
Probate Court.

The inventory of the estate of Levi Kilburn late of Orange shows property valued at \$52,142.

Contest Over Adoption.

There will be a hearing to-day before Judge Thompson upon the petition of Jesse M. and Clara F. Purrington of Colrain for the adoption of Kate Jamrock of Chicopee, the 9-year-old daughter of Mary Jamrock of Chicopee, a single woman. The child has been a state pauper and has lived in the home of the Purrington's, who wish to adopt it and change its name to Kate Margaret Purrington. Herbert Newell, the guardian of the child, consents but the mother objects. Greene & Davenport will appear for the petitioners, Chas. F. Donnelly of Boston for the mother, and John D. McLaughlin for the State Board of Charity.