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Bethel Local Intelligence.

GUY WILSON, Local Editor.

E. H. Kittredge of Boston is visiting friends in town.

George B. Chase went to Boston Saturday for a short stay.

Miss Josie Reed left Monday for a visit to her former home at Essex.

Miss Laura Hobart of Vineland, N. J., is the guest of G. H. Kimball.

James O'Neil went to Boston Monday and Miss Eva Gay Wednesday.

Mrs. A. H. King and son, Ben, are in Portland, Me., for a three weeks' stay.

Miss Marion Parker of Northampton, Mass., is visiting her uncle, Arthur Elliot.

Mrs. C. P. Coy and F. E. Coy arrived Saturday and are stopping at M. N. Kendall's.

The Bethel town baseball team defeated the Randolphs last Saturday by a score of 7 to 3.

Omer Raymond and family of New York are visiting his sister, Mrs. John Parrott.

Miss Mabel Dyke returned last week from a two weeks' trip to points in Massachusetts.

Mrs. John Haynes and three children of Boston are stopping at C. O. Hopkins' for the summer.

Miss Mabelle Greene returned Tuesday from a week's visit with Miss L. M. Allen at Bradford.

Mrs. Mary A. Hodgkins is on duty again at her store after a five weeks' absence nursing.

Dr. W. L. Paine of Royalton was in town Tuesday in the interests of a Chautauqua Reading circle.

The Tuesday evening prayer meetings at the Cong'l church are growing in interest and attendance.

Miss Fassett, a teacher in the Lancaster, N. H., public schools, is visiting Miss Carrie A. Curtis.

Mrs. J. H. Carr and child have returned from a several weeks' visit at their former home in Canada.

Mrs. C. F. Hayes, formerly of Roxbury, is very low with uric poisoning at her home on Bridge street.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Wilson of St. Albans are spending a week's vacation with Mrs. J. J. Wilson.

Mrs. E. L. Harrington and Miss Evelyn Harrington of Philadelphia arrived at Mrs. M. E. Harrington's Tuesday.

Frank Lyman, A. B. Brooks and D. C. Rogers went to Hardwick Monday on a two weeks' carpentering job.

Mrs. Hiram Kimball of Vineland, N. J., has finished her six weeks' visit at G. H. Kimball's and gone to Burlington.

A. D. Rindge entered a plea of guilty of intoxication before Justice R. J. Flint July 23d and was fined $5 and costs.

J. W. Warren of Lebanon has moved to town and is living in the Peter O'Connell house at the lower end of the village.

The item in last week's COURIER about Will Blodgett's clerking in Bethel was incorrect. It was G. W. Blodgett instead.

Dr. Otto V. Greene has decided to remain in town associated with Drs. L. M. and O. D. Greene in the practice of medicine.

Dr. Julia E. Foster and children, Vera and Julian, of Butler, Pa., have arrived in town and are stopping with Dr. E. J. Child.

Mrs. Gilmore Ward Bryant and two sons, Max and Gerald, of Durham, N. C., arrived Monday and are stopping at C. E. Noble's.

In his remarks last Sunday evening, Rev. J. Hall Long, pastor of the Cong'l church, took occasion to eulogize the late Pope Leo XIII.

C. B. Hill arrived at his mother's Saturday from Nova Scotia, where he has been a musician in the "Great American Tramp" company.

Mrs. Ellen Sanspra went to New London, Conn., last week to join her sister, Mrs. Charles Bayard, with the possible prospect of remaining in that city.

Mrs. George Reed came Monday for her son, Orville, who had been stopping at C. O. Hopkins', and returned to her home at Somerville, Mass., Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Heath returned Saturday from a month's absence in Roxbury, Warren and other towns. The condition of Mr. Heath's health is much improved.

An operation was performed on Mrs. L. A. Rix at the Mary Fletcher hospital at Burlington, July 20. At last report, hopes were entertained of her ultimate recovery.

Bentley J. Fisher of Boston was in town last week and made a sale of his farm in Gilead to Gale Morse. Mr. Morse will not move to his new purchase until next spring.

Aside from the usual collection at the Cong'l church next Sunday morning, a special collection after the sermon will be taken for the Cong'l Sunday School and Publishing society.

The funeral of Miss Annie Lamson last Thursday was attended by many Bethel friends, including members of the grange and of the class of 1903, Whitcomb High school, of which she was a member.

A meeting was held last evening at the Crescent club rooms to organize a Business Men's club to advance the interests of the village. There is an unbounded field for such an organization to work in cleaning up back yards, fixing lawns, etc.

The work of finishing granite began Monday in the shed of the Woodbury Granite company with two men. Mr. Clifford, the manager, expects to add steadily to the force until the full complement of one hundred men is at work.

Rev. A. N. Bryant of White River Junction was the guest Thursday of last week of Rev. Forrest Blunt. Mr. Bryant has resigned the rectorate of the Episcopal church at White River Junction after six years' service and goes to Nova Scotia.

Members of the Leominster, Mass., G. A. R. post were in town the first of the week examining the case of Charles Wilder, who was a member of that post. Mr. Wilder has been troubled with eye difficulties for several years and lately has been totally blind. Wednesday he was taken to the Soldiers' Home at Chelsea, Mass.

The heavy wind storm of Wednesday of last week did considerable damage to the growing crops and orchards and played some funny pranks. It seemed to come in gusts something like a Western tornado. The wind entered the house of S. M. Washburn, opening two doors, and took possession of the family clock which it turned around and stopped the works.

Rev. F. W. Bartlett of Rockport, Mass., is expected the last of the week to take charge of the Episcopal churches at Bethel and Royalton during the month of August. Mr. Bartlett expects to make his headquarters at Harrington's hotel at Royalton. The usual services and communion will be held at the Bethel church next Sunday at 10:45 a. m.

Henry Chamberlin, the veteran Central Vermont conductor, died suddenly Monday morning at Burlington while dressing. He had been sick for three months of kidney disease but had been working and had run his train Saturday. He was well known in this vicinity, having been born in Barnard over 70 years ago. His wife died three years ago. He is survived by a sister in Dakota, a son, Thomas Chamberlin, in Chicago and two daughters, Helen and Fannie, living with him in Burlington.

During the wind and rain storm of last Saturday, the larger part of a maple tree standing between the house of M. N. Kendall and the highway broke off and fell to the ground. L. M. Heath was passing beneath and was warned by persons standing on Mr. Kendall's piazza that the tree was falling and hastened out of the way as quickly as possible, but not in time to avoid the branches which threw him violently to the ground and dislocated one knee. It was a very narrow escape from a more serious accident, as a few seconds earlier Mr. Heath was under the main branch.

At the annual meeting of the Whitcomb High school district, the moderator, S. M. Washburn, was directed to appoint a committee to examine in regard to a new school building and report at an adjourned meeting to be held the first Tuesday in August. E. M. Weston, C. D. Cushing and G. H. Tupper were appointed as this committee. It is now understood that the committee will ask for an extension of one month in making their report. They state that several surrounding towns are in about the same position as Bethel, namely, in need of new school buildings. Among these towns are Northfield, Barre and Woodstock. These towns are more advanced in their proceedings than Bethel, but still not enough yet so that Bethel can learn from their experience, and it is thought that in another month additional valuable data can be procured.

B. C. Rogers was the victim of a case of optical delusion Sunday afternoon. He was driving home from Christian Hill and as he approached the river road he noticed a woman and boy standing on the bank on the other side of the river on the Goss farm. As he was watching them, the boy lifted the woman in his arms and hurled her into the river and no more was seen of her. Mr. Rogers and his wife, who both noticed this blood-curdling scene, were overwhelmed and Mrs. Rogers exclaimed, "Why, he has drowned the woman!" Mr. Rogers left his team and hastened to the rescue and as he approached from one side of the river the boy ran away rapidly on the other. Mr. Rogers came to the village and procured the assistance of P. P. Wynn and John Wynn and they examined the river carefully, but could not find the body. Mr. Rogers then drove around to the Goss farm and upon inquiry of the family learned that Mr. Goss' young grandson had just thrown a female scarecrow into the river.

Death of Annie Lamson.

Our citizens were shocked Wednesday of last week to learn that Annie Lamson was dead, having been taken violently ill only the Saturday night before. Monday afternoon an operation was performed by Drs. Gile of Hanover, N. H., Fish of South Royalton and Greene of Bethel for appendicitis. They were surprised to find a tumor which weighed six pounds and which undoubtedly aggravated and hastened the disease. The patient sank rapidly after the operation and passed away after much suffering Wednesday morning. Her family are nearly prostrated by the sudden blow. The funeral was held at the home Thursday afternoon and she was laid to rest among a profusion of beautiful flowers she loved so well, presented by her class, nine of the twelve members being present, also by the grange and others. The bearers were Ben Washburn, Claude Rogers, Joseph McCormack and Joseph Wester. The burial was in North Royalton cemetery. Rev. Levi Wild officiated. The beautiful burial service of the grange was used at the grave.

Miss Lamson was born in Randolph October 12, 1883, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Azro Lamson, and was looking forward to years of usefulness as a teacher, a stay and comfort to her parents in their declining years and a companion to the young brother, all of whom have the heartfelt sympathy of all in their great sorrow.

WILLIAMSTOWN.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Bert Bruce Monday night.

The Eastern Star held a sociable at Geo. Patterson's last evening.

James Beckett of Boston is in town looking after his property here.

David Gale of Colorado is visiting old friends and relatives in the town.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brockway returned from their wedding trip Saturday.

Mrs. Fannie Dow and daughter, Myrtie, visited in Montpelier the first of last week.

Frank Downs resumed work in G. L. Edson's store Monday after an illness of several weeks.

George Nichols took the six-year-old son of Nellie Seaver to the reform school in Vergennes last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Loren Webster of Bellows Falls have been visiting his mother, Mrs. Fred Whitney, the past week.

Tracy Jeffords of Washington, D. C., accompanied by his daughter, has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jason Jeffords.

Mrs. Eliza Hopkins died at the home of Mrs. Martha Whitcomb in Barre city last Thursday morning. She left one son, James Hopkins, and one daughter, Mrs. C. U. Lathrop, residing in this town. The funeral was held here Sunday afternoon at the Cong'l church; burial in the East Hill cemetery.

The Best of All and

For over fifty years Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used by mothers for their children while teething. Are you disturbed at night and broken of your rest by a sick child suffering and crying with pain of cutting teeth? If so send at once and get a bottle of "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup" for children teething. Its value is incalculable. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately. Depend upon it, mothers, there is no mistake about it. It cures diarrhea, regulates the stomach and bowels, cures wind colic, softens the gums, reduces inflammation and gives tone and energy to the whole system. "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup" for children teething is pleasant to the taste and is the prescription of one of the oldest and best female physicians and nurses in the United States, and is for sale by all druggists throughout the world. Price 25c. a bottle. Be sure and ask for "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup."

BROOKFIELD.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Wheatley left town last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. St. John are at the Schroeder cottage.

Mrs. Giles and son of Concord, N. H., are at Mr. and Mrs. Follansbee's.

Louise Parmenter and Edith Edson are at a cottage on Lake Champlain this week.

Mrs. Hall and son of Meriden, Conn., came last week to board at W. C. Clark's.

Miss Bessie Panton is away spending the week with friends in Woodsville, N. H.

Miss Lillian Carpenter is away with a party of Randolph people at Highgate Springs.

George Shepardson has gone West to his home and will remain there during the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Holt are away at Waterbury on account of the illness of Mr. Holt's father.

Miss Catherine Benham is engaged to teach the school at West Hartford, beginning in September.

Mrs. Marcia Griswold and son are visiting at the home of her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Peck.

Quite a number of the young people enjoyed a chocolate party at the Schroeder's last week Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. H. J. Abbott has returned to her home in Brookfield after a three weeks' stay in East Bethel and Randolph.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Follansbee, Mrs. Urial Clark and Frank Bullard go on the Grand Army excursion to San Francisco next month.

Grace and John Hyde of Concord, N. H., have been visiting their uncles and aunts, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ralph and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hyde.

Harvey Freeman is repairing the house formerly occupied by Mr. and Mrs. John Dewey. He has pulled down some of the buildings and joined the two barns together.

Last Thursday evening about thirty of the young people gathered at the Rumney home and gave a surprise to Miss Eliza. The young people passed a pleasant evening in playing games and other amusements. Ice cream and cake were also partaken of.

A birthday party was given by Mrs. Marcus Peck last Monday afternoon to her granddaughter, Eleanor Lyman, of Rutland, who is visiting her grandparents. Quite a goodly number of the young misses gathered and enjoyed themselves from 3 until 7.

What came near being a serious accident happened last Friday evening. As a carriage containing Mrs. Panton and daughter, Bessie, and Mrs. Mitchell were returning home from the Town hall, another team driven by Henry Edson, which came down from Mr. Haggett's, ran into them. For a time it seemed as if it would be a serious matter, but none of the ladies were thrown out. A wheel was broken on Mr. Edson's team and he was thrown out of his wagon, but not much hurt.

PITTSFIELD.

We do not see how Morrill can give a cup and saucer with that nice tea for 40c., but that is the way he will do for the 60 days if they hold out.

Clarence Mills was in Rutland Thursday.

Miss Hazel Durkee is visiting in Rutland.

Charles Lowell and wife of Gaysville were in town Sunday.

Howard Stiles and Misses Muriel LaGois and Sarah Chedel visited in Randolph last week.

Dr. C. W. Brigham and wife returned from their outing at Mascoma lake last week.

Mrs. Geo. Chedel and son, Charles, and daughter, Marjorie, visited in Woodstock last week.

Harold Warren entertained about thirty of his young friends at his home Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Bert Houghton and daughter, Olive, from Massachusetts are visiting at L. B. Houghton's.

Dr. Greene of New York, who had been boarding at the Vose House, went to Bellows Falls Monday.

Mrs. Fred Billings and daughter, Gladys, of Rutland are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Mills.

The Epworth League will hold a social in Holt's hall Wednesday evening, Aug. 5. A musical entertainment will be given.

The Ladies' Aid held a salad supper and entertainment in Holt's hall last Wednesday evening. Dr. Greene of New York sang several pieces and Harry Hutchins of Lawrence, Mass., gave several banjo selections.

EAST BROOKFIELD.

Mrs. John Buzzell of Concord, N. H., is visiting her brother, Oliver Dutton.

Fred W. Smith went to Randolph Center Friday to work at his trade as a carpenter.

Miss Hattie A. Smith of Boston and Mrs. A. B. Smith of Northfield were guests at W. H. Sprague's Sunday.

The Ladies' society will hold a social at the church parlors Thursday afternoon, Aug. 6. Every one is cordially invited to attend and special invitation is extended to the older people. Supper will be served at an early hour and an interesting program will be arranged for. Let every one who possibly can avail themselves of the opportunity to partake of a grand supper and enjoy a good time.

WEST BROOKFIELD.

A. E. Bryant of Berlin called on friends in town one day last week.

Albert Hodges of Pennsylvania visited at E. E. Bowman's recently.

Mrs. C. E. Powers has been worse for a few days, but is better at present.

E. E. Bowman is the first man in this section to finish haying. His was completed Saturday.

Mrs. Bert Spooner and daughter, Marjory, spent a few days with Mrs. Spooner's parents in Randolph last week.

Mrs. E. E. Boyce is in Burlington spending some time with her husband, who had an operation for appendicitis Saturday.

F. E. Bryan Will Buy It Back.

You assume no risk when you buy Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. F. E. Bryan will refund your money if you are not satisfied after using it. It is everywhere admitted to be the most successful remedy in use for bowel complaints and the only one that never fails. It is pleasant, safe and reliable.

EAST BETHEL.

Will Whitney is at home to see his father.

Mr. Hammond was in Randolph on business Tuesday.

C. C. Whitney had a shock while at the creamery Sunday morning. He regained consciousness and remains about the same.

Night Was Her Terror.

"I would cough nearly all night long," writes Mrs. Chas. Applegate of Alexandria, Ind., "and could hardly get any sleep. I had consumption so bad that if I walked a block I would cough frightfully and spit blood, but, when all other medicines failed, three $1.00 bottles of Dr. King's New Discovery wholly cured me and I gained 58 pounds." It's absolutely guaranteed to cure coughs, colds, la grippe, bronchitis and all throat and lung troubles. Price 50c. and $1. Trial bottles free.

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Rochester News.

E. M. HARVEY, Local Editor.

E. H. Edgerton was in Boston last week.

Amos Guernsey was in Pittsfield last week.

Mrs. Margaret Griffin has returned home from Chelsea.

Dr. C. M. Campbell spent Sunday in North Bennington.

Miss May Barton is the guest of Amos Stone and his sister.

Ed La Flam was in Massachusetts looking for work last week.

H. H. Cushman has sold his bay mare to A. A. Joslyn of Northfield.

George Huntington of L'Orignal, Canada, was in town over Sunday.

P. C. Tinkham was away several days last week on sheriff business.

Miss Fannie LaFlam has a position as stenographer in Bellows Falls.

Louis Hubbard is visiting his brother, Dr. H. V. Hubbard, in Barnard.

Herbert Wellington, Jr., is boarding at the Rochester House for a short time.

P. L. Webber is at the home of his mother, Mrs. Julia Webber, for the summer.

Mrs. W. H. Walker and daughter, Pearl, of Athol, Mass., are visiting relatives here.

Mrs. George Cahee and daughter, Ruth, of Braintree were in town a part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Haskins of Rutherford, N. J., called on friends here last week.

Ernest Chase has been spending a week or ten days with his mother in Newton, Mass.

Mrs. J. E. Safford of Gaysville is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Nye for a few days.

Mrs. O. E. Walker of Stockbridge is visiting at her brother's, Wardner Hodgkins'.

Miss Lillian Call of South Royalton has been spending a few days at the Rochester House.

George Lamb of Randolph has recently been the guest of his aunt, Mrs. Henry Gifford.

W. H. Sample, traveling engineer on the Central Vermont, spent Sunday with Will Blodgett.

Ellen Blodgett of East Randolph is spending a month with her brother, W. A. Blodgett.

Mr. and Mrs. Abraham Whittaker attended the funeral of Squire Bowen in Bethel last week.

Mrs. R. D. Lewis of Newport was called here Saturday by the critical illness of her father, L. V. Piper.

Ezekiel Emerson was called to Montpelier last Friday by the illness of his brother, Enoch Emerson.

R. H. Tupper, wife and daughter, Gladys, spent Sunday with his parents, J. R. Tupper and wife.

Mrs. A. R. McDonald of Orange, Mass., is with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Walker, for a few weeks.

Mrs. Albert Noyes, with her son and daughter, of Brandon spent Friday with Allen Rogers and family.

Miss Mary Briggs returned to Newark, N. J., with her sister, Mrs. Julia Curtis, for a stay of several weeks.

Miss Ellen Chaffee, who had been spending the past few weeks in St. Albans, returned home last Saturday.

Miss Lucy Swinyer of Burlington and Mrs. Clarence Wyman of Huntington are visiting at James Swinyer's.

Master Earl Hildreth entertained sixteen of his young friends on Friday from 4 to 6 p. m., it being his fifth birthday.

Misses Lilla and Sara Downs of Northfield are spending a few days with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Downs.

H. P. Knowlton of Hartford, Conn., and Mrs. Lora Knowlton of Waterbury, Conn., are visiting at Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Stockwell's.

Miss Hannah Aldrich, who has been in Mattapan, Mass., is home for the summer. Little Ida Gage is with her for a few weeks.

The remains of Daniel Coolidge, a former resident of this town, were brought here Sunday and buried in North Hollow cemetery.

Miss Virginia Corbett, daughter of Melinda Richmond Corbett of Fort Collins, Col., is spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Harvey.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Williams' pictures appeared in the Boston Globe last week as being the longest married couple in New England. They have been married 69 years.

A silver medal contest, under the auspices of the Rochester W. C. T. U., will be held at G. A. R. hall Wednesday, Aug. 5, at 8 p. m. Ice cream will be served at the close of the entertainment.

While Azro Stockwell and L. V. Piper were returning from the talc mine Thursday, their horse became unmanageable, overturning the carriage. Both were badly bruised and Mr. Piper is now in a critical condition.

EAST RANDOLPH.

C. M. Sprague of Grundy Center, Iowa, is visiting relatives in this place.

J. Z. Sprague of Manchester, N. H., is visiting relatives in this vicinity.

V. L. Allard and wife returned from their visit in Bridgewater Monday.

Mrs. Jane Whitney and grandchild of Boston are visiting at W. C. Sprague's.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Coffin of New York have been visiting at A. H. Tracy's.

P. T. Morey and family, who have been stopping at the hotel for the past ten days, left Monday for their journey home.

The "White Caps" will give an entertainment for the benefit of the Ladies' Union library society Thursday evening, Aug. 6th, at Camp's hall, East Randolph, after which ice cream and cake will be served.

The baseball game with Tunbridge Saturday resulted in a victory for Tunbridge by the score of 11 to 7. This was the boys' first game and they think they can do better next time. They play this week with the Royaltons at East Randolph.

Dean's Rheumatic Pills absolutely cure Rheumatism & Neuralgia. Entirely vegetable. 50c.

SOUTH RANDOLPH.

Martin Flint stopped at Willow Farm Tuesday night.

H. P. Riford helped E. J. Prince do his haying on Mrs. Margaret Smith's lot, finishing Monday.

A new switch has been placed in E. J. Prince's store by the Orange County Telephone company and is in fine working order. This makes a more direct connection with Randolph.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that Contain Mercury

as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free.

Sold by Druggists, 75c. per bottle.
Hall's Family Pills are the best.

GAYSVILLE.

John Wilcox of Stockbridge was in town Sunday.

Martin Wyman, Jr., and wife are visiting in Boston.

Abbie Whitcomb spent a few days in Bethel last week.

Mary Gilson of Bethel spent Sunday at R. J. Whitcomb's.

Frank Gould and wife were in Randolph a few days recently.

Mrs. Asa Wyman returned to her home in Brattleboro last week.

Miss Eva Luce was taken to Brattleboro last week to the asylum.

Harris Waters and wife returned from a fishing trip last Saturday.

Miss Julana Sylvester of Bethel spent a few days in town recently.

Merville Gould has been visiting in Randolph the past two weeks.

Arthur Leonard of Pomfret visited at E. W. Whitcomb's over Sunday.

George Lamb of Randolph visited at R. J. Whitcomb's last Wednesday.

Mrs. Gilbert Boutwell and child are visiting friends and relatives in town.

Miss Mira Brown of Bethel visited her sister, Mrs. Bert Roberts, recently.

Miss Marguerite Field of Bethel is spending a few days at Will Flint's.

Mrs. Robinson of Randolph visited at Mrs. S. P. Brown's a few days last week.

Mrs. Arthur Ballard and Mrs. Lucy Durkee spent a day in Barnard last week.

Mrs. Charlotte Leonard and daughter, Nellie, visited relatives in Rochester last week.

Rev. James Sargent and family from New Hampshire are visiting at the "Cobble."

Mrs. Nellie Webster of Woodstock has been visiting her brother, Charles Ballard, the past week.

Lewis Richardson and family of Boston are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Richardson.

Quite a number from here went to Randolph Monday to attend the funeral of John T. Knowlton.

Mrs. George Taylor and daughter, Helen, of Methuen, Mass., made a short visit in town the first of the week.

EAST BRAINTREE.

Jonah Loomis is under the doctor's care.

Mrs. Albert Spooner is under the doctor's care.

Mrs. Geo. Flagg is sick and attended by Dr. Scott.

Jennie Perham is visiting in Randolph this week.

J. Rockwell and family are visiting at St. Albans Bay.

Some of Louis Spooner's children have the scarlet fever.

Robert Adams has gone to Saratoga Springs to work.

H. C. Hyzer and family visited at Geo. Thayer's Sunday.

Jessie Blanchard is visiting Ruth Smith in Randolph Center.

All are glad to see that our postmaster, J. C. McIntyre, is able to be out of doors.

Mr. and Mrs. Judson Wicker returned to their home in Marlboro, Mass., Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Keyes of Moretown visited his uncle, Gibson Crain, the first of the week.

Wallace Peavey is doing the haying on the Edwin Fuller farm and is living there while at work.

Wesley Coburn's people visited at Edgar Parker's the first of the week, also Mabel and Cheney Boyce visited there.

Mrs. Edgar Sanborn of Salem, Mass., is visiting at C. E. Powers,' where her husband has been living the past year.

C. E. meeting next Sunday evening at 7:30. Topic, "Lessons from Paul; how we may overcome our hindrance." 2 Cor., 12:7-10; 10:10. Leader, Mrs. Grace Claflin.

The Henry family gave a good entertainment at Grange hall Tuesday evening, consisting of recitations, songs and musical selections, to a fairly good house and it was repeated Wednesday evening.

Working Night and Day.

The busiest and mightiest little thing that ever was made is Dr. King's New Life Pills. These pills change weakness into strength, listlessness into energy, brain-fag into mental power. They're wonderful in building up the health. Only 25c. per box.

For sale by Drew & Leonard, Randolph.

BETHEL 'LYMPUS.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Norton of Hancock visited at Fred Bowen's over Sunday.

Mrs. George Franklin and daughter of Sharon are visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Withington.

Mrs. Denman and two children and nurse of New Jersey are at Fred Bowen's for the summer.

The Bethel Sunshine society will hold its "International Day" with a picnic on the camp ground August 7th.

Mrs. Hannah Lamb of Randolph was with her sister, Mrs. B. A. Buttles, last week helping care for her aged mother, who is very low.

Mrs. Taylor and two children and Miss Watkins of New Jersey and Marjorie Maxfield of Springfield, Mass., are boarding for the summer at S. A. Bowen's.

Brutally Tortured.

A case came to light that for persistent and unmerciful torture has perhaps never been equaled. Joe Golobick of Colusa, Calif., writes.—"For 15 years I endured insufferable pain from rheumatism and nothing relieved me though I tried everything known. I came across Electric Bitters and it's the greatest medicine on earth for that trouble. A few bottles of it completely relieved and cured me." Just as good for liver and kidney troubles and general debility. Only 50c. Satisfaction guaranteed.

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NORTH ROYALTON.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Covell are guests at Geo. Dearing's.

Miss Lucinda Vorse was a guest for several days at Cedarhurst.

Miss Blanche Bixby of Lynn, Mass., has been visiting Harriet Tenney.

Geo. Hussey and son, Chester, of Spencer, Mass., are at Geo. Slack's.

Just About Bedtime.

take a Little Early Riser—it will cure constipation, biliousness and liver trouble. DeWitt's Little Early Risers are different from other pills. They do not gripe and break down the mucous membrane of the stomach, liver and bowels, but cure by gently arousing the secretions and giving strength to these organs. Sold by J. W. Parmenter, Brookfield; E. J. Prue, So. Randolph.

Ladies' hair work. Mrs. H. E. Bird 457 Dudley St., Roxbury, Mass

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That is dyspepsia.
It makes life miserable.
Its sufferers eat not because they want to —but simply because they must.
They know they are irritable and feeble, but they cannot be otherwise.
They complain of a bad taste in the mouth, a tenderness at the pit of the stomach, an uneasy feeling of puffy fullness, headache, heartburn and what not.
The effectual remedy, proved by permanent cures of thousands of severe cases, is

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HOOD'S PILLS are the best cathartic.

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Probate of Will.

ESTATE OF DANIEL N. COOLIDGE.

STATE OF VERMONT, } In Probate Court for
RANDOLPH DISTRICT, ss. } at Randolph, in said
District, on the 27th day of July, A. D.
1903, an Instrument, with codicil annexed,
purporting to be the last Will and
Testament of Daniel N. Coolidge, late of
Randolph, in said district, deceased, being presented to the Court by Frank Rand, the executor therein named, for Probate: It is ordered by said Court, that all persons concerned therein be notified to appear at a session of said Court to be holden at the Probate Office in Randolph on the 18th day of August, A. D. 1903, and show cause, if any they may have, against the Probate of said will: for which purpose it is further ordered that a copy of the record of this order be published three weeks successively in the Herald and News printed at Randolph, previous to said time appointed for hearing.

By the Court: Attest,
1907 WILLIAM H. NICHOLS, Jr.

Commissioners' Notice.

ESTATE OF JULIETTE CHADWICK.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the Honorable Probate Court for the District of Randolph, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against Juliette Chadwick, late of Randolph, in said district, deceased, hereby give notice that they will meet for the purpose of examining and allowing said claims at the Probate Office in Randolph on the 23d day of August, A. D. 1903, from 1 o'clock p. m. until 4 o'clock p. m. of said day, and that six months from the 7th day of July, A. D. 1903, is the time limited by said Court for said creditors to present their claims to us for examination and allowance.

Dated at Randolph, this 30th day of July, A. D. 1903. 1910

C. R. GRANGER, } Commissioners.
G. L. MARTIN, }
James Hutchinson, Administrator.

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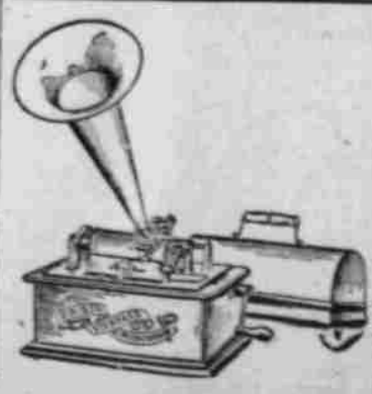

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