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READING NOTICES.

Two Sail Boats for sale cheap; also boats to let, by Hugh Hilditch.

Looking over Straw Hats in town, we find that William Hilditch has a very good assortment.

WATERBURY'S FEAR—Many persons, especially parents, object to many quack nostrums as likely to engender or encourage a love for strong drink.

SCISSORS AND SHEARS!

We have just added to our stock a full line of NICKEL-PLATED SCISSORS AND SHEARS.

These are the long days of the year. The strawberry harvest is now at its best.

The glorious Fourth week from Saturday.

R. D. Spencer's store will remain closed during the entire day Thursday.

Reports of attendance of the scholars of the various schools will be published in our next issue.

Two promising young ladies of this village, Miss Maggie Higgins and Miss Martha Dongall, sailed from New York, Saturday, for a short visit with old friends in Scotland.

We learn with pleasure that F. B. Mitchell, late principal of the high school of this place and who lately graduated from the Yale law school, was to-day admitted to the bar.

Superintendent L. A. Upson takes possession of his very fine new residence, built after the Queen Anne style, this week.

N. P. Palmer photographed the interior of the new Methodist church showing the grand floral display prepared for Children's Sunday.

Mrs. John Clark, who has been in a rather poor state of health for some time past, is reported as in a very serious condition.

The afternoon session at the High school will be suspended in order that the scholars may attend the funeral of Herbert D. Spencer, a member of the class of '86, who was drowned Tuesday afternoon.

The programme for the concert at Franklin Hall, Friday evening of this week, promises a treat for all lovers of good music.

Horace K. Brainard was chosen superintendent of the First Presbyterian Sunday-school last Thursday evening in place of Rev. F. S. Barnum, who declined the burden longer.

Last Monday night George McLeish was awakened by the barking of his dog, and yet he did not go out to see what was the trouble.

The dam at the North mill—Wiseman's mill—is undergoing repairs and in fact is being put into shape in a business-like way by a wheelwright from Springfield.

Thomas Bailey Aldrich, editor of the Atlantic Monthly, has recently received a legacy of \$70,000.

Cold weather is reported in England, and the potato crop is thought to be badly damaged there by untimely frosts.

An exchange says "General Rosecrans is the democratic dark horse for 1888."

Nilson says she never tires of hearing herself sing. Fortunately, she can say the same thing about other people who hear her sing.

Boston boasts a two-years-old boy named Ernest R. Howe who can distinguish 48 tones and repeat over 20 airs in his infantile way.

A resident of Waldoboro, Me., who was confined in Dartmoor prison in the war of 1812, still does good service with his hoe this summer.

The "Great Wild West" show (Buffalo Bill's) will be in Hartford for two days, about the middle of July.

Australia is reported to have lost forty-four thousand millions of dollars from pleuro-pneumonia, introduced by a single cow that was supposed to have recovered.

Death came to the relief of Loren H. Pease, Jr., son of Dr. L. H. Pease of this place last Friday afternoon.

The exercises of the forty-eighth anniversary of Mount Holyoke Seminary will take place on Thursday, the annual address being by Rev. F. D. Huntington, D. D., Bishop of New York.

Ernest Redbug, an ex-Mexican war veteran and the oldest member of the Grand Army of the Republic in the United States, died at Vancouver, Wyoming territory, on Wednesday, aged 91 years.

Prof. C. V. Riley says that the seventeen and thirteen-year locusts make their appearance together, this year, for the first time in 221 years.

Now that Gen. Grant has reached Mt. McGregor, "visiting delegations" might have the good sense to send in their regrets and sympathies and not intrude on his time, or his strength, with their presence.

The ushers who acted at a wedding held in Baltimore two years ago were the pall bearers at the funeral of the bride last week, and invitations to attend the funeral were sent out to all who had been invited to the wedding.

Presented with a Seaside Cottage.

Of course, a man ought not to look a gift horse in the gable end, but if my friends don't know me better than to build me a summer cottage and throw in odd windows that nobody else wanted, and then dand it up with colors that they have bought at auction and applied to the house after dark with a shotgun, I think it is time we had a better understanding.

It is neither Florentine, Roman nor Venetian. Any man can originate such a style of architecture if he will drink the right kind of whiskey long enough, and then describe his feelings to an amanuensis.

The house, taken as a whole, looked to me like a skating rink that had started out to make money and then suddenly changed its mind and resolved to become a tannery.

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Ladies and Gent's Slippers. All styles, from 15 cents per pair up to \$1.00 per pair.

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