow. Any person finding information where said cow can be found, with a suitably rewarded by addressing me at 1—Corinth, Vt. W. M. McFARLAND, Bradford, Nov. 5, 1866.

WILLIAM EASTMAN'S ESTATE. PROBATE DISTRICT, SS. At a session of Probate Court holden at West Fairlee within and for said District, on the 23rd day of October, A. D. 1866, Mrs. Angeline Eastman, Administratrix of the estate of William Eastman, late of Vershire in said District, deceased, makes application to said Court for license to sell all of the real estate of said deceased of which he died, owned and possessed within this State, to wit: The home farm of said deceased, containing some 75 acres of land.

Whereupon it is ordered by said Court, that said application come under consideration and be heard at a session of said Court to be holden at West Fairlee, in said District, on the last Saturday in November, A. D. 1866, and that all persons interested in said estate be notified of the time and place of hearing by the publication of this order in the National Opinion a newspaper printed at Bradford, before said time of hearing, so that they may appear and at said time and place, if they see cause, object thereto.

By order of Court, ALVAH BEAN, Register. A true copy of record. J. W. J. Attest. ALVAH BEAN, Register.

HOUSE FOR SALE. THE HOUSE LATELY OWNED BY WM. Johnson, in Bradford Village, on the corner of Main and Depot streets, is for sale. It is now empty. Possession given immediately. It is wanted low; the rest can be paid in four years. A. A. EARLE, Bradford, Oct. 10, 1866.

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Repairing done thoughtfully, promptly, and at living prices. Thankful for past favors, he hopes for a continuance of the same. Shop second door South of the Trotter House, Bradford.