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Yesterday & Today

The 56th Annual Established Edition

On the cover:

Top:
 Two modern views of Cheshire Medical Center/Dartmouth-Hitchcock Keene, and one of Elliott Hospital, circa 1900.

Bottom:
 Radiology (circa 1954) and CT Scanner with Howard Mudge, CT Supervisor attending (2010)

Nurses: Today and Yesterday

For more details about Cheshire Medical Center/Dartmouth-Hitchcock Keene and its 125th anniversary, see the feature on pages 20-21.

Thank you

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And to the 451 local businesses who purchased ads in this section, making it the largest Yesterday & Today section ever. Stop in and thank a few of them!



Central Square in 1858, the earliest picture of the Square known. From a photograph Chester Allen, A. R. Waud, draughtsman, and F. E. Fox, engraver. The three-section flagpole of the Fremont presidential campaign was erected Sept. 5, 1856, and felled by the ax Jan. 14, 1862. There is the hat and cap manufactory, Pond Co., and on the right, Clark's Bonnet Rooms and the Albe Cady house. On the left, the First Congregational Church as it appeared before the remodeling of 1860, and Pond's Block, with the furniture warerooms of S. D. Osborne on the upper floor. The portico of the first brick court house is shown, and on Court Street, a portion of the sign of William A. Norwood, stove dealer, in the second wooden court house, removed here in 1824, and burned Aug. 7, 1861. In the center, the Walker elm, or "auction tree," set out in 1842 and removed Oct. 19, 1900. The portico added to the former Phoenix Hotel is shown as utilized in building the Cheshire House; note the barber's pole at its south end, also the prevalence of jay walkers.

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This information was found in a student ledger kept in the Keene State Archives.

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