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Page 2:2 - DIED - In this Village on the 6th inst., Nancy VAN EPS, relict of Ener VAN EPS, after a painful and lingering illness of many years, which she endured with Christian fortitude, in the 71st year of her age.

- On the 13th inst. Mary Melvina MERCHANT, age 2 yrs & 11 months.

- On the 14th inst., Hiram D. COOK, age 48 years & 8 months.

- In this Village on the 6th inst, George Benjamin, son of Oren P. & Adaline MERCHANT, aged 10 months & 14 days. (POEM)

MAY 25, 1853

Page 2:4 - MARRIED - In this Village on the 21st inst., by the Rev. N.G. SPAULDING, Mr. W.P. HURD to Charlotte LEIVER both of Adams, Mass.

JUNE 1, 1853

Page 2:1- Poisoning Case - The residents in the neighborhood of the State Dam, were thrown into great excitement yesterday afternoon by the report that two persons had been poisoned by a woman of bad character named ROBINSON. It seems that Mrs. ROBINSON (she calls herself) went into the grocery store of a man named LENAGAN on the corner of River & Rensselaer Streets and induced said LENAGAN to drink together with his sister-in-law who happened to be in the store, - having called for some beer. After the beer was poured into the glass, Mrs. ROBINSON took from her pocket a paper containing a white substance, which she said was good white sugar, which has since proved to be arsenic. The beer having been drank, the effects of the poison soon became visible. A physician was sent for, but too late to do the unfortunates any service. LENAGAN died in about four hours and a half after he had drunk the poison. The woman lingered until 5 o'clock this morning, when she also expired, It is not known what induced the woman ROBINSON to commit this double murder. A report is current that she had an old grudge (against LENAGAN) and she thought it about time, and this is a good way to obtain revenge! She was arrested last evening and upon being taken to jail, one of Allen's revolvers and a single barrel pistol were found loaded, in her possession. (from Troy Budget Thursday)

Page 2:2 - A SINGULAR & AFFECTING INCIDENT - It is stated that Mrs. NEWALL, the mother of David B. NEWALL of Newport, NH, who was killed on board the New Haven cars at Norwich did not hear of her son's death until Wednesday of last week. He was a consumptive young man and had been to the south. His mother proceeded as far as Georgia to accompany him home, but