

# THE BARRE DAILY TIMES

Subscriptions: One year, \$3; one month, 35 cts; single copy, 1 cent.  
 Members of the Publishers' Press.—The latest telegraphic news from all parts of the world are received by the Daily Times up to the hour of going to press.  
 Frank E. Langley, Publisher.  
 Published Every Weekday Afternoon.  
 Entered at the postoffice at Barre as second class matter.

THURSDAY, MAY 31, 1906.

The average daily circulation of the Barre Daily Times for the week ending Saturday was

**2,609**

copies, the largest paid circulation of any daily paper in this section.

An excellent band, sufficient material for a good ball team. Waterbury ought to be lively during the summer months.—Waterbury Record.  
 Gay, festive Waterbury!

The St. Albans Messenger has something to say on the matter of keeping the streets of the city clean, and the text and advice is applicable in a degree to the city of Barre. The Messenger says in part: "As for the appeal of the board for the help of the public in keeping the streets clean, it must commend itself at once to the common sense of all who realize that without such popular co-operation in a little city like this with limited police and street cleaning forces little can be done. It is, indeed, high time we began to slough off some of the old habits of generations—time we began to get away from some of the notions that are characteristic of an overgrown country village, and begin to realize that there are certain obligations to the code of civic neatness that are essential to making the city beautiful."

For 47 years—nearly as long as in Vermont—the people of New Hampshire have waited before liquor could be legally sold, until on Wednesday night the first licensed place in the state was opened in the city of Manchester. There was nothing particularly new about it for the people of Manchester. Certainly not, for they had been living in an atmosphere of saloons albeit the saloons were legally prohibited. The only unusual thing about it was the big crowd that congested the only place that opened its doors. The thirst that had been whetted in the few days since the illegal saloons had been shut down could not be satisfied with one drinking place, and the proprietor had to shut up shop. There is an interesting question about the opening of this place. The proprietor knew that he had been granted a license but he had not received that license from the commissioners. Now the question arises whether he had a legal right to open his saloon simply on the notification, without having received a license. Were the question ever called to court it would undoubtedly be found that the man did have a legal right to open.

On the basis of the increase in the number of polls, as brought out by the city assessors who are just completing their work, the population of the city of Barre at the present time is in the neighborhood of 10,740. The exact population, it is, of course, impossible to determine, but the figures given are believed to represent fairly accurately the population of the city. It may be somewhat more or somewhat less than that number. The increase is indeed something remarkable, but it is nothing more than could be expected from a growing, progressive community. In the census of 1900 the city of Barre is credited with a population of 8,448 people. In the three years since that census the population figures have been increased by over 2,000, according to the estimate just made. In the same proportion of increase, at the end of another ten years, the city of Barre will have practically doubled its population. Coincident with this increase in the city there is a proportionate gain in the town of Barre, mainly in the granite region. The combined populations of the city and town is 15,000 at the present time. Barre is certainly a thriving community.

### RECOVERED STOLEN CHILD.

A Newark, N. J., Woman Found It With Its Father at Danby.

Danby, May 30.—Mrs. W. E. Allman of Newark, N. J., arrived here today and recovered her three-years-old son, who had been stolen from her last Sunday. She found him with his father who had deserted her about a month ago and had been working here under the name of W. E. West.

### ABOUT THE STATE.

Items of Interest Gleaned From Our Exchanges.

Dr. E. M. Nichols of Barton holds the record for fishing in Crystal Lake, having landed a lunge last week that was 34 inches long and weighed 14 1/2 pounds.

Mayor Hawley has prepared an invitation for the 48d regiment of Duke of Cornwall's own rifles of Ottawa, to visit Burlington July 4. The company numbers about 900 men, and it is understood that it will accept the invitation.

Mr. Sargent of North Hyde Park can boast of being the owner of the oldest horse in that vicinity, if not in the world. Said horse is 44 years of age this spring and is now active and performed his part in the present spring's work, with a mate which is estimated to be at least 35 years of age and as active as a colt.

See our line of lace hose for 25c per pair. Veale & Knight.



It is said John Adams was the first President to wear pantaloons, and James Madison the first to wear trousers.

Trousers frayed? Don't be afraid to look at our new ones. Not obliged to buy because you look—nor to keep because you buy.

Because it's difficult for you to see the worn places, don't imagine it's difficult for other people. Faults are easy to see in the other fellow.

New Crash and Flannel Pants for \$2.00, \$2.50 and \$3.00.

**Rogers & Grady Co.,**

TOP TO TOE OUTFITTERS.

Quinlen Building, Barre, Vermont.

### JINGLES AND JESTS.

**Plenty of Practice.**  
 "Your wife talks well, Bittenger."  
 "Of course she does. What else would you expect from forty years' constant rehearsal?"—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

**Outlashed.**  
 The barber shaves the broker's chin  
 And makes him feel in clover,  
 But the broker beats the barber, for  
 He shaves his man all over.  
 —Denver News.



**Rubbing It In.**  
 "Say, ma?"  
 "What?"  
 "Ain't that the hairbrush I saved me pennies for an' bought you for your birthday?"—New York Journal.

Letter to F. T. Cate,  
 Barre, Vt.

Dear Sir: We suspect you'd like the tale, how a woman beat two hardware dealers in Girard, Pa.

We tried our best to get those men to sell Devco lead-and-zinc in that bright town; and failed. Reluctantly took Mrs. E. R. Bowman, druggist.

They said they couldn't sell paint for more than \$1.25 a gallon. Mrs. Bowman can. She has sold about all the paint that has been sold there since.

She knew Devco; had sold our artist's materials. Had some sense and force, besides; she easily learned that cheap is dear in paint, and told the people.

Mr. Burt Young bought a gallon Devco for roofs that had always taken a gallon; had half left.

Mr. E. H. Hiler, jeweler, painted Devco and says it goes further—no particular.

Mr. John Hanna, grocer, thought it expensive before he bought it; brought back nearly half his paint, and said it was the cheapest job he ever had.

Mrs. Bowman reports universal satisfaction. So much for a cheap-paint town with a bright woman in it.

Yours truly,  
 F. W. Devco & Co.,  
 New York.

P. S.—Reynolds & Son sell our paint.

**Flags for Memorial Day!**  
 All sizes, fresh, bright goods. A small size flag free with every 5-cent flag. Special prices in quantities.

The AVERILL MUSIC CO.

## AGGRESSION OF FRENCH

Hongkong Banker Says It Outfaces Russia's Maneuvers.

### SOUTHERN CHINA MENACED

While the Eyes of the World Are on Manchuria, Mr. Cunningham Asserts, France Is Gobbling Down a Country of Greater Value.

Victoria, B. C., May 21.—Alfred Cunningham, manager of the Hongkong Daily Press, who has arrived on the Kaga Maru, said in an interview here that while attention is held in north China by Russian aggression, a matter of far more importance to America, Britain and Japan has been overlooked in the south.

This is the aggression of France in the southern provinces. Mr. Cunningham said he believed that France and Russia were acting in concert, the former in the north and the latter in the south. He asserts that France has bribed the officials of Kwangsi, and is waiting the opportunity to pour troops into that province.

"The south," said Mr. Cunningham, "is now on the verge of a far greater international crisis than that now evident in the north, although at present the rebellion in Kwangsi is practically brigandage on a large scale."

**Protegees Rising.**  
 The reformers, he says, have organized the brigands, and a revolution far greater than the Taiting rebellion ever was will break out before long in south China. Large quantities of arms are being shipped to the rebels, chiefly from the United States, and, headed by the reformers, a movement will break out, pro-foreign in its nature, to overthrow the empress dowager and reinstate Emperor Kwangsu.

Mr. Cunningham said he had the best information that a movement organized on an immense scale and including many provinces, is liable to break out at any moment.

Oriental advisers by the Kaga Maru say that Japanese journals declare that Russia will never relinquish Manchuria. The Mainichi says large forces of Russian troops are crossing the Yalu river and 20,000 Russians are now massed there.

The Peking correspondent of the same paper quotes the empress dowager as stating that it was impossible to cede Manchuria, whence came the ancestors of the dynasty, to Russia, but it might be advisable to lease out Mongolia, which is contiguous to Siberia, provided the Russians would open the district to trade.

The correspondent says Russians bribed all the officials except Prince Ching prior to the secret treaty in regard to Manchuria, paying out over 100,000 taels.

### Russia's Frank Avowal.

The Jiji Shimpo has a long interview with the Russian minister at Peking. He says that Russia opposes opening Manchuria because British, Japanese and Americans who want to live there

## At the Busy Store, Montpelier!

HERE YOU'LL FIND, just now, new Dress Linens, Linen Batiste and suitable Lace Trimmings; Belfast Rep, one of the best cotton materials for skirts and dresses; Novelty White Goods for waists; new Belts, Stocks and Neck Ruffs; "Hathaway" Corset Covers, Petticoats and Night Robes; Summer Gloves, Hosiery and Corsets; Shirt Waists and Mohair Suits. The best of everything at reasonable prices.

**L. P. & H. C. GLEASON, Montpelier, Vt.**

have political ends to advance, unconnected with commerce. He says Russia seeks to prohibit the employment of foreigners there in self defense, because the safety of Manchuria will be menaced if foreigners go in.

Russia, he pointed out, has spent large sums and sent large forces to develop Manchuria, while Britain and Japan have not spent a cent there nor sent a soldier, and they cannot have any right to interfere with the district.

In conclusion the minister said that in Russia the opinion was gaining ground that the time was ripe to declare Manchuria a Russian province. Japanese correspondents state that the United States minister at Peking is indignant at the offensive attitude adopted by the Russian minister.

### Gom Paul in Paris.

Paris, May 21.—Former President Kruger has arrived here from Mentone on his way to Holland. He received a sympathetic welcome from a small crowd of intimate friends, who boarded his train at the railroad station. The women of the party presented the Boer statesman with many bouquets, and Mr. Kruger made a brief speech of thanks for the kindness France had shown his unhappy countrymen. He said he expected to return to France next year. Mr. Kruger spoke in a strong voice and seemed to be in fairly good health.

### To Move Patrick Henry's Body.

Richmond, Va., May 21.—A movement has been begun in Richmond for the removal of the body of Patrick Henry from its present grave in Charlotte county to St. John's churchyard in this city and the erection of a marble monument to the great Virginia orator and leader of the Revolution. It was in St. John's church that Henry made his famous utterance, "Give me liberty or give me death!"

### Fatal Fire in Lincoln, Neb.

Lincoln, Neb., May 21.—Several casualties have been reported and three persons are missing as the result of a fire that broke out in the Brownell block, a three-story office building, and spread to several other buildings. The street was filled with smoke, and it was for some time impossible to reach the flames.

## Vehicles! Harness!

VEHICLES of all sorts from the light run-about to the heavy farm wagon. We have fifty styles on the floor to select from and our prices are low.

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.

HARNESS that stand the test of service, that have style and finish, for city or farm, and all at our popular low prices. Don't buy a harness until you see ours.

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.

**COLLINS & COLTON,**

84 State Street, Montpelier, Vermont.

**Mascott's Famous Ice Cream!**  
 Strawberry with Fresh Fruit! Pineapple with Fresh Fruit!  
 Vanilla and Chocolate!

**The Barre Candy Kitchen.**

Sales increasing! Why? Because there is no better for 5c than

**The Walt Whitman Cigar!**

E. D. CLARK & CO., Distributors,  
 St. Albans, Vermont.

## The Vaughan Store!

Saturday Special Occasion,  
 Ladies' Wrappers, 69c.

By special request from a number of our customers who were not able to obtain a \$1.00 Wrapper for 69c at our special sale last Saturday, we duplicate this sale for this Saturday.

200 Percale Wrappers, trimmed with white and black novelty braid, separate waist lining, real value \$1.00. There will be a big RUSH for these goods. Saturday our special price, 69c.

Special No. 2—To keep business humming in our NEW CORSET DEPARTMENT, ON SECOND FLOOR, we offer 100 Ladies' Summer Corsets, the 75c kind. Saturday special, only 47c. It is truly wonderful the business we are doing in this department. This end of our business is growing rapidly.

**J. W. VAUGHAN,**

H. Z. Mills' Old Stand,

44 North Main St.,

Barre, Vermont.

## PERFUMES

From the "Land of Flowers!"



The odor of the flowers

Fragrant!  
 Delicate!  
 Lasting!

Stanford Violet,  
 California Lilac,  
 Santa Barbara Heliotrope,  
 Ramona,  
 Mariposa Lily,  
 Rosemere,  
 Coronado,  
 Manzaneta,  
 La Francisco,  
 Palo Alto Pink,  
 The Finest Carnation Odor in the World.

50c Per Ounce.

Try these Perfumes. They will please you.

**D. F. Davis, "The Druggist,"**

262 North Main St.,

Barre, Vermont.

## Spring Haberdashery.

It's the details of a man's apparel that gives tone and character to his make-up. Poor or poor-fitting Haberdashery, antiquated or obsolete styles of Collar, Shirt, Necktie, etc., does away with the otherwise happy effect of a fine Suit. A stroll through our Men's Furnishing Goods Department shows at a glance the newest, best and brightest in the thousand-and-one things that come under this heading—all at prices that fear no competition in this city. This is a man's store, and the man who comes here to trade goes away contented and happy.

**Moore & Owens,**

Successors to D. M. Miles,

122 North Main St.,

Barre, Vermont.