

21st ANNIVERSARY SALE 21st

THE HOMER FITTS COMPANY

Crowds were out Friday and Saturday to help us celebrate our 21st Birthday. Their appreciation of the handsome savings on good, clean stocks—goods up to the Homer Fitts Company's usual high standard of excellence—was very gratifying.

CUT OUT OUR AD OF FRIDAY AND SATURDAY'S ISSUE OF THIS PAPER. IT WILL HELP YOU TO REMEMBER.

- DRESS SKIRTS—One lot, values up to \$15.00, for \$10.21
DRESS SKIRTS—One lot, values \$13.50, for 9.21
DRESS SKIRTS—One lot, \$10.00, \$11.00 and \$12.00 values, for 8.21
DRESS SKIRTS—One lot, \$8.00, \$8.50 and \$9.00 values, for 6.21
DRESS SKIRTS—One lot, \$6.98 and \$7.50 values, for 5.21
DRESS SKIRTS—One lot, \$5.00, \$5.50 and \$5.98 values, for 4.21
DRESS SKIRTS—One lot, \$4.50 and \$3.98 values, for 3.21
DRESS SKIRTS—One lot, \$3.50 and \$2.98 values, for 2.21

A BIG LOT OF CHILDREN'S COATS, ALL NEW THIS SEASON, FOR THIS SALE AT HALF PRICE.

LADIES' HOME JOURNAL PATTERNS

THE HOMER FITTS CO.

PEOPLE'S AND NEW ENGLAND TEL.

THE BARRE DAILY TIMES

TUESDAY, JAN. 8, 1907.

Weather Prediction.

Rain or snow in north, warmer in Maine and extreme northern Vermont tonight, Wednesday snow or rain followed by clearing in north portion.

TALK OF THE TOWN.

Local Happenings Tensely Told for Busy Readers.

Clearance sale at Vaughan's. Best linen values in the city at Abbot's.

Read S. J. Segel's advertisement on the 2d page.

Dr. H. S. Carver of Marshfield was in the city on business yesterday.

Alfred P. Loneragan went to Burlington yesterday for a few days' visit.

William Marrion of the Central Vermont station is ill with the gripe.

There will be a meeting of the school commissioners this evening at 7 o'clock.

Brook Sployd left yesterday for Hensselaersville, N. Y., where he is to reside.

Two odd rubbers, found at the opera house last night, await an owner at this office.

Why is Perry's store selling so many ladies' cloaks? Because the price are down, way down.

The Altruists will meet with Mrs. Hoyt, 55 Merchant street, Wednesday afternoon at 2:30.

Miss Hattie Chandler of South Main street will entertain the Gleaners this evening at 7:30 o'clock.

Charles A. Smith went to Burlington yesterday on business, and will remain for the rest of the week.

Prof Bancroft is in Boston for a short time in the interests of Scott & Townsend, by which firm he is employed.

Mrs. C. W. Steele, who is at the Heaton hospital in Montpelier, is making a little progress toward recovery each day.

Miss Glenn Tibbetts and gentleman friend spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Tibbetts of Plainfield.

The Socialists will meet Wednesday, January 9, at 7 o'clock in their rooms, on Granite street. Sympathizers welcomed.

The Spaulding high school basketball team plays Montpelier seminary tonight at 8 p. m. at the Church street gymnasium.

The Over-the-Tenueps club will have their "gentlemen's night" at the home of Mrs. G. E. Farland, Thursday evening, January 10.

Robert Moore and son, John, left for Lakeport, N. H., this morning after attending the funeral of his sister, Mrs. William Edwards.

Rev. H. F. Reynolds of Providence, R. I., is to assist in special revival services at the Pentecostal church beginning on Wednesday evening, January 23.

A regular meeting of Bright Star Rebekah lodge, No. 18, will be held Wednesday evening, January 9, at 7 o'clock sharp, followed by installation of officers.

Sabato 19 gennaio—La vecchia fiordrammatica dara all'opera house il dramma sociale—Orgoglio funesto—il profitto sara devoluto al—Proletario—bisettimale.

The C. O. F. will hold a public dance party Thursday evening in Scampini hall. During intermission refreshments will be served. Admission, gents 50c, ladies free.

Miss Nellie I. Perrin returned today to Bellows Falls to resume her duties as teacher in the public schools after spending the holidays with her brother, Edward Perrin, and other friends.

A conference of Sunday school workers will be held in Barre, Sunday, January 20, under the direction of General Secretary Edward M. Fuller of the State Sunday School association. Keep the date in mind.

Tonight at the opera house, the Lorne Elwyn company will present the great Sherlock Holmes play, "The Crimson Stain." Among the many vaudeville acts will be "Davis," the man who mystifies, in a number of new tricks.

The annual meeting of the Ladies' and Pastors' union will be held in the church parlors Thursday afternoon, January 10, at 2:30. Supper will be served to the members and honorary members at the close of the business meeting. Mrs. Kenneron, sec.

Barre people are always pleased to hear Prof. Fredric M. Blanchard and they will be given an opportunity next Friday evening, when he comes to Barre for the benefit of the public library at the Congregational church. An Abingdon, Virginia, paper says of him: "He possesses a voice of great beauty and compass; enunciation that is clear and distinct; a stage presence that is easy and agreeable, and an intellectual grasp of character and theme that is genuine and strong."

A cable message was received in town yesterday afternoon stating that Giovanni Calagni is still in a hospital at Havre, but that they were making arrangements to send him to America. Mr. Calagni is a citizen of this country. He was taken sick while on his way back after visiting his mother in Italy. The cable came to Mayor Barclay from the American consul at Havre. The latter immediately took up the case on receiving word that Mr. Calagni was an American citizen.

Ettore Bonazzi of Montpelier is in Washington, D. C., accompanied by the state's attorney, Benjamin Gates, to appear before the immigration officers in the case of a brother of Mr. Bonazzi who is detained on Ellis island, N. Y., threatened with deportation. His passage was paid from Italy by his brothers in Montpelier, and they are willing to guarantee that he shall never become a public charge, but because of the fact that the young man is deaf and dumb the authorities at Ellis island will not permit him to land.

STORY WITH A MORAL.

Two Fleas That Didn't Know How to Let Well Enough Alone.

Two fleas were sitting on a dog who was wandering about the streets when one of them said: "Brother, what a degraded, half starved lot is ours. Here we have chosen to unite ourselves to a common street cur, who wanders from alley to alley. We see nothing but the most dismal sights. We hear no elevating conversation or delightful small talk. Surely there ought to be something better in store for us than this."

"You are right," said the second flea. "Look, my brother! Here is a carriage approaching. It is evidently some highborn lady bent on a charitable enterprise. In her lap sits such a beautiful little terrier. Let us therefore make an effort to better ourselves."

"Splendid!" said the first flea. "We will live amid the most luxurious surroundings. We will feed on the fat of the land. We will sleep at night in a clean bed."

And so in a few bold but successful jumps as the carriage stopped they both landed simultaneously on the back of the terrier. In a short time they were driven to their new home.

So delighted were they with their new life that the two fleas could scarcely contain themselves for joy.

Their manifestations, however, were so unusual that the terrier frantically scratched himself, which attracted the attention of his mistress, who immediately sent for a physician, who at once gave the dog such a radical treatment that the two fleas were slowly drowned in a horrible fluid that came like a flood and surprised them before they were able to get away.

"Alas, brother!" said the first flea as he gave a dying gasp. "Why could we not have been satisfied with our humble lot?"

Moral.—Some folks never know when to let well enough alone.—Life.

A Misunderstanding.

At the breakfast table in one of the mining towns the landlady gave Mr. Muggins a severe look and said:

"Mr. Muggins, I understand that you have been circulating injurious reports about my house."

"How, madam?"

"I understand that you said you had used better butter than I have here to grease wagons with."

"I did say so, madam, but not to injure your house. I have used better butter, madam, to grease wagons, but I wouldn't do it again. I'd sell it to you."—Philadelphia Ledger.

Pallas' Gray Shrike.

The nest and eggs of Pallas' gray shrike (Lanius major) are said to be still unknown to science.

Fig.

The word "fig" or its equivalent in sound exists in all languages and in every one is expressive of disgust. In the Icelandic word "ftul" means putridity.

Marlborough's Fortune.

Marlborough was, according to his contemporaries, the handsomest man of his day in Europe as well as the most fortunate general who ever commanded an army. Creasy says of him, "He never fought a battle which he did not win and never besieged a city which he did not take."

Card of Thanks.

We wish to thank the friends and neighbors for their kind assistance during the illness and at the death of our loved one and also for the beautiful flowers.

Wm. A. Morrison and family, Mrs. J. Trail.

TALK OF THE TOWN.

Poultry show January 8, 9 and 10. Babies' bonnets marked down at Perry's.

Look for flyer. Clearance sale at the Vaughan store.

G. W. Perry went to Hardwick today on a business trip.

There will be special prayer services at the Baptist church each evening this week, except Saturday, at 7:30 o'clock.

George W. Hunt of 157 Washington street, who has been very sick, threatened with pneumonia, is still confined to the bed.

Mrs. C. P. Davis of St. Johnsbury expects to spend the remainder of the winter with her daughter, Mrs. J. M. Corstik, of Waterbury.

The regular monthly meeting of the Ladies' Aid society of the Presbyterian church will be held on Wednesday at 2 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Robert Knox on Beacon street.

The officers-elect of Vinetta lodge, No. 10, K. of P., will be installed this evening. The rank of page will be worked on five candidates. Refreshments will be served. All members are requested to be present.

Rev. Charles C. Conner will begin on Sunday evening a short series of services in which he will treat questions or topics proposed by the people. On the evening of January 13 he will answer the question—the first proposed—what is the attitude of the Universalist church toward the Socialistic propaganda?

An almanac of a new kind, a "book that tells the value of time and money" is the bank almanac just issued by the Barre Savings Bank and Trust company, and a book well worth reading. It fails to tell what the weather will be next August, but gives all other information found in an almanac, with much information and good advice as to the care and keeping of money—found in no other.

SMOKED SHOULDER

We have to hustle to keep our supply of Green Mountain Brand Smoked Shoulder ahead of the demand, but that is what we like. We shall hustle more still if only more people will appreciate the fact that when they buy a Green Mountain Smoked Shoulder they are getting the equal of a very good ham at several cents a pound less than the price of ham. Buy one and be convinced of its deliciousness.

Smith & Cumings, Meats, Groceries and Fish, 305 North Main St., Barre, Vt.

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FOX & BAYON, Lessees. J. E. HOBAN, Resident Mgr. One Solid Week, Beginning Monday, January 7

LORNE ELWYN CO. SUPPORTING GLADYS GREY.

TUESDAY 'The Crimson Stain'

See the beautiful \$75.00 fur in the Homer Fitts window, to be given away at the Saturday matinee.

8 BIG VAUDEVILLE ACTS. 8 Evenings, 10, 20, 30c. Matinees, 10, 20c

Public Library Benefit

PROF. FREDRIC M. BLANCHARD of Chicago University

The well-known Reader, will give "MACBETH," with the proceeds for the benefit of the Public Library.

HE IS A BARRE FAVORITE.

Fred H. Whittier, Violinist, will play.

AT THE Congregational Church,

Friday Evening, Jan. 11

Tickets 35 and 50 Cents.

Now on Sale at Red Cross Pharmacy,

Coats at Half Price!

All our Misses' Coats, sizes from eight to fourteen years, going at half price. NOW is a good time to invest.

Children's Dresses in dark colors, in sizes from five to twelve years, to close at cost.

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We also have a very nice assortment of Overcoats in long and short effects with the form fitting back, also with the loose back. The prices for these range from \$5.00 to 20.00.

We also have a complete line of Furnishing Goods, Hats, Caps, Boots, Shoes and Rubbers.

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The man who is in need of wearing apparel, such as Suits, Overcoats or Shoes, cannot afford to pass us by. Not an item in our immense stock that isn't selected for its merit and sold at a price far below what other dealers ask for goods of equal grades. A thorough examination of our stock places you under no obligation to purchase. Goods shown with pleasure. We want you to know our methods and prices.

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FOR MID-WINTER INDISPOSITION.

THE first essential is freshness of the Drug or Chemical used in compounding Prescriptions. The quality of the Drugs should never come in question. The BEST or NONE is our motto, and in strictly adhering to this principle all danger from that source is avoided. Is it likely we would jeopardize our reputation by using anything but the best obtainable? Our label upon any bottle, box or package is full guarantee in this respect. Drugs must be GOOD and FRESH or nothing.

E. A. DROWN, 48 No. Main St., Opp. Nat'l Bank.

EGGS are bringing fancy prices. Early spring pullets should be "cackling" these warm days. If they are not, why not? Experienced poultrymen say theirs are. The reason that theirs are producing eggs is that they are giving their hens plenty of "Page's Poultry Food," also ground green "Alfalfa," Meat Meal, Mica Crystal Grit, Cracked Bone, Oyster Shells, Sunflower Seed, etc., all of which we carry in full stock, at the lowest prices for the best grades. Also have in stock "Weare's Poultry Powder," "Empire Egg Food," "Columbian Condition Powder," "Lord's Prolific Poultry Powder, etc."

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