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Page 2:2 - KILLED IN A ROW - Edward GALLAGHER, Henry BROWN and a switch-tender by the name of PURCELL, Sunday morning about 10 o'clock, at the fire at East Albany got into a quarrel. In the melee GALLAGHER knocked BROWN down. In his fall his head came into contact with the track rail with such force as to break his neck. He lingered but a few moments and expired. PURCELL was arrested and locked up. GALLAGHER made his escape. It is said they were all intoxicated. They were all employees of the Hudson River Railroad Company. BROWN was a machinist and leaves a wife and two small children who reside at East Albany. Coroner FRYER held an inquest. (Albany Knick)

- Peter NASSAU of Woodstock, VT is 126 years of age and doubtless the oldest man on this continent.

- DROWNED - Yesterday morning at about 2 o'clock a young man named Henry STONE, a hand on board the boat Nailer of Keesville which is lying in the Canal just below the weigh-lock in this Village fell overboard from the deck of the same through the ice. He was taken out as soon as possible but not until life was extinct. He was about 21 years of age and resided at Burlington, Vermont.

Page 2:6 - DIED - In this Village on Monday 15th inst., Catherine NORTHROP, formerly of Charlton (Saratoga Co.), age 66 years 9 months & 4 days.

DECEMBER 24, 1856

Page 2:1 - SUDDEN DEATH - Mr. J.B. VAN ETEN of Albany died very suddenly of a disease of the heart on Friday afternoon last while riding on the Canal with his son, a boy about 15 years of age. The horse became fractious from the crackling of the ice, and it is supposed, caused an anxiety and nervousness which superinduced the disease which caused death. His son felt him suddenly leaning upon him, saw the line slackening and looking up found him dead. He drove home with the corpse of his father beside him.

Page 2:6 - MARRIED - On the 17th inst. by the Rev. E. STOVER, Mr. William L. MORSE & Miss Eunice BURDICK, both of West Troy.

DIED - At Sterling, WIS, Dec. 7th 1856, Charles E., aged 11 years and 15 days, son of Mr. Abram L. & Caroline HEMSTREET, formerly of this Village.

- In this Village on Friday the 19th inst., Susan Ann, wife of Caleb HARROD in the 52d year of her age.

DECEMBER 31, 1856

Page 2:5 - MARRIED - In this Village Dec 24 by Rev. E. STOVER, Mr. E. Austin FRY & Miss Catharine E. HACKETT, both of West Troy. (Syracuse papers please copy)