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BRYAN WEEPS AT WELCOME

A Remarkable Demonstration For the Nebraskan.

SOUNDS CAMPAIGN CALL

Declares Trust Paramount Issue and Speaks for Tariff Revision—Favors Government Control of Railroads—Cheers for Hearst.

New York, Aug. 31.—The home coming of William Jennings Bryan was made complete last night when he was greeted in Madison Square garden by a throng of welcomers numbering more than 20,000. It was such a welcome as seldom if ever before was accorded a private citizen. Mr. Bryan's eyes filled with tears as he stood and acknowledged the thundering welcome from 20,000 throats. For eight minutes, while the garden seemed to shake and sway from the shouts and applause, he strode nervously from side to side of the narrow platform. Only once again during the entire evening was there anything approaching such a demonstratin. That was when the speaker told his hearers that he had become converted to the cause of government ownership of railroads. "I favor the control of only the trunk lines by the national government," said Mr. Bryan, "and the ownership of all other railroads by the state governments."

In an instant thousands of voices were raised and thousands of faces were turned toward the side of the building opposite the speaker's stand, where William Randolph Hearst sat.

"Three cheers for Hearst," was the cry which swelled until the speaker's voice was drowned for a moment.

Last night's reception, which was given under the auspices of the commercial travelers' anti-trust league, proved really to be the sounding of the Democratic campaign call. Mr. Bryan's speech was a clearcut outline of what the Democratic policy should be.

The election of United States senators by the people, regulation of the trusts by the government, a universal eight-hour law, settlement of all international disputes by arbitration rather than by resort to force, and revision of the tariff were some of his points. Mr. Bryan declared, however, that he was merely expressing his own opinion, and not attempting to forecast the policy of his party.

Mr. Bryan declared that the trusts were the great issue of the day. He favored the closest supervision of the organization of corporations and said that no man should be a director of two or more corporations which deal with each other or to engage in the same line of business. He called for the enforcement of the criminal clause of the Sherman anti-trust law and the placing of trust-controlled articles on the free list.

He went into the question of government ownership of the railroads at great length and declared that what he had seen in other countries had served to strengthen his convictions on the subject. He saw danger in centralization, however, and for this reason advocated the federal ownership of the trunk lines and state ownership of the local lines.

The speaker scored the Republican congress for not passing the legislation urged by President Roosevelt giving publicity to campaign contributions. He gave the President some praise, however, for what he termed his adoption of the Democratic ideas. Mr. Bryan said he hoped the income tax might some day be imposed through an amendment to the constitution. He referred briefly to the recent insurance investigation and said smilingly that he believed the disclosures made would result in difficulty in securing large campaign contributions in the future.

Of the financial question Mr. Bryan said the unexpected and the unprecedented discovery of gold had brought a victory to both the advocate of the gold standard and the advocate of bi-metalism.

"The Republicans have gained so much pleasure and some partisan advantage," he said, "from the dissension in our ranks on the money question that they ought not to begrudge us the pleasure we find in the fact that conditions have removed the cause of discord and dissension."

Mr. Bryan spoke for an hour and twenty minutes and was constantly interrupted by cheers and applause.

The only discordant note sounded was when Mr. Bryan turned to a discussion of Socialism and declared that the man who says the trust is an economic growth and has come to stay is the one who is helping the Socialists. Someone yelled, "Three cheers for Socialism," but the call was drowned in hisses.

Mr. Bryan quickly said: "My friends, I have no objection to any man expressing himself in favor of Socialism, because the Socialist as a rule is an honest man; he is seeking what he believes to be a benefit to him with argument and not with a business. I deny that the trust is an institution made necessary for economic purposes; I deny that it is an economic institution at all. It is not economical; it is political. It rests not on natural laws, but on man-made laws."

The streets and avenues outside the garden were choked for blocks by other thousands who stood patiently for hours for the privilege of even a fleeting glance at the distinguished visitor. The interior of the garden was a waving sea of color. Every person in the audience had been provided with a miniature American flag, and every cheer from 20,000 throats was accentuated by the waving of 20,000 tiny staffs bearing the stars and stripes.

When Mr. Bryan entered the hall the proceedings which already had begun were brought to a temporary pause, while for eight minutes volley after volley of thunderous cheers rolled through the great building. When Chairman Tom L. Johnson in his introduction of Mr. Bryan referred to the guest of the evening as "the first citizen, if not the first official in the land—not yet the first official," and as Mr. Bryan arose the great gathering broke out in unrestrained cheering, while the band played, "Hail to the Chief."

There were several outside meetings, the principal one of which was addressed in the early part of the evening by Representative Sulzer of New York, Governor Glenn of North Carolina and Mayor Dahlman of Omaha.

When Mr. Bryan had concluded his garden address at a few minutes after ten o'clock and appeared outside the hall he received another ovation. He spoke briefly.

Mr. Bryan was then driven with Mrs. Bryan in an automobile directly to his hotel, where he was greeted by William Randolph Hearst. The party went to the receptions rooms, where they talked for some minutes. Shortly before eleven o'clock, Mr. Bryan, much fatigued, retired to his apartments.

Chief Points of Bryan's Speech.

The unlooked for and unprecedented increase in the production of gold has brought a victory to both the advocates of bimetallism—the former keeping the gold standard which they wanted and the latter securing the larger volume of money for which they contended.

We who favor bimetallism are satisfied with our victory if the friends of monometallism are satisfied with theirs, and we can invite them to a contest of zeal and endurance in the effort to restore to the people the rights which have been gradually taken from them by the trusts.

While men may differ as to the relative importance of issues, and while the next congress will largely shape the lines upon which the coming presidential campaign will be fought, I think it is safe to say that at present the paramount issue in the minds of a large majority of the people is the trust issue.

I congratulate President Roosevelt upon the steps which he has taken to enforce the anti-trust law, and my gratification is not lessened by the fact that he has followed the Democratic rather than the Republican platform in every advance he has made.

The tariff question is very closely allied to the trust question and the reduction of the tariff furnishes an easy means of limiting the extortion which the trusts can practice.

Special privileges and the use of the taxing power for private gain—these are the twin pillars upon which plutocracy rests.

The high tariff has long been a burden to the consumer in the United States, and it is growing more and more a menace to our foreign commerce because it arouses resntment and provokes retaliation.

Rate regulation was absolutely necessary, and it furnishes some relief from the unbearable conditions which previously existed, but we must not forget that the vesting of this enormous power in the hands of a commission appointed by the President introduces a new danger.

Believing that the operation of all the railroads by the federal government would result in a centralization which would all but obliterate state lines, I prefer to see only the trunk lines operated by the federal government, and the local lines by the sevral state governments.

I am so convinced of the justice of the income tax that I feel sure that the people will sooner or later demand an amendment to the constitution which will specifically authorize an income tax.

No reference to the labor question is complete that does not include some mention of what is known as government by injunction. As the main purpose of the writ is to evade trial by jury, it is really an attack upon the jury system and ought to arouse a unanimous protest.

The struggle to secure an eight-hour day is an international struggle, and it is sure to be settled in favor of the working man's contention.

NEVER FELT BETTER IN HIS LIFE

Mr. Bryan Up Early After His Strenuous Day Yesterday—Off for Connecticut Today.

New York, Aug. 31.—Notwithstanding his strenuous day yesterday Mr. Bryan was up early this morning. He took breakfast in his apartments with his family and was down for a brief visit to the lobby of the Victoria shortly after 8 o'clock. He was looking his best and declared that he never felt better in his life. He said he was delighted with last night's reception and that he expected a pleasant visit to Connecticut today. He will speak at New Haven and Bridgeport extemporaneously. He will leave New York Sunday for Detroit. Mr. Bryan left the hotel at 9.30 for the Grand Central depot, accompanied by a delegation of Democrats from Connecticut and took the ten o'clock train over the New Haven road.

ANOTHER EARTHQUAKE.

One Severe Shock in Chile Followed by 16 Slighter Ones.

Rio de Janeiro, Aug. 31.—A severe earthquake shock was felt last night at Laona and Arica, Chile. Sixteen slighter shocks followed.

Father Denies Engagement.

London, Eng., Aug. 31.—In response to an inquiry as to the truth of the reported engagement of his eldest son and heir, the Hon. Henry L. Bruce, to Camille Clifford, the American actress, Lord Aberdare telegraphed yesterday from Kilgussie, Scotland: "Announcement untrue." Mr. Bruce when shown this telegram said: "That's just what I expected." But he reiterated that the facts were as he had already stated and nothing could induce him to change his mind.

Ultimatum to Meat Packers.

Washington, Aug. 31.—Nothing short of the placing upon meat products of labels which will not deceive the public was the ultimatum which Secretary Wilson delivered to forty representatives of various packing houses who met here yesterday. The elimination of certain advertising features on the labels also will be insisted on.

DEATH FOR TWENTY-TWO

Swift Work of Russian Court Martial

33 GET LONG PRISON TERMS

In All 687 Persons Were Brought to Trial and Only 30 Were Discharged—Rapid Work of Government.

Helsingfors, Finland, Aug. 31.—The court martial of the Sveaborg mutineers today sentenced nineteen soldiers and three civilians to death. Thirty-three soldiers got from twelve to fifteen years, thirty-three others five years, and 299 were sentenced to four months' imprisonment. In all 678 persons were brought to trial and only 30 were discharged.

WESTERN IRELAND THREATENED WITH FAMINE

Potato Crop and Others Are Failures—Resolution Calling Upon the Government to Open Relief Works.

Donegal, Ireland, Aug. 31.—A partial famine threatens the western part of Ireland through the failure of the crops. Ten per cent of the potato crop is practically worthless and ten per cent more is diseased. At a special meeting of the Sligo county council, O. Dowd, a member of parliament, introduced a resolution calling on the government to open up relief works, as the situation was blacker than at any time since 1879. Other local bodies are contemplating similar action.

SWAM 42 MILES BUT FAILED TO LAND

Burgess, the Long-Distance Swimmer Performs Wonderful Feat in English Channel—Eighteen Hours in Water.

Dover, Eng., Aug. 31.—Although he covered more than 42 miles, several miles more than the distance from Dover, England, to the French coast, Burgess, the long-distance swimmer, failed in his effort to swim the English channel. His performance was one of the most remarkable on record. He was buffetted about by the shifting tides, and was swept far out of his course. After being in the water 18 hours, he was seized with cramps. He was within four miles of the French coast.

Balloted 437 Times.

Salem, O., Aug. 31.—The Republican convention of the 18th district, which balloted last week for four days, and reconvened here, has decided to refer the question of a congressional nominee to a primary election. The deadlock lasted through 437 ballots.

Drowned at Dover, N. H.

Dover, N. H., Aug. 31.—George T. Chick, the 15-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Chick of this place, was drowned yesterday afternoon in the bellamy river while bathing.

Omaha Editor Dead.

Omaha, Aug. 31.—Edward Rosewater, editor of the Omaha Bee, died suddenly last night.

ONE MAN RELEASED.

Arrested Wednesday in Northfield — Gabree Held as a Witness.

Montpelier, Aug. 31.—Edmond Gabree is in jail awaiting his hearing on his conection with the robbery at the Colby farm near the Junction Tuesday evening. He was arrested by Deputy Sheriff Lawson at Northfield Wednesday afternoon. Sheriff Lawson also rearrested another man at Northfield, but he was released.

Gabree and a man whose description is said to be the same as the man arrested, was seen near the Junction by Andrew Grady, the night operator. Gabree was deeply intoxicated, but the other man was apparently sober. This man had been begging food along the road and called at the Pitkin farm but a few minutes before the theft was discovered. Mr. Carr, who runs the farm, and Mr. Grady followed the two men nearly to the Denny farm, but lost them in the darkness. Gabree was seen in Northfield in the morning and watched.

The authorities are very reticent as to the affair, but as nearly as can be learned Gabree is not thought to be the thief, but is held as a witness.

The one who entered the house was evidently frightened away by the voices of the people in the barn, for jewelry equal in value to that stolen was left in plain view. The thief could have been acquainted with the house, for he knew where to find the valuables.

Edmond Gabree was seen near the Junction about a half hour after the theft by Andrew Grad, the night operator. Gabree was deeply intoxicated and was barely able to walk. He was accompanied by a young man, and Mr. Grady's description of this young man agrees with that of the young man suspected of the crime.

The young man had been begging food at the house along the road and was at the Pitkin farm only a few moments before the loss of the articles was discovered. When Mr. Carr went to the station to give the alarm, Mr. Grady at once remembered the two men who had passed and Mr. Carr set out in pursuit up the track. He was unable to follow them past the Denny farm, where they were lost in the darkness.

MAY MEET IN BARRE FOR NEXT CONVENTION

Universalists Close Annual Gathering Held at St. Johnsbury—Officers Elected for Coming Year.

St. Johnsbury, Aug. 31.—The closing sessions of the convention of the Vermont Universalists was held here yesterday. The fellowship committee held a meeting for the examination of Roy E. Griffith, pastor of Ludlow, and voted to ordain in due time. The forenoon was largely used for business matters and outlining of missionary work. The usual spirit of a forward look in social and national, as were as religious matters prevailed.

These officers for the year were elected by ballot: President Rev. E. E. Marggraf, St. Albans; vice president, Rev. Walter Dole, D. D., Northfield; secretary, Rev. Alven M. Smith, Plainfield; treasurer, Hon. W. H. Gladding, Randolph; trustee for three years, Prof. O. K. Hollister, Barre; fellowship committee, Rev. F. L. Leavitt, Bellows Falls; Rev. C. C. Conner, Barre; Rev. Thomas Stratton, Rutland; H. W. Blackmer, Stockbridge; F. G. Pierce, Bellows Falls.

Rev. Walter Dole, D. D., Northfield, gave an address on "The Church Universal; How Establish It?"

The afternoon was largely devoted to the woman's missionary society and consisted of the usual devotional exercises and business matters. The president, Mrs. Alice J. Allen, Waterloo, P. Q., presided. Officers for coming year are: President, Mrs. Alice J. Allen, Waterloo; vice president, Carrie Underwood, St. Johnsbury; secretary, Mrs. Cora E. Wood, Brattleboro; treasurer, Mrs. Sadie E. Keach, Brattleboro.

In the evening Rev. E. A. Hoyt, Beverly, Mass., a former pastor, led in devotional services, preceding addresses by Rev. F. L. Musseck of Brattleboro on "The Church, a Dynamo," and Rev. F. A. Bisbee, D. D., Boston, Editor of the Universalist Leader, on the subject "The Conditions of Success in the Christian Ministry and the Christian Church."

The next convention will be held either in Ludlow or Barre according to the decision of the executive committee.

RACES AT MORRISVILLE.

Results of Closing Day of Lamoille Valley Fair.

Morrisville, Aug. 31.—The races at the Lamoille valley fair yesterday resulted as follows:

2:40 Class, Trot or Pace.

Purse, $200.

Ordell (Utton)	6	1	1	1
Marion (Whitcomb Bros.)	1	6	2	3
Dan (Prairie)	2	2	4	5
Outlaw (Page)	5	3	5	2
Red Elm Boy (Osgood)	3	4	3	4
Logan, Jr. (Willey)	4	5	6	

Time, 2:28½, 2:27¼, 2:27¼, 2:26¼.

2:27 Clas, Trot or Pace.

Purse, $200.

Alexander 2d (Prairie)	1	1	1
Dora Star (Wood)	2	2	2
Quida (Osgood)	3	3	3
Major Wilkes (Young)	4	6	5
Northern Bell (Utton)	5	4	6
Sadie M. (Merrill)	6	5	6

Last three horses divided fourth money.

Time, 2:24¼, 2:23¼, 2:25¼.

Named Race, Trot or Pace.

Purse, $200.

Ned Cole, (Kittredge)	2	1	1	1
Comf (Utton)	1	2	2	2
Margaret L. (W. Utton)	3	4	4	3
Lottie Logan (Willey)	4	3	3	4

Time, 2:19¼, 2:20, 2:19½, 2:20¼.

CLOSE OF WINDSOR FAIR.

Large Attendance and Races of the One, Two, Three Order.

Windsor, Aug. 31.—The Windsor fair closed yesterday with a large attendance and a good exhibition. A special feature was the judging of Morgan horses, conforming most truly to the old Morgan type. There were a large number of entries in the driving classes, tandem and four-in hand. The races were not very sharply contested, being of the one, two, three order. The summary:

2:40 Class, Trot of Pace.

Purse $150.

McPhine, b. s. (Waterman)	1	1	1
Tassmo, b. g., (Forst)	2	3	2
Robert West, b. f. (Billings)	3	2	3
Ida E., g. m. (Flint)	5	3	5
Ben M., b. g. (Johnson)	4	4	4

Time, 2:32¼, 2:32, 2:33½.

2:1 Class, Trot or Pace.

Purse, $200.

Satinette, br. m. (Churchill)	1	1	1
Frank D., ch. g. (Woodrow)	2	2	2
W. Z., b. g. (Flint)	3	3	3

BELLOWS FALLS GROWING.

Quadrennial Appraisal Shows Increase of Nearly a Million in Four Years.

Bellows Falls, Aug. 31.—The quadrennial appraisal for the town of Rockingham for 1906 has been a lively theme for dicussion during the past week. While exact figures are not at hand, it is probable that the appraisal has been raised nearly a million dollars over the appraisal of 1902 and some over $800,000 above the list on which 1906 taxes are paid. It is thought that farm values have been lifted only about $10,000 and the small property holders in the village have been raised but little. Mill property, business blocks and nice residences will bear the increased burdens of taxation.

In many instances the list of 1906 is the same as the list of 1902, but not in every instance. There are many additions and improvements which raise the figures of 1906 considerably above those of 1902.

P. O. ROBBERS GET GOOD HAUL.

Secured $500 in Money and $800 in Stamps at Highland, N. Y.

Kingston, N. Y., Aug. 31.—Burglars this morning entered the postoffice in Highland, blew open the safe and secured $500 in money and $800 in stamps. There is no clue to the burglars.

Sec. Root Delayed by Fog.

Lota, Chile, Aug. 31.—The cruiser Charleston with Secretary of State Root on board has not yet arrived here. It is believed that the vessel has been delayed by fog.

CLOSING IN ON REBELS

Battle Is Due in a Few Hours

AVALOS HAS 1,000 MEN

The Cuban Insurrection Both Gains and Loses — Colonel Carlos Guas Has Now Lent His Aid to the Revolt.

Havana, Aug. 31.—Gens. Avalos and Pin Guerra are close to each other near Guanes, whither Avalos, with 1,000 cavalry, mounted infantry, rural guards and recruits, marched yesterday from Sabalo. The Associated Press correspondent with General Avalos reports that many recruits fell out along the march from illness.

The opposing forces are so close that a battle is expected momentarily.

The only fight of consequence reported yesterday was a three hours' conflict between 150 rural guards and volunteers and an insurgent band estimated to number 300 near Campo Florido, twenty miles east of Havana. Fifteen insurgents were killed and many more were wounded. One of the prisoners captured says that probably 40 insurrectionists were killed and many more were terribly slashed with machetes. It is evident that this was the fiercest and bloodiest fight since the insurrection began.

Reports of surrenders in compliance with the government's offer of amnesty were numerous last night.

The insurgent chief, Lata Sanchez, returned to Salud with a few of his followers.

On the other hand the insurrection is receiving some recruits. Col. Carlos Guas, a prominent resident of San Antonio de los Banos, has joined the insurrection, followed by some of his friends, forming the nucleus of a new band.

Public knowledge of the bad behavior of Pino Guerra's force which has looted stores in several places is having a decidedly favorable effect on the government cause, as showing the undisciplined condition of this much vaunted army.

NONE HURT THOUGH TRAIN TURNS OVER

Engine and Four Cars With 15 Passengers Derailed at Strong, Maine.

Phillips, Me., Aug. 31.—A train of four cars, with 15 passengers aboard, jumped the rail at a curve on the Sandy river railroad, a narrow guage line, yesterday but although the train was going 20 miles an hour, and all the cars were overturned into a ditch beside the track, none of the passengers or trainmen was injured. Some of the passengers jumped immediately after the train left the iron, and those who remained in the cars when they capsized easily extricated themselves, unhurt.

The damage to the train was slight. The track and roadbed over which the cars ran for a distance of 40 rods after leaving the iron were torn up so badly that it was necessary to build a temporary track.

For some reason which mystified the railroad officials, the train left the rails on a long curve just beyond the trestle this side of Strong and six miles from here.

WHILE TIED TO TREE BOY STUNG BY BEES

Friends Were Playing Indian and During a War Dance They Upset a Hive.

Fitchburg, Mass., Aug. 30.—Joseph W. Brown, young son of Robert Brown, was very severely stung by bees Wednesday at Whalom lake. Some little fellows, of whom he was one, were playing Indians, and Brown was tied to a tree when, in regular play fashion, the others danced a war dance of victory about him. While dancing one of the boys stepped on an old rubber in which some bees had swarmed.

As a result the bees came out and the Brown boy was stung so badly that he became unconscious from the pain. He was released from his position by a park employee. It was estimated by a physician that the boy received over 1,000 stings. The bees got under every garment, even into his stockings. The youngster will recover.

FREIGHT CAR OFF TRACK.

Accident at Iberville, P. Q., Delayed Midnight Train Three Hours.

St. Albans, Aug. 31.—The Montreal express train due here last night at eleven o'clock and scheduled to arrive in Burlington at 12:10 this morning, was nearly three hours late. The delay was caused by a freight car off the track near Iberville, P. Q.

Dedicate New Hospital.

Dover, N. H., Aug. 30.—The Westworth hospital, the gift of Arioch Westworth, the late Boston millionaire and a native of this city, was dedicated yesterday. Edward F. Stevens, a Boston architect, delivered the keys to John Kivel, who received them on behalf of the city. Col. Daniel Hall made the dedicatory address.

Hopes for Her Recovery.

St. Petersburg, Aug. 31.—Hopes are entertained for the recovery of the daughter of Premier Stolypin who was terribly injured in the bomb explosion at her father's apartments August 25.

FIELD SPORTS AT BALL GROUNDS LABOR DAY

Grand Benefit Programme to Be Offered at Intercity Park Next Monday —Band of Thirty Pieces.

The programme for the grand benefit field day sports at Intercity park, Labor day, September 3, at 1:30 o'clock sharp, has been arranged as follows:

100-yard race, 1st prize $3, 2d prize $2.

Putting shot, 1st prize $2, 2nd prize $1.

Fat men's race, prize, box of cigars.

Running bases, prize, Spaulding bat.

Pole vault, 1st prize $2, 2nd prize $1.

Running broad jump, 1st prize, $2, 2nd prize $1.

Running hop, step and jump, 1st prize $2, second prize $1.

Boy's 100-yard race, 1st prize $2, 2nd prize $1.

Throwing ball, Spaulding ball.

Greased pig contest.

Also a baseball game between Barre and Montpelier.

The Montpelier military band of 30 pieces will be in attendance and render concerts at intervals during the afternoon.

No pains has been spared to make this afternoon of sports a success and your patronage is earnestly solicited. Admission 25c, children 15c.

FIRST BASEMAN ASHMORE JOINS THE BENEDICTS

Popular Member of Barre-Montpelier Baseball Team Married to Miss Russell at Burlington Yesterday.

Burlington, Aug. 31.—James Newton Ashmore and Mary Gladys Russel were married yesterday afternoon at four o'clock in St. Paul's church by the Rev. B. W. Atwell. The bride was given in marriage by her father, Ezra R. Russell, and the ceremony was performed simply in the presence of a few friends.

Mr. Ashmore is well known in this city and has a wide popularity, both here and in other league cities, which he established as first baseman of the Barre-Montpelier baseball team in the Northern league. He is the physical director of the Millikin university at Decatur, Ill.

Mrs. Ashmore is a graduate of the Burlington high school in the class of 1905 and has a large circle of friends in this city. Mr. and Mrs. Ashmore left on the 6:40 train last evening for Decatur, Ill., where they will make their home. Their hosts of friends in this city will wish them every success. Among those present at the wedding was Daniel T. Donnelly of Montpelier.

LIVED ON DECAYED FRUIT.

Youngster Ran Away and Slept in Box.

Rutland, Aug. 31.—For over a week, according to his story, 9-year-old Glen Hunter lived on refuse from a fruit stand and slept in a dry goods box. The urchin has been turned over to the police by the proprietor of the fruit stand where he has been foraging for food.

At the police headquarters the youngster said that his father was dead and his mother had married again. He left his home, which he claims is in Castleton, and using some money which he had in a toy bank he came to Rutland about a week ago. He used all his money the first day, and when night came he slept in a dry goods box in the rear of a store. For a week he lived on decayed fruit which he found in the rear of the fruit store.

The boy was not held by the police and was picked up later by a stranger and taken to the restaurant of R. S. Todd. Mrs. Todd will care for him until a home can be found for him.

METEORIC CAT.

Took a Ride on a Kite and Dropped in Henry Forant's Garden.

Burlington, Aug. 31.—While Henry Forant of North street was picking tomatoes in the garden at the rear of his home yesterday noon, a cat came sailing through the air, brushing against Mr. Forant's face and frightening him not a little. Before he had time to investigate matters the cat was scampering out of the garden at breakneck speed and a lone kite was sailing majestically away in the distant horizon.

Later it was learned that some small boys had placed a cat in a basket, attached the basket to a kite and set the feline sailing up into the pure and invigorating ozone. It is evident that the basket became detached from the kite, for Mr. Forant is strongly of the opinion that Tabby came from the direction of the moon.

ARTICLES FILED.

Burlington Stock and Grocery Company Formed With $3,000 Capital.

Burlington, Aug. 31.—Articles of association were filed yesterday in the city clerk's office by the Burlington stock and grocery company. The company is capitalized at $3,000 and this is divided into shares of $5 each. The company is authorized to do a wholesale and retail general merchandise business.

The headquarters of the company are located on North street and business has been conducted there for some time. It is operated on the co-operative plan. The incorporators are Frank Dupratt, Louis Bolvin, Albert Gravel, Pierre Prouix and Louis Gasse.

CREAMERY CO. IN TROUBLE.

J. H. White & Co., Operating in Franklin County, in Financial Straits.

Swanton, August 31.—The creamery and milk firm of J. H. White & Son of Boston, which operates creameries in Franklin county, is reported to be in financial trouble. The firm owes patrons for about 40 days' supplies. The company's local manager, W. O. Blood of Swanton, thinks the liabilities are about $10,000. Measures are being taken to settle the difficulties and continue business.

VERY HEAVY REGISTRATION

Eighty Names Added to Voting Lists Last Night.

OVER 2100 NAMES ON LIST

Means a Heavy Vote in Barre on Election Day—Registration Heaviest in History of the City—Few Names Cut Off.

Eighty new names were added to the check lists at last evening's session of the board of civil authority, making 157 additions for the two nights the board met for making changes.

Very few names have been taken from the check lists since the March election, though notices have been sent to 35 names to appear and show reason why they should not be taken off at a special meeting of the bard on Saturday evening, failing which the names will be stricken off. These additions, less the names to be stricken off, will bring the total number of names on the check list up to a little over 2,100, the largest number in the history of the city.

This gives promise of a heavy vote in Barre next Tuesday and shows that there is a lively interest in the result, although there is less discussion this year on street corners and in other public places, of the issues of the campaign than in any recent election. This very quietness that puzzles the politicians who make estimates and claims on the result and while they may think they know what the result is going to be there is no real basis on which to base their claims. Not until the votes are counted next Tuesday will there be any feelings of certainty as to the results.

The Board of Civil Authority meets Saturday evening to make corrections and if any voter has failed to get his name on the voting list, he can appear and have it put on then.

TOMORROW'S TEAM.

Men Who Will Play in Green Mountain Team.

The following team will represent the Green Mountains in their final game tomorrow: Goal, McGregor; backs, Rust and Neil; half backs, Birnie, Wight, Booth; forwards, Ingram, Burnett, Jopp, Dawson, Kessock; reserves, Rennie and Lamont. A great game is expected, as both teams are in great form.

Standing of Vermont Football League.

	Won	Lost	Drawn	To Play	Points
G. M.	4	2	1	1	9
Rangers	3	3	0	2	6
Bon-Acord	3	3	1	1	7
Hardwick	4	2	2	0	10
Nthfield	2	6	0	0	4

Two points are counted for a win and one for a draw. Northfield has dropped out of the league.

WATER ALL RIGHT.

Analysis of Water Taken From Certain Springs Shows These to Be Good Water.

The analysis of the water taken from the springs near Littlejohn, Milne & Odgers and the North Barre granite company's sheds, are reported to Health Officer Jackson to be good water and free from typhoid germs. It was feared one or two of the cases of typhoid were traceable to them.

Funeral.

The funeral of Adam, the 1 year and 11 months old son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Jeffreys, was held Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at their home at 30 Ayers street, the Rev. F. A. Poole officiating.

The floral contributions were as follows: The Rangers, Lizzie Smart, Minnie Fraser, Mrs. Heney, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Sullivan, Earline McConnichie, Miss Mary Smart, Mr. and Mrs. Bassett, Bessie Paul, Violet Grant, Florennce Nye, Agnes Keith, Mr. and Mrs. Ironside, Mr. and Mrs. W. Milne, Mr. and Mrs. Henry, Teenie Piper, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Webster, Lizzie Paul, Vivian McConnichie, Stella Graham, Jennie Carson, Dorothy Edson, Violet Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Greig, Mr. and Mrs. MacMurray, Mrs. G. Troup, Pearl Densmore, Mr. and Mrs. Densmore, Harry Densmore, Grace Brown, Mrs. Fred Cutts, Elsie Morgan, Mrs. James Scott, Mrs. T. Davidson, Mr. and Mrs. Moran, Mr. and Mrs. James Murray.

Corporation Tax.

Washington county senators voted against the increase of a corporation tax. The senate was unanimously Republican and 24 of them voted against and 6 for a corporation tax. Who prevented an increase. Vote for the interest of your city or town. Vote the fusion ticket.—Adv.

Charged With Breaking and Entering.

Burlington, Aug. 31.—John Trombley was arrested by the police early this morning. He is charged with breaking into and entering the grocery store of Richard J. Daley at 208-210 South Battery street.

Will Meet at Richford.

Richford, Aug. 31.—The annual state convention of the King's Daughters will be held in the Baptist church here Sept. 11 and 12.

Present to Their Church.

St. Albans, Aug. 31.—The Ladies' Aid society of the Baptist church has presented to the church a cut glass individual communion set.

Miss Emma Stearns of Concord, N. H., is visiting her sister, Mrs. George M. Davis on Seminary street.