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## PERSONALS.

Miss Pauline Miller was in Putney Saturday.

Benjamin Akeley was in Hartford Wednesday.

Miss Ethel Kirkwood spent Sunday in Dennington.

Robert C. Bacon is in Buffalo, N. Y., on business.

J. D. Jardine is in Springfield, Mass., on business.

Miss Eva Ellis has been on the sick-list this week.

Elwyn Richardson has gone to work for William Fletcher.

Frank L. Rut went to New York city Monday on business.

Erving Bryant has returned from a week in Sanford, Me.

Miss Nellie Cray of Bellows Falls was in town over Sunday.

Miss Florence Hildreth is home from Washington on a visit.

Miss May Lavelle finishes work at Jardine's next Thursday.

Miss Pearl G. Gibson has been ill this week with a severe cold.

Miss Katherine Perkins has been ill this week with a cold.

Dr. George X. Roberts is ill at the Brattleboro Memorial hospital.

Miss Annie Rodden has been ill this week with a severe cold.

Chauncey I. Knapp went to Montpelier Saturday on legal business.

Frank Harris of Millers Falls, Mass., has been in town this week.

Miss Mary Goodhue of Westminster is spending a few days in town.

C. W. Dunham was in New York the first of the week on business.

Judge E. W. Gibson left yesterday afternoon for Newfane on business.

L. F. Adams of Springfield, Mass., spent Sunday with his family in town.

Miss Mary Frost has returned from an extended visit in New York city.

Ernest J. Waterman is confined to his home with a severe cold and grip.

W. H. Alexander has moved his family from 5 Organ street to Guilford.

Miss Inez and Ethel Goodale will go to New York Monday for a week's visit.

Herbert Mack of Acuteville is spending a few days at his home here.

Harold Larrabee has gone to Springfield, Mass., where he has employment.

John Manley returned Monday from attending the automobile show in Boston.

F. T. Parsons, business manager of the Rutland Herald, was in town Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Fanning have returned from a week's visit in New York city.

W. L. Hunt returned Wednesday evening from a business trip to New York city.

Miss Eleanor Noyes leaves tomorrow to spend the vacation with relatives in Boston.

Mrs. Martha Tyler of Grove street goes to Boston today to be gone two weeks.

Miss Florence J. Penland and Miss Alice Morse were in Hartford, Conn., Monday.

Miss Anna Turner returned Monday to Boston after spending a week at her home here.

Raymond L. Greene returned Wednesday evening from a trip to New York and Boston.

Mrs. E. L. Marcy has returned from Newfane, where she has been on a month's visit.

J. Warren Miller has taken the place of Carroll Z. Parker as day clerk in the Brooks House.

Benjamin Harris has gone to work for the Vermont Farm Machine company at Bellows Falls.

Miss Mary Donnell and Mrs. S. W. Edgett returned yesterday afternoon from New York city.

Patrick Guheen is visiting his daughter, Mrs. Roger Donoghue, in Holyoke, Mass., this week.

G. L. Dunham and family leave this afternoon for Atlantic City, N. J., to spend two weeks.

Misses Minora and Doris Chamberlin of Northfield have been visiting friends in town this week.

Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Austin and son of Springfield, Mass., came yesterday for a visit with relatives.

Mrs. Arthur Tidd of Northampton, Mass., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Williams.

Miss Ruth Adams entertained several of her friends at a birthday party at her home Tuesday evening.

Stuart Frost of the Rensselaer Polytechnic institute was a visitor at his home here early in the week.

Miss Agnes Odell of Franklin, N. H., was a visitor at the home of her father, George Odell, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. James Callahan of New York city attended the funeral of Edwin J. Langille Tuesday.

The engagement is announced of Benjamin Akeley of this town and Miss Lena M. Wood of Hartford, Vt.

Miss Mary Haskins has returned to her home in Northampton, Mass., after visiting Mrs. L. O. P. Smith.

Mrs. C. A. Cushman has returned from Westfield, Mass., where she was called by the illness of her sister.

W. C. Pratt, vice-president of the Twin State Gas & Electric company, has been in town for the past few days.

Miss Lila B. Johnson of Barnardston and Miss Lulu J. Smith have returned from a two weeks' stay in Boston.

Miss Lizzie Stevens was called to her home in Orange, Mass., Monday on account of the illness of her mother.

H. W. Dudley returned to his business in Boston Monday, but Mrs. Dudley will remain in town for a few days longer.

Miss Louise Williams of Whitefield, N. H., is spending her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Williams.

Miss Clara Pike of Bridgeport, Conn., returned home Wednesday after a short visit with her cousin, Miss Bernice Pike.

C. C. Fitts, C. W. Dunham and C. A. Harris were in New York city Monday on business connected with the dam project.

Mrs. John Guheen and daughter, Katherine, have been visiting relatives in Holyoke and Chicopee Falls, Mass., this week.

Edward J. Fenton and Miss Helen Fenton were in New York city and Springfield, Mass., last week and returned Saturday.

G. L. Dunham was in Williamsburg, Pa., the first of the week to visit the factory where the new Victor rubbers are made.

Judge E. L. Waterman was at home over Sunday and left Monday afternoon for Rutland, where he is holding court this week.

Mrs. A. H. Tower is staying at the Brooks House while the house of her daughter, Mrs. E. Q. S. Osgood, is undergoing repairs.

Mrs. Albina Tripp, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. L. M. Carpenter, has returned to the home of her son in Claremont, N. H.

Mr. and Mrs. Allyn J. Crosby and daughter, Stella, returned to the home of their Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Crosby.

Miss Inez Goodale and Miss Ruth Childs were in Springfield, Mass., Wednesday, to attend the wedding of Miss Alice Corbett, formerly of this place.

Miss Hattie Bemis was pleasantly surprised last evening by the arrival of her home on Terrace street. She was remembered by several gifts.

Edward Alexander and family moved Tuesday from their house on Organ street to Colrain, Mass., where Mr. Alexander will be the manager of a farm.

Miss Nettie Whitney of West Halifax came Thursday to see her sister, Mrs. S. H. Whitney, who has been ill for the past three weeks at her home on Central street.

Congressman and Mrs. Kittredge Haskins arrived home from Washington last Friday. They are living in F. W. Childs's house on Terrace street for the present.

Miss Josephine Todd, soprano, and Miss Mabel Lettinger and daughter, Edith, who have been engaged to sing in the choir of the Episcopal church this year.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lang, who recently sold their house on Frost place to Dana and Yvonne, have taken a tenement on Green street in H. B. Chamberlain's house.

Miss Helen Childs and Miss Inez Goodale went to Springfield, Mass., Wednesday to attend the wedding of Miss Alice Corbett who formerly lived in Brattleboro.

Miss Katherine Perkins and Miss Lucy Stevenson entertained the local school teachers at a St. Patrick's day party in the high school laboratory last Saturday evening.

W. N. Ware of Atlantic, Mass., messenger on the Boston and New York Dispatch express, was a guest at the Brattleboro lodge meeting and banquet Tuesday evening.

Miss Sara Minott of Northfield, Mass., and Miss Morris of Northfield, Mass., were recent visitors of Mrs. Alton D. Elmer of Cedar street.

Paul Whitaker was taken to the Lynch hospital Tuesday evening for an operation for appendicitis. It was only a short time ago his brother was operated on for the same trouble.

Mrs. John Clark, Mrs. Karl Miner and Miss Pauline Fisk of New York city and Paul S. Emerson of Norwich university were in town Friday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Chickering.

Miss Alice Champion of Bridgeport, Conn., has been spending a week with Mrs. I. F. Woodard and has returned home accompanied by Mrs. Woodard, who will stay here a few days.

Mrs. Harriet Braser Pratt of Chicago, Miss Minnie Braser of Brookline, Mass., and Mrs. Annie Greene of this town are planning to go abroad in June to spend three months in France.

Miss Grace Johnson and friend of Springfield, Mass., who are attending the business college in that place, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Johnson on Spruce street, returning Monday.

Miss Josephine Taft has finished work in the office of the Hibernian fire insurance association and will be employed by the National Rubber Stamp company in its new office in the American building.

Miss Alvina Walker entertained her Sunday school class at her home on Elliot street Thursday evening. All sorts of games were played and a good time enjoyed by all. Refreshments were served.

United States Judge J. L. Martin returned Saturday from New York city, where he spent two weeks hearing cases. He will return to New York city next week to complete a six weeks' assignment.

Those who attended the automobile show in Boston have returned. They are: E. C. Crosby, Warren Crosby and Miss Helen Crosby, Wells Miller, E. J. W. termen, C. A. Boyden, Fred Harris, E. D. Whitney, G. O. Abbott, Lyman Smith, S. A. Smith, Harry L. Emerson and Arthur Knight.

Warren Miller has taken the position of day clerk at the Brooks House, succeeding Carroll Z. Parker, who has been working there during the winter. Mr. Parker has gone to Springfield to oversee some construction work which he is interested with E. C. Crosby. Mr. Miller has been employed in Amidon's grocery store.

## WEST BRATTLEBORO.

### Sketch of the Life of Miss Mabel E. Stowe—A Strong Personality.

The news of the death of Miss Mabel E. Stowe, which occurred in the Hahnemann hospital in San Francisco, Cal., of tuberculosis March 14, brought sadness to the whole community as she was a young woman of rare character and her loss to the friends who were her friends of all whose fortune it was to have had her acquaintance. Miss Stowe was born in this town June 8, 1885, the daughter of A. Wells and Ellen (Hers) Stowe. (Mrs. Stowe died in December, 1905). The earlier part of Miss Stowe's school life was spent here with the exception of one year in Cleveland, O. She was graduated from the Glenwood classical seminary (now Brattleboro academy) in 1893, being appointed valedictorian of the class. She afterward attended Mt. Holyoke college in South Hadley, Mass., where she was graduated in 1894, being awarded the highest honors of her class. She did post-graduate work at various times at the French summer school and at the University of California in Berkeley, Cal. She also spent one year studying in France after which she was principal of Brattleboro academy for one year when she resigned to accept a similar position in a popular private school in Kansas City, Mo., which she held for three years. She then went to Morristown, N. J., where she taught French, German and Latin in the Morristown high school. Her position at the head of the German department in the Mills college in California, which she held until her health failed in the summer of 1905. The winter of 1905-1906 she spent in southern California for the benefit of her health. In October, 1906, she returned to San Francisco and went into the Hahnemann hospital, where she was under tender care and treatment until her death. She was cheerful, patient and courageous to the very end and left nothing undone. A brief funeral service was held Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the home of her father, A. Wells Stowe, of which her body was cremated as was her request. There will be a memorial service at the home of her father upon the arrival of her ashes which are to be buried in the family lot in Prospect Hill cemetery. The service will be conducted by Rev. L. M. Keniston, pastor of the First Congregational church, of which she was a member. Besides her father, A. Wells Stowe, she is survived by a step-mother, one brother, Fred E. Stowe, of New York city and a sister, Miss Edith Marion Stowe of this village.

### Death in New York City of Edmund J. Langille.

Edmund J. Langille, 26, died in St. John's hospital, New York city, Sunday afternoon from the effects of an accident Friday evening, when he fell and injured his head. Although insensible for a time his injuries were not considered serious until Sunday morning when he began to fail rapidly and died early in the afternoon. He was the youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Langille, whose home is on the John Butterfield farm on Dummerston hill. Edmund, Jr., was born in Halifax, N. S., May 27, 1880, where he lived until 8 years of age when his parents moved to this town. After finishing his course in the town schools he was employed by the Estey Organ company and then by the Langille family in New York city until last October. He was then admitted to the police force of New York city. His body was brought to Brattleboro on the 230 train Tuesday afternoon, accompanied by his brothers, William and Joseph, and Miss Anna Belz of Steinway, L. I. Mr. Langille was an active member of the First Baptist church and the Y. M. C. A. The funeral service will be held at the home of his father, Mrs. Arthur Hursey on Elliot street.

### West Wednesday afternoon, Rev. George B. Lawson officiating. Interment was in Morningstar cemetery. The floral tributes in respect to which he was held. He is survived by a father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Langille, two brothers, William, connected with the Sheffield Farms in New York city, and Joseph, a member of the Brooklyn fire department, and one sister, Mrs. Arthur Hursey of Brattleboro, and his fiancée, Miss Anna Belz of Steinway, L. I.

Miss Louella Perry is the guest of Miss Sadie Taylor in Springfield, Mass., this week.

The town schools will open Monday, March 25.

Fred A. Fox has been in Wilmington this week.

Miss Edna Wheeler is spending the week in Westchester, Mass.

D. T. Perry is in Burlington this week on a business trip.

Mrs. A. F. Hill is recovering from a severe attack of grip.

W. E. Stellmann was in Montpelier on business early this week.

Miss Maude Clark is spending her vacation in Millers Falls, Mass.

A. Belliveau went to Springfield Monday to work for Crosby & Parker.

O. W. Smith of Greenfield spent Sunday with his sister, Mrs. Esther Rice.

Mrs. Annie Morris of Springfield, Mass., is visiting at W. E. Adams's this week.

Madam Mary W. Wood of Newtonville, Mass., is a guest of Mrs. C. R. Evans.

New maple sugar and syrup has been brought into market in small quantities this week.

L. H. Knapp returned from Springfield, Mass., Wednesday, where he had been on a business trip.

Miss Bessie Mackenzie goes to her home in Royalton, Mass., tomorrow for a two weeks' vacation.

Miss Winnie Buffum of Green River is with Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Knight for a two weeks' stay.

E. C. Crouch and son, Arthur, spent Saturday and Sunday in Greenfield and Williamsburg, Mass.

The freshman class held a meeting and social at the home of Miss Maude Brown Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. E. I. Perry of Greenfield spent Sunday at the home of Mr. Perry's brother, D. T. Perry.

S. W. Allen and family of Jacksonville visited his brother, George A. Allen, Wednesday and yesterday.

Mrs. R. S. Miller went to Greenfield, Mass., to attend the funeral of Mrs. Martin Jones.

George C. Harris and family have moved from J. L. Stockwell's block to 1 Bonnyvale road this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Barney are visiting Mrs. Barney's cousin, Dr. James Eastwood in Boston this week.

Mr. Thomas Betters has returned from Quisset, Mass., accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. Isaac M. Robb.

Miss E. May Chamberlin of East Northfield, Mass., spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. N. S. Chamberlin.

George Chamberlin goes Saturday to West Chester, Ohio, where he will be employed by O. J. Hale for several weeks.

George A. Wheeler of Worcester, Mass., is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. I. Wheeler, on Monroe street this week.

Mr. and Mrs. John G. Peck of Greenfield were guests of Mrs. Peck's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Squires, over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Pettie of Boston have been the guests of Mrs. Pettie's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Hill, this week.

Mrs. Ella Harvey has rented the tenement recently vacated by W. M. Crouch and will move there from Elliot street next week.

Fred C. Brown went to Norwich, Conn., Monday morning, where he will be employed by the H. B. Porter & Sons company for several weeks.

Ernest Bailey of South Newfane is the guest of his cousin, Mrs. L. F. Taylor, this week. He has been in Springfield, Mass., for a visit with relatives.

Miss Goldie Johnson entertained several of her friends last Friday afternoon. Games and music were enjoyed, after which dinner refreshments were served.

Mrs. Phoebe Knapp has returned to the home of her daughter, Mrs. S. G. Brown, on Greenleaf street after spending several weeks with friends in Boston and vicinity.

Messrs. Bishop & Bartlett have moved their steam mill from Ames's hill to the timber lot recently purchased of Thayer Brothers on Dummerston hill near Sunset lake.

Mrs. R. A. Knight finished her work for Mrs. Esther Rice Tuesday and has gone to the home of her son, L. J. Knight, on Dummerston hill for an extended visit.

Morey W. Lynde was able to go to his home in Green River last Friday afternoon, after a long stay in the hospital, where he underwent an operation for appendicitis a few weeks ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred P. Viall went to Jacksonville, Fla., last week from Macdonald, Ga., where they have been spending the winter. They are to return to their home here about May 1.

Leonard Taylor is making extensive repairs on his house on Glen street. He is living up the rooms on the first floor for living rooms which were recently used by A. M. Kaur for his home.

The women of the Baptist church served a new sugar supper in the church parlors last evening. There was a good attendance and the proceeds will be used toward the fund for a new church car.

The first division of the women's association of the Congregational church will serve a new sugar supper in the church parlors next Tuesday evening, March 28, from 6 to 8 o'clock. Everybody is invited.

Mrs. Elijah Miller has sold her farm to her son, David Miller. Mr. Miller and family will move there from E. H. Davenport's cottage on Greenleaf street this week. Mrs. Miller has arranged to occupy a part of the house and keep her home there for the present.

About 20 from here enjoyed a sleigh-ride Wednesday evening to the home of Mr. and Mrs. George P. Miller in Guilford, where the women of the church furnished a sugar supper which was followed by a literary and musical entertainment and sale of fancy articles.

On Tuesday evening, March 20, at 7.45 there will be a stereoscopic lecture in the Baptist church under the auspices of the Baraca class. Rev. H. E. Buffum, pastor of the Baptist church of Putney, will give the lecture. The subject is The Bible. Mr. Buffum is an interesting speaker. A free-will offering will be taken at the close of the lecture. The public is cordially invited.

West Brattleboro Baptist church, Rev. J. A. Mitchell, pastor, Sunday services: 10.30 morning worship with sermon by pastor, subject, A Triumphant King; 1.45 Bible school, classes for all ages; Baraca class, for men, meets in the Baraca room at the same hour, all men cordially invited; 6 p. m., Christian Endeavor service, topic, Things You Have Learned from Noble Men and Women Outside the Bible; 7 p. m., evangelistic service with short address by the pastor, good music. All are cordially invited.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Taylor were given a surprise at the home of Mr. Taylor's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Taylor, Saturday evening by 50 of their friends, who came to extend their warmest wishes to the newlyweds. During the evening Mr. and Mrs. Taylor were presented with a substantial sum of money as a token of the goodwill of their friends, D. T. Perry making the

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At \$2.50 Twelve Button Length, French Kid Gloves, Paris point, full length, in black, white, tan and grey.

At \$2.00 Eight Button Length, Glace Kid Gloves, full length, made in black, white, grey and tan.

At \$1.48 Silk Gloves, Twelve Button Length, heavy quality, double tips, in black and white.

At \$1.25 and 98c. Silk