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#### Business Mere Mention

STRAYED from the inclosure of the subscriber, one dull red four-year-old new milch heifer, minus the shell of one horn. Last seen in the road near No. 7 school house in Calais. H. W. Town.

WITH THE NINTH IN CHINA .- "The only WITH THE NINTH IN CHINA.—"The only New England newspaper that has a special correspondent with the American troops in China"—that is the interesting announcement which the Boston Journal is making. Its representative, who has been with the Ninth regiment since the departure from the Philippines, through the landing on Chinese soil, and through the battle at Tien-Tsin, in which the regiment lost so heavily, is Mr. A. G. Eames. He is a New England man with years of experience in practical newspaper work in the cities of Chicago, New York and Boston. He went with the Forty-sixth regiment to the Philwith the Forty-sixth regiment to the Philippines as the correspondent of the Boston Journal, and his letters in the Journal de-

scriptive of the campaigning in the islands prove him an acute observer as well as a mast entertaining writer. The Boston Journal's designation as "The Paper with the Photographs" has become familiar all over New England.

#### NEW YORK EXPERT.

Dr. George Henry Fox, professor of diseases of the skin, College of Physicians and Surgeons, New York, and consulting dermatologist to the New York city board of health, was in Hardwick Friday where he examined all the supposed cases of small pox. He then met the State board of health about 20 doctors of different towns and villages and town authorities, besides many citizens.

At the close of the consultation Dr. Fox At the close of the consultation Dr. Fox male the following written statement:

By request I have this day examined twelve or more persons, residents in the village of Hardwick, Vt., who now have or recently have had small-pox. Most of the cases were of such a typical character as to place the diagnosis beyond all shadow of a doubt. The epidemic appears to be an exceptionally mild one, since all of the cases seen were of the discrete variety, notwithstanding the fact that a number of patients had never been vaccinated. I would advise the maintenance of a strict quarantine of those now affected, the vaccination of all those who have no well-marked vaccine scar, and the revaccination of all adults who have not been vaccinated since childhood."

The official statement by an expert of

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The official statement by an expert of such high standing has convinced the people that the disease is genuine small pox and settles the bitter dispute that has been going on between the local physicians. It is a complete vindication of Dr. Darling and had he been allowed to pursue his own course when he quarantined A. B. Thomas, the man who carried the disease to Hardwick, a serious calamity would have been avoided.

avoided.

A farm house has been secured for a pest house and every case will be isolated and all possible precaution taken to eradicate the disease. There is considerable feeling in Hardwick against Dr. Hamilton, secretary of the State board of health, because he diagnosed the case as chicken pox when Mr. Tromas was sick and again this week, when he first visited the place, said it was not small pox.

BRATTLEBORD. Vt. Aug. 4.—Dr. Henry.

BRATTLEBORO, Vt., Aug. 4.—Dr. Henry D. Holton, president of the State board of health, has just returned from Hardwick and nearby towns, where he has been investigating the outbreak of small pox. He found ten well marked cases, 7 in Hardwick, 1 in Morristown, 1 in St. Johnsbury and 1 in Westfield. Dr. Holton is of the opinion there will be more cases, but from the measures of restriction adopted, does not expect any alarming spread of the

BUCHANAN, MICH., May 22. Genessee Pure Food Co., Le Roy, N. Y. Gentlemen: My mamma has been a great coffee drinker and has found it very injurious. Having used several packages of your GRAIN-O, the drink that takes the place of coffee, she finds it much better for herself and for us children to drink. She has given up coffee drinking entirely. We use a package every week. I am ten years old.

Yours respectfully, FANNIR WILLIAMS.

# VETERANS GATHERING

Several old soldiers from various parts of the county are already in town to attend the third annual reunion of the Washington county Veterans' Association which opens Wednesday morning at Dewey park. At ten o'clock Wednesday morning a re-ception will be held at which members of the several Relief Corps in the county will assist.

At two o'clock Wednesday afternoon the

Dewey Park Vaudeville company will give a free entertainment, to be followed by ad-dresses of welcome by Mayor Brown of Montpeller and Mayor Hersey of Barre, to which several old soldiers will respond. A rousing camp fire will be held Wednes-day evening companying at savera o'clock A rousing camp fire will be held Wednesday evening, commencing at seven o'clock. Among the speakers announced are Hon. Kittredge Haskins, Representative W. W. Grout, Commander U. A. Woodbury, Col. Albert Clarke of Boston, Col. F. L. Greene and Col. W. W. Lapoint. These addresses will be interspersed with patriotic recitations and singing of old army songs Should the weather be unfavorable the camp fire will be lighted in Barre opera house.

house.

The election of officers will occur Thursday morning, followed by an experience meeting and other exercises.

### FLAG RAISING.

At an adjourned meeting of the Young Men's Republican club held Friday evening, it was practically decided to have a flag raising some evening of the week beginning August 12. The exact date will depend upon what evening Hon. John Barrett can be secured for speaker. The secretary of the club was instructed to extend an invitation to all clubs in Washington county to attend the county rally to be held at Montpeller at a date to be later announced. George B. Peck was substituted for George B. Walton as a member of the special city committee from Ward 5.

### Story of a Slave.

To be bound hand and foot for years by the chains of disease is the worst form of slavery. George D. Williams of Manchester, Mich., says: "My wife has been so helpless for five years that she could not turn over in bed alone. After using two bottles of Electric Bitters she is wonderfully improved and able to do her own work." This supreme remedy for female diseases quickly cures nervousness, sleeplessness, melancholy, headache, backache, fainting and dizzy spells. It is a godsend to weak, sickly, run-down people. Cure guaranteed. Only 50c. Sold by C. Blakely, druggist.

Alderman F. L. Laird has returned from his fishing trip to Groton pond.

Mrs. F. A. Adams went on Saturday to her home in Granville for a visit of two or three weeks. Mrs. John B. Dillon and Miss Lillian Howleson went Monday to Portland, Me. They will be away until September 1.

H. W. Kempton went Monday morning to Wintersport, Me., his native town to parti-cipate in the festivities of Old Home week. John H. Senter was at Newport on Fri-day where he delivered an address before the Orleans County Democratic convention.

Mrs. George Devette and children, who have been guests of Mrs. E. I. Drary, her sister, returned Monday to their home in Benson. The Woman's Christian Temperance Union will meet with Mrs. Arthur Sinclair Wednesday afternoon at half past two

A dozen or more members of Brooks Re-lief Corps and as many from Barre went on Tuesday to Randolph to attend a dis-trict meeting.

B. A. Cummins and family, who have been guests of A. O. Cummins, his father, for a few weeks, leave Wednesday for their home in Pierre, S. D.

Mrs. George W. Parmenter went Tuesday morning to Springfield, Mass., to remain for several weeks with Mrs. Fannie Shel-don, her daughter. Capt. H. C. Lull's condition is reported as

much weaker today. He is now unable to take any nourishment and the end it expected hourly by his friends.

Mrs. E. A. Nutt returned Saturday even-ing from St. Johnsbury, where she was re-porting a hearing in chancery before W. W. Miles of Barton, special master.

A Republican city caucus to nominate a candidate for city Representative will be held at Armory hall on Monday evening, August 20, at half past seven o'clock. Fred Campbell, night clerk at the Mont-peller House, is at his home in Morrisville for a vacation of two weeks. His place at the hotel is taken by Arthur Conlin.

Zeb Carbo was arrested Friday afternoon on the charge of neglecting to support his family. The matter is being adjusted by an agreement between Carbo and Overseen Wheeler.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Brock, Mr. and Mrs. L. Bart Cross, Miss Carrie, their daughter, and Miss Carrie Holmes of Macon, Ga., left Tuesday for a few days visit to Mount Mansfield.

At 12 Hubbard street, August 4, Ellsworth Frank Chase and Mrs. Anna B. Jacobs Murray, both of Calais, were married by Rev. William J. Cloues, paster of the Bap-tist church of this city.

L. E. Wright, acting regimental steward for the national guard, went to Fort Ethan Allen Tuesday to superintendend unloading the supplies and equipments for the coming annual muster of the regiment. The reunion and picnic of Washington county jurors, Tuesday, with Mr. and Mrs. Batchelder at Sabin pond, Woodbury, was loss of a success than it would have been had the weather been favorable.

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Miss Carrie Balch celebrated her eighteenth birthday by entertaining about twenty-five of her young friends at her home at the Marvin farm Monday evening The occasion was a most enjoyable one.

Miss Fannie Clark, stenographer at the office of the C. H. More Granite Company, has left for a two weeks' on ing in the Catskill mountains, N. Y. She was accompanied by Haroid, son of Mr, and Mrs. C. H. More.

It is a remarkable instance that no re-ports of fire losses, caused by the electri-cal storm of Mo day evening, have been reported today at any of the fire insurance agencies of the city as such a result was ex-

J. N. Bullington of Indianapolis, advertising manager for Gentry Brothers' dog and pony show, is in town, advertising the show's appearance here on Thursday, Au-gust 16. An effort will be made to secure the city lot for this purpose.

Mrs. S. S. Ballard left Tuesday for Burlington where she joins D. C. Griswold, her father, and George and Miss Hattie Griswold, her brother and sister, for a two weeks' yachting trip on their steam yacht, "Mary Ann," visiting Quebec by the way of Lake Champlain and the St. Lawrence river.

In a private letter received by M. S. Stone from the business manager of the Youth's Companion, the statement was made that Vermont stands first of all the States in the union in subscribers to the Companion, in the ratio of subscribers to population. Oregon and New Hampshire stand second.

The report that a case of small-pox had been discovered on clay hill is without foundation, as is a similar report that a case existed in the sixth ward. East Fairfield has two well-developed cases. Misses Lillian and Ruth Soule, who had been working in a millinery store in Hardwick, are down with the disease. Their home is strictly quarantined.

Officer Brown was summoned to Seminary hill; Sunday forencon to take charge of Charles Mee. He was arrested for intoxication and lodged in jail. He was convicted of a third offence in city court and fined, with costs, \$35.35. He appealed his case and furnished bail in the sum of \$75, W. N. Theriault becoming surety for the

Mrs. J. M. Seaver presided at a district Relief Corps meeting, to be held next Tues day at Randolph. Corps from Tunbridg, Brookfield, Williamstown, Woodstock, Royalton, Post Mills, Craftsbury and Montpeller were in attendance. The ritual work was exemplified by members of Brooks Post, Montpeller. U. S. Grant corps of Randolph entertain the visitors.

It is now expected the Arion quartette, composed of Messrs. McKenzie, who is on a fortnight's vacation from his vocal studies in Boston, Chapman, Hopkins and Lowe will farnish the music at Bethany church next Sunday evening. Also on August 19 the pulpit will be supplied by Rev. Mr. Thorpe of Oswego, N. Y., who is such a favorite with Bethany congregations.

In conjunction with the third annual reunion of the Washington County Veter-erans association the ladies of Brooks Relief Corps will hold a basket picnic at Dewey Park next Wednesday, Aug. 8. The relief corps of Barre and Calais will attend. The veterans are planning for a rousing good time that day, and the presence of the ladies in large numbers will be very welcome.

On July 3, Daniel Currier was convicted of intoxication in city court and was fined, with costs, \$13.58. Being unable to pay his fine a certain party became surety for the amount, saving Currier from a sojourn in jail, with the understanding that Currier should repay the money. Currier failing so to do, Deputy Sheriff Tracy today served a mittimus upon him when he settled the account and was released.

fects. The lights of the Viles system flickered occasionally, but did not go out. The Pioneer plant, which is now fernishing power for the electric road, was not hit, and the cars were run without interruption. The Bolton plant gave up the struggle and the people who have been getting their light from that source had to get out their caudie. Arrangements are being made to furnish both lights and power from the old station in the event of future trouble at Bolton. Telegraph and telephone systems also suffered from the effects of the storm and their service was crippled more or less, but today the lines are in working shape once more.

more.

Rev. Dr. Norman Seaver will be away during the month of August. Sunday services will be held as usual. The prudential committee has engaged the following ministers to supply the pulpit: August 5, Rev. P. P. Womer, paster of the First Congregational church, Lebanon, N. H.; August 13, Rev. W. P. Jackson of Barre; August 19, Rev. C. N. Throp, paster of the First Congreaational church, Oswego, N. Y.; August 26, Rev. N. M. Pratt, paster of Bethany church, New York City. H. S. Boardman, F. M. Bryan, H. C. Shurtleff committee.

In former years the band, before g ing to muster, has given a concert at the opera bouse in order to raise money with which to defray the extra expense incurred at such to defray the extra expense incurred at such a time. A new departure is to be made by the band this year. A special and choice program is being prepared and will be rendered Friday evening at the Pavilion stand, when a collection will be taken from the crowd. J. A. Beardon, piccolo soloist, and Milo Burke, cornet coloist, of Brockton, Mass., and members of the Fifth regiment band of Massachusetts, have been engaged to assist the band on this occasion and during muster.

ring muster.

The Sunday Globe newapaper train, runoing between White River Junction and
St. Albass, was in a wreck Sunday morning two miles this side of Roxbury. The
newspaper train was following a freight.
A slight accident to the freight delayed it
for five minutes and before a flagman could
be sent back, the newspaper train crashed
into the freight. The down grade at the
point of collision is very steep. The engineer and fireman of the newspaper train
saved their lives by jumping. The fireman
was uninjured. The engineer sprained one
ankle and his face was badly cut. The
caboose and hind car of the freight train
were smashed ints kindling wood and the
engine of the newspaper train was badly
damaged. The Globes reached Montpeller
a little more than two hours late.

#### Jonah Was One of the Kind

of men who could not be kept down. Insurance helps men up and helps keep them up. Insurance is a life preserver. National Life Insurance Company of Vermont, S. S. Ballard, General Agent, new Langdon block, Montpelier, Vt.

#### CAMPAIGN SPEAKERS

The State Republican committee announces the following speakers for Vermont during the month of August: John Barrett, W. W. Stickney of Ludiow, H. Heury Powers of Morrisville, W. W. Grout of St. Johnsbury, D. J. Foster and Robert Roberts of Burlington, Kittredge Haskins, J. L. Martin, James Fisk Hooker and E. W. Gibson of Brattleboro, Frank Plumley of Northfield, C. A. Prouty of Newport, Judge L. M. Reed, Charles H. Robb and C. H. Williams of Bellows Falls, S. E. Pingree of Hartford, Harvey Burbank of Danville, Silas W. Flinn, H. C. Royce and F. L. Greene of St. Albans, J. D. Denison of Randolph, ex-Gov. W. P. Dillingham of Waterbury and others.

### TAKE NOTICE.

Certain State papers have announced that nomination papers for town represent-atives may be filed within twelve days of the September election. This is erroneous and those who delay filing their papers until that time will be barred. Section 88 of the public acts as amended by the leg-islature of 1898 reads as follows:

"Cor ificates of nomination to be filed with the secretary of State or a county clerk, shall be filed not more than fifty nor less than thirty days before the day of the election. Certificates of nomination to be filed with town or village clerks shall be filed not more than 30 nor less than 15 days before the day of election."

### COMING FAIRS.

The dates of coming fairs in Vermont so far as known are as follows: Addison county, Middlebury, August 28 to 30; Battenkill Valley, Manchester Center, September 5 to 7; Bradford, Bradford, August 28 to 30; Caledonia Grange, East Hardwick, September 19; Caledonia North, Lyndon-ville, September 19 to 20; Caledonia, St. Johnsbury, September 11 to 13; Dog River Valley, Forthfield, September 18 to 20; Franklin, Sheidon Junction, September 12 to 14; Lamoille Valley, Morrisville, September 11 to 13; Butland, Rutland, September 11 to 13; Ryegate and Wells River, South Ryegate, August 29 to 30; Springfield, Springfield, September 25 to 7; Orleans, Batton, September Junction, September 11 to 14; World's, Tunbridge October 2 to 4; Valley Fair, Brattlebore, September 26 to 27; Waits River Valley, East Corinth, September 5 to 7; Washington, Washington, September 25 to 27; Western Agricultural, Fair Haven, September 25 to 27; Windsor, Woodstock, September 25 to 27;

### Cabot.

Hiram Putnam is not as well as usual. Fred Fisher of Barre was in town over Sunday.

Work has commenced on the vinage school building. Charles Goss of Noyesville creamery has been engaged by the Cabot creamery for the coming year as first man.

Work has commenced on the village

David Nelson is laid up because of hav-ing a needle break off in his knee, necessita-Mr. Bianchard, osteopath doctor, will again be in town Saturday, August 11. Consultation and examination free.

The commissioners on the estate of Merritt Pickies will sit for the last time Friday, August 10, from one to four P. M., at O. F. Morrill's. The Republicans of the town are called to meet in the town hall next Saturday even-ing to form a league and to push the cam-paign. Work. Aliggood Republicans turn

Rev. J. H. Chase of Plainfield occupied the Congregational pulpit last Sunday in exchange with Rev. D. L. Hilliard. Mr. Chase presented his theme both day and evening in a very pleasing manner.

The new sidewalk is a decided improvement, but what has become of our electric light plant? Gentlemen of the village corporation, why cannot we be something and not let nature do all the illuminating of our pretty streets in the evening.

to do, Deputy Sheriff Tracy today served a mittimus upon him when he settled the account and was released.

Montpelier was visited by an electrical storm of considerable severity Monday night about eight o'clock. As usual the lighting systems of Montpelier and Barre felt its of-

# TOWN CORRESPONDENCE.

ITEMS OF INTEREST-PERSONAL AND GENERAL.

Mrs. J. M. Bond visited last week in Northfield.

A son was born last Friday to Mr. and Mrs. Michael Keefe. Miss Ella Norton is at Long Point, Vt., on

Buel Lamb is reported very low with con-umption in California. A son was born last Thursday to Mr. and Mrs. Frank McWhorter. D. M. Tobin of Swanton, visited Mrs. C. N. Scott, his sister, last week.

A. D. Morse was at home from Old Or-chard a part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Beverly of Philadel-phia, are guests of A. J. Young.

Mrs. W. A. Drew went yesterday to Hy-annis, Mass., to visit relatives. Mrs. J. R. George went last Thursday to Old Orchard, Me., to remain several weeks.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. John Bianchi dled last week of cholera infantum. Mrs. H. E. Robinson of Newton High-lands, Mass., is visiting W. M. Spear, his

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Gilley returned last week from Bucksport, Me., where they have been for four weeks. The annual picnic for the employees of Young Brothers will be held at Caledonia park next Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Jonathan Anderson left last week for their former home in Scotland, where they will reside in future.

Mrs. George Whitcomb and daughter Nina of Claremont, N. H., were guests last week of Mr. and Mrs. Clark Holden. Misses Druselia Bailey, Alma Wheaton and Helen Burbank attended the summer school held last week at St. Johnsbury.

Mrs. H. K. Bush, Miss Lillian Bush and Mrs. Lonis Gates went last Thursday to Utica, N. Y., to remain several weeks. The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Jones died last Friday morning of cholera infantum. The burial was on Sunday in Hope cemetery.

Will McAuley was before Justice A. G. Fay Saturday afternoon charged with intoxication. He pleaded guilty and paid a fine and costs of \$12.20.

George H. Ryder of Boston gave a free organ recital last Wednesday evening in the Universalist church which was enjoyed by a large audience.

The Swedish inhabitants of Barre and Montpeller held a picnic at Dewey park last Saturday afternoon. Rev. John Roes of Gardner, Mass., delivered an address. Fred Beckman, the popular barber in the shop of William Mears, and Miss Con-stance Erickson were married last week by Rev. S. N. Jackson. Mr. and Mrs. Beck-man are housekeeping on Mount street. The Civic Federation of Women, having furnished and opened an exercise very

the Civic Sederation of women, having furnished and opened an emergency room in the new city building has now turned its attention to the work of beautifying Currier park. The land on Summer street first received attention and a slicking up.

Maggie, wife of Thomas Mercer, died last Wednesday night after a brief illness, aged twenty-two years. Deceased was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Anderson, and had a wide circle of friends. Faneral services were held from her late home Friday afternoon, Rev. Dr. S. N. Jackson officiating, assisted by Rev. E. W. Cumings. The burial was in Hope cemetery.

The city council held a special meeting last week to consider the Batchelder street case. A petition was received asking that this street be opened for travel. J. W. Gordon appeared for the petitioners. He said the street had been laid out, accepted by the city, and placed on record, and that the city could do nothing else but open it to travel. Mayor Hersey stated that all the travel. Mayor Hersey stated that all the people to be accommodated by this street live in the town of Barre. No definite action in the matter was taken.

tion in the matter was taken.

John F. Kimball, who was arrested last week in Boston and brought to Randolph on a charge of bigamy was formerly a resident of this city. About five years ago he skipped from Barre in company with the daughter of a respected citizen. The irate father followed the couple and brought his daughter back to Barre. The Boston Globe published the story of the elopement and Kimball sued that paper for libel, claiming \$2,500. The suit was dropped when an attorney for the Globe assured Kimball they had another shot in the locker as they were in possession of facts which conneted Kimball with the alleged robbery of diamonds valued at \$400 from a notorious woman in Boston.

### Brookfield.

Marcus Peck has sold the Howe farm on Bear hill to William Perham. Mrs. Baine of Northfield was a guest of Mrs. Helen Abbott the last of the week. Dr. Frank Partridge of Worcester, Mass., came last week to spend a time with his family at Mrs. C. C. Upham's.

Mrs. Fred Ralph and son Neal of Con-cord, N. H., are making their annual visit at her father's, Orlando Ralph's. Fred Hayes has traded his farm for Frank Setchum's house in the village and has

taken possession. Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Kibbee returned to their home in Chelses, Mass., last Monday. Miss Lulu Sargent accompanied them and will be absent several weeks.

Forty-six from this place enjoyed a ride and good dinner at the Gulf Spring house in Williamstown last Friday.

in Williamstown last Friday.

The Golden Rule Christian Endeavor society will held its twenty-first annual convention on Thursday with the Second Congregational church. An interesting program has been prepared, including an address by Rev. George E. Ladd of Waterbury. Every one is invited to be present. Mrs. Merton Griswold and son returned to her home in Uxbridge, Mass., the first of

Mrs. Curtis H. Kibbee, who has been sick several weeks, does not seem to be improving. Rev. Dr. Palmer and wife returned to

their home in Norwichtown, Conn., last Wednesday. Rev. R. A. Abercromble was called to West Brookfield Sunday afternoon to offi-ciate at the funeral of Mrs. Smead. Arthur Flint and wife of Derby, Conn.,

visited relatives in town last week

Fortis Allis and wife are boarding at E. H. Allis for a few weeks. James W. Parmenter visited his sister, Mrs. Savilla Green, in Lvdlow last week. Mr. and Mrs. Stowell started last Friday on their homeward journey to California.

George Parmenter of West Concord, N. H., his brother, J. W. Parmenter. Edward Wheatley of Meriden, Conn., joined his family at William Clark's the first of the week for a short stay. Mrs. Leslie Crane and two children of Rutland have been visiting at George Crane's and Earl Gaylord's the past week.

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