

EAST LYME STAR.

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REMOVAL.—L. G. Leek has removed his office from the factory building, to the basement of the Howard House.

SOAP.—Elias Beebe Esq. still continues to manufacture his superior soft soap, and he has also commenced making shaving soap, which we consider superior to any we have seen.

GHOST.—They have been having a little excitement in Waterford about a "ghost" which has been seen a number of times near a certain barn, some distance from any habitation, but a young man from New London has spoilt it all, by discovering that the "ghost" was nothing but a man. Young man, how could you?

Marine News.—Port of Niantic.

Sailed, Tuesday, Jan. 12th. Schrs. S. B. Miller, Kate Church, A. J. Chapman.
Thursday, Jan. 14th. Schrs. Science.
A. A. Rowe.

Monday, Jan. 18th. Schrs. J. D. T. Strickland, Geo. Lamphear, Geo. Temple, Geo. W. Rogers, Geo. Mook, North Star.

Tuesday, Jan. 19th. Schrs. Empire State, Susan Eldridge.

Arrived, Friday, Jan. 15th. Sch. Susan Eldridge, with 49 halibut.

REMARKABLE WORKING WOOD.—Mr. Wm. H. B. Cone of this place, has during the past twenty-two years cut and split, (ready for the stove,) the enormous amount of 2500 cords of wood, or an average of 114 cords each year. This does not include the amount worked for his own fire, neither what he has chopped in the woods. This would make, if corded in one pile, nearly four miles in length, and four feet high. Mr. Cone is fifty years old, and is apparently in good order to saw 2500 cords more.

SLEIGHING.—For two or three days past the sleighing has been very good, and consequently, sleighs are in good demand. Every one wants a sleigh-ride, and those that cannot get sleighs amuse themselves by riding on jumpers. The most stylish team we have seen, was a concern looking very much like a common sled. (only a little larger.) with two shoe boxes nailed on it for seats, making a splendid double-seated conveyance.

BROTHERLY LOVE.—John and Ezra Paterson are two brothers from the goodly town of East Lyme. About six weeks ago a relative in New York State departed this life, and left to John and Ezra \$200 each. John concluded to go on and get the money, and he wanted \$100 in cash to go with. So they sold all their property for \$110, and John took \$100 leaving Ezra \$10. John went to New York, obtained the \$400, but forgot to come home, and was last heard of in Memphis, Tenn. Ezra imagines there is something wrong, and wants John to come home, as his \$10 is about gone.

VALENTINES.—St. Valentines day has come and gone, and who has not received a valentine? We have heard of but very few that have received any, but we was lucky enough to get one. On the morning of the 14th., while going home to breakfast, what should we see but a letter lying in the path, directed to ourselves! It was directed in a neat, pretty hand, and we tore it open, thinking perhaps it might contain a pile of money, but instead of money we found some one had been kind enough to send us a valentine. And such a beauty! We will not attempt to describe it, but for a small sum we will allow any of our friends to see it. Come one, come all and see the valentine.