

Local News.

GUILDHALL.

We this week send the HERALD to some, not subscribers; if they wish to become such, they will please to leave the subscription money with the Postmaster, otherwise return the paper to the Post office.

Notwithstanding the extreme cold weather of late we have heard of several instances of the ice breaking underneath the weight of the teams used in breaking roads for lumbering, such was the case with the ox-team of Mr. Augustus Drew, on Friday last. One yoke of oxen were submerged in the mud and water but were rescued with no further damage than a wetting.

Charles W. Farr has moved his family into the house on the Atherton farm in Northumberland. He is to carry on the farm the coming year.

The M. E. Society held an "Old Folks concert in connection with their Christmas tree on the eve of the 24th inst. All present received gifts from the tree, and the evening was passed very pleasantly by all. We hear of several who were more or less frost-bitten during their ride home, none very seriously, however.

The thermometer indicated 44 degrees below zero on the morning of the 25th ult. We are informed that at Lancaster the thermometer indicated as low as 54 degrees at the same time, but of the accuracy of the report, we are not able to state. Such extreme cold is seldom experienced in this county, the last before this we believe having occurred in the month of February 1857, at which time the temperature is said to have been as low as 65 degrees at the Darling Store in this village. The extreme cold of that year continued for nearly a week with such severity as to suspend travel and business over the R. R. lines. We remember the "cold snap" of 1857 was followed by a heavy snow storm and wind which filled the roads with drifts and the cold was so extreme that no effort was made to open the roads for three or four days.

The Guildhall Debating Club held their first meeting on the evening of the 3rd inst. The leading members of the Club are Revs. Mackie and Thynge, C. E. Benton, Robert Chase, M. D. Carbee, Hon. T. H. Carbee, O. B. Boyce, H. C. Bates, and Jos. Chase. The present organization is Jos. Chase, for President, John Moore, Secretary, and Chas. D. Chase, Treasurer. The Society bids fair to be the means of much good in the village. The next meeting is to be held on the evening of the 10th inst., at which time the question of whether the "Annexation of the British American Possessions to the United States would be for the mutual advantage of both Governments" will be up for discussion.

A. D. Benjamin has sold his farm, including land in Guildhall, to S. G. Hannaford, present superintendent of the County Farm, for \$7,300. Possession to be given in the spring.

ISLAND POND.

Some enterprising thief stole a traveling bag containing eight tons and dollars in notes, the property of L. D. Hobson, together with his lumber account with Simon Cole for a year, from his sleigh, while he was in this village, on the 13th ult. Having cut the bag open and left it in the Grand Trunk scales shed, it was afterwards found by E. M. Dunbar, while seeing to the weight of some custom cars and returned to the owner with its contents complete. The thief doubtless supposed the bag contained money.

U. McCone, while at work for the Norton Mills Co., on the 21st inst. sawing lath, got two of his fingers sawed off.

E. Aldrich, night-watchman in the G. T. R. depot, while shuffling cars on the night of the 25th inst. was caught between the dead wood and had two of his ribs broken.

Lumbering has begun briskly this season, there being about four hundred men with two hundred horses and oxen in the woods, within five miles from here.

LUNENBURG.

The Tin Wedding of L. B. Hartsborn and wife was celebrated on the evening of Jan. 1st, about one hundred of their friends gathering at their residence for that purpose. The usual display of articles manufactured of tin, embracing many not often seen, were lavishly contributed and presented to the "happy groom" and "blushing bride" of ten years experience, in behalf of the assembled friends, in an appropriate and pleasing speech by Mr. Tenney, Mr. Hartsborn making a most happy response thereto, himself, after which a further response was made by the Rev. Mr. Harris. On the whole the occasion was a decided success and highly enjoyed by all present.

Timothy Chauncey was brought before Justice Chandler of this town on the 2d inst., charged with stealing a pair of mittens and a quantity of candy from the store of J. G. Bowker, on New Years evening, and having plead guilty was ordered to pay a fine of six dollars, and the costs of prosecution amounting to the sum of six dollars and sixty-five cents. Not having the means to respond to this demand he was on the 4th inst., committed to jail in Guildhall, where he now is.

Charles Marden was brought before John W. Hartsborn and Wm. Chandler, Justices of the Peace, on Thursday, the 2d inst., charged with an assault on Moses Eastman, with intent to kill, and was ordered to give bonds

in the sum of two hundred dollars, for his appearance at the March term of Essex County Court.

The circumstances of the case, so far as we have been able to learn, are these: Marden, who is a son-in-law to Eastman, claims a balance of some seventy or eighty dollars due him from Eastman, and there has been ill-feeling between them concerning the matter for some time past, and some threats of personal violence made by Marden to Eastman. On Wednesday as Eastman, in company with another man, was passing by Marden's house on his way home from the village, as they approached the house they saw Marden come out and run down the road they would take, in advance of them. Driving on they encountered him some fifteen rods from the house, he having a gun in his hands. Stepping aside out of the road he allowed the horse to pass, and as Eastman came opposite him, he leveled the gun at Eastman's head and attempted to discharge it, but the cap only exploded; Eastman whipped the horse and drove on out of the way. This, we understand to have been the testimony of Eastman and his companion. Marden's story is substantially that he had no gun, but did have a willow stick, which he had picked up as he came from his house; and his wife being admitted to testify, said that the gun was hanging in its accustomed place in the house all the time. The gun on being produced was said to show no evidence of having been recently used, but on the other hand, was in such a condition as would not admit of its being fired. O. B. Boyce, Esq., State Atty for Essex County, conducted the examination in behalf of the State.

LANCASTER, N. H.

A disgraceful affair occurred in one of the district schools of our town last Friday. Three lads, the oldest not more than sixteen years of age, procured a bottle of liquor, which they drank, and while under its influence made such disturbance as to break up the school. The question suggested, and to which not only the parents of these boys, but every father and mother in town should demand an answer is, Who sold them the liquor?

The lot of land opposite the Lancaster House, between the residences of Benj. F. Whidden and J. A. Smith, was on the 4th inst., deeded by Hiram A. and Parris E. Fletcher to Messrs. Wm. Heywood, Henry O. Kent, Wm. S. Ladd and J. A. Smith. It is understood to be the object of the purchasers to secure this lot as a site for an Episcopal Church, the building of which there is a strong probability will be commenced at an early day.

The handsomest haul of fish we have ever seen taken from the waters of this region were caught by Messrs. Walter S. Bailey and Geo. W. Melcher, from Maidstone Lake, during the past week. There were sixty-two in number, weighing fifty-two pounds. They were lunge of the most palatable species that have ever been placed upon our [dinner] table.—Gazette.

THE DEMOCRATIC SIXTH COUNCILLOR AND TWELFTH SENATORIAL DISTRICTS, AND COOS COUNTY CONVENTIONS WERE HELD AT THE AMERICAN HOUSE HALL, THURSDAY EVENING, THE 9TH, JAMES J. BARRETT OF LITTLETON WAS RE-NOMINATED FOR SENATOR, BUT DECLINED TO SERVE, AND E. B. PARKER OF FRANCONIA WAS NOMINATED IN HIS STEAD. NATHAN K. PERKINS OF JEFFERSON WAS NOMINATED FOR COUNCILLOR AND AMOS W. DREW OF STEWARTSTOWN FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER. CHARLES W. SMITH OF LANCASTER AND AARON J. SMITH OF STARK, WERE RESPECTIVELY RE-NOMINATED FOR THE OFFICES OF REGISTER OF DEEDS AND COUNTY TREASURER.

On Thursday morning, about 12:30 o'clock, one of the most disastrous conflagrations occurred that ever visited our village. The fire caught in the machine shop on Middle St., owned by Alexander Thompson, and when discovered had made such headway that nothing could be done to save that building or the grist mill adjoining. By the strenuous efforts of the fire companies and citizens, the fire was confined to the two buildings named, although others were closely connected on both sides. The entire loss is estimated at about \$25,000 as follows: Alexander Thompson, machine shop and machinery, \$17,000; no insurance. Frank Smith & Co., and John P. Hodge, grist mill and contents, \$8,000. Insured for \$1,000. Mr. A. J. Marshall, proprietor of the carriage shop, nearly opposite the burned buildings, was seriously, and it was thought at the time, fatally injured by the falling of a chimney upon him as he was in his wheel-horse endeavoring to set his force pump in operation. He was rescued from his perilous situation with much difficulty, and carried home in an insensible condition. His injuries, though severe, proved to be mostly external, from which he is in a fair way to recover.

COLEBROOK, N. H.

George W. Merrill, proprietor of the stage route from the Profile to the Crawford House, White Mountains, has purchased the stage line from North Stratford to Colebrook, of Hiram Blanchard, and also bought of the Accommodation Line, to take possession Monday Jan. 3, and the stage will hereafter be run on the time advertised by the Accommodation Line.

COLUMBIA, N. H.

There will not be as large an amount of lumber hauled this winter as last, owing partly to holders of timber lands refusing to sell to lumbering companies, except at exorbitant prices.

It is rumored that the ex-Selectmen, who were tried for embezzlement of town funds, and acquitted, at the last term of the court holden at Lancaster, are about to commence legal proceedings against the Board of Auditors and Prosecuting Agent of the town.

GORHAM, N. H.

There will be 30,000 cords of wood put on for the G. T., between Island Pond and Portland this winter, contracted by Mr. Simon Cole of Portland. At present teams are lively at work for this station.

JEFFERSON, N. H.

Mr. Charles Hight, of this town, died very suddenly on Monday. He was in his usual health until within an hour of his death and during the fore part of the day was engaged chopping wood. Mr. Hight represented his town in the Legislature in 1870 and 1871, and had held other town offices. He leaves a family.

The great "Mountain case," Henry B. Wells vs. The Jackson Iron Manufacturing Company, was settled by the parties, at Concord, last week. It has been pending in court eleven years. It has been once partially and once fully tried by a jury, the last time occupying three weeks, and it has been transferred twice to the Law Term, and the decisions are reported in the 47th and 48th vols., of the N. H. Reports. The County of Coos will have no further expense for the trials of this suit. One other case depending upon this was settled at the same time, besides other chances for litigation that might have furnished business for the courts for an indefinite length of time.

STATE ITEMS.

Newfane recently lost its most notable personage in the death of David Brown. He suffered a disappointment in love when young, which nearly unsettled his reason, and he developed an extraordinary passion for books, particularly books of travel. When forty-four years old he married and lived happily for four or five years, when his wife died, leaving an infant daughter. After this he turned hermit, and for the last fifteen years had lived in a house alone, buying and reading books and writing poetry. In his earlier days he wrote and published five hundred copies of a small book called "Florence Mangrove," and it is said, though it seems hardly credible, that at the time of his death he had the largest collection of books and papers in Vermont.

An influential county convention was held at Burlington recently, to take measures to resist the payment of the oppressive State tax laid by the Legislature. The feeling was unanimous to test the question in the courts.

A girl named Houghton, 11 years old, who has received no instruction in dancing, has been mystifying London-derry. She goes into a kind of trance, during which she trips it for hours with no apparent effort of the will, and with no sense of weariness, the movement and time being described as graceful and perfect.

Wright's Mountain, near Bradford, received its name from the fact that a religious fanatic by that name once ascended that eminence to fast forty days, in imitation of Christ. He got a belt with forty holes, by which to tighten himself up each day one hole. He tried it two days, and came down to his house to get some luncheon.

A black bear undertook to cross Glensburg railroad track, in Vermont, just ahead of the down train the other evening. George Thompson, engineer, opened his throttle on him, and didn't stop to take an account of the damage done to the ugly wanderer. George says if he hit him he made the fur fly; but the storm of snow and wind that night covered all tracks. He didn't even stop to give the animal the salutation one of our lady citizens did who saw a bear sitting in the road just ahead of her, on the old turpentine, a few years since. She shook her apron at him and told him to "shoo, you devil," and he shoo'd!

A serious accident occurred at the Menphremong House, Newport, last Sunday evening. An escape of gas was noticed and while the proprietor and his engineer were looking for its cause the gas ignited from the match which they carried and both were badly burned. The engineer was injured internally, it is thought; and Mr. Bowman was so badly disfigured that his features were hardly recognizable.

Col. George A. Merrill of Rutland, who has had 25 years' experience as a railroad superintendent, says that, during the entire period, there has never been such so much interruption to travel from the cold and snow as during the last few days.

The ice is now safe for travel from St. Albans to Plattsburg via the islands.

A West Rutland liquor dealer experienced the disadvantages of a good customer, the other day, when a man testified before a justice that he had made thirty successful applications for rum at his saloon and the justice tacked on a line for each time.

Edward Shlette, a noted burglar, who broke jail at Burlington, a fortnight since, was recaptured after an exciting chase at Colchester Point Saturday evening. He crossed Lake Champlain twice yesterday with great risk to his life, hotly pursued by two farmers of South Hero, named Martin and Gowan.

The Missisquoi Valley house at Sheldon was destroyed by fire on the 24th inst. Loss \$14,000; insurance \$8,000. The house was owned by C. H. Wheeler of St. Albans.

Montpelier has called a town meeting to vote on the question of selling its stock of the Montpelier and Wells River Railroad.

Hiram B. Sowles, who was president of the St. Albans Bank for several years, and well-known and highly esteemed in that section of Vermont, died on Wednesday at Plattsburg, N. Y., where he went on business a few days previous.

Dr. W. H. Rockwell, jr., Superintendent of the Insane Asylum at Brattleboro has resigned.

MARRIED.

In Lancaster, Dec. 17, by Rev. K. Holt, Mr. Elien Farham and Miss Mary Winters, all of Lancaster.

In Colebrook, Dec. 28, by H. W. Woodrow, Esq. Mr. Samuel Wilson of Wrentham's son, to Mrs. Maria D. Grapes of Colebrook.

In Shelburne, at the White Horse House, by Durin Green, Esq., Mr. Foshel Maguire of Stark, N. H., and Miss Sarah E. Edgingwood of Bethel, Me.

In Lancaster, Dec. 28, 1872, by Rev. H. V. Emmons, Mr. Valoria Leach Holmes of Lancaster and Miss Clara A. Rines of Jefferson.

DIED.

In Lancaster, January 4th, of Consumption, Frederick Fild, aged 61 years.

In New York City, Sunday, Dec. 22, of Bronchitis, George, infant son of Charles S. and Julia Kent, aged one year.

Business Directory.

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CENTAUR.

Hear ye the Mighty Centaur's tread— See the long line of myriads dead— With hoofs of horse and human head— Rise up and speak! "Two proud Obsequies are mine; For a thousand years we roamed the earth— Our perfumed flowers of the century plant— Track behind from the volcano's side, The slow and heavy boots of our part. Then restored to life by the Centaur's art; Glazed with mares on the field of Mars, Lived on the earth, and slept among the stars.

On other missions now we sent, To bless mankind with an emollient, Of which the earth's herbs had despoiled, Even our CENTAUR LAXATIVE. It cleanses gently and all sores thins; Cures itching and swollen, poisonous stings— Rheumatic joints sears away. Limber stiff-joints in a single day. Poon suppers in their hobbling way. Limp fit on crutches—then walk away.

Don't doubt horses, they find no new specks; Won't heal your wounds, and make you leap; Ten times—piles of oats to bolt, And risk about like yonder colt. Yellow swappers in their hooves, White wrapper along the family suits.

J. F. Ludlow, of Hoken, N. L. says: "The Centaur Laxative has cured me of Rheumatism, after intense suffering for five years."

"I tried many remedies for my sprained ankle without relief. The second bottle of Centaur Laxative cured me perfectly." CHAS. HILL, 66 Pine Street, N. Y.

Mr. Marsh, Esq., Supt. of Adams Express Station, New York, says: "All owners of horses should keep the Centaur Laxative. We find it the best ever used in our stables."

This testimony could be repeated for a month. If you want to avoid suffering, just try the Centaur Laxative, sold by all Druggists. J. C. Ayer