

**FAIRLEE**

J. P. McGowan in "Reckless Chances"—A live railroad story that you will enjoy. Town Hall Fri. Dec. 29.

Marion Donahue is visiting friends in Boston and Providence during the holiday recess.

Evelyn Leach is home from her school for the holidays.

Florence Russell returned Friday from Concord where she has been visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyman Woods were guests of their son Earl and family Monday.

Elizabeth and Robert Barnes are home from U. V. M. for over the holidays.

James Flagg has finished work for Andrews Bros. and is confined to his home with illness.

Six gentlemen presented the Christmas Club with a purse as a Christmas gift. This money is greatly appreciated by the Club members and the President wishes in this way to extend sincere thanks.

The Rondo enjoyed their annual Christmas tree at the home of Mrs. Pressey in Orford last week Wednesday.

Mrs. William Gray and daughter of Haverhill were the guests of her sister Mrs. Wm. Porter the first of the week.

Martin Grady was ill and confined to the house the first of the week.

The Christmas tree at the hall Monday evening was much enjoyed by young and old. The children did very well and much is due the Sunday School superintendent for her hard work and worry over the affair. A lot of nervous strain could be saved a few of the people who try so hard to make these events enjoyable if the parents and townspeople would only do their part to make it a success. Santa Clause seemed to be well acquainted with the young ladies.

Mrs. Watson of Hinsdale, N. H. returned home last week after visiting her cousin Mrs. Charles Rutledge.

Mrs. Crown has returned to her home in Peacham after spending a short time with her sister Mrs. Charles Rutledge.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Dennis were Bradford business visitors Friday.

The Christmas Club held their first Christmas tree Saturday evening at the home of Mrs. George Smith where seventeen members and guests were entertained with music and a generous Santa Clause who had for his assistant Miss Belndina Corpieri. The house was prettily decorated and a beautiful supper was enjoyed by all. During the evening the gentlemen guests presented the Club with a purse to be used in purchasing a gift for an absent member.

Henry Scruggs has been confined to his bed the past week with the prevailing distemper and attended by Dr. Dwinwill.

Mrs. Spere is sewing for Mrs. Dowling at Thetford.

The Titus children have been ill with hard colds.

Vernon Woods has recovered from the chicken pox and is out of quarantine.

Frank Hard Jr. has closed his labors for John Munn.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Switzer and Geraldine returned home Monday after being away for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Chapman entertained Mr. and Mrs. Berne Titus of Woodville and Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Gilbert of Hanover over the holiday.

**Card of Thanks**

There is great pleasure in knowing that we are remembered in so many ways, not only at this Glad Christmas Time, but throughout the whole year. There's beggary in the love that can be reckon'd."

Mrs. Gustavns L. Winship. Fairlee, Vt., Dec. 25, 1922.

**WEST FAIRLEE**

On Friday night Dec. 22nd the children of the village school gave a Christmas entertainment consisting of recitations and a little play, interspersed with songs by the children and two very fine selections on the violin and piano by George and Evelyn Davis and one selection by the Choir. After the programme was finished presents were distributed from a well laden Xmas tree. Much credit is due the children and their teacher, Miss Alice Cook for the success of the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Dailey and little son of Newport were Christmas guests of her parents Mr. and Mrs. S. H. George. They returned to their home in Newport Tuesday.

The High School pupils who are spending their vacations at their homes are, Miss Edna George, George and Evelyn Davis and Rita Hayward.

James Melendy and Carleton Skinner of Somerville, Mass. spent Christmas with relatives in town.

Mr. and Mrs. George Avery have closed their house and gone to West Corinth to work for Mr. Charles Spere.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lory spent Christmas with their daughter and family in White River Junction.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Robinson of Vershire visited at Mrs. Mary D. Robinson's Tuesday.

Mrs. H. C. Johnson has gone to visit her daughter and family.

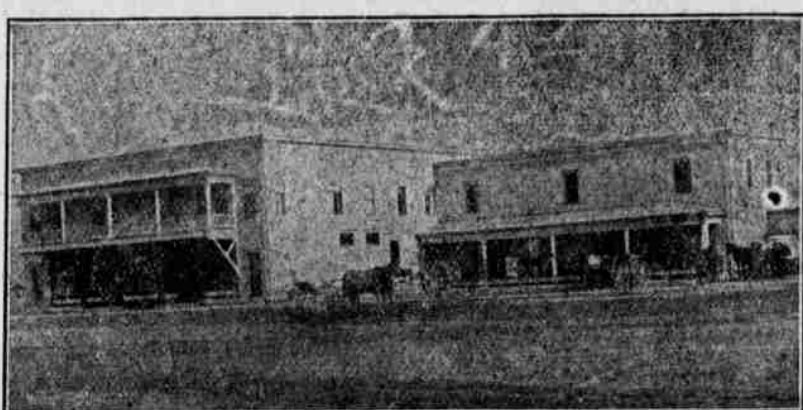
**BRIEF BITS OF FACT**

Eating earth is common among un-civilized people.

For untold centuries the peacock feather has been a mark of rank in China.

The honey obtained on the banks of Euphrates is of an intoxicating na-

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New Department Store of Andrews Bros. & Cheney, Fairlee, Vt.

**... NEW YEARS ...**

We are ready for the Holidays with Gifts for every member of the family.

Toys, Games, Books, Jewelry, Novelties, Hand Embroidered Articles, Fancy Aprons, Towels, Glass-ware, etc.

You will find gifts from 25 cents to as high as you wish to pay.

See our line while the assortment is good.

**Andrews Bros. & Cheney FAIRLEE, VERMONT.**

**CORINTH**

Mr. Ed. Woodcock was happily surprised with many gifts from the people on the mail route. Mr. Woodcock has been on the route for eighteen years and it shows their appreciation of his service.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hastings and Mr. Sidney Sevine spent Christmas day with Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Woodcock.

Mr. E. H. Lackey and family and Mr. Perley Norris spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lackey.

Mr. Ray Comstock spent Christmas at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Blake of Vershire were in town Tuesday.

Mr. Otis Hastings and Mr. George Hastings are home from school for the Christmas vacation.

Miss Emma Henry and Angeline Henry are home for the Christmas vacation.

We are glad to report that Mr. Charles Young is able to be out after his serious illness.

Mrs. Alice Washburn is visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Lyman Wilson.

Mrs. Fannie Gilbert is working for George McGuire as Mrs. Silloway was badly injured.

Beatrice Huntington is better at this writing.

Mr. Frank Moulton and Mr. Morris MacDonald recently visited at Mr. Ray Comstock's and Mrs. Ruth and Edith Dickinson's.

Miss Corabelle Wilson is visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Wilson.

Miss Vera Munroe has finished work at Nate Carter's.

Mr. Gilbert Blake is on the sick list Dr. Dow was over to see him Sunday.

Miss Maud Hosford has rented a room at Mr. Lesley Parker's and expects to go there soon.

The Christmas entertainment given by the school children in the hall Friday evening was well attended and a good time reported.

Miss Bernice Putney left Saturday morning for her home in Franklin, N. H.

Mrs. Ange Comstock carried Mrs. Fann'e Gilbert down to George McGuire's Tuesday and Mrs. Comstock also went to Bradford.

Miss Edith Bagley is home for the Christmas vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Hastings spent Sunday at Mr. Bert Hastings.

**EAST CORINTH**

Next Sunday evening at 7:30 Reb. B. M. Smith will lecture on "The Emperor and the Apostle". The lecture will be of interest to all and a fitting message on the eve of the New Year. Come and bring others.

The undersigned wish to thank the kind friends and neighbors for their help and sympathy during our recent great sorrow and also the Missionary Society for the beautiful floral piece.

Mrs. R. D. Rowland. Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Lamb. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rowland. Mr. and Mrs. Harry B. Tuttle. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Metcalf. Miss Beatrice E. Main.

**SOUTH FAIRLEE**

Misses Hellen and Reba Jamieson of Hanover, N. H. and Olive Jamieson of St. Johnsbury spent the Christmas Holiday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Jamieson.

William Young of Fitchburg, Mass. and Ho lis Young of U. V. M. spent Christmas with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Young.

Thelma Clogston is at home from Newbury High for the Holiday. Lois Brown a schoolmate visited her the last of the week.

Ray Godfrey was in White River Junction one day last week.

Several from here attended the exercises at North Thetford Sunday evening. It was an exceptionally nice entertainment and showed a great deal of effort on the parts of all concerned.

Mr. and Mrs. Hamley George and two children and Mrs. S. A. George spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Wheatley of Bradford.

Burt Beede and son John are chopping for the Box Shop Company of North Thetford.

**POST MILLS**

Miss Dora Burr spent Christmas with her sister Mrs. Harriett Powell. Mrs. Dennis Burr was at Mrs. H. Powells for the holiday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Powell from Dorchester spent Xmas at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Powell.

Miss Esther Douglass is improving from her illness.

Edward Condit is with his grandparents for a week, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Adams.

Miss Ruth Hatch is visiting friends in Montpelier and Northfield.

Mr. Leon Allis is visiting his two daughters in Springfield, Mass.

Marion Douglas is home for the holiday from her school in Brattleboro.

Warren Ford is spending his vacation with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvah Hatch and family spent Christmas at R. H. Hatch's and W. E. Tucker and wife.

The Christmas Exercises were well attended, and the exercises were very good, the children all did well and Santa Claus took his part in a very able manner much credit is due the various committee's for their effort.

**NEWBURY CENTRE**

Meetings at the town house every Sunday at 2 P. M. Preaching by Rev. H. Ives. Sunday school at 1 o'clock. Every body welcome.

The Christmas exercises at the town house Sat. eve. was well attended music was fine and the children did their part well and under the management of Mrs. Eugene Whitman and Mrs. Ned Putnam.

Ethel Fuller is spending her vacation with her parents.

Herbert Thompson and family spent Christmas at North Haverhill with their son Leslie.

Business is lively at the Center. 3 teams are drawing pulp to Boltonville, and Mr. Gibson has commenced drawing from the Lime Kiln neighborhood.

W. C. Chamberlin has taken the job to draw milk to South Ryegate.

Mrs. Ann McAllister is stopping at present at Albert Fuller's.

**TO THINK ABOUT**

A strong heart helps weak legs.

Honesty labels itself without blushing.

Even a mole has a system of getting up in the world.

The best a man can do is the least he should try.—Richmond Times-Dispatch.

**WISE WORDS OF WISE MEN**

Hatred is a madness of the mind.

Cowards fight when they can fly no farther.

It is the idle man who is the miserable man.

He is most safe from danger who, even when safe, is upon his guard.

Man was made to be active and he is never so happy as when he is so.

Shun delays, they breed remorse. Take thy time when time is lent thee.

He that is ashamed to be seen in a mean condition would be proud in a splendid one.

All other knowledge is hurtful to him who has not the science of honesty and good nature.

He who reforms himself has done more toward reforming the public than a crowd of noisy talkers.

The greatest pleasure of life is love, the greatest treasure is contentment, the greatest possession is health.

A wise precept for all who build is that the owner should be an ornament to the house, and not the house to the owner.

True happiness ne'er entered at an eye.

True happiness resides in things unseen.

**Prepare for Cold Weather!**  
Now is the time to install your Furnace  
Let me quote prices on the Glenwood, Stewart and Richardson & Boynton Furnaces.  
Our line of Stoves and Ranges is complete. Repairs of all kind  
**CARL A. DAVIS, OFFORD, N. H.**  
Formerly with H. G. Scruggs of Fairlee, Vt.

**PIERMONT**  
"Happy New Year".  
Xmas Exercises by the children at the Hall Saturday evening passed off in a pleasing manner which shows talent ahead. Many a little heart was made glad by gifts and candy boxes from the tree. Mrs. Minnie Sanders went to Barre, Vt. Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ames and daughter Pracilla of Lyndonville Vt. came Monday to spend Xmas with their parents Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ames.

Mr. Ed Words of Randolph, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Prescott of Bradford were guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Morrison Saturday evening.

Daniel Metcalf and Edward Ames are home from Durbam College for the holidays.

Miss Lillian Palmer of Wilder, Vt. was a Xmas day guest of her sister Mrs. Ray Howard and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Fairbrother of Haverhill were week end visitors of their daughter Mrs. Hazen Wilson.

Mrs. Don Winn and son Daniel of Lisbon, Mr and Mrs. Ray Leonard of Brookline, Mass. made the dinner table full at Arthur Ames on Xmas day.

O. B. Stanley and daughter Neda spent Xmas day in Bradford with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Robies family counted up to 23 on Monday representing four generations.

Mrs. Martha Camp spent Xmas with friends in Barton Vt.

Maude and Alice French came home from Plymouth for the week end and Christmas day.

**River Road**  
Eva Corliss is home on her Christmas vacation from Normal, at Keene.  
W. H. Blaisdell has been drawn on the Grand Jury for the Grafton Co. term of court to open Jan. 3 at Lebanon.  
Mr. Geo. Putnam is just recovering from a severe grippe cold.  
Fred Horten and wife were visitors in Woodville last week.  
W. H. Blaisdell and sister spent Christmas Day with his brother Harry and family at Haverhill.  
Fred Merrill is now the Milk Carrier for this road and the back road to Howard & Ames Creamery.  
Fred Blaisdell and son of Bradford and Harry Blaisdell and daughter Ethel of Haverhill paid visits Saturday & Sunday on their mother, Mrs. Emma Blaisdell and family.  
The Tyler's had a family gathering at Christmas of those absent and near.

**ORFORDVILLE**  
Miss Gladys Huchins is home for the Christmas vacation.  
Mrs. Emerson has gone away for a few days.

School begins January 1st.  
The Christmas exercises by the school were excellent. Mrs. Emerson had the room decorated with her usual taste. Many were made happy by "Santa", who was represented by one of the Swan Brothers.

Miss Dorothy Butman is home for a week.

The Manchester girls are home for the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Washburn entertained Christmas Day, Mrs. Norton, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Washburn, Henry Washburn, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wilcox, Ralph Gaskill, Philip Wilcox, Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Sanborn and son Roy.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cushman entertained at Christmas dinner, Mrs. Mary McGeehin, Mrs. Minnie Cushman, Bernard Moulton, Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Carr, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Carr and son Robert.

There were several small dinner parties Christmas Day.

We are very glad Dr. Stetson is gaining, he has rode out to the village.

Sunday Mr. McNeil was accompanied to church by his oldest son and by his son-in-law, who with there families are spending Christmas with there parents.

**ORFORD**  
Orford hopes you all had A Merry Christmas and that you will have the finest kind of a glad New Year with a 52

**A Happy New Year to all.**

**OTIS D. BOND**  
NO. THETFORD, VT.

**Beware of Open Lights!**

They help cause fire loss of more than a million dollars a day in the United States. Be careful, when you use oil lamps and candles, that no draperies can fall, or be blown, against them.

Be careful, also that your insurance company is big and strong so it can pay its losses promptly. To make sure insure in this agency of the Hartford Fire Insurance Company.

**Eaton Insurance Agency**  
Bradford, Vermont