BELLOWS FALLS NEWS

Body of a Baby Found Near Connecticut River Bridge

Indications That the Child Was Born Allve-Authorities Are Now Following Interesting Clue.

Last Thursday morning Henry Willett, a lad of 14, who, with four companions, a lad of 14, who, with four companions, was down upon the rocks under the toll-bridge, found a package tied in an old newspaper bearing date, Dec. 21, '65, in which was wrepped the body of a full grown male infant. It was on the rocks on the New Hampshire side of the channel and had evidently been thrown from from the upper side of the toll-bridge. The child had a small black ribbon tied about its neck and the police deemed an investigation wise. The body was taken to the undertaking rooms of the Chase Furniture Co. and Drs. Alibee and Rudden were called. The condition of the body was such as to indicate that death occurred about two weeks earlier, and that the child was born living.

the child was born living. Friday Sheriff William S. Tuttle and Medical Referee Dr. John D. Proctor of Keene came to Bellows Falls and assumed direction of the investigation, Dr. Procto discover anything about the body which would lead either to its identity or its nationality, and it was removed Friday afternoon by the New Hampshire officers to the tomb in Walpole cemetery.

As the body was found on the New Hampshire officers in the case is being the control of the con shire side of the river the case is being investigated by the officials of Cheshire county, the Bellows Falls officials assisting in any way in their power. Efforts thus far made to locate the guilty party or parties have not been successful, although at the present time it is under-stood a promising clue is being followed indicating the crime to have been com-mitted by persons not living in either Walpole or Rockingham, but in a neigh-

License Devotees Working for a "Yes" Vote in this Town

Citizens May Wake Up to Find Another Year of License Booked-Town Would Make Mistake to Change.

Little has been said here openly in reation to the coming contest between icense and no license for the next year license and no license for the next year in the town of Rockingham. An uninterested observer or casual visitor here would probably be convinced that "nothing was doing" along that line by the devotees on either side. This however, would be an entirely mistaken notion, at least as far as the advocates of license are concerned, for there is little doubt that there is organized, quiet, but effective work being done by those who prefer to have the open saloon on our side of the Connecticut river. It looks now as if the town might wake up on the evening of March 6 to find we were booked for a year of license again. If so, it will be because those who are opposed to the saloon are over confident and do not vote. It would be hard to find many persons who would not agree and do not vote. It would be hard to find many persons who would not agree that the experience of this village in the last two years of no license has been a great improvement as far as sobriety and good citizenship are concerned. It would be a great mistake for our town to change into the license column as far evident results and experience would

A mass meeting of citizens of the town A mass neeting of citizens of the town is called for Sunday evening at the operation of house to discuss the question of no-license for the coming year. It will be held under the auspices of the W. C. T. U. and a number of local speakers have been engaged. C. J. Ferguson of Burlington, superintendent of the Vermont Anti-Salcon league, will be the principal Anti-Salcon league, will be the principal speaker. A number of the advocates of license are loudly talking upon the streets this week that the town will be sure to go for license next Tuesday. It will not do so if anywhere near a fair proportion of the voters are interested enough to

School Children Have Saved Over \$1000. Among the reports of the different officers which have been distributed the past week, those of the school officers are

of much interest. The superintendent's report shows 14 resignations of teachers the year and 17 appointments. Of grade teachers employed in the town, 19 are graduates of normal schools colleges. A regulation was recently opted requiring all teachers hereafter ergaged in the village schools to be graduates of normal schools or colleges. The superintendent recommends that this ap-plies also to the rural schools. There are six teachers employed in the high school, and an additional assistant employed haif the time. The school census shows 1337 legal pupils, of which 1040 are in the village of Bellows Falls and 165 in Saxtons River. The stamp savings system introduced in the schools last year by the Worman's olyb has resulted in Sax by the Woman's club has resulted in 587 iplis taking out cards, the cash brought thereon being \$661.05. In addition to this, 188 pupils have taken out bank books, the savings in which amount to 393.78, making some over \$1000 saved by the pupils. The system has been introduced recently into the rural achools, from which no reports have yet been

Physical training has been introduced in the high school during the last year and is recommended to be taken up by all the grades The school board and Supt. Merriam both refer to the excellent work done in the high school by Principal A. E. Tuttle, and at no time in the history of the school has its standard and out-look been better. The graduating class of 1995 numbered 23, the same as 1904, and that of 1906 numbers 32. The latter class will visit Washington the last of this month. Seven of the class of 1905 are now in higher schools or colleges. Twenty graduates of the high school since 1899 have gone to higher schools, indi-cating the interest in advanced education inculcated during the years of this school.

The meeting of the College club Mon-day evening was addressed by F. T. Bradish and others.

C. W. Osgood occupied the pulpit of the Congregational churches of Alstead and Langdon last Sunday. Gov. Bell was in town Wednesday and attended the meeting of the state agri-cultural board at Saxtons River village. Frank H. Mark has moved into the enement on the Old Terrace owned by Nellie Brown, formerly occupied by Mr.

The board of civil authority will meet Saturday forenoon at the town clerk's office for the purpose of correcting the

The pulpit of the Methodist church cupled last Sunday by Rev. D. R. Hig-ns, who is visiting his brother here, E.

A number from this village were in Al-stead Wednesday attending the bankrupt sale of the Sterling Anderson stock of stoves and tinware.

Mrs. Bonnette, the lady barber, who exently came to Bellows Falls from fontpeller, has been ill during the past

number of the sugar orchards in town have been tapped during the past week and new sugar in small quanti ties has appeared in the local markets. Rev. Leon Austin of Quincy, Mass., has spent Sunday with Wes occupied the pulpit of the Congregational Church the past two Sundays. Rev. Arthur his trip to New Jersey.

P. Pratt of Chelsea, Mass., will be the supply next Sunday.

The number of members of the senior class, who will graduate in June, is this year 32. The total number of graduates here since the organization of the high school in 1874, including this year's class,

Mr. Harmon, the head of the National Wax Paper Printing Co., which has re-cently located in the old Island House building, is very ill with pneumonia at fact the works are temporarily shut down

The Rutland brakems, John Pinkerton, who was so seriously injured in the local railroad yard last Thursday and taken to the hospital in Rutland, is slowly improving, although his injuries are of a serious nature, at first thought to be fatal. Miss Marian Willson, who recently reigned her position as teacher in the

feurth grade, after about two years' service, closed her work here Tuesday and went to her mother's home in Fitchburg Wednesday, from which the is soon to be married. She has been one of the popular young ladies of Bellows Falls in all circles. Many residents of this town were shocked last Saturday afternoon at the news of the death of John H. Pettengill of Grafton, a brother of the late Dr. E. H. Pettengill of Saxtons River. He had been a prominent man in this town, and he had represented it in the legislature. His funeral occurred Tuesday of this

week. Edward G. Osgood was in Woodstock Monday and Tuesday attending the 190th anniversary of the establishment of the Christian denomination there. It was also the 15th anniversary of the establish-ment of the Christian Endeavor, the 25th in the world, and the 22d anniversary of the establishment of the ladies' society of the village.

It is now probable the Rutland railroad will have to bring their season's supply of ice here by train. The last freezing over of the Connecticut river proves to be a very inferior quality and cannot be used. This is an important matter for the railroad, as the refrigerator cars passing here are iced locally, and the road an-

here are iced locally, and the road annually has to put in many thousand tons.

A petition is being circulated, both in Claremont and Bellows Falls, asking the Boston & Maine railroad to run a Monday morning train from Lake Sunapee to Claremont Junction connecting with the train reaching here at 8,15 a, m. It would also connect with the mixed train for Windsor, and in that way would accommodate a large clientage of the road who would because of that be enabled to spend Sunday at the lake. spend Sunday at the lake.

George H. Moses, secretary of the New Hampshire state forest commission and editor of the Concord, N. H., Monitor, addressed an audience of about 400 people in Union hall Monday evening. His subject was "The Battle of the Forest," and it was profusely illustrated by many views of trees and forests in many views of trees and forests in many countries of the world, which clearly illustrated the Ideas which the speaker wished to convey. The lecture was given under the auspices of the Woman's club. In the call for the annual town meeting Tuesday, in addition to the routine articles, article eight is "to see if the town will vote to accept the proposed gift of Andrew Carnegie for a Free Pub-lic Library building and provide for the support of such library building." Article nine is "to see if the town will appoint a committee to accept said gift and will appoint a committee to select and secure a sits fon a free public library building and provide means therefor, not exceeding \$5000." Article 10 is "to see if the town will make changes in its system. the town will make changes in its system of caring for its poor and ar-propriate money therefor."

A critical inspection of all the hy-drants in the village has been made by the board of water commissioners during the past week under the direction of Supt. H. W. Keene. Two of the whole number of about 60 were found frozen. It happened one of these was the important one located at the north end of the Vermont Farm Machine Co.'s building and wight have caused emberges. of this size has that record for 38 years. In the year of 1800, the town of Rockingham had a population of 1684, and there were in the year 1805 682 pupils in

there were in the year 1805 582 pupils in the different schools. The number in Bellows Falls was 26, the Lawrence's Mills district 88, Rockingham village 87, Saxtons River village 75, and Cambridge-port 32. One hundred years later, in 1905, the school census shows the num-ber of pupils to be 1886, with the population by the census of 1900, 5806. Of these Bellows Falls has 1995, Saxtons River 164, Cambridgeport 28, Rockingham 11, and Lawrence's Mills 8. These figures show These figures show in a graphic way the much smaller num-ber of children per family, and shows the decadence of the rural communities

WESTMINSTER. School has closed for the spring vaca-

Nina Dawley is at home to stay a few

Miss Carrie Lyman is at home week's vacation. Mrs. L. A. Pierce and Elmer Royce are on the sick list.

H. H. Reed furnished the first new sugar of the season. W. P. Baldwin was in Keene the first of the week on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Arnold are spending the week in Boston.

The whist club met with Mr. and Mrs. Walter A. Johnson Wednesday evening. Miss Annie Carter has closed her school

and returned to her home in Quincy,

River Tuesday evening, and after supper whist and dancing were enjoyed. Fred A. Metcalf, employed as a clerk in the store of Goodnow & Pearson of Bellows Falls, formerly clerk for Mr. Bellows Falls, formerly clerk for Mr. Walker of this place, has bought from the latter the business which Mr. Walker has conducted successfully at the present stand the past II years. Mr. Metcalf is a son of George W. Metcalf of this place and a young man of sterling character and business ability. He is in every way qualified to assume the responsibilities connected with such a business. His many friends here and elsewhere extend to him their best wishes for his future prosperity and success. It is hoped that cosperity and success. It is hoped that Mr. and Mrs. Walker will decide to con-tinue their residence here. They have been identified alosely with the social life of the town and your correspondent feels that every one fully appreciates their helpfulness.

WESTMINSTER WEST. An invitation has been extended by Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Ormsby to the members of Maple Grove Grange to meet with them for a day Thursday, March 8, at 10 o'clock. Dinner will be served at noon. Subject for discussion, "Why do we fa-yor national aid for improvement of our highways?" All are expected to be ready to speak on the subject.

Feb. 22 forty members of Maple Grove Grange and their friends responded to the cordial invitation given by Mr. and Mrs. Henry Crowell to meet at their pleasant home and enjoy Washington's birthday. Many old time relics were shown that had been handed down from several generations which all were pleasant. several generations which all were pleased to see and hear their history. An excellent dinner was served by the com-

CAMBRIDGEPORT.

The March meeting of the W. C. T. U. will be held next Thursday afternoon with Mrs. George Walker. Mr. and Mrs. Wilder of Alstead. N. H., spent Sunday with Wosley Ellis. G. E. Walker returned Saturday from

Mrs. R. L. Twitchell is gaining very G. P. Alexander was in Boston the first J. F. Alexander and Arthur Ball are

Mrs. H. C. Johnson's mother of Guild, N. H., is visiting her. W. B. Glynn returned the first of the week to Waterbury, Conn.

Several from here went to Bartonsville to attend the dance last Saturday even-A few from this place attended the play

and dance in Chester last Monday evenlew York city, are at the hotel to stay few days.

The Saxtons River band is rehearding a play to be given in the near future, followed by a dance.

C. N. Smith cut one finger badly last Monday at the woolen mill. He was able o return to work the next day, Frank Dwinnell of this place was ar-rested in Bellows Falls Tuesday and aken to Newfane to serve 20 days.

Mrs. Lewis Tenney, who has been housed by illness since the first of May, was on the plazza for the first time last Thursday

A party of 30 young people from West-minster had supper at the hotel Tuesday evening. Dancing and card playing were the entertainments. The hockey team from Vermont academy went to Rutland last Saturday to play the Butland high school Saturday

evening. The game resulted in a score

of 7 to 6 in favor of Rutland. The meetings of the Vermont state oard of agriculture, held in Odd Fellows' hall Tuesday afternoon and evening, were fairly well attended in the afternoon and a large number were present in the evening. Interesting addresses were made by J. L. Hills, Gov. Bell, Dr. H. D. Holton and Ernest Hitchcock.

GRAFTON.

Mrs. E. W. Gove is spending a few

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Waterhouse visited a Reading last week. F. A. Palmer recently bought the old churn shop of E. H. Clarke.

Mrs. Florence Thompson is spending week with Miss May Thompson. Eugene White has moved from the Randlett house to F. Park's house by the river.

The next meeting of the W. C. T. U. will be with Mrs. S. T. Leonard March 7, Miss Marguerite Merrifield is at hom

from her school in Fitchburg, Mass., for a short vacation. town meeting day.

the last two weeks. Miss Margaret Day of Bellows Falis

John A. Pettengill died at his home

Saturday after a week's illness. The funeral was held Tuesday afternoon. George Aldrich has returned after a year's absence and has taken rooms in F. A. Palmer's shop, where he will do hotographic work. Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Jellison of West

Clarence J. Ferguson of Burlington, superintendent of the Anti-Saloon league.

will speak at a union service in the Bap-tist church next Sunday morning. The many friends of Mrs. C. E. Walker,

went to Bellows Falls in December.

Those from out of town who attended the funeral of J. A. Pettengill Tuesday were Mrs. Pettengill, Miss Helen Pettengill and Edward Pettengill of Saxtons gill and Edward Pettengill, jr., of Middle-bury and Mrs. H. R. Church and her son, bury and Mrs. H. R. Church and her son. bury and Mrs. H. R. Church and her son. Harry, of New York city.

The Canadian government sustained loss of \$1,000,000 by fire which destroyed the plant of the Intercolonial railroad in Moncton, N. B., Saturday. Over 1000 men were thrown out of employment.

Gov. McLane has asked the supreme court of New Hampehire for an opinion as to the right of the owners of the race track at Salem to permit or countenance pool selling, bookmaking and betting on races.

Prof. Samuel B. Langley, 72, secretary of Smithsonian institute in Washington and known throughout the world as a scientist, died Tuesday at Alken, S. C. His work covered a wide range of sub-jects, and in recent years he had experimented with an aeroplane down the Potemac river a short distance from Washington, but the flights of his airship

lways resulted disastrously. Alcides Peltier, 34, was charging the furnace in the Page Boller company's foundry in Exeter, N. H., Saturday, when he fell forward directly into the furnace loor. Several workmen rushed to his assistance, but before they could pull him away his head and the upper part of his body were burned beyond recognition. Physicians think the fall may have been caused by a shock or heart disease. He leaves a wife and four small children.

Mont Pelee is again active and the in-abitants of Martinique are in terror, fearing a recurrence of the great eruption of four years ago. Several people have been struck by failing rocks thrown up by the volcano, and many residents have fied to shelter behind the mountains to the southward. A large number of houses in Martinique have been destroyed by earthquakes. The shocks have been violent in several of the islands of the West Indies.

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Chase W. Thurston, 42, who lived alone in a small house in Exeter, N. H., lost his life in a peculiar manner Sunday. The police thought at first that he was a victim of foul play, but on close examination were satisfied that he caused his own death accidentally. They think he awoke with the idea that an intrduer was in his room and that he fired his revolver at an imaginery object. Five bullets were found embedded in the wall. It is thought that the fiash of the revolver ignited Thurston's clothing. The upper part of his body was badly burned, and the part of his body was badly burned, and the woodwork of the room was charred The medical examiner found that death was

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WILLIAMSVILLE

Death of Dennis A. Dickinson. Dennis A. Dickinson died at the home f his daughter, Mrs. F. P. White, in this liage Monday afternoon. He was born i Dummerston March 12, 1819, one of the In Dummerston March 12, 1819, one of the five children of Dayld and Rachel Knight Dickinson. The family came to Newfane in 1876 and in the public schools of the town the children received their education. In his early manhood Mr. Dickinson established a cabinet and wheelwright business, which he conducted for several years. He was married Feb. 23, 1845, to Mary C., daughter of Capt. Aaron C. Robinson, and two years later the couple went to live at the Robinson farm, one half mile east of the village. Here they lived more than half a century, erecting a set of commodious farm buildings and so improving the place that it higs and so improving the place that it was regarded as the best in town. Here Mrs. Dickinson died Dec. 19, 1897, ending a wedded relationship particularly congenial and bayes.

a wedded relationship particularly congenial and happy.

Soon after the death of his wife Mr. Dickinson came to live in the home of his daughter, Mrs. White, in this village, where the wants of his last years have been tenderly and lovingly ministered to. The funeral was held in the Universalist church Thursday afternoon. Rev. F. L. Masseck of Brattleboro officiating. The burial was in the village cemetery. Besides his daughter, Imogene, wife of Dr. burial was in the village cemetery. Besides his daughter, Imogene, wife of Dr.
P. P. White, Mr. Dickinson is survived
by one son, Aaron C. of Canon City,
Colo.; aiso by a brother, Dana D. Dickinson, of this village. The deceased
brothers and sisters were Artemas and
Joel E. Dickinson, and Maria, wife of
Dwight Ingram.

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Mr. Dickinson was a member of the Universalist church in this village from the time of its organization until his death, was active in its support and for a long time was leader of the church choir. He had been prominently identified with the public affairs of his town and neighborhood. During his active life he was interested and associated with all the various movements tending to prohe was interested and associated with all the various movements tending to promote community improvement. He served for a considerable time as lister of the town and in 1870 was elected town clerk, which office he held for 33 years, and until the infirmities of advancing years compelled him to lay down its duties. He was justice of the peace for a long time and was constantly called upon in that capacity to draw deeds and other documents. He was much interested in the success of the Windham County Savings bank and served for a long time as a corporator of that institution. The public records of the town for a third of a century bear witness on every page to the century bear witness on every page to the methodical and painstaking traits which characterized all the work of his busy

Mrs. Frank Perry is visiting in Jamalca.

The ladies of the Congregational Remson Hendrickson of Cedarhurst, Laburch will serve dinner at the chapel L. is a guest of C. W. Freyenhagen. Rev. F. L. Masseck will preach in the W. E. Prouty has been so unfortunate Universalist courch next Tuesday even-as to lose three of his team horses within ing at 7.45.

The junior Y. P. C. U. will give an en-tertainment at Schoolhouse hall Wednesspent a few days with Miss Marguerite day evening, March 7.
Merrifield last week.

Miss Fannie Pettengill of Saxtons River was called here last week by the illness of her uncle, J. A. Pettengill.

Among those reported on the sick list this week are Mrs. O. L. Sherman, C. H. Dickinson and Mrs. A. M. Merrifield. Mr. and Mrs. Everett Wilcox of Green-field and Mr. and Mrs. S. Washer and Chester Washer of Dummerston spent Tuesday with F. B. Washer.

There will be a dance at Schoolhouse hall next Friday evening, March 9. Weeden's orchestra wil furnish music and the ladies will serve supper.

Miss Nellie Dickinson attended the presentation of a drama at West Towns-Lynn. Mass., came here last week to arrange for their auction, which was held Wednesday afternoon.

Description of a drama at West Townsherd last Friday evening and remained over Sunday with Hortense Switzer.

Culleri Lamson has bought the Charles Kelsey place in South Newfane and will move there soon, so as to make sugar this spring. We are sorry to lose such people from our village. who is spending the winter with her son.

E. L. Walker, are glad to know that her health has greatly improved since she went to Bellows Falls in December.

The junior Epworth league held a social at the parsonage Tuesday afternoon and evening. The juniors have been passing jugs to raise money and at this time

SOUTH LONDONDERRY.

Epworth League Rally.

Feb. 25, Epworth League day, was observed at the Methodist church and devoted to the interest of Chapter No. devoted to the interest of Chapter No. 2467 Epworth League, South Londonderry Methodist Episcopal church. Services consisted of an organ voluntary, singing by choir, apostles' creed, prayer by the pastor, an original poem, "God has spoken good concerning his people," by John Landman, singing by choir. The president of the league, Mrs. Mabel Howard, then entertained the audience by reading a poem, "Mantle and Spirit, or the Model Epworth League," by Rev. A. J. Hough, one of the conference poets, after which eight new members were added to the eight new members were added to the

Twenty-eight persons responded to the roll call. L. T. Landman responded for the church in greeting the chapter and the junior league were invited to be seated with the league as a mark of honor. Mrs. Music Skinner is superintendent of this department and much credit is due her for the faithful and loving work she has devoted to it. The church and Epworth league highly appreciate her services. Other members of the church responded with hearty and helpful words for the good work that is being done by the young people's societies all over the world. Some letters of encouragement and good cheer were read from original charter members who now are living other places, which were an inspiration. After singing two hymns a few re-marks were made by the paster and two verses of "Blest be the tle that binds" were sung. The pledge was recited in oncert, closing with the Epworth bene-

Izette Rowley is working in the family f W. W. Heald. Will Lilley is running the mill for Hapgood and Millington.

A. W. J. Wilkins of Brattleboro has been in town this week. Scott Rounds has moved from Weston to the Randall house on Church street. Mrs. Orrin Stowell and little-son of Brattleboro visited in town over Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Lawrence of Chester were guests at O. R. Clayton's on Saturday.

The Methodist ladies' aid society served one of their excellent dinners at Par-sonage hall Wednesday,

Miss Meritta Davis, who has been spending several weeks here, returned Tuesday to her home in Landgrove. Several from here attended the dance at the north village last week Thursday evening and a few went to a dance at Simonsville the same evening.

Rev. W. M. Newfon will preach in the Methodist church Sunday, March 4, at 7 p. m. A good congregation is desired, as it is to be an evangelistic union ser-

a cow and a sheep during the past week. In some way the cow got her head caught and either choked to death or broke her Rev. F. E. Coburn and Mrs. S. M. Hol-den are attending the evangelistic meet-ings in Brattleboro this week. Mrs. A. H. Holden also is spending a few days in Emittleboro.

The junior league held a Washington Birthday party at the paraonage hall Thursday evening. Casper Landman personated George Washington and Ethel Melendy, Martha Washington. Other members of the league gave appropriate readings and regitations, making an interesting program. Cake and coffee were served.

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NORTHFIELD, MASS. body of Mrs. Patrick Murphy was ought here for burial on Monday from insidale. Mrs. Murphy was a former sident of the town.

John Harris of Colrain accompanied by his fiancee, Miss Jessie Eddy of Conway, has been the guest of Mr. Harris's uncle, I. M. Harris of this place.

Pearl Smith, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Smith, passed away on Tues-day after a long and most distressing ill-ness. She is survived by her parents and two brothers. The funeral was held on

The body of Mrs. Julia Barry Carroli of Millers Falls was brought here for burial on Monday of this week. She was a sister of Mrs. Daniel O'Keefe of this place and was a resident of the town for several years at one time. She is re-membered here by many friends and neighbors as a most estimable woman. The fifth number of the Northfield Free

lecture course will be given on Monday next, instead of Tuesday, as advertised in the prospectus, the change being due to mistake on the part of the company coming. The entertainment will be a con-cert by the American Jubilee Singers containing a male quartet, mixed quartet, octet, chorus and a reader. Some of these singers were members of the famous Fisk Jubilee singers so widely known through

cuses were held on Friday and Saturday nights and were quiet and harmonious. Both caucuses nominated the board of selectmen, A. W. Proctor, S. C. Holton and Frank Montague, the same school committee, Mrs. Nellie M. Wood; town clerk and treasurer, Warren J. Wright. Some of the assessors were the same in both caucuses, so there is lit-tle promise of contest in the town meet-ing. Dinner will be served at noon next Monday in the town hall dining room.

CHESTERFIELD, N. H.

ly ill, is improving.

lives in Keene, as her guest a few days. Bert Davis is making a last call with his gasoline engine, demolishing the wood Eimer Colburn sustained a painful in-

jury a few days ago while chopping, the ax cutting a gash in his leg near the knee. He will be housed several days. The school and town warrants have been posted. The most important articles are to see if the town will rote to discontinue the police judge's salary, and to see if the town will vote to raise money for a schoolhouse to be built at West

WEST CHESTERFIELD, N. H. The ladies' society met with Mrs. G. F. Amidon Thursday afternoon, Lumbermen have been compelled to give up their sleds and to take to wheels in

The pastor being away no services were held here or at the church in West-moreland last Sunday. Miss Emma Hutchins of the Northfield seminary has been spending a vacation of a few days with her parents.

Mrs. Ira Farr has been in Putney the past week caring for her daughter's family, who are ill with numps. N. G. Colburn and Frank Jackson are at work in Dummerston and Putney with their gasoline engine sawing up the

numerous wood plies. special meeting of Spofford Grange will be held Friday evening to practice the first degree. The next regular meeting will be held Saturday evening, March 10. George Brown and family expect to leave their farm soon and to move to Brattleboro. Mrs. Brown will remain at Mr. Stacey's some time before beginning housekeeping again, and Mr. Brown will be at work with his team around a lumber mill near the Marlboro line.

Thirty-five members of the Grange h visited Evening Star Grange in Dummers-ton Thursday evening of last week and furnished the entertainment. An excelfurnished the entertainment. An excel-lent supper was served by the home Grange to the visitors, who arrived here in the small hours after having an excellent time.

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FRANK J. CHENEY.
Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1886.
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JACKSONVILLE

Miss Ethel Chase is visiting in Brat-W. A. Wilcox came home Tuesday to stay a few days.

Miss Hazel Coombs is working in the wallet shop in Athol. Mass. The Methodist ladies will furnish din-ner at Grange hall town meeting day. Now you see it, now you don't—that is the way of sugaring this season so far. Arthur B. Chase is moving to his new home, bought of F. A. Farrington, known

as the Putnam Pierce farm. Rev. I. H. Beman stayed Tuesday night at Lawyer Butterfield's on his way to the religious meetings in Brattleboro. Saturday evening, March 10, at 7 o'clock bids will be received at the creamery for gathering cream the c

Mrs. Luella A. Lake, who has been in Massachusetts and New York with her children two months, returned home

The directors of the North River cream-ery declared a dividend last Saturday of 25 cents per pound for butter fat furnished in January Charles F. Brown of Roberts, Ill., made

a brief visit East recently to look after some property he hoped to buy. He has returned home.

Miss Estella E, Butterfield finished a 15 weeks' term in the high school, this village, last Friday and visited in Saxtons River from Saturday to Tuesday.

Miss Mary J. Coombs closed her school in No. 6 after a successful term of 11 weeks. Pupils not absent or tardy were Bessie Bishop, Albert Bryant, Clyde Hastings, Jennie Hamilton, Harold Burn-ham, Joseph Williams, Ralph Williams. Town meeting will be held next Tuesday at the Glen House hall, Jacksonville. There is much important business to be attended to. As yet we have not heard what the slate is to be, but we understand

that the present treasurer will not accept that office another year. that office another year.

When we consider that the average length of life is about 36 years, when people of 50 and 81 years die, we seem to have been connected to the past. Sally S. Bliss, who died Sunday morning. Feb. 18, was born in Readsboro 80 years ago. She was the daughter of Caristopher Shippee. She married Osmyn Bliss and lived in the south part of the town. Her husband died 30 years ago and since then husband died 30 years ago and since then she had lived with her daughter. Mrs. Charles H. Waste. She was a true wife and loving mother, a life-long Universalist. There was a large attendance at the funeral, at which Rev. Margaret Barbard of Rowe officiated. Build have little.

pard of Rowe officiated. Burlal was in the Cutting cemetery. Two daughters re-main of her family, Mrs. C. H. Waste and Mrs. E. M. Thayer of Chesterfield, Mass.

Ozias D. Kingsley, who died Monday. Feb. 19, was born in Guilford S1 years ago. By occupation he was a wheelwright, religiously he was a Universalist and he faithfully attended the services of that church. Socially he was a Free Mason, formerly having been a member of Social lodge of Wilmington, but for several years a member and regular attendant of Unity lodge of this place. The funeral was held at the Universalist church. The Masonic fraternity attended in a body. The body was placed in a tomb in Guilford and will be buried in the spring with Masonic services. Besides the aged widow there are left one son. Otis W., and three daughters, Mrs. Jennie Graham of Ogden, Utah, Mrs. Stilla Green of Wilmington and Mrs. Lutie Knowlton of Brattleboro

Harry Wiley is visiting at O. R. Chase's

Knowlton of Brattleboro

Mrs. L. S. Brown has been having serious trouble with her eyes.

The dancing school will be held Tueslay instead of Friday evening. Henry Sumner of Orange, Mass., was guest at C. S. Chase's over Sunday.

H. A. Wheeler was in North Adams Wednesday to see his wife, who is still in the hospital there.

The Green Mountain club was organis-

Hugh Putnam and his father came from Wardsboro Centre last week. Hugh went to Bennington with C. S. Chase Wednesday, returned Friday, and left Saturday for his home in Wardsboro.

Miss Marion Howe is visiting in Provi-

Mrs. Will Yeaw and Louise Hale are in the sick list. Several have been attending the evangelistic meetings in Brattleboro this

week. George Randall and two of his grandchildren, Raymond and Walter Halladay, left Tuesday for a visit with relatives in Somerville, Boston and Providen They will be gone about two weeks.

There will be an interesting meeting in Canaan district schoolhouse Wednesday evening, March 7, also one in the schoolhouse at Brookside Thursday evening, March 8. All living in those communities are cordially invited.

A fine entertainment was given in the Baptist church Thursday evening. The children took their parts in a highly creditable manner, showing thorough drilling. Mrs. Leach and several of the children responded to encores. We hope to be favored again in a similar manner

DUMMERSTON. Mrs. George Sheldon and daughter are isiting Mrs. Jennie Patch. Miss Mildred Halladay has been visitng her aunt, Mrs. Augusta Bennett. Alonzo Bradley tapped part of his sugar

lot this week and was successful in getting making active preparations for a good season. The citizens' ticket for nomination of town officers contains the following names: For moderator, Lewis H. Lynde; town clerk, Adin F. Miller; first constable. Frank O. Downs; selectmen, John F. Houghton, W. W. Burnett, Henry D. Blood; road commissioner, Leon F. Crosby; school directors, A. O. Norcross

for three years, S. C. Betterley for one year. The ladies of Evening Star Grange met with Mrs. M. E. Brown Feb. 22 and or-ganized an auxiliary to the order to be known as the Grange Benefit society. Of-ficers: President, Mrs. Emma L. Downs; vice president, Mrs. S. B. Craddock; secretary and treasurer, Mrs. J. W. Patch; business committee, Mrs. M. F. Brown, Mrs. Ella J. Blood, Mrs. Jennie Fisher. The next meeting will be held with Mrs. Emma Downs, March 8. All the Grange

indies are cordially invited to join.

W. B. Leonard cut his hand seriously while chopping. Mr. and Mrs. Wilcox of Greenfield visited recently at S. T. Washer's. Mrs. Walter Burnham is in Greenfield caring for her father, who is very ill.

Mrs. Mary Cone, Mrs. Jane Huntley and Mrs. Wilkins, all of whom have been on the sick list, are improving.

The Baptist society will hold a meeting at the parsonage Monday evening, March 5, to elect officers for the coming year.

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H. A. Wheeler was in North Adams quickly from a chair a sharp pain would guickly g heavy pain across the back, so bad at take me across the kidneys and extend Some of the sugar orchards were tapped during the warm, spring-like weather frequent headaches, and a cold always been very cold since then. The entertainment at the church Thursday evening was enjoyed by a large and procured a box at F. H. Holden's with hatchets tied with blue.

Doan's Kidney Pills highly recommended and procured a box at F. H. Holden's drug store. They proved to be just what ed Thursday evening. Another meeting will be held at the hall Saturday evening. It is hoped there will be a large at-I needed and I noticed an improvement every way. I know of many of my friends who have used Doan's Kidney Pills with

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