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

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

A gun in the hands of a small boy is a dear toy sometimes—in fact, quite often.

Both Clement and Proctor have now been given an enthusiastic reception by Barre.

A political rally in Vermont without music is much like Hamlet without the principal character.

Besides furnishing us with top-notch baseball, the Northern league gives us a romance or so now and then.

Weather prediction: Slight frosts already in some sections of Vermont, culminating in a freeze-out on September 4th.

The Vermont branch of the American federation of labor is apparently at pains to steer between Seylla and Charybdis.

An encouraging report comes from the Lamolite region that the suckers are disappearing, but we find on investigation that it is only another fish story.

Didn't it remind you of those other days when you saw the great crowd gathered in the neighborhood of the City hall last night in anticipation of hearing a band concert? In those days the old "common" was crowded black with men, women and children on "band nights." Barre with its 11,000 or 12,000 people should be able to support a band now.

The rioting in New York over the raising of the street car fares to Coney Island from five to ten cents, with the resultant ejections from the cars, recalls the raising of the fare between Barre and Montpelier from five to ten cents, without the rioting. By the way, what was the disposal of the car which came from ejection from the cars when the passengers refused to pay the extra five cents?

The Springfield, Mass., Republican says: "The ineptness of Mr. Bonaparte's suggestion of flogging as a cure for anarchy should appear from the experience of Russia. If the knout cannot crush it, can the cat? It is not pleasant to see from so many quarters appeals for a return to discarded barbarisms as a remedy for this or that social ailment. Cruelty, it would seem, has been discarded by civilization just long enough for us to forget what a miserable tool it was. The argument is always, of course, brought forward that special cases need special measures—that wife-beating, highway robbery, jail mutiny, this or that crime that troubles the state, can only be dealt with by reviving obsolete cruelty. The theory is always bad. It is worst and stupidest when it seeks to stamp out fanaticism by brutality. Did the Quakers yield to the whipping post? That their creed was peace and their cruel treatment doubly an abomination, does not touch the vital point—the folly of trying to suppress zealots by cruelty. It but adds fuel to the flame."

VERMONT'S LATCHSTRING IS OUT. During this week and next, various Vermont communities are keeping the latchstring out for former residents and other guests. In a few of the towns elaborate plans have been made, and are being made, for the reception of



A handy Shoe for this weather is the gun metal calf with the narrow swing toe last.

A style young men will appreciate.

Here is Hose to correspond. Just the right foundation to go with our Grey Suits.

New Fall Hats just arrived.

WE CLEAN, PRESS AND REPAIR CLOTHING.



174 Main Street, Barre, Vt.

CONFESSED HE TOOK MONEY.

Young Newsboy Was Arrested in Burlington.

Burlington, Aug. 16.—A young newsboy named Cook confessed last evening to the theft of about \$80, was taken into custody by the police and later allowed to spend the night at his home on lower Bank street, upon the promise of his widowed mother to bring him into court today.

Cook stole the money yesterday from the store of the Singer sewing machine company on Church street, where it was enclosed in the hand bag belonging to a young lady employed by that company, who states that Cook had carried a satchel or bag for her earlier in the day and in this way learned where she kept the money.

Cook was notified of the theft and given a partial description of the boy upon whom suspicion rested. By quick work Cook was soon located and brought to the police station. The lad said that he had taken the money home with him and later had bought a dish of ice cream. He was quite sure, however, that he had lost the rest of the money on the corner of College and Church streets, while he was being taken to the station, said he didn't know why he stole the money.

LIFE SAVED BY GIRLS.

Drunken Man Hauled from Track Just Before Train Came.

Burlington, Aug. 16.—Two young ladies at Lakeide Park were the means of saving the life of a drunken man last evening. The man, whose name is not known, since he was too drunk to tell who he was, had slipped on the railroad track and the young ladies pulled him off just before the train from the south passed. This man was accompanied by another unknown, also well under the weather, and both were lodged in jail.

Another drunken man was arrested last night. This one was lounging in a seat in front of the Burlington station, nearly dead to the world. He had been requested to leave and had refused. He was not a guest of the hotel but was apparently a stranger.

32 GOLFERS QUALIFY.

Will Contest for the First President's Cup at Manchester.

Manchester, Aug. 16.—Thirty-two golfers for a field of 90 qualified in medal play in the seventh annual tournament for the first president's cup at the Ekwanok Golf club yesterday. Frederick Herreshoff of Garden City won the trophy for the lowest score with 153. J. D. Travers was second with 159. The surprise of the day was the poor showing of A. R. White of Ekwanok, winner of the cup last year, who yesterday barely qualified with 179. O. Woodard of Englewood and R. D. Leake of Ekwanok were tied for thirty-second place.

PLEADED NOT GUILTY.

John Alden Is Charged With Committing Rape.

Middlebury, Aug. 16.—John Alden of Whiting was arrested by Deputy Sheriff W. H. Cobb yesterday on a charge of rape on a little girl by the name of Etta Miller who is 13 years of age. The girl is employed at his home. He was brought to this town and taken before Judge Foote and pleaded not guilty to the charge.

JINGLES AND JESTS.

Highlanders' Thistle Song.

Brief is the slender harebell's hour, Frail the wild arum's riding flower. Let but the zephyr stir in sleep, The wind-flowers do him reverence deep. And fragile blows the pale dog-rose Under a corpse's tee; But the thistles stand on the open land Fearless, and fine to see.

Let lavish roots endure to grow By permit in a planted row; Like fools that sacrifice their summers To grind the money mills of commerce, Some day of ruth they see the truth, Which is from the beginning— Freedom and health are all the wealth That's fairly worth the winning.

So you, my freemen of the field, Fit blazon of the Highland shield, My handsome idlers of the plain That live for living, not for gain, With bristled points and armored joints Sell dear your lives, and whom Sharp sickles shall win to wear The royal purple plume.

De Mortuis.

The man who travels reports that they are just beginning to get enthusiastic about pingpong in Philadelphia.—Somerville Journal.

Busybody's Biz.

"Isn't it ridiculous to say everybody's business is nobody's business?" "Why, that's all right; you see, it means that when—" "I don't care what it means. It's bound to be the busybody's business, at least."—Catholic Standard.

The Season's Girls.

So many girls wearing engagement rings nowadays that for a girl to go with her fingers bare looks like an advertisement.—Somerville Journal.

The 40,000.

The 40,000 college graduates who this year wrote volumes to tell how they were going to succeed might have summed it all up in two words, probity and labor. These, and these only, are unfailing.—Louisville Herald.

The Nation's Unrest.

No politics can move me—Kaze all I want's a tree On de green side er a river Whar de fly-bite fies, Atlantic Constitution.

The Goats.

It would appear that the Russian Government was busily enough engaged with billy goats of a most strenuous species to concern itself with leading out scapegoats.—Omaha World-Herald.

Scots Wha Hae.

An agreement has been reached whereby American steel consumers, through Mr. Henry Diepays, will pay \$300,000 a year rental for a Scotch deer park.—Detroit News.

MARGARET DELAND, AUTHOR

Her Greatest Successes Written in a Barre-Friend of Birds.

Mrs. Margaret Deland, whose latest book, "The Awakening of Helena Eleftheria," is quite as clever and interesting as the other stories that have won fame for her, is an enthusiastic horticulturist. Her love for flowers and plants is given expression in nearly all of her works. Some of Mrs. Deland's greatest successes were written in a barn. When summer comes and she is freed from the social and household obligations of her beautiful home in Boston, Mrs. Deland seeks her cottage on the Kennebunk river, Kennebunkport, Me. Her garden is a mass of beautiful blooms, flowering vines and sweet scented shrubs. As for the



MRS. MARGARET DELAND.

barn, its exterior and interior are more attractive than the summer houses of many persons of means. In a particularly cozy room, with large windows that let in plenty of fresh air and light, Mrs. Deland turns leisurely to her literary tasks. It was in this room that "Philip and His Wife," "Sidney," many of the "Old Chester Tales" and a large part of her last novel were prepared. The authoress, however, finds much time to spend with her flowers. She is of a very retiring disposition and shuns publicity, although to a wide circle of intimate friends she is noted for a generous and gracious hospitality. She does not care for violent exercises or games, her only active recreation being the care of her flowers. She arises before 5 o'clock every morning in the summer and spends hours in her garden, which is the home of hundreds of birds. The latter have been attracted by the many quiet, cozy bowers to be found there and realize they have a safe retreat. Mrs. Deland is on very cordial terms with the birds. While she works among the flowers she talks to her feathered friends, and they saucily twitter back at her.

THEY WOULD SELL THEIR BODIES

Young Man and Woman Want Money to Have a Good Time and Then End All by Suicide.

Warren Greenstreet, a baker of Kokomo, Ind., and Miss Maggie Downhour, a young lady whose parents were once wealthy, offered their bodies to three well known Kokomo physicians, saying they had agreed to sell their bodies, have a good time with the money realized from the sale and then end it all by committing suicide.

They had decided to use chloroform and begged the physicians to buy their bodies. The doctors refused to buy and tried to dissuade them from their purpose, but failed to do so, and in order to prevent them carrying the compact into execution informed the police, and the pair were placed under surveillance.

Several years ago the Downhour family was in good circumstances, but during the natural gas boom the father made some bad investments and was reduced to poverty. Maggie did not want to be a burden on her aged father and mother and went out to service in private families.

She and Greenstreet became acquainted and subsequently engaged, but their earnings have been small, and they have not been able to save enough to justify marriage. After considering the matter from all points of view they decided to commit suicide, first selling their bodies and having a good time on the money.

LIKE A SNAKE, HE SHEDS HIS SKIN

Superintendent of Montana Mines Shows His Cuticle Every Year.

John H. Price, superintendent of the Gold Reef mines at Phillipsburg, Mont., is shedding his skin. It is a very peculiar piece of nature's work, the cause of which the medical profession has so far been unable to explain. The shedding of the skin of his entire body is complete, including the nails on his fingers and toes, and the process of shedding covers a period of from three to five days. This has occurred annually for thirty years.

At the approach of the shedding period Mr. Price becomes quite ill, has high fever, and the skin over his entire body apparently dries up. As soon as new skin has formed underneath, which usually requires a couple of days, the old skin peels off, and Mr. Price feels rejuvenated, with a skin as tender as that of a child. Until the new skin hardens he is obliged to exercise care to prevent it breaking.

CLEAN-UP SALE!

For Friday and Saturday

To make room for a larger stock of Fall Goods, this store must have more room. For Friday and Saturday we will sell the following goods at a price that will clean them up.

- 1 lot 28-inch Cheviot Serge, nice for children's school dresses, to close at, per yard, 10c
1 lot Tricot Flannel, in good dark colors, at a clean up price of, per yard, 22c
1 piece plain 36-inch Grey Tweed for skirts, per yard, 45c
1 piece Grey Plaid 36-inch Tweed for skirts, per yard, 45c
50 inch Plain Mohair in grey, navy and black. This quality does not sell for less than 75c a yard. For two days, sale price, only, per yd. 49c
Linen—36-inch Linen Damask, per yard 50c. Pure Linen Huck Towels, plain, also hemstitched, 19c each. Heavy Huck Towels, 20 and 36 inches, for 12 1-2c each. Five pieces all black stripe Muslin, per yard, 12 1-2c
Corded white Muslin Shirt Waists, 39c
\$1.50 White Lawn Waists for, 98c and \$1.25
Mercerized Embroidered Shirt Waist for, \$1.25
Mercerized Striped Waist (new) for, 98c
\$1.00 Thompson's Corsets for, 79c
50c Corsets, odd sizes, for, 27c
Ladies' Lisle 2 Clasp Gloves for, 19c
Other bargains not advertised.

Come early for first choice on this table.

The Vaughan Store

It's Too Good to Give Up Now

Our Summer Sale is growing in favor every day. The money drawers prove that many people are just commencing to realize the advantage this sale offers to those who want to finish the season well dressed, and at the same time do it for a little money.

It's a mutual benefit. We clear stock, you save cents, dimes and dollars. You know we run a "Do what we say we will" store. That's what makes our sales popular. Do you know of a better reason? Better see those Silks at 49c. Muslin Dresses at 98c, \$1.98, \$3.98, \$5.98 and \$8.98. Shirt Waists at 98c and \$1.98. Suits at one-half price. And you'll find plenty of other attractions when you get here.

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Ice Cream Cake, per loaf, 15c
Cheese Cakes, per doz., 12c
Sunshine Cake, per loaf, 15c
Skotch Short Bread, per doz., 30c
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Chocolate Eclairs, per doz., 30c
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GIRL FALLS FAR INTO MOTHER'S LAP

Drops From Second Story Window and Lands Unhurt as Neighbors Rush to Catch Her.

While playfully calling from a second story window to her mother sitting on the step below, Milla Reeder of 624 Pemberton street, Philadelphia, leaned over too far and fell. Neighbors screamed as the child dropped head foremost, and several ran forward with outstretched hands. But the youngster landed in her mother's lap. The sudden impact, coming like a jump of lead, nearly knocked Mrs.



THE CHILD DROPPED HEAD-FORMOST. Reeder off the step. She clung to the child and covered her with kisses. The little girl wondered why all the neighbors hugged and kissed her too. Then she burst into tears. Just to make sure that the child was not injured her mother took her to the Pennsylvania hospital. She hadn't a scratch.

Your Summer Vacation will not be half complete without a box of Golden Weddings The Monarch of 10 cent Cigars—all Dealers. G. C. TAYLOR & CO., Props., Burlington, Vt.

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