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LAST evening Mr. Hamilton called attention to the business-office, and the reasons there are for making it a more quiet place. He wished every one to feel at home there, but every one could see that it was not an appropriate place to frequent for mere conversation and gossip.

Work at the old barn or new store (which is it?) goes on briskly, and that enterprise is gaining in Community favor. It is now proposed to broaden the wings, and thus make room for the shoe-shop, tailor-shop, business-office and silk-room, as well as the store proper.

G. W. Hamilton reports that he has consulted with Mr. Wood, the manufacturer of our steam engine, in respect to inspecting the boiler. He considers an inspection unnecessary at present. The law requiring a yearly inspection is limited in its operation to New York City.

The committee on the knitting machine has decided to postpone buying one till fall.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Barker, and Mrs. Barker's daughter, Miss Delia Robinson, left this morning. Mr. B. is somewhat interested in Communism, but knows little

about us or our faith and doctrine. He had disposed of his property in Vermont, and was in hopes he could make some arrangement by which he could find a place near us to live, and get employment among us for himself and family, and thus have opportunity to attend our meetings and become acquainted with us, and our mode of life. The wife and her daughter manifested no interest whatever in Communism or the Community.— In our notice of their arrival we stated they were from Castleton. We learn that this was incorrect, they were from Derby Center. Mr. B. was originally from Maine.

In a recent letter, Mr. Robinson says :

“ I can now and at all times reiterate an assurance of my love and fellowship. Particularly now also, when there are defections, here and there, I am happy to repeat my entire confidence in Mr. Noyes as God's chosen instrument to bear witness to the truth. He seems to have stepped into the shoes of the Apostle Paul.”

Between 4,000 and 5,000 springs for No. 0 traps have been finished, at the factory. They are made from sheet steel. It is found that much less work is required to make them from sheet-steel than by the usual way from bar-steel. Mr. Newhouse and others wish to try the plan of making springs for No. 1 traps in the same way. The plan was sympathized with by the business board.

Mr. Hatch presented a bill to the business meeting, yesterday, for an investment in spectacles-stock amounting to about \$50. The board favored his plan.

The new large lathe for the machine-shop is nearly completed. It will be a very valuable addition to the facilities of the shop. Its value at present prices is about \$600.

Work on the castings for silk-machinery begins to-day at the foundry.

A company of visitors, came from Rome yesterday in the storm. The company included Mr. Dopp, the photographic artist, his wife and sister, Dr. E. Robellas and another lady, both of whom have been connected with the Blackwell's Island Lunatic Asylum. Dr. Robellas formerly had charge of an illegitimate son of Louis Napoleon, and succeeded in reclaiming him from a life of dissipation, in New York. For his services in this respect he was presented by the Emperor with a gold medal containing a lock of L. N.'s hair. He had the medal with him, and several of our people had an opportunity of inspecting the Imperial present.

Mrs. Jones and her son, of Baldwinsville, came on Saturday.

Mr. Burt is busily engaged in making a model of his corn-cutting machine, to forward to Washington with his application for a patent.

On Saturday Joseph Corney, the Englishman who worked for us two years ago, applied for the privilege of keeping one of our boarding-houses the present season, and to-day an Irishman at the Depot sends by his boy an application for the same honorable post.

O. H. Miller expects to start soon on an agent-excursion to Ohio.

M. H. Kinsley will probably start to-morrow on a trip to Springfield, Boston, Providence and other places, stoping two or three days at the N. Y. B., on his return.

Mr. Kelly arrived home on Saturday night.

Several conditional orders for agricultural implements, of respectable size, have lately been received through Messrs. Olds, Clark and others, some of which will be accepted. Mr Clark is now preparing to take a load of plows and castings to Cleveland, northwest of Oneida Lake.