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

**2,716**

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

The American Newspaper Directory is an annual directory of newspapers and their circulations. To secure a statement therein the publisher must furnish a signed detailed statement of a year's issues. Printer's Ink, a weekly journal issued by the directory publishers, in its issue of August 5, contains the following:

"In the latest issue of the American Newspaper Directory the circulations of the two daily papers of Barre, Vermont, are rated as follows:  
 Telegram, 3,737.  
 Times, 2,504.  
 No one doubts the accuracy of the Times rating but it has recently been made apparent that the Telegram rating is fraudulent."

Willard S. Allen of Boston, absconding treasurer of the Methodist Preachers' Aid society, is a popular man these days—popular with the police.

"Don't put it in the paper" is the request that frequently comes to the Northfield News from unfortunates who have been enveloped in police court, and the experience is the same in every newspaper office. The only sure remedy is to keep from getting into that compromising situation.

The farmers of the state are entitled to a little more consideration than the clerk of the weather bureau is showing them at the present time. The work of cutting hay and grain is really a considerable problem in the unsettled condition of the weather. The attempt of the agriculturalists to cut down their grass and draw it under cover between rain-drops has passed beyond the comic into a serious stage. It is now a real question when the farmers will be able to complete their work.

The interesting information comes that a Manchester, N. H., young man recently won a "silver" half-dollar in a pie-eating contest, that is, the young man ate the most pie in the shortest time and with his hands tied behind his back. Therefore to him the honor. And such honor! To be able to put away a quarter of an apple pie in the space of twenty seconds was a wonderful record, heightened by the fact that the young man's hands were "tied behind him." But what foolishness! And also what a premium put on impaired digestion, a soured disposition and a general ruination of health! American pie, in the simplest conditions, is bad enough, but to have a whole quarter crowded and forced into the stomach at practically one gulp, surpasses the limit. And all for a "silver half-dollar." Some charitably inclined organization should investigate and gently teach the participants in this pie-eating contest, the error of their ways, if they have not already seen that error.

Among the sins of omission charged up against the license law by its opponents is that there has not been a large influx of summer visitors into the state since license came into operation. The cry has been raised of broken promises by the adherents of the license system. Virtually the taunt of the prohibitionists is, "We have got a license law, now bring on your summer visitors," while they sit calmly indifferent waiting for the mountain to move itself over to them, instead of their going to the mountain. In other words it appears to be the impression that summer visitors, of their own volition, unsought for and practically uncared for, will flock into Vermont in droves and deposit their money in the state. That is absurd, and at least one opponent of the new law, the Rutland News, is free to admit that absurdity. The News says: "Vermont, to say nothing of particular localities, is losing a good deal by not taking advantage of all good opportunities to advertise its attractions. In fact, the Green Mountain resorts will never attract anywhere near the number of people they should until a proper advertising campaign is started; and, more than that, kept up season after season." The News hits the correct idea in that. What sort of a business would you expect a merchant to do if he did not advertise his wares. No matter how good the quality of his wares he could not expect to conduct a successful business. And the same may be said of the state of Vermont and its summer visitor business.

We want about 175 men of all sizes to go with our 90 cts. on the dollar clothing sale. Moore & Owens.

The balance of our straw and crash hats will be closed regardless of cost, at McWhorter's.

Old gold and silver wanted at refiners' prices in exchange for goods at F. E. Burr's



We're long on shirts, so we've cut the price short; if you're short, don't wait long.  
 All 50c Shirts now - - - 38c  
 All \$1.00 Shirts now - - - 79c  
 All \$1.50 and \$2.00 Shirts, \$1.29  
**Rogers & Grady Co.**  
 TOP TO TOE OUTFITTERS.  
 Quinlen Building, Barre, Vermont.

**JINGLES AND JESTS.**

**Slightly Paradoxical.**  
 "He said the individual who would win success' crown must keep his grit and never let the people laugh him down.  
 And yet the joke-smith's chances for success are mighty slim unless he's smart enough to make the people laugh at him."  
 —Baltimore American.

**Got Out of It Easy.**  
 Mrs. Newwed—George, dear, all last night you were crying in your sleep: "Give me a highball! Give me a highball!"  
 Newwed—Guess I was dreaming I was—or—playing baseball.—Boston Herald.

**A Peculiar System.**  
 "Yes, husband makes me a weekly allowance."  
 "Do you find it enough?"  
 "Yes. But it takes all I get during the last three weeks to pay the bill I run up the first week." —Cleveland Plain Dealer.

**Quite Different.**



George—Do you know, Miss Sweetly, you remind me of a successful gambler.  
 Miss Sweetly (indignantly)—Sir!  
 George—Yes. You have such winning ways.

**BASE HITS.**

Beaumont's nickname is "Ginger." Fred Clark has his shoulder in a plaster of paris cast. Otto Kruger of Pittsburg is accused of being a slow thinker. Tommy Leach of Pittsburg has become very scrappy of late. McGraw asserts that there are no cliques in the New York National team. Beaumont again leads the National league batsmen, with Bresnahan second. Pat Donovan, St. Louis Nationals, is running bases with the energy of a colt. Leon Demontreville is now playing a bench engagement for the St. Louis Nationals. John T. Brush is the only baseball magnate who never talks for publication. He is more difficult to interview than J. P. Morgan. Pitcher "Dusty" Rhoades, who was released to the St. Louis Americans by Manager Seloe last fall, is much improved over his last year form. Rumor has it that ex-Pitcher Frank Pears can have a National league umpire berth if he wants it, President Pulliam having made him an offer. Pittsburg released Pitcher George Merritt because he talked too much. Some of his boasts were not to the liking of President Dreyfuss, so he let him out.

**No Cup Racing For Deer Isle Men.**  
 An agent of the Iselins and J. P. Morgan has been at Deer Isle, Me., to sign a crew for the cup defender Reliance, but has been obliged to return to New York without obtaining a single man, says a Bangor (Me.) special to the New York World. The Deer Isle men who were on the Constitution complain that they were overworked and underpaid. They declared also that the food given to them was unfit for tramps. They have had all the cup racing they want and object to being "bossed around by a lot of kid gloved sailors who know as much about running a boat as an old woman."

**ABOUT THE STATE.**

**Items of Interest Gleaned From Our Exchanges.**

John O. Benedict of Cornwall, probably has the largest number of acres of grain under cultivation this season of any Addison county farmer, having 42 acres of wheat, oats and rye.

W. G. and Herbert Gee of Vergennes, recently found a puff ball growing in the woods which measured four feet and nine inches in circumference, 18 inches across and weighed 16 1/2 pounds.

M. H. Gibson, the manager of The Progressive Farmer, a monthly periodical which has been printed in Groton by C. C. Lord, recently received a notification from the postoffice department at Washington that the second class rate was denied him and that he would have to pay third-class postage on his paper in the future.

Dr. J. B. Cushman of East Charleston has had a parrot for the past twelve years. It has always been a healthy bird and it was petted by the family. Mrs. Cushman recently became ill and died. The bird appeared as happy as usual during her illness, often calling "Doctor! Mabel!" but at length it ceased calling, refused to eat, kept its head under its wing most of the time and died.

The recent death at St. Paul, Minn., of Col. Edward M. Brown, made the first break in the field and staff officers of the famous eighth Vermont regiment. Gen. Stephen Thomas, its colonel, is now living as are Charles Dillingham, major; John L. Barstow, adjutant; Fred E. Smith, quartermaster; J. Elliot Smith and W. H. Gilmore, quartermaster sergeants. Col. Brown was assistant editor of the Green Mountain Freeman from 1898 to 1872.

Eaton Stone the noted bareback rider and circus manager whose death has just been announced, was a native of Bennington, as were the brothers that were associated with him in the old Stone & Murray circuses. It was in Bennington that Stone learned to ride bareback, his lessons being taken in a building then used as a brick shed, now the machine shop of Olin Scott. There was no floor, nor was the building inclosed, and his associates gathered on the outside to see him practice. He was the first man to attempt turning a somersault through a hoop while riding, and it was in this building that he made his success. His last appearance in Bennington as a rider was about 20 years ago, but he occasionally went there for a day or two.

Sylvanus Furbey of Waterford, died Sunday night. Mr. Furbey was 78 years old. He had never seen a city or a steamboat, and had never ridden on the steam cars. His father was an Englishman and a cabinet-maker, and his mother was Miranda Hemingway. They had three sons, and Sylvanus was the last one. All were great mechanics and not one of them ever married. They lived in a weather-beaten old house on the village street and were a congenial trio for years. Waterford people knew them when they had reached 70 years as the "Furbey boys." George Furbey was a gunsmith and the other two were cabinet-makers. The dead man, although one of the most respected citizens of the Vermont hamlet, never held a town office, always refusing such offers and suggestions.

**DAMES AND DAUGHTERS.**

Mrs. Brady of Sitka, wife of the governor, is secretary of the Woman's club of Sitka.  
 Dr. Mary Chandler of Lowell, Mass., is said to be the only woman in America who is entitled to practice both law and medicine.  
 Mrs. Jeanette P. Goin is one of New York's richest women, but is never seen in society, for which she expresses vast contempt. Mrs. Goin owns an immense deal of valuable real estate.  
 Mrs. Elizabeth Custer, widow of the general who fell in the massacre at Little Big Horn, is still young in appearance, although she must have passed the sixtieth milestone in life's journey.  
 Miss Ella May Clemens, a sister of Mrs. Howard Gould, has just opened in the Chinese district of San Francisco the first Catholic Sunday school for Chinese and Japanese ever attempted there.  
 Miss Minnie Eloise Kehoe of Pensacola is the first appointee under a law, the passage of which she herself secured, providing for the appointment of official stenographers to the circuit courts of Florida.  
 Mrs. Leland Stanford has given to the university of which she is the patroness the famous Brughsh Bey collection of Egyptian antiquities. It contains a vast number of objects, large and small, dating from 6000 to 3000 B. C.  
 Mrs. Nancy Rose, who for forty-seven years has had charge of the Lighthouse at Stony point on the Hudson river, has just received a handsome medal from the Seaside and Historic society in recognition of her faithfulness.

**GOWN GOSSIP.**

White silk gloves come daintily embroidered in pannies and forgetmenots. Handkerchiefs are used not only for corset covers, but to trim full sets of underwear.  
 Summer veils include those of a thin diaphanous stuff resembling chiffon, with a very lustrous sheen.  
 Reproductions of the styles of 1830 are expected to be much in evidence during the next few months.  
 The yoke design appears in many of the models for new fall shirt waists. In a few it extends down over the shoulder.  
 The demand for veils shows no sign of decreasing, and new styles of these dainty accessories are constantly being imported.  
 Wool laces, both in black and colors, will be extensively used during the coming season in galleons, all over and medallion effects.  
 Champagne, pastel blue, almond green, silver gray, Havana brown, red and mauve are shades in which the new soft French ing.

**THE BUSY STORE, MONTPELIER.**  
 A Few of the Many Goods at Very Low Prices:  
 White Goods and Colored Lawns and Muslins;  
 Ladies' Wrappers and Shirt Waist Suits;  
 Pique, Linen, Wool and Cotton Cheviot Skirts;  
 Ladies' and Misses' Tailored Suits and Jackets.  
 NEW EFFECTS IN SUMMER NECKWEAR RECEIVED DAILY.  
**L. P. & H. C. GLEASON,** Corner of Main and East State Streets.

**OUR IMMIGRANTS.**

What is the actual open door? Ellis Island. It is open to the scum of Europe, Asia and Africa. The open door of China is a joke in comparison with this Ellis Island gateway.—New York Press.

In the fiscal year ended June 30 921,315 immigrants came to the United States. At this rate we are liable to have some large lumps of undigested aliens as well as securities.—Minneapolis Journal.

If illiteracy were made the test of exclusion it is quite possible that the tide of immigration could be cut in halves, and perhaps 400,000 or 500,000 newcomers are about as many as it is desirable that the United States should receive each year with the intention of converting them into American citizens.—Boston Herald.

**THE ROYAL BOX.**

The queen of Roumania is writing a play of serious import.  
 The czarina of Russia has just completed her thirty-first year.  
 The Prince of Wales has taken his father's place as arbiter of men's fashions. He seldom wears a suit more than two or three times.  
 Emperor William recently gave 225,000 marks in aid of the fishermen of Zerssen, on the German ocean, who had been ruined by a tidal wave.  
 For the youngest daughter of Emperor William, Princess Victoria Louise a completely fitted miniature kitchen has been installed in the royal palace of Potsdam, where she will be taught the art of cooking.

**PIANO FOR SALE!**

The New Merrill Piano, specially selected for my studio for summers' use, is for sale at a bargain. If not sold, the instrument is to be reshipped on my return to Boston.

**A. W. KEENE,**  
 300 North Main Street, Barre, Vt.

**SIG.**  
**SAUTELLES**  
 MASTADONIC, 3 RING, R.E.  
**CIRCUS,**  
 MENAGERIE, HIPPODROME, AND WILD WEST.  
 Will exhibit, rain or shine, in  
**BARRE, VT.**  
 On the afternoon and evening of  
**Friday, August 14.**



See the thrilling jockey, hurdle and chariot races in our huge Roman Hippodrome.  
 See the Marvellous  
**SIXTY-THREE HORSE ACT.**

SEE EARTH'S ONLY  
**RIDING LIONESS.**  
 See Roger, our giant Elephant, weighs 8 tons, over 12 feet high. See Juby Bell, the Infant Elephant. Children go wild with delight over this small animal.

See the **GRAND FREE STREET PARADE** AT 10 A.M.

THE SHOW WILL EXHIBIT AT THE  
**Granite City Driving Park.**

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**BARRE BOOK STORE,**  
 CHAS. A. SMITH, Proprietor.  
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**Handkerchief Extraordinary Saturday Bargain.**

**SPECIAL ASSORTMENT OF LADIES' HANDKERCHIEFS!**

We mean what we say when we tell you that this is the biggest Handkerchief bargain we have ever offered. We started out to get together a 25 dozen lot that would break the record, and one of the largest makers was willing to cooperate with us. You can save half by taking advantage of this sale. Buy now for next Christmas. We mention only a few of the many bargains.

Ladies' fancy lace edge Handkerchiefs, value 10c, Saturday only 5c each.  
 Ladies fancy hemstitched Handkerchiefs, with lace insertion—a beauty. Made to sell for 20c, Saturday, only 10c.

A handsome collection of 25c Handkerchiefs in lace and embroidery designs. Some of these are all linen and linen centers. Saturday, only 15c, or two for 25c.

A collection of 35c, 40c and 45c Handkerchiefs go Saturday at 25c each.

The advertisement don't do half justice to them. If you don't say they are the best bargains offered this season, we won't say a word. See samples in window

All Goods Shown With Pleasure.

**The Vaughan Store!**

An advertisement in the Times will bring sure results.

There Are 25 Reasons Why  
**THE OLIVER VISIBLE TYPEWRITER**



Is superior to all others. Not what we say, not what competitors say, but what users say.

It is the Most Rapid,  
 Is the Easiest Operated,  
 Is the Best in Every Way.

This machine pleases both owner and operator because it is easily cleaned and never gets out of repair.  
**SECOND-HAND MACHINES.**

We also have on hand several second-hand machines of other makes that are bargains. See us before buying.

Machines sold on installments. Also a complete stock of Ribbons, Brushes, Oils and Typewriter Papers.

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 48 North Main Street, Barre, Vermont.