

Vermont Daily Transcript.

FRIDAY, MAY 22, 1868.

Local Items.

CLARK VS. BURTON.—The jury in the case of Clark vs. Burton rendered their verdict at 3 o'clock to-day, the verdict being in favor of the defendant, for the sum of \$46,391.96.

The amount to recover which the suit was brought, was \$55,000, with interest from about 1859, there being nine items in the claim. The defendant claimed that the plaintiff owed him the amount of \$70,000, with interest from 1859, the same being composed of five items.

The plaintiff will carry the case to the Supreme Court on exceptions, mostly we believe, concerning the admissibility of testimony. This case, as we have stated, is the greatest ever tried in this county, and has consumed the time of the court since the 14th of April—five weeks and a half.

MR. L. M. DOWNING will have, tomorrow morning, a fresh arrival of asparagus, Bermuda onions, cucumbers, lobsters, &c., &c.

TOM THUMB and his family will give entertainments at Academy Hall, St. Albans, Thursday June 4 at 3 o'clock and 8 o'clock p. m.

A daughter of Joseph Libby, of Enosburgh, aged five years, broke her collar bone while playing at school on the 18th inst.

PERSONS who propose to take the benefit of the bankrupt act should bear in mind that unless their petitions are filed before the first of next month a discharge cannot be obtained without the payment of fifty cents of their indebtedness. The whole number of petitions, according to the *Times* filed in the District of Vermont is one hundred and thirty.

EDUCATIONAL.—It is currently reported, says the *Times*, that Mr. Ballard, principal of the Troy Conference Seminary, at Poulney, has resigned, his resignation to take effect at the end of the quarter, and that Mr. Newman has disposed of his ten years' lease and interest in the institution, and that his connection with it will cease at the termination of the first academic year.

PERSONAL.—The Springfield *Republican* of Wednesday, notes that Counselor William H. Everts, who defended the President, and Senator Morrill of Vermont, who voted to convict him, were guests of the Massasoit House, Tuesday night. The Senator is on his way home to spend a few days.

The cable despatches announce that Belding, Keith & Co., the well-known London Bankers, have failed. Mr. Belding, the senior member of the firm, is a native of Johnson, Lamolle county, in this State.—*Times*.

THE Christian Repository, one of whose editors, Rev. J. O. Skinner, we had the pleasure of meeting in St. Albans, a few days ago, thus speaks of the "American House":

It is kept by our friend, Mr. Hiram Pierce. We have always found it an agreeable place for a temporary home, by reason of good food, well cooked and politely served up by kind attentive waiters, clean rooms and good beds, and an accommodating Host. Please call at the corner of Main and Lake Streets, only a few rods from the Depot carriage marked American House.

THE Montpelier Argus is authorized to announce that the Passumpsic, Vermont Central and Sullivan, and Rutland and Burlington and Vermont Valley railroads, will carry all persons attending the Diocesan Convention to be held at Montpelier week after next, upon which occasion the new Church there and the Bishop elect of the Diocese are to be consecrated, and where there will be the greatest gathering of Bishops and Clergy ever witnessed in Vermont, for far one way.

RICHFORD AND VICINITY.—Mr. H. D. Farrar has sold his West Berkshire Hotel to Mr. Wm. H. Morey, of Fairfield, for \$1,500. Mr. Bradford Sherwood is the new landlord. Mr. Sherwood is to have an opening ball June 5th.

Mr. Nathaniel Sears, aged 77 years, died on Sunday, the 17th inst. Mr. Sears was a prominent citizen, having represented the town in the State Legislature, and has held many offices of trust in the town.

The Select School in this place, kept this spring by C. G. Austin of Fairfax, closed on Friday last. Mr. Austin's school was a success, he having given general satisfaction, so much so, that he has been prevailed upon by our citizens to return about the 10th of September and teach another term.

Dr. C. C. Smith, who was lately burned out at East Berkshire, has formed a co-partnership with Dr. J. H. Hamilton of this place. Office in Union Block.

We have had a very severe and cold rain storm for the last two or days. The Missisquoi River has risen to nearly high water mark. Considerable damage has been done to flumes, &c. P.

OBITUARY.—The Montpelier *Journal* announces the death of Mrs. Laura E. Lord, widow of the late Rev. J. K. Lord, of Cincinnati, and daughter of Dr. A. Smith, now of Montpelier, formerly of Hardwick, which event took place at Montpelier on the 21st. Though Mrs. Lord has been ill for a few days, she appeared to be recovering and death was unexpected until a very brief period before the event. Her age was forty-five years.

Mr. James W. Paige for many years the head of one of the largest wholesale houses in Boston, died on Wednesday. He was born in Hopkinton, N. H., July 1, 1792, and was therefore seventy-six years of age. He went to Boston when quite young, and early identified himself with the cotton manufacturers of New England, becoming the selling agent for some of the largest corporations. He retired from active business a few years ago with a large fortune.

Hon. Lemuel Stetson, of Plattsburg, N. Y., formerly a Democratic politician of northern New York, and a member of Congress from 1843 to 1845, died on the 17th inst.

ALMOST AN ESCAPE.—"Old Merritt Learned," as he is called, who is in jail on a charge of burglary, was found by Sheriff Soule Wednesday with his shackles sawed off, and his handcuffs unfastened and off his hands. The shackles were removed by a saw made of a knife, and the handcuffs by the dexterous use of wire taken from a broom. He informed Mr. Soule that he should have saved off the bars to the window of his cell, and escaped before morning had he not been discovered. The knife used by him is the one dropped behind the plastering of the cell by the prisoners who escaped recently. Learned being one of the number.

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WHAT THE PAPERS SAY OF US.

[From the N. Y. Sun.]

A new Republican newspaper, the *Daily Transcript*, has appeared at St. Albans, Vt., under the editorial charge of Messrs. Wilbur P. Davis and Almont Barnes, both editors of experience.

[From the Rutland Herald.]

The *Vermont Daily Transcript* is the title of an evening paper which made its appearance for the first time at St. Albans, on Wednesday evening. It is published by Wilbur P. Davis, Esq., who has editorially associated with him Mr. Almont Barnes, late editor and partner in the St. Albans *Messenger*, presents a neat and tasty appearance, is well stored with choice editorial, news and miscellaneous matter, sound in politics and will undoubtedly make its mark as a leading journal of Northern Vermont.

[From the Montpelier Argus.]

The *Vermont Daily Transcript* has made its appearance, and St. Albans now has a daily paper of which it will have just cause to be proud. With Wilbur P. Davis as editor and proprietor, and Capt. Almont Barnes associate editor, the *Daily Transcript* cannot fail to be as newsy and interesting in its reading matter as it is handsome typographically. Its only unpraisable feature is its politics.

[From the Montpelier Daily Journal.]

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[From the Rutland Independent.]

The *Vermont Daily Transcript* is the title of a good looking evening paper just started at St. Albans, by our friend Wilbur P. Davis. Mr. Davis has associated with him in the editorial department Mr. Almont Barnes, formerly editor of the *Messenger*. We have no doubt they will succeed, and we hope soon to be able to give them our daily from Rutland.

[From the Burlington Times.]

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[From the St. Albans Daily Messenger.]

The first number of the promised *Daily Transcript* made its appearance yesterday, and is a good looking sheet about the size of the *Daily Messenger*, strictly a little longer and not quite as wide. It contains thirteen columns of reading matter—a greater amount than is furnished by any other daily paper in the State—and starts off with "every sail set that will draw." We trust that the fair proportions of the "specimen number" may suffer no curtailment.

A MAN BITTEN TO DEATH BY AN ENRAGED HORSE.—On the 25th ultimo, Mr. William Garrett, of Greenville, S. C., was riding a five year old stallion in Laurens District, and on attempting to remount him, jerked the bridle, thus enraging the horse, which sprang at Mr. Garrett and bit him severely in the arm. A fight then began between the man and the furious horse, which succeeded in biting several pieces of flesh out of the side of his rider. The struggle continued for some time when he bit off two of Mr. Garrett's fingers, and threw him down, stamping on his chest four or five times as he lay upon the ground. Mr. G. then managed to twist the bridle and halter around a small tree, and then crawl off a short way. He was found by a neighbor who was passing, and carried to the house of Mr. J. H. Jones. Medical aid was called in, but Mr. Garrett died the same night. The horse remained for hours in an enraged condition, and severe means were obliged to be made use of before he could be even approached.

Elihu H. Huntington,

[SUCCESSOR TO A. H. MUNYAN.]

ASKS attention to the following partial list of articles, which I will sell at the lowest rates for cash.

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FINE GOLD SETS,
Etruscan, Coral, Garnet, &c., &c. Gentlemen's Pins, Masonic Pins and Rings, Diamond, Emerald, Ruby, Amethyst, Pearl and Garnet Fingering Rings, 18 Kt. Plain Rings, Gold Bracelets, Silver

Plated Spoons and Forks,
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At an equal price of

ONE DOLLAR
For each article. Our goods are all new and of first class quality, direct from the Manufacturers.

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SOUTH MAIN STREET

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And an assortment of Gent's Furnishing goods in his line of trade equal to any in style and excellence of goods, and at reasonable prices. He has every thing in the hat line, from common straw to the last style of silk hat, and can suit all. G. B. SMITH, 1-4-1b
St. Albans, Vt. May 12, 1868.

I HAVE bought Mr. J. H. Leonard's interest in the firm of Leonard, Brainerd & Co., and will continue the business at the old stand where I shall be glad to see old friends and many new ones. All accounts due Leonard, Brainerd & Co. will be settled by me and must be paid immediately. R. BRAINERD, 1-4-2w
St. Albans, May 9, 1868.

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My house and lot on Bank Street is offered for sale. The house was recently built and is in good repair, and has all the modern conveniences. My orchard is well supplied with a variety of apple and pear trees in bearing condition. For further particulars enquire of
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CAPITAL AND SURPLUS, \$2,000,000 00.

INS. COMPANY NORTH AMERICA OF PHILADELPHIA,
CAPITAL AND SURPLUS, \$2,000,000 00.

NIAGARA FIRE INSURANCE CO. OF NEW YORK,
CAPITAL AND SURPLUS, \$1,500,000 00.

SECURITY INSURANCE CO. OF NEW YORK,
CAPITAL AND SURPLUS, \$1,474,777 13.

LORILLARD FIRE INS. COMPANY OF NEW YORK,
CAPITAL AND SURPLUS, \$1,500,000 00.

NORTH AMERICAN FIRE IN. CO. OF NEW YORK,
CAPITAL AND SURPLUS, \$750,000 00.

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AND ALL
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FRESH FISH.
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St. Albans, May 15, 1868. 5d-4f



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St. Albans, Vt.

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BY TELEGRAPH

To the Vermont Daily Transcript.

LATEST NEWS!

From Last Night's Extra Transcript.
Grant and Colfax NOMINATED.

A special despatch from Chicago, to this paper, received at 7.15 P. M., informs us of the nomination to-day of Gen. GRANT for President, and the Hon. SCHUYLER COLFAX for Vice President. There is great enthusiasm in that city over the result.

THE NOMINATIONS.
OPINIONS OF THE NEW YORK PRESS.

The Managers' Investigation
TESTIMONY AGAINST A SENATOR

The President's Opinion of the Ticket.

He Thinks he Can Beat Grant
HOW GEN. GRANT RECEIVES THE NOMINATION.

NEW YORK, MAY 22.
Speaking of the Chicago nominations the *Herald* says that the ticket is a strong one, and how the Democrats are to fight against it remains for them to determine. It also says that Grant is stronger than the party, and that the platform is broad enough to admit all shades of the party.

The *Tribune* says that Grant and Colfax are taken in the prime of manly vigor, and that our country under their auspices is to achieve a speedy and complete restoration of its former prosperity. The *Times* says Grant has the confidence of the people, of the country, of all sections and all parties, and that he has those eminently reliable qualities just now essential.

The *World* says the ticket as a whole is not a strong one, as it courts the support of none but radicals. It also says that the ticket is weakened by the impeachment resolution.

The *Sun* pronounces the ticket a strong one, and predicts that the name of Grant will draw large support from the war Democrats. WASHINGTON, May 22.
The *Sun's* Washington despatch says that both Grant and Colfax will be serenaded to-night. After receiving the nomination last night Gen. Grant handed around cigars, lighted one himself and sat down and began to smoke with as much nonchalance as if nothing had happened particularly interesting to or concerning him.

On receiving the nominations Wade said, well, it is all right, Grant and Colfax will make a good ticket, and it will carry the people from Maine to California.

The *World's* despatch says in the examination of Cooper yesterday, he stated that a person professing to act on the authority of Hon. J. C. Pomeroy, senator from Kansas, called on him (Cooper) and proposed for \$40,000, cash in hand, Senator Pomeroy would control four radical votes in the Senate, and put in his own, so as to insure the President's acquittal. That when he professed to doubt this person's authority, the person produced a letter from Senator Pomeroy agreeing to carry out any arrangement with his brother-in-law, Wm. Gaylord. Afterwards Gaylord made the same propositions, but the terms were not accepted.

The *Times'* despatch says that the news of the nominations was not received at the White House until some time after it had got upon the street. The President does not like the platform, and is confident that if he is nominated by the Democrats in July, he can beat Grant at the polls in November. Gold, 1,39 1/2.

NOTICE OF SEIZURE AND SALE.—The following described property was seized by Officers of the Customs for violation of the Revenue Laws of the United States, viz: At Highgate, May 14, 1868; 2 Steers, 1 Colt. Said property will be sold at public auction at the Custom House, Highgate, Vt., on Monday, May 25th, 1868, at 11 o'clock, a. m. GEO. J. STANNARD, Collector of Customs, Custom House, District of Vermont, Collector's Office, Burlington, 16th May, 1868. d5-1v

C. LEAVENS, [Successor to H. H. Bowland,] Flour and Grain Merchant. Choice brands of Flour always on hand at low prices. St. Albans, May 15, 1868. 3d-4f