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THE PRESS. THE THOMPSONVILLE PRESS will be for sale at John Hunter's, and by news boys, every Friday evening. Copies folded ready for mailing can also be had at Hunter's or at this office.

Political news of the week of most interest to us of New England, is the election of a clean Republican ticket in Vermont with a larger majority than was expected—25,000 at least, and probably more.

CONGRESSMEN. First District—Charles H. Joyce of Rutland. Second District—James M. Tyler of Brattleboro.

The New Hampshire Republicans, in convention on Tuesday, nominated Chas. H. Bell, of Exeter, for Governor.

The unparalleled hot weather of last week, and the early part of this, has held the visitors at the mountains and seaside resorts later than usual, but for the last three days conveyances have been crowded to their utmost capacity.

Most of the churches are again under charge of their regular pastors, though some still linger at Chataqua or at Mr. Moody's convocation. It is said, however, that many of the ministers look a little askance at the Northfield meeting; certain it is that some of the utterances there are rather enigmatical.

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FAHEY—in Enfield, September 5, 1880, Catherine Fahy, aged 70 years.

The Home. We take great pains from week to week, to give our readers the best recipes we can find, either in our exchanges or in books on the culinary art, and mean to insert none but those coming from the best sources.

APPLE CREAM.—Peel and core five large apples; boil them in a little water till soft enough to press through a sieve, sweeten, and beat with the whites of five eggs. Serve with cream poured around them.

ZEST TO COAX THE APPETITE.—Citric acid, in fine powder, one ounce; cayenne pepper, half an ounce; nutmeg, finely grated, the eighth of an ounce; table salt, a quarter of an ounce. Mix them intimately, and put into well corked bottles. It may be taken with fish, or fowl; with plain boiled eggs, or bachelor's bread and cheese.

BAKED TOMATOES.—There are a great many different ways of preparing tomatoes for the table, but I know of none more appetizing than the following. Select good sized tomatoes, remove a small portion, fill each one with a seasoning of salt, pepper, and a little sugar and butter, with just enough water to cook. Place in a baking pan, and when almost done dissolve a tea-spoonful of corn starch in a small quantity of water, and pour over the tomatoes.—Maryland.

RAISED DOUGHNUTS.—Three cups of milk, two cups of sugar, one cup of lard, two eggs, salt, nutmeg, and yeast. This makes a large quantity; half of it will make a large milkpan full.—N. Y. S.

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United Presbyterian Church. Rev. C. L. McCracken, Pastor. Sabbath services at 10.30 a. m. and 6 p. m.

Methodist Episcopal Church. Rev. W. H. Starr, Pastor. Sabbath services at 10.30 a. m. and 7 p. m.

St. Andrew's (Episcopal) Church. Rev. D. P. Sanford, D. D., Rector. Rev. D. L. Sanford, Ass't Minister. Sabbath services at 10.30 a. m. and 7 p. m.

Universalist Church. Rev. M. W. Tabor. Sabbath services at 10.30 a. m. and 7 p. m.

St. Patrick's (Roman Catholic) Church. Rev. J. A. Mulcahy, Pastor. Sabbath services at 10.30 a. m. and 7 p. m.

First Congregational Church, Enfield St. Rev. G. W. Winch, Pastor. Sabbath services at 11 a. m. and 7.30 p. m.

Catholic Apostolic Church, Enfield St. Elder in charge, Rev. S. J. Andrews, D. D. Ministers, Rev. D. H. Thayer, Horace E. Burt, and Rev. J. H. Goodell.

Baptist Church. Rev. J. R. Stubbert, Pastor. Sabbath services at 10.30 a. m. and 7 p. m.

First Congregational Church. Rev. Charles Symington, Pastor. Sabbath services at 10.30 a. m. and 7 p. m.

Episcopal Church. Rev. G. W. Lincoln, Pastor. Sunday services at 10.30 a. m. and 6 p. m.

St. Mary's Roman Catholic Church. Rev. M. F. Kelly, Pastor. First Mass at 8 a. m. Second Mass at 10.30 a. m.

The Farm. SAVING SEEDS.—While it may be very desirable to save the first seeds of some of our vegetables, such as sweet corn, peas and beans, it is not best to make such a selection from all kinds.

TRAINING DAIRY COWS.—In a business like dairying, where so much depends upon the quantity and the quality of the milk, the owner will inevitably lose money, and eventually go to the wall, unless special care is exercised in the selection of the cows.

TO RENOVATE OLD MEADOWS.—Old meadows may be quickly renovated by cutting up with a disk harrow, then applying a good coat of fine manure and seeding with timothy and clover.

HORSE'S FEET.—Long exposure to wet and mud at this time of year frequently produces cracks and other troubles in horse's feet. The prevention is in keeping the feet clean by frequently washing and wiping dry with a coarse cloth.

WHETHER? "Whither long you with longing eye?" "I search for trace Of my home on high."

WHICH LOVED BEST? "I love you mother," said little John; "And then forgetting his work he cap went on, And he was off to the garden swing, And left her the water and wood to bring."

WHICH LOVED BEST? "I love you mother," said little John; "To-day I will help you all I can; How glad I am that school doesn't keep!"

WHICH LOVED BEST? "I love you mother," said little John; "So she rocked the baby till it fell asleep, Then, stepping softly, she brought the broom, And swept the floor and tidied the room; Busy and happy all day was she, Helpful and happy a child could be."

WHICH LOVED BEST? "I love you mother," said little John; "Three little children going to bed, How do you think that mother guessed Which of the little ones loved her best?"

WHICH LOVED BEST? "I love you mother," said little John; "The Philadelphia says that Arthur Garfield Wright is the name of a Philadelphia baby. He is to be President but he will always be right. And if the press handles him as added he would be Wright."

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Sunshine for Little Hearts. Well, my little friends, the month with the "R" in it so dreaded by bad boys and big oysters is again here.

TO REMOVE NITRATE OF SILVER STAINS.—Dr. Kracker, of Leipzig, proposes, as a sure and efficient remedy, cyanide in removing stains made by nitrate of silver, the following: Ammonium chloride, 10 grams; corrosive sublimate, 10 grams; distilled water, 100 c.c.

MAGIC POLISHING CLOTHS.—For some time past there have been sold in Europe, as polishing cloths, square pieces of calico, with which metallic articles could be polished and cleaned without the intervention of other substances.

REPAIRS ARE IN PROGRESS ON THE LOOMIS SEMINARY. The building has been turned around so that now the entrance fronts the street. It will be ready for the next term, which begins Wednesday.

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THE BARBER, THE TAILOR, THE DOCTOR, THE DENTIST, THE BOOKKEEPER, and a few other professionals, all happened in at the doctor's office a few days since to witness the extraction of a tooth from the horse.

THE OFFICERS OF THE N. Y. N. H. & H. R. R. have decided that bicycle riders who take their machines on the train with them must pay for freight on them; they cannot go as baggage.

THE NEW PASSENGER DEPOT WAS MOVED HERE FROM ROCKVILLE ON PLATFORM CARS SUNDAY, AUGUST 29th. A gang of twenty-three men, under the charge of Road Master Hills, removed switches, whistling posts, etc. At Scantic bridge the building was raised several feet in order that the sides of the bridge could be passed.

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Charlie Campbell had a brother, Walter, and two sisters, Mary and Martin. Charlie was not always so considerate for his brother as he ought to have been, and both of them tried the tempers of their sisters in variety of ways.

THE METRIC SYSTEM IN COINS.—It may not be generally known that we have, in the nickel five-cent piece of our coinage, a key to the metric system.

Principal W. I. Twitchell has returned to his duties in the high school after a year's absence, during which he has been ill with rheumatic troubles.

There is a general sneaking up among the mills J. R. Montgomery is having his remodeled cotton-warp mill newly painted and otherwise improved.

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After the children had returned from school, Charlie was playing with his Noah's ark, when Walter wanted it.

LUBRICATORS.—The efficiency of lathes, scroll saws, sewing machines, and even the common bicycle, depends upon the judgment and skill in selecting a lubricant.

Repairs are in progress on the Loomis seminary. The building has been turned around so that now the entrance fronts the street.

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LOCALS.

The Democrats have organized a Hancock and English club and met weekly at the Town Hall.

VILLAGE NOTICES.

Mr. S. F. Bronson, representing the Hartford Life and Annuity Insurance Co. is lecturing in this village.

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The Great World.

The governor of Louisiana has refused to call an extra session of the legislature, asked by the tax-payers' association and a small number of the democratic state central committee, on the ground that the state finances would thereby be embarrassed.

The heaviest continuous rain seen in the section about Danville, Va., is falling. Reports from the country show that the rain is general, and there are apprehensions of great damage to the tobacco crop in the fields and from the overflow of the streams.

The New Orleans cotton exchange has appointed Mike Farrell, a well known detective, chief of a night watch patrol of about 100 men to guard the cotton sheds from fire and to prevent the cotton from being piled up on the levee, in hopes to prevent fires and to fully protect commerce.

Congressman G. C. Cabell quarreled with Mr. Stovall, the readjuster candidate for his seat, during a joint discussion at Lynchburg, Va., Tuesday, and Stovall was struck over the head with a pistol by one of Cabell's relatives and seriously hurt. Cabell was hit on the head several times with a club.

The boiler of a mill on Lowenberg's place, Lake Concordia, Miss., exploded Wednesday, killing William Poole, and severely, probably fatally, scalding four negroes.

The general traveling passenger agents of the United States and Canada met in their eighth annual session at Buffalo Wednesday, the attendance being larger than at any previous convention.

A funeral procession at Oxford, Ind., found itself without a minister when the grave was reached. After an embarrassing delay, a ragged tramp, who was passing by on a railroad track, stopped, announced that he was a clergyman, and, the mourners consenting, proceeded with the services, conducting them to the satisfaction of all.

OVER \$1,000,000 LOSS IN NEW YORK.

The Manhattan market, between Thirty-fourth and Thirty-fifth streets and extending from Eleventh avenue to North river, New York, was burned at midnight Wednesday; loss to 200 stand owners \$1,000,000; loss on building also very heavy. Michael Dalton, keeper of a slaughter house in the market, also loses heavily. T. B. Clarke's large hay establishment near by was on fire at last accounts and expected to go.

\$70,000 LOSS IN THE NEW JERSEY STATE PRISON.

Fire did \$70,000 worth of damage in the New Jersey state prison, at Trenton, Wednesday. A. J. Diberi & Co.'s shoe shop, with the machinery and a large part of their stock, was burned; loss, \$40,000; insurance, \$18,000. In the laundry 80,000 shirts and the machinery were damaged \$15,000 worth. McKnight & Co.'s shoe shop lost \$5000. Loss to the state, \$10,000. Three hundred convicts will be out of work for three months.

A TOWN PARTLY BURNED AND FOUR PERSONS PERISH.

Forest fires have burned part of Upton, P. Q., causing much excitement and hair-breadth escapes, and burning out seventy-five families, representing nearly 400 persons. Pierre, Joseph and Telesphore Currier, father, son and grandson, were burned to death, and Xavier Boisseau was fatally burned. Loss to property, \$100,000.

Palmdo's hotel, at Oakland, Cal., was burned Wednesday. Loss, \$50,000.

INDIANS CAPTURE A STAGE AND KILL THREE MEN.

Indians captured a stage sixteen miles from Fort Cummings, N. M., Monday, and killed Alexander Lebin, the driver, and two passengers, Isaac Roberts of New York and E. S. Madden of Fort Bowie. Pursuing troops overtook the Indians Tuesday and had a short fight, in which one soldier and two Indian scouts were killed and two soldiers were severely wounded. The Indian casualties are not known. It is doubtful if they can be overtaken.

A FATAL SHOOTING AFFRAY.

A fatal shooting affray occurred on the Utah Southern train Wednesday just before it left the depot at Salt Lake City, between Dr. Suedecker, formerly of Lexington, Ky., and a Scotchman named R. T. Smith, long a denizen of the vicinity and engaged chiefly in mining. Suedecker was killed and Smith is dying. They quarreled about a woman.

The eighth annual industrial exposition at Cincinnati was formally opened last Wednesday night. A letter was read from G. W. West, president of the exposition, provided the citizens would subscribe a like sum, to be put in the hands of the art museum association to establish a permanent art museum. Thomas Hughes of England made a brief address.

Advices from Santa Fe, N. M., say that at Los Raciata, a new mining camp forty miles from Santa Fe, where recently a rich rock was discovered in the foundations of houses, Jesse Martin, the prospector, who discovered the ore and "located" the mines in the principal streets, was driven from the town by the Mexican inhabitants, who dislike the notion of a large influx of miners that may be caused thereby. shafts were sunk beneath the houses and cellars, and the inhabitants are very bitter toward Martin, who was the cause of it.

R. O. Adams, the defaulting Deadwood (Dak.) postmaster, has been arrested at Fort Sully.

FATAL EXPLOSION.

The steam tug White Eawn, lying at her dock in South Amboy, N. J., blew the steam cock from her boiler Wednesday, resulting one person probably to death and otherwise injuring five persons. The force of the explosion blew overboard Capt. Byrnes and Davis, a deck hand, both saving themselves by swimming ashore. The other deck hands were violently thrown against the sides of the vessel, receiving severe injuries. From the escaping steam, Engineer Winters and Fireman Scanlon received the worst injuries. Scanlon's body is parboiled, and he is not expected to recover.

Capt. Edward Haugh, one of the executors of the will of the late Dr. William King, a medical inspector of the United States navy, Wednesday, on behalf of the estate, presented to the city of Philadelphia, through Mayor Stokely, the swords carried by Gen. Anthony Wayne in the revolutionary war and by Judge King in the war of 1812. The weapons will be placed in Independence hall.

AUCTION!

Will be sold at public auction on Saturday, October 2d, 1880, at 3 o'clock p. m., on the premises, the house and lot formerly owned and occupied by McCowan. The house is two story with L. The rooms are conveniently arranged, and the lot contains one acre of land. The building and fences are in good order. A splendid opportunity is here offered to any who desire to purchase a good home.

J. H. LYDEN, Committee. C. E. CHAFFET, JAMES T. COGGAN. Windsor Locks, Ct., Sept. 9th, 1880.

NOW IS THE TIME AND Harrison's is the Place TO BUY

Go to Harrison's for Table Linen & Napkins. Choice patterns in Red and White Table Linens.

Go to Harrison's for Towels and Crash. Towels and Crash. A good variety of Towels and Crash.

Go to Harrison's for SHAWLS! SHAWLS! SHAWLS! We offer this week and next, an especially good bargain in Shawls. Come in and see them.

Go to Harrison's for Fancy Goods, Ribbons, Laces, Edgings and Ruches. FLANNEL! White, Navy Blue and Agawam.

We open to-morrow, a new lot of Neck and Sleeve Ruffings. Worsted Suspenders. WE HAVE THEM. The best and most comfortable Suspenders ever worn.—Try a pair.

Our Unlaundered Shirts are selling fast and are giving excellent satisfaction.—Try one.

CHAS. G. HARRISON, Mrs. Simpson's Old Stand, Main Street.

Fall, 1880 For Sale!

I can now receiving my fall goods and am prepared to show a much larger stock of Dry and Fancy Goods, Boots, Shoes and Rubbers than I have ever shown in Thompsonville.

DRESS GOODS DEPARTMENT is especially attractive, and comprises the latest styles at prices ranging from 8c. to \$1.00 per yard.

Look at my Cashmeres, they are a decided bargain. FOR TRIMMINGS, I HAVE SILKS, SATINS, VELVETS, ETC.

500 yards of Ruchings, bought direct from the manufacturer. Ruffles, 1c. each, German Lace, 2c. per yd., Torchon Lace, wide, 7c. per yard.

It will pay all to look at my Linen Goods before purchasing. Shirt Fronts, 12 1-2c., 15c., 25c. and 35c. each. Linen, very fine, 50c. per yard.

Towels from 8c. to 45c. ea. The best Towel for 12 1-2c. and 15c. ever offered for the money. 4000 YARDS OF Cotton Goods, Prints, Madras Gingham, Cheviots, Etc., AT MY USUALLY LOW PRICES.

BOOTS, SHOES AND RUBBERS. Children's Shoes, 25c. per pr. Children's Shoes, 50c. per pr. Children's Shoes, 75c. per pr. Children's Shoes, \$1.10 " Children's Shoes, \$1.25 " Children's Shoes, \$1.60 " Children's Shoes, \$1.90 "

Ladies' Boots, Shoes and Rubbers, at correspondingly low prices. HENRY J. LADD, Thompsonville, Conn.

Building Lots FOR SALE! I have several desirable Building Lots which I offer for sale at reasonable prices. Also a house in process of erection, which I will sell or rent. L. P. ABBE, Thompsonville, Conn.

BRIDGE THE STORE

A. Sloane & Sons. A complete assortment of

DRY GOODS,

GROCERIES, BOOTS AND SHOES,

Crockery,

(CARPETS, &C.)

As we are constantly adding to our stock in all our various departments, we can give our patrons

Fresh Goods at all times.

For the remainder of the season we shall sell our remaining

Stock of

Dry Goods

at reduced prices, to make room for a fresh

Fall Stock.

THE BALANCE OF OUR

SUMMER GOODS,

WILL BE

LESS THAN COST

TO CLEAR THE SHELVES.

Children's all

LINEN HANDKERCHIEFS,

5 CENTS EACH.

Children's

FINE HOSE

AT LESS THAN COST.

IN

BOOTS

AND

SHOES

we are giving good bargains and full value for your money.

We shall make special prices on

SUMMER WEAR

for the balance of the season.

THE

GROCERY STOCK

will always be full of all seasonable and staple goods and sold at popular prices.

A full and fair trial will convince you that the

BRIDGE STORE

holds its own in quality of goods and for fair, honorable dealing and low prices.

COME AND SEE US.

A. SLOANE & SONS.

Pease Bros.' Column.

READ

Pease Brothers' Advertisement, NEXT WEEK.

FALL CAMPAIGN

opened at the North Store!

Having enlarged and refitted my store to make room for increased business, I will on Sept. 1st, 1880, open to the citizens of Thompsonville and vicinity, one of the largest and best appointed Country Stores in this state, stocked with English, French, German and American

Dress Goods,

of the latest patterns and designs.

Black Cashmeres,

Madras Gingham,

Percales,

Cambrics,

Laces,

Hamburgs

Ribbons,

Linens,

Muslins,

Ladies' Neck Wear

of every description.

SHAWLS

in great variety.

Flannels,

Prints,

Cottons,

a large stock of

BOOTS, SHOES

AND

Rubbers,

and one of the finest lines of

CLOTHING

ever seen in this place.

See our 4 Buttoned Cutaways.

All the novelties in

Gents' Furnishings

and

Neck Wear,

Jewelry,

Kid Gloves,

the latest fall styles in

HATS,

from Clark Brothers of Broadway.

Children's Hats a specialty.

OUR

GROCERY DEPARTMENT

is replete with all the nicest goods in the market. Both Foreign and Domestic

Canned Meats and Fish,

Lucca Oil,

Florence Cream,

Olives,

Crosse & Blackwill's Pickles,

Mushroom and Tomato Catsups,

English Sauce,

Rose Lime Juice,

Lime Juice of Champagne,

Rose Water,

Bay Rum,

Raspberry Vinegar,

Keiller's Dundee Marmalade, &c., &c.

A fine line of

Confectionary and Cigars,

and a thousand other articles in stock that we have not space enough to enumerate in this week's issue. All are cordially invited to inspect our New Store.

See Posters next week. W. CALDERWOOD, Cor. of Pleasant and Whitworth Sts.

THE ONLY PLACE TO BUY

Florida Water in bulk,

Pure Drugs & Medicines,

Fine Toilet Articles,

Perfumeries

of all kinds, including

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the finest in the world, is at

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Physician's prescriptions carefully compounded at all hours of the day or night.

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Miscellaneous.

Bringing Ships to Springfield.

GEN. ELLIS TELLS HIS BUSINESS MEN ABOUT THE PROPOSED CANAL FROM ENFIELD TO HARTFORD.

The hitherto somewhat vague ideas of the possibility of making the Connecticut river navigable between Springfield and Hartford were reduced to clear, definite form by the addresses of Gen. Theodore G. Ellis of the United States engineers and C. C. Goodrich of the Hartford and New York transportation company before the business men's association.

Gen. Ellis and Mr. Goodrich emphasized the great value of the improvement, not only to this city but to the whole upper Connecticut valley, and urged on the business men energetic action, which they think has very strong prospect of success.

Gen. Ellis has been connected with surveys made under the act of Congress since 1870, and who alluded to his surveying the river at Enfield dam 20 years ago, reviewed in detail the proposed plan of a canal on the east side of the river from Enfield falls to Hartford.

Gen. Ellis is a thick-set man of medium height, with iron-gray whiskers and hair, and keen expression of countenance, speaking in a clear, methodical way, which conveys his points directly to the hearer.

Of the several plans proposed for the improvement of navigation between Springfield and Hartford, the only feasible one, he said, is that of a canal on the east side of the river from the Enfield dam to the Hockanum river, one mile below the Hartford bar.

From the foot of the Holyoke rapids to Enfield there is a very slight fall of the river and dead water, and at Enfield there are rapids with a fall of 30 feet to Windsor Locks, in places 11 feet to the mile.

From Windsor Locks to Hartford the slope of the river is uniform, but so great as to form bars spreading diagonally across the stream. The canal as first proposed extended only around Enfield falls, entering the river again at Windsor Locks, below which point the channel was to be deepened.

The great difficulty of this part of the work has led to the project of extending the canal to Hartford. It is now proposed to have the canal begin at Enfield, with guard-lock and gates at this point, and extend about 17 miles on a slight inclination, without locks, to a spur of land between the Hockanum and Connecticut rivers, when it will be elevated above the freshets, and thence descend by three locks to the river.

the objection that the Southern road might revenge itself on those manufacturers who used the canal, by charging them exorbitant rates during the winter, Mr. Goodrich said that the manufacturer would be able to obtain his stock for the short period in which navigation is closed before winter sets in, as is now done at Hartford.

Wake Money.—A good-looking Irishman, stopping at a hotel to warm himself, inquired of the landlord, "What was the news?" The landlord, disposed to run upon him, replied, "They say the devil is dead."

1881. This is a very peculiar number. The sum of its digits is 9x9. It is divisible by 9 without a remainder. The remaining quotient consists of two prime factors, 11 and 19.

But what of it? Add the following considerations before you press an answer. Those who have cultivated the occult sciences have always held the number 9 to be possessed of great significance.

They were at a dinner party, and he remarked that he supposed she was fond of ethnology. She said she was, but she was not very well, and the doctor had told her not to eat anything but oranges.

A dabbler in literature and the fine arts, he had himself on his bar gauge, came upon a youngster a few days since, sitting upon the bank of a river, angling for gudgeons, and thus addressed him: "Adolescence, art thou not endeavoring to entice the fine tribe to engulf into their denticulated mouths a barbed hook, upon whose point is fixed a dainty allurements?"

Handsomest Colors I ever saw, where do you have your Dyeing done? AT HARMON & CO.'S Springfield Dye House, 361 Main Street, Famous Stain Remover, Best in New England.

THEIR WORK PROVES IT WILL HAVE NO OTHERS. TAILOR SHOP CONNECTED, Gents' Garments Cleaned, Dyed and Repaired. Harmon & Co.'s Famous Dye House, Best in New England.

EDWIN KING, UNDERTAKER, Will furnish COFFINS and CASKETS of all kinds, at short notice. Stine's Patent Caskets with sliding glass, always on hand.

Trunks, Trunks, Bags, Bags.

We have on hand a large stock of Trunks and Bags of the best make, bought direct from the Manufacturers, which we are selling At Low Prices.

Trunk and shawl straps on hand and made to order. Buggy, Farm and Team HARNESSSES made of the best Oak Tanned Leather.

Also a full stock of Halters, Collars, Whips, &c. Give us a call and we will try to please you.

Respectfully Yours, A. T. LORD, Main Street, Thompsonville.

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REMEMBER Blaisdell & Co's is the place to buy them.

Foreign and Domestic Fruits always on hand, at BLAISDELL & CO'S

MELONS, GREEN CORN and Vegetables of all kinds in their season, at BLAISDELL & CO'S.

FRESH FISH of all kinds. CLAMS, both opened and in shell.

Fresh Boiled Lobsters, Oysters, and all kinds of fresh SEA FOOD in their seasons, at BLAISDELL & CO'S, Main St., Thompsonville, Conn.

FOUND A FORTUNE

can be saved by visiting Franklin Hall Market, where can be found the choicest stock of Fresh Salt and Smoked Meats, to be found in any Market.

Fresh Fruits and Early Vegetables of all kinds, in their season. We keep the largest stock of Canned Fruits, Vegetables, and Bottled Goods

to be found, such as Pickles, Catsups, Mustards, Sauces, Jellies, Pepper Relish, &c., &c. German Mustard and Pickles in bulk. Soaps, Salt, Extracts, &c. Choice Butter & Fresh Eggs a specialty.

We have the largest, neatest, and best arranged Market for the business to be found. So be convinced and give us a call. You will find us located under Franklin Hall.

Your fortune is sure, so come while you can. And buy your Meats, Vegetables, &c., from Creelman. BROTHERS, FRANKLIN HALL MARKET, Pleasant St. 17-18

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RISKS procured at the Low est Rates on the following Companies: NATIONAL of Hartford, ORIENT " " CONTINENTAL " " NORTH BRITISH and MERCANTILE of London and Liverpool.

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NAILS, SHEATHING PAPERS, DOOR & WINDOW GLASS, WINDOW PULLEYS AND WEIGHTS, SASH CURDS, &c., &c.

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Come send in your orders for screens. Eat in peace and comfort. Throw open the doors and windows these warm Summer evenings and enjoy the refreshing breezes, without all sorts of bugs and flies troubling you.

We guarantee to sell at the lowest market prices, and give satisfaction in all our dealings. Main and Planing Mill at Thompsonville. Branch Yard at Windsor Locks.

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TWO Top Carriages, ON THE CELEBRATED ECLIPSE SPRINGS.

Come quick and see them. We claim that The "Eclipse" EITHER AS A Pleasure Vehicle or as a Business Wagon, has never been approached in the art of Carriage building.

It is superior to all other Wagons for its Simplicity, Fewer Parts and Pieces, Lightness, Strength and Durability. Ease of Motion, Elegance of Appearance and Style of Finish.

The Springs of the "Eclipse," are of the BEST ENGLISH CAST STEEL. Its Iron forgings are from the best brands of Norway Iron, and every piece and part is warranted to give satisfaction.

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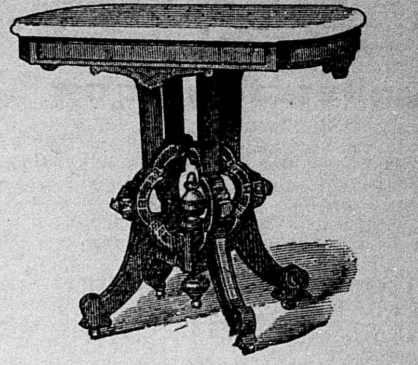
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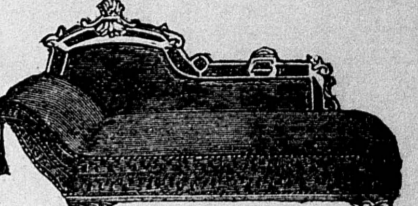
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FURNITURE, at prices guaranteed to be as low as in the cities. Goods delivered and satisfaction guaranteed.

If you want business to be good here, and feel any interest in the place you reside in, pay out your money here, when you can do so well, and that will go far towards building up our own village.

STOVES AND House-Furnishing Goods!



We have a good stock of Cooking Ranges and House Furnishing Goods. We do TIN ROOFING, and eave troughs, and all kinds of Tinner's Work, Copper, Iron, Wood and Rubber Bucket Pumps, Lead Pipe, and a large variety of Household Goods, used in every family.

Crockery, China and Glass Ware. We carry the largest stock in town—increasing. We buy no second quality goods, but always buy the best. Every piece of our White Granite and Porcelain Crockery that crazes, we replace with perfect goods free of charge.

Kerosene Oil Stoves. The best the market affords, from \$4.00 upwards.

Paints, Oil, and VARNISHES. Our trade in this line is constantly increasing. We have added to our stock from time to time, until now we have a full line of these goods. Jewett's Lead, raw and boiled Linseed Oil, Turpentine, Japan, Colors in Oil, Masury's Colors in Japan, and Parrot's celebrated Varnishes for carriage work. Johnston's Kalsomine, Domestic Paints in small cans for family use, in all colors. French Zinc, Lime for Whitewashing. Gold Leaf and all other articles in this line. Also a complete line of Paint, Varnish and Whitewash brushes.

Wadsworth, Martinez & Longman's Prepared Paint. We have sold an immense quantity of this Paint, not far from 9,000 gallons.

WALL PAPER. A full stock of Gold Bronze, Satin, Flats or Grommets, common Papers, and Borders to match. We took up this branch a year ago and our sales of business one our anticipation. You have far exceeded our city. We have good don't need to go to the city. We have good patterns, good quality, and prices on an average lower than in the city. Any pattern that may be wanted that we will get, and try to please all.

SMITHS' AMERICAN ORGAN. A beautiful Organ with eleven stops, perfect in tone and workmanship. Warranted five years, for the low price of \$115.00 in installments, or \$100.00 cash. It is the best organ in the market for the money.

Baby Carriages. A full assortment of these necessary articles in all the different styles. Also Boys' Wagons and Carts.

Carpet Sweepers. The LADIES' FRIEND Carpet Sweeper is just splendid. It makes no dust, sweeps clean and is actually cheaper to buy than brooms. Price \$2.50. Any one can take one and try it and return it if not satisfactory.

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