In religious matters Mr. Morse is a Congregationalist, and a member of the Third Ecclesiastical society of North Woodstock.


Leonard J. Nickerson was born at Cornwall, October 23, 1857. After leaving the Alger Institute, in Cornwall, where he acquired his education, he taught school for several years and studied law with Hon. A. D. Warner, then of Cornwall. He was admitted to the bar April 22, 1879, a few months after becoming twenty-one years of age. He entered at once into the practice of his profession in Cornwall, and was admitted to practice in the United States courts in April, 1882. From that time on he has devoted his time almost exclusively to his legal business. Mr. Nickerson is a republican, and as such has been called to fill various public offices. He represented Cornwall in the state legislature in 1883, and drafted the temperance law which was passed by the general assembly of that year. He was secretary of the Cornwall board of education for nine years, and has held other positions of public trust.

Comfort Starr Burlingame, Canterbury: Agent Brooklyn Creamery.

Comfort Starr Burlingame has been a member of the general assembly through three sessions, his first term occurring in 1879. He was returned for the consecutive sessions of 1887 and 1889. His colleagues from Windham county in 1879 were ex-Speaker E. H. Bugbee of Killingly, Clark E. Barrows of Eastford, at present deputy United States marshal for eastern Connecticut, Randolph H. Chandler of Thompson, Charles P. Grosvenor of Pomfret, William C. Gilson and John L. Hunter of Windham, and Colonel Wm. E. Hyde of Killingly, who served as aid-de-camp on the staff of Gov. Henry B. Harrison. Windham county has not often been represented by a finer group of men. Mr. Burlingame was ap-