

Farms Wanted

The Publicity Department of the Secretary of State's Office is preparing to issue a revised edition of a booklet containing advertisements of Vermont farms for sale. There is no charge for this advertising. Any person desiring to sell Vermont farm property should write for a blank, fill out the same accurately, and return the copy as soon as possible. Address:

PUBLICITY DEPARTMENT,
Secretary of State's Office,
Montpelier, Vermont

Do You Like Candy?

SO DO I

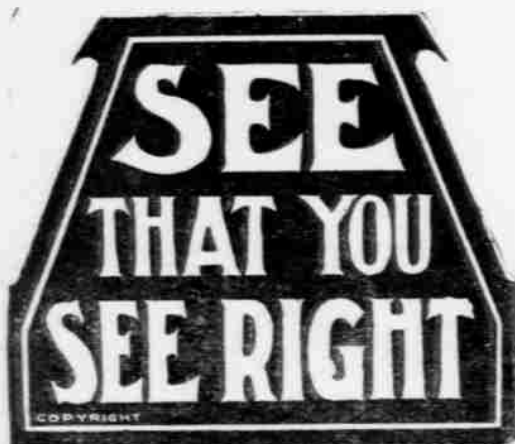
That is the reason why you ALWAYS FIND THE Best Candy at PERLEY'S

We have Very Nice SALTED PEANUTS for 25 cents per pound

VALENTINES? Yes, we have them

H. G. PERLEY

Post Office Square, BARTON, VT.



You Can See Things

with properly fitted Glasses. Don't strain the eyes by doing without this assistance — Eyeglasses or Spectacles are not a sign of weakness or an indication of old age. Youthful eyes require them. Permit us to make a test and supply the necessary glasses. Hundreds of satisfied customers will tell you our tests are made scientifically

and that we guarantee satisfaction in every respect.

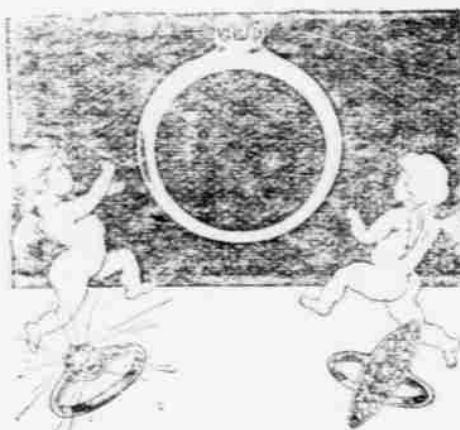
Consult LANG, Reliable Optometrist

Office at Lang's Jewelry Store, Barton

Wedding Necessities

"The Bride and the Ring"

Get the bride where you will, the ring should come from the collection we have here. No other stock in this section contains such a pleasing assortment of single and combination stone wedding and engagement rings and certainly at no other place are they obtainable at such prices.



We are making extra preparations to attend to the wants of our patrons and others who may be in town this week who wish fine Watch or Jewelry Repairing done will do well to leave it with us. Please bear in mind we have the largest and most complete Jewelry and Silverware stock in this section and all our goods are marked at very attractive prices. We also carry a fine stock of Stationery, Cameras, Records, Music, Etc. Leave your Films to be developed.

We Invite You to Call

Lang's Jewelry Store

Batchelder Block, BARTON, VT.

A FIRE MAY CAUSE YOU MUCH LOSS

Many fires may be preventable—but when they do come, they often cause much loss.

To be on the safe side and have protection against both fire and theft, put your valuables in our Fire and Burglar Proof Vault.

Safe Deposit Boxes for rent \$3 AND UP PER YEAR



CENTRAL SAVINGS BANK AND TRUST COMPANY ORLEANS, VT.

LANE'S COLD & GRIP TABLETS GUARANTEED

DESERTION NOTICE

My wife, Adeline Tatro, having left my bed and board without just cause or provocation, I hereby forbid anyone harboring or trusting her on my account after this date.

FRED TATRO.
Dated at Westmore, Vt., this 22nd day of January, 1919.



GEM THEATRE

Thursday, Feb. 6th
JULIAN ELTINGE IN THE COUNTESS CHARMING
5-act Paramount Feature
PEARL WHITE IN THE HOUSE OF HATE
Orleans Opera House
Friday, Feb. 7th
Saturday, Feb. 8th
ROY STEWART IN WOLVES OF THE BORDER
5-act Western Drama
HEARST'S PATHE NEWS
Triangle Comedy
Orleans Opera House
SESSUE HAYAKAWA IN HASHIMURA TOGO
5-reel Paramount Feature
HEARST'S PATHE NEWS
Triangle Comedy
Tuesday, Feb. 11th
THE WHISPERING CHORUS
Arctcraft Feature
ROSCOE "FATTY" ARBUCKLE IN MOONSHINE
2-reel Arbuckle Comedy
Orleans Opera House
Wednesday, Feb. 12th



Here Are A Few of Our Prices to Save You Money at Hunt's Corner Store
Evansville, Vt.

Percale, 15c yd.	5e yd.
Portland and Boston Cotton, 36 and 42 in., 20c yd.	20c yd.
Oating Flannels, 15c and 20c yd.	20c yd.
Gingham, 20c yd.	20c yd.
Print, 15c yd.	15c yd.
Plenty of Heavy Brown Overalls and Frocks at \$2.00	\$2.00
Lighter ones at \$1.65	\$1.65
White Corn Flour, 5c lb.	5c lb.
Rye, Corn Meal, Graham, 6c lb.	6c lb.
Fancy Tomatoes, 16c can	16c can
Salmon, 20c can	20c can
Salt Salmon, 18c lb.	18c lb.
Fresh Fish from	12c to 25c lb.

A Good Assortment of Men's Boys' and Youths' OVER-SHOES of All Kinds at BARGAIN PRICES.

AUCTION SALE OF HORSES

And Other Personal Property AT THE TAPLIN & ROWELL STABLES ORLEANS, VERMONT

Saturday, Feb. 8, 1919

at 12:30 o'clock P. M. We will sell at Public Auction the following described property, viz:

22 Horses, weighing from 1100 to 1500 lbs. each. These horses are Canadian horses, recently purchased from the British Government. They have been used for Army purposes, well broken, young and sound, are a fine lot.

10 Choice Young Cows

We will also sell goods from the Taplin & Rowell Warerooms consisting of Sleighs, Harness, Etc.

BE SURE TO ATTEND THIS SALE.

M. M. & Chas. R. Taplin

GLOVER GLEANINGS

GLOVER
Ernest Rogers is home for a few days.
Wales Walton is sick and confined to the bed.
Mrs. Florence Rich has been ill with influenza.
N. S. Dodge drove to Newport Friday on business.
Mrs. Olive Kimball preached in Morrisville Sunday.
Mr. Tyler the blacksmith has been quite ill for a week past.
Isadore DeParo has hired to Alva Rich and begins work soon.
Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Stone visited in Albany the first of the week.
Mrs. Alice Rowen of Barton has been visiting at Harley Drew's.
Carl Bean is conducting a ten-day test of some of his famous Holsteins.
Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Mathie were business visitors in Irasburg Monday.
Mr. and Mrs. Tracy Cook are expected home from Washington this week.
Clyde Wheeler has purchased the Freegarde house and has taken possession.
Mrs. Villa Rich has been nursing at Alva Rich's but has returned to her home.
Major Cusson, the stage driver is at home sick. Sam Bean is taking his place.
Uz Cameron visited at Noble Clark's last week and he will go there to work soon.
E. L. Clark and Melvin Anderson went to Craftsbury Tuesday with wheat to be ground.
Ruby Drew burned her arm and hand quite severely by falling against a hot stove last week.
Mr. and Mrs. Bert Freegarde of Orleans were business visitors in town one day last week.
E. L. Alexander went to Newport Tuesday to attend a meeting of the Milk Producers' association.
Mrs. Lola Clark and Miss Isabelle drove to Lyndonville recently and visited at Luther Merriam's.
There is to be an auction at the John Leonard place, Wednesday, Feb. 12th, for the sale of farm property.
Regular meeting of Glover grange Tuesday evening at 7:30 sharp. Work in first and second degrees. Ladies please bring sandwiches. A special meeting of the grange will be held Thursday afternoon of this week for drill in the degree work and to accept names that have been presented.
A goodly number of friends assembled at Harley Drew's Saturday

evening to help Miss Ada Drew celebrate her 15th birthday. The evening was pleasantly spent in games and social chat. Refreshments of cake and coffee were served, Miss Ada passing among the crowd with her birthday cake. Miss Bates and the larger part of Miss Drew's class from Barton were present. A sum of money was presented with which to purchase a souvenir of the occasion. A pleasant evening was enjoyed by all.
GLOVER COMMUNITY CHURCH
Pastor, Rev. John Kimball.
Morning worship, 11 o'clock.
Sunday school, 12 m.
C. E. meeting, 7 p. m.
Mid-week meeting, Tuesday, 2:30 p. m. Subject, "Three Times Over."
Next Sunday morning the pastor will speak on the theme, "Moral and Religious Aspects of the Peace Conference."
Rev. Olive M. Kimball supplied the pulpit for Rev. Geo. F. Fortier at Morrisville Sunday.
At the annual meeting of the Community church the following officers were elected: Chairman, Henry Cook; secretary, E. L. Alexander; treasurer, Amy Blodgett; assistant, Mrs. Geo. Anderson; executive committee, Ezra Clark, Roy Davis, C. P. Bean, Albert Merriam, Mrs. C. Parker, George Drew.

WEST GLOVER
Clarence Locke has been on the sick list.
Louis Desmarais is very sick with pneumonia.
Phyllis Urie spent a few days at home last week.
Narcisse Pelland's daughters are very sick with influenza.
Anson Clark of Newport was in town on business recently.
Mrs. Eliza Page has been spending a few days with her niece, Mrs. Nettie Hinkley.
Walter Kennison received word last week that his son, Leon, has landed in New York from overseas.
Herman Hinkley attended the funeral of his uncle, Wm. Dow, at Newport Wednesday of last week.
The annual meeting of the church was held Jan. 28th, with a rather small attendance. J. W. Dewing was elected the new member of the financial committee.
Glendon Anderson, Lynn Anderson's little boy, met with a serious accident at school one day last week, breaking a leg near the hip. Dr. Easton, assisted by Dr. Templeton, placed it in a plaster cast.

ALL THE ALBANYNS

ALBANY
Elias Searles is now running his mill.
Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Cowles were in Newport Thursday.
Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Cowles were in Newport Thursday.
Hazel Thayer of Craftsbury is visiting Mildred Brown.
Mrs. Mary George is recovering from her recent illness.
Mrs. Luella Eldridge of East Albany recently visited Mrs. Mina Eldridge.
Miss Cochran of East Albany is caring for Mrs. Charlotte Chamberlin who is quite ill.
Dan Dyer was unable to return to his school in Craftsbury this week on account of sickness.
Mrs. Ida Burt has returned from Ashland, N. H., where she has been spending several weeks with her son.
The annual donation and oyster supper will be held in the M. E. church vestry, Thursday evening, Feb. 13.
Charles Davidson has a Rhode Island Red pullet that recently laid an egg measuring 7 1/4 x 5 1/4 inches around.
E. G. Darling was in town one day last week and moved his goods from J. B. Darling's house to his home in Marshfield.
Abner Mason has received his discharge from U. S. service and returned home. He is recovering from a severe wound of the arm.

SOUTH ALBANY
Pastor's theme for Sunday will be "Meeting the Needs of the Hour." This will be very largely a song service. Everyone is cordially invited to come and join in the service.
There will be a donation at the church Tuesday evening, Feb. 11th. Oysters will be served. A cordial welcome is extended to all.
An Alphabet social at the schoolhouse Friday evening, Feb. 7. Ladies bring cake.
All will be welcome.
Leave trouble behind.
Pray don't be tardy, but hasten and find
A welcome that's waiting,
Both friendly and hearty.
Everyone come
To the ALPHABET party.

Mr. A. K. Gale Says:
"I certainly was amazed with the result of RAT-SNAP. It did the work and no time was lost. It's never any effort for me to say a good word for the exterminator. And anyone annoyed with such pests should not delay a minute while there is such a preparation as RAT-SNAP on the market."
adv.
Sold by Fred D. Pierce, Barton.
Austin's Pharmacy, Orleans.

HOLLAND
George Green is on the sick list.
Dan Vincent is very sick with influenza.
Carl Jenness is working for O. L. Kelley.
Harry Page returned to Montpelier Monday.
Auditor's meeting will be held in the town hall Saturday.
Mrs. M. A. Sykes is with her daughter in Williamstown.
Fred Davis had a valuable horse drown in Holland pond last week.
The school is closed by the West church on account of the influenza.

ORLEANS LOCAL MENTION
(Continued from Page Five)
prize in connection with their package sale.
The annual donation of the M. E. church will be held Tuesday evening, Feb. 11th. Supper will be served at 5:30, until all are served, followed by a social hour, during which the young ladies of the church will sell home made candy. At 8 o'clock the choir will give a concert in the church auditorium for which a splendid program has been prepared. Everyone is cordially invited to attend.
The Odd Girls met Monday evening at the home of Miss Clara Dwinell with Miss Dwinell and Mrs. Leo Hardy as hostesses. Ten members were present. A pleasing feature of the evening was the reading of a novel and interesting letter from Miss Grace Austin of Auburndale, Mass. Miss Austin was formerly a member of the club. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Blanche Harris Monday evening.

METHODIST CHURCH NOTES.
W. E. Craig, Pastor
Pastor's theme for Sunday will be "Meeting the Needs of the Hour."
Evening service at 7 o'clock. This will be devoted to evangelistic singing, followed by a short talk by the pastor on the Sunday school lesson.
The Boy Scouts are working diligently on their play entitled, "The Boy Scouts' Good Turn," and expect to have it in first-class shape for the night of Washington's Birthday. Watch the date.
SAYS IT IS THE BEST IN THE WORLD
There is one remedy that those who know depend upon for relief from coughs that "hang on" after the grip, Foley's Honey and Tar clears the passages, soothes raw, inflamed membranes and loosens irritating and tickling mucus. A. H. McDaniel, Box 27, Lindsdale, W. Va., writes: "I am glad to tell you that Foley's Honey and Tar is the best medicine I used half a bottle I was better."—Sold Every where.

WESTMORE
School began Monday, with Mr. Rand as teacher.
Herbert Bowen was home from Morgan over Sunday.
Mrs. Harriet Fish has returned to her school in Franklin.
M. E. Calkins was home from Montpelier over Sunday.
Willie Wills was home from St. Johnsbury over Sunday.
The Ladies' Aid society will serve dinner at Mrs. George Gilman's on Wednesday, Feb. 12th. Everyone invited.
Of John McLaughlin's herd of 27 grade Holsteins, six have already freshened, two of these presenting twins. Mr. McLaughlin wonders if he will be obliged to build another barn to accommodate the increase. Who beats this?

Bethlehem's Chinese Tax.
One of the greatest obstacles to commerce in China is the "likin," an internal tax on goods in transit, originating as a war tax during the Taling rebellion. The "likin" was originally a tax of one-tenth of 1 per cent of the value of the goods when it was first imposed, about 1853, but today its amount is apparently determined arbitrarily by the collector.

ORDER OF NOTICE

No. 609.
Whereas, E. A. Cook, Receiver under appointment by the Court of Chancery of the Independent Telephone Exchange, has filed with the Public Service Commission of Vermont a petition which is in words and figures as follows:

"STATE OF VERMONT.
To the Public Service Commission of the state of Vermont.

Petition for Approval of Sale of the Independent Telephone Exchange.
Comes, E. A. Cook, Receiver under appointment by the Court of Chancery of the Independent Telephone Exchange, and requests Your Honorable Body to confirm the sale hereinafter described of the entire assets of said Independent Telephone Exchange, a corporation organized and existing under and by virtue of the laws of the state of Vermont, and operating a telephone business in the counties of Orleans and Caledonia.

In Orleans County Court of Chancery a petition was brought by myself as trustee of certain interests and certain individuals who were compelled to pay a mortgage given by said Independent Telephone Exchange to foreclose said mortgage, and a decree therein was rendered by said Court of Chancery in favor of myself as such trustee against said Independent Telephone Exchange, and all persons claiming thereunder, which becomes absolute on or about the 15th day of March, 1919.

In the proceedings in said cause I was appointed receiver of said Independent Telephone Exchange, accepted the office, qualified and began operating the same on April 1, 1918, and have since continued in operation thereof as such receiver.
In the decree in the above named cause, I was given authority to sell the property of said telephone company, subject to the approval of the Chancellor.
The following facts should appear before Your Honorable Body:

a. The amount of stock held by the stockholders and paid for by them in the company is in the vicinity of Twelve Thousand (\$12,000) Dollars, probably more, but I have been unable to find the Stock Book.
b. The indebtedness of said company, aside from the stock, is between \$18,000 and \$20,000.
c. This indebtedness includes the amount of the decree in this cause, which was about \$11,000.
d. I took charge of the property as receiver April 1, 1918, and have continued the operation of the same and on the first day of January, 1919, the income of the company had failed to pay the expenses to an amount of more than \$1,000.
e. While operating the plant, I have persistently tried to obtain a purchaser for the same, and in October, 1918, the engineer of the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, located at Boston, in the state of Massachusetts, examined the physical property and placed an appraisal on the same, and on the 23rd day of December, 1918, said New England Telephone and Telegraph Company offered me the sum of \$13,000 for the same.
f. I immediately called a meeting

of all the stockholders, all the users of the telephone, and all creditors of which I had any knowledge, to be held at Barton in the County of Orleans, on the 26th day of December, 1918.
g. At that meeting I placed before a large number of the above described people the situation with relation to the Independent Telephone Exchange, and tried to enlist some parties interested in an independent telephone line to take some action, and at that time a committee was appointed to consider the situation and report at a meeting to be held on the 6th day of January, 1919.

h. On the 6th day of January, 1919, I was compelled to foreclose the mortgage, and the meeting was held for the reason that the committee reported to me that they were unable to find any personal funds to take hold of the venture.
i. In the meanwhile I had procured the consent of the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company to "hold their offer open until the 10th day of January, 1919."

On the 6th day of January, 1919, one John Buckley, who was one of the guarantors and parties interested in said decree, notified me that he desired to purchase the lines and run them as an independent line, and I notified him that I should be glad to turn the plant over to independent individuals, but I must have a guaranty that I would be paid the \$13,000 when approved by Your Honorable Body and the Chancellor.
k. On January 10, 1919, after having seen John Buckley and learning from him that he was unable to obtain the guaranty at that time, I accepted the offer of the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company.

I am fully satisfied that, although the property of the Independent Telephone Exchange has cost to date in the vicinity of \$30,000, it is not now worth any more than \$13,000, as it is not paying concern, and although it might be possible, if the lines extending too far back were cut off and it was placed in a small compass to pay expenses, I am satisfied that under no conditions would it pay any fair interest rate on \$12,000, leaving alone the question of depreciation and repayment of principal.

This sale has been reported to the Court of Chancery for approval, a copy of which report is hereto attached and made a part hereof.

Therefore, your petitioner respectfully requests Your Honorable Body to take such action as may be proper in the premises and confirm the sale above described.

E. A. Cook,
Solicitor for Receiver."

NOTICE IS HEREBY given that the Public Service Commission will hold a public hearing upon said petition at the office of W. W. Reiden, in the Village of Barton, in the Town of Barton and County of Orleans on the 4th day of March, A. D. 1919, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, and

IT IS ORDERED that the petitioner shall cause this Order of Notice to be published in the Barton Monitor, a newspaper published at Barton in the County of Orleans, for three weeks successively, the last publication thereof to be at least twelve (12) days before said 4th day of March, 1919, and that the petitioner shall, five days prior to said 4th day of March, 1919, file with the Public Service Commission copies of the newspaper in which this Order of Notice shall have been published.

Dated this 20th day of January, 1919.
Walter A. Dutton,
Wm. R. Warner,
Eli H. Porter,
Public Service Commission of Vermont.
Office of Clerk.
Filed, January 24, 1919.
Attest, Neil D. Clawson, Clerk.

STATE OF VERMONT

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
I, Neil D. Clawson, Clerk of the Public Service Commission of the State of Vermont, having by law the custody of the seal and all the records, books, documents and papers of, and appertaining to said Commission, hereby certify that the pages hereto attached is a true copy of Order of Notice, in re Petition of Independent Telephone Exchange for Approval of Sale as fully and completely as the same appear by the original files and records of said Commission.
Given under my hand, and the Seal of said Commission at Brattleboro, Vermont, in the County of Windham, on this 24th day of January, A. D. 1919.
Neil D. Clawson, Clerk.

Regular Prices

Salt Pork (thick)	30c lb.	Nut Grove Margarine,	38c lb.
Pure Lard,	30c lb.	Troco Nut Margarine,	38c lb.
Yellow-eyed, Pea and Soldier Beans,	15c lb.	Swift's Premium "	40c lb.
Campbell's Soups,	12c	Fancy Cream Cheese,	38c lb.
Best Ceylon Green Tea,	50c lb.	Jumbo Salted Peanuts,	35c lb.
Bread Flour, 1-4 bbl.	\$3.15	Peanut Butter, (light)	28c lb.
Bread Flour, 1-8 bbl.	\$1.60	St. Johnsbury Crackers,	60c box
Big Assortment of Cookies			

SPECIAL THIS WEEK
Swift's Pride Soap, - - 20 Cakes \$1.00

DEAN'S CASH GROCERY
Orleans, TELEPHONE 26-3 Vermont