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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.

The fourth week.

Even "Pitchefork" Tillman falls before the disease germs that seem to infest the national capital just at this season.

It is reassuring news that William F. Walker, the New Britain, Conn., banker, is being brought back from Mexico to face the music.

Congressman Foster flits from Washington to Vermont and back with remarkable frequency these days. But it's the open season for Dave.

Recent complications in Boston again accentuate the fact that money invested in Vermont is better in the long run, even if the owners have to place it at interest in the savings banks.

The statement that no picture of the Barre Buns memorial is placed in the Burns monument at Ayr, Scotland, is corrected by James P. Marx, who personally forwarded two framed pictures of the local memorial, one of which now rests in the library at Dumfries and the other in the Ayr monument. The directors of the later acknowledged by letter the gift of the picture and later sent a copy of a resolution of thanks adopted at a regular meeting.

EXTREMES.

Look for another fulmination from Chancellor Day, agent the Roosevelt administration, to be called forth by the following appreciation by Bishop Earl Cranston (who, by the way, is to preside at the Vermont Methodist conference at Barre next month): "Ten more years of the same old regime that has affected this country, and this republic would have gone to destruction. There was a man unfettered by party principles, who was studying the situation. If ever God Almighty summoned a man to a special mission it was when he called Theodore Roosevelt to the leadership of the moral sentiment of the country. Theodore Roosevelt has called the people to distinguish between right and wrong; between good politics and statesmanship. Oh! what a ring there was in the last message against corporation power and rule. I am looking for another message. I expect it soon. The people are true. All they want is a leader and they have the leader they should have in a man who occupies the presidential chair in Washington."

We are inclined to the belief that Bishop Cranston is as far radical in his way as is Chancellor Day in his. That ten years of the old regime would have sent the country to destruction is not probable, not for a minute.

REVOKING LIQUOR LICENSES.

The state license commission in New Hampshire makes no bones of revoking liquor licenses when the holders are found guilty of violation of their contracts, and every little while we read



IF YOU WANT A LIGHT on the Spring styles, here are two samples. The double-breasted sack, 3 buttons, near together and the full skirted knee-length overcoat.

These two styles we had made particularly for our store, basing the designs on the taste of our young men customers.

We have a certain line of Spring clothing which is in a class by itself—it's out of the common channel—it's what young men want.

FUR COATS TO RENT. WE CLEAN, PRESS AND REPAIR CLOTHING.



174 North Main St., Barre, Vt.

about licenses being compelled to give up their privileges. Such action is drastic but entirely salutary if it is really desired to keep the sellers of liquor within bounds. The knowledge that they are liable to forfeit their license if they fail to live up to the spirit as well as the letter of the law will have a tendency to make them mindful of their promises. That same sort of remedy is, of course, possible under the workings of the Vermont local option, license law; and it is the province of license commissioners to remove, for cause, the licenses of whatever dealers that have failed to do as they agreed. In this, we have no particular license town or city in mind, but we recall the remedy to remind commissioners in any license town that it is not only their opportunity, but their duty as well, to take drastic action as the New Hampshire state commission does at intervals. There must be no doubt, however, lest no injustice be done the holder of the license. The latter may be the victim of someone's spite, and so we say that mere charges are not sufficient ground for removal of licenses. But when the charges are substantiated, there ought to be no hesitation, no reluctance on the ground of personal friendship. Let the action be prompt.

CURRENT COMMENT.

Bradford Bereaved. What is said amounts to so much less than what is felt that at times it seems a hopeless task to express the grief of the bereaved. Bradford felt himself honored by Dr. Morse's selection of this field for his work and it feels deeply the loss which has come by the early termination of his labors. He liked Bradford and his people and Bradford more than liked Dr. Morse. The community is sincerely touched that he should have proved his love for the town by choosing it as his final resting place. We grieve, yet his death

came as he said in a recent sermon that he would wish it to come, "on a Sabbath morn when the sun is shining in the eastern sky and the church bells are calling people to worship." Bradford bows his head in sympathy with the bereaved wife and child.—Bradford Opinion.

Foreman of Rogers Jury.

What a strange commentary on some phases of modern thought it is that a dead man's sole claim to figure in the telegraphic news of the press is that he was foreman of the jury that found Mary Rogers guilty. And notice this, that whereas our ancestors for generations sat on juries that brought in thousands of men worthy of death, and the victims were dealt with in the broad daylight at the open cross-roads, nobody sought to attach any public significance to such an experience until men began to distrust the death penalty and to view with peculiar enmity other men that had taken any hand in its execution.—St. Albans Messenger.

"Get a Rabbit's Foot."

Various plans have been tried here the past year to bring about a settlement of the labor trouble, but it has remained for the Barrettes to offer one more suggestion. There is similar trouble there and we are informed that each member of the dispute committee of the Granite Cutters' union of Barre was given a rabbit's foot and told each to take from a rabbit and in the dark of the moon at midnight on the last Friday in February. This is a lucky omen and it is thought will bring the parties in dispute together. Get a rabbit's foot by all means if that will bring about a settlement of our troubles.—Fair Haven Era.

"WANTED, BOYS," SUBJECT OF SERIES SERMON

Rev. C. C. Conner of the Universalist Church Spoke Yesterday Morning on Boys' Part.

The third in the short series of discourses by the pastor of the Universalist church was given yesterday morning with the title, "Wanted, Boys." The speaker said in part: "Boys are first wanted at play. The sport of childhood is natural and good in itself. Isaac Watts sings of 'healthful play' and others sing it after him with a spirit in the song. Pleasure is a necessary part of youthful life. All kinds may not be good, but itself is as natural to the child as the whistling of the wind, and as fitting as the unfolding of the flowers. Nature indulges in flowers before she bears fruits, and it seems to be provided that the child shall be glad before it is set to tasks, and that it shall so learn this gladness that it may sing at the work of the man, and sing when the work is done, because it has learned happiness at heart. So if the boys are glad, and play because they like it, and think not at the time, of the serious side of life which they shall later learn upon, or think not even that this breath of youthful joy which they take is making them healthy and strong for duty, it may be well. Blossoms spend their strength apparently in their season with their own beauty and fragrance. They try not for the time to make apples; yet a higher Providence which doth all things well means that they shall come and that they shall disappear for the fruit's sake.

"In the next place, boys are wanted in our schools. Here, for some reason, our boys do not keep step with our girls. As a rule, the proportion of young men who graduate from our high schools is small. They drop out in many instances, no doubt, because they have not the taste for study, or the thirst for knowledge which makes its attainment blessed. They drop out in most instances, perhaps, because their work is wanted to help support a household. They can command, untrained or uneducated, better wages than girls in a like state; and so the girls are sent to school, and the boys are taken out and set to work, and it is becoming manifest in daily life, in business even, that young ladies are here also outstepping the young men. Why should they not? They are becoming, with their superior school advantages, of more practical use in the world than young men. The educated young man shall not only be the most useful and successful in life; he shall make the best citizen, and such

The PEOPLES NATIONAL BANK

OF BARRE, WORTHEN BLOCK.

Under the law passed by the legislature of 1906 this bank will pay the taxes on all interest-bearing deposits of any amount without limit.

All interest deposits in this bank are exempt from local taxation.

C. W. MELCHER, Pres. F. N. BRALEY, Vice-Pres. D. P. TOWN, Cashier.

LEGAL INVESTMENTS.

This Bank is not permitted by the laws of Vermont to invest in Railroad Securities, Bonds or Stocks, City or State Bonds and the Bonds of approved States, Counties and Cities are Legal Bond Investments for this institution.

RESERVES. The average reserve, (Cash and Bonds,) of all Trust Companies in Vermont, as reported to the Bank Commissioner June 30, 1907, was \$3.4 per cent.

OUR RESERVES. March 1, 1908... 32.5 per cent. March 1, 1907... 21.1 per cent. June 30, 1907... 21.7 per cent. March 1, 1908... 31.1 per cent.

Reserve, Cash and Bonds, March 1, 1908, \$348,970.00. A Bank's strength is largely in its Reserve to meet business requirements and daily needs of its depositors, and our adherence to our policy of Strong Reserves is shown by the above comparisons.

INTEREST. 4 Per Cent Interest paid on Savings Deposits. We pay taxes on deposits of \$2,000.00 or less.

Granite Savings Bank & Trust Co. JOHN TROW, President. H. G. WOODRUFF, Treasurer.

JINGLES AND JESTS

Not All Can Weep. What man still has the heart to chide her When a pretty woman weeps? What luxury can be denied her When a pretty woman weeps? It matters not how scarce his cash is If teardrops tremble on her lashes— The hardest shell she quickly smashes When pretty woman weeps.

How free from all that charms her face is When a homely woman weeps; How slight—how very slight—her grace is When a homely woman weeps; Man may, indeed, with pity view her, Deploping troubles that pursue her, But pity's all he vouchsafes to her When a homely woman weeps.

Weep on, oh, lady, if you're pretty, But dry your eyes if you are plain; There's little profit in mere pity, You might as well evoke disdain. If every woman's face were charming Conditions here would be alarming; Against them there could be no arming; Defiance no longer would remain. —Chicago Record-Herald.

A Franchise Grab. Little Willis (reading)—Say, pa, what is a franchise grab? Pa—A franchise grab my son, is something that occurs when the guardians of the people's interests keep their hands open and their eyes closed. —Chicago Daily News.

The Retort Direct. "See here," cried the artist, who had come to complain about the materials he had bought, "I can't imagine anything worse than your paints." "That's strange," replied the dealer. "Don't you ever use your imagination on your painting?" —Philadelphia Press.

March Many-Weathers. Mad March Many-Weathers Blusters in; Wood birds fluff their feathers; Bound brooks burst their tethers; Keenly blow Bollicking winds that rout the snow. —New York Times.

An Incentive. "Hussel seems to be doing a good business now." "Yes, and his wife is largely responsible for his success." "You don't say?" "Well, she has certainly made it necessary for him to earn more money." —Denver News-Times.

Another Side to It. He married his nurse. He might have done worse. No matter what relatives say. Her lot she never rue. She now supports two. For he takes the bulk of her pay. —Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Pinched. Hickory, dickory, dock. The cop got out his clock. And that was plenty— The driver's in the dock! —Judge.

Paradoxical. "He hasn't any heart in his work?" "Exactly. That's his liver." —Woman's Home Companion.

The Poor Boarder. Quite small was his bedroom, but he was meek and content as a saint. He made no complaint for you see. There was really no room for complaint. —Pueblo Chieftain.

Wait for the Collector. In "giving the devil his due" Be careful or else you will rue it. Just wait till the bill comes to you. Don't go to the devil to do it. —Minneapolis Journal.

A Pessimist's View. "Do you believe in leap year proposals?" "I don't know that I do. It seems rather like jumping at chances." —Baltimore American.

Russia's Billion Dollar Navy. Just let the czar this warning take Before he's closed the deal: Steel ships will not a navy make Without the hearts of steel. —Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Misjudged. George—Mamma, is the man that makes the bread at the bakery called a loafer? —Lippincott's.

The Hard Coin. Cupid from worry was turning gray. Romance has gone to smash. Love must not only find the way, But also find the cash. —Chicago News.

Ins and Outs. "I understood Bilkins was moving to good society." "He was, but he lost his money and had to move out." —Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Misjudged. Miss De Playne—Papa declares I am his greatest treasure. Mr. Blunt—Indeed! Then he isn't as wealthy as I supposed. —Detroit Free Press.

Inexhaustible Eloquence. Oh, give the dictionary praise And everybody sing. For there are always different ways To say the same old thing! —Washington Star.

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Large Number of Banquet. Of Vermont Association of Norwich University Alumni.

Northfield, March 23.—The fifth annual banquet of the Vermont Alumni Association of Norwich University was held Saturday evening at the Northfield house. The toastmaster for the evening was Lieut. I. I. Chapman and the speakers were Hon. Frank Clumley, Maj. H. W. Hovey, M. D. Smith, S. S. Ballard, Pres. C. H. Spooner, C. A. G. Jackson. There was the largest number of members present at this meeting than at any time since the association was organized.

3 DAYS' SALE New Shirt Waists.

We have just received 20 dozen new Waists, to make the story short, we have too many Waists. We offer this extraordinary Sale for 3 days—Friday, Saturday and Monday.

\$1.25 Waists for 79c.

Lot No 1—Comprises Fancy White Lawn Waists, lace or embroidery trimmed, short or long sleeve, open front or back at 79c.

Lot No. 2—Extra Black Lawn Waist, lace trim med, short sleeve. Another style with embroidered open front, short or long sleeve, all at 79c.

This store shows a big assortment of fine Waists at special prices for these 3 days.

See Waists Displayed in Window.

The Vaughan Store

Our LINE OF Furniture and Carpets. Is complete, and we would invite your inspection before buying. We have another carload of those Eleven-piece Solid Oak Chamber Suits that are better than ever.

A. W. Badger & Co., Morse Bldg., Barre. Funeral Directors. Residence Calls: 25 Eastern Avenue and 115 Seminary Street. Telephone: Store, 447-11. House, 447-21 and 447-11. RUBBER TIRED AMBULANCE AT A MOMENT'S NOTICE.

A Great Lawyer's Method.

Writing of "Civilian Leaders of the Confederacy" in the Louisville Courier-Journal, John Good says of Judah P. Benjamin:

"The first time I met him we discussed the practice of law, and in the course of the conversation he asked me what we considered a good fee in my part of the country, to which I replied that we considered \$500 a very respectable fee. He smiled and said: 'When I practiced law in New Orleans if a man employed me I charged him a retainer. If he came about the office much I charged him a retainer, when I had done some work in the case I charged him a retainer, and when it was all over I charged him a retainer.'"

Involved. Binks—I notice that you have a thread tied round your finger. I suppose that is to remind you of something. Jinks—Not exactly. It is to remind my wife to ask me if I forgot something she told me to remember.—Harper's Weekly.

Force of Habit. Lady (formerly a telephone girl)—Porter, why didn't you call me, as I instructed you? Sleeping Car Porter—I did, ma'am. Sure you're born. I did. I said, "Seven-thirty, ma'am," and you said, "Line's out of order."—Pick-Me-Up.

Diamonds. Why are diamonds expensive, being merely dust and ashes? Because women love them. And why do women love them? Because they are expensive and useless.—London Chronicle.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup. Has been used for over SIXTY-FIVE YEARS by MILLIONS of MOTHERS for their CHILDREN when TEething, with FEVERISHNESS, INFLAMMATION OF THE THROAT, SOFTENING OF THE GUMS, ALLAYS ALL PAIN, CURES WIND COLIC, and is the best remedy for Diarrhoea. Sold by Druggists in every part of the world. The name and ask for Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup, and take no other kind. Twenty-five cents a bottle. Sold under the Food and Drug Act, June 30, 1906. No. 1009 N. W. AN OLD AND WELL TRIED REMEDY.

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A new line of Artificial Flowers and Plants that are very natural in appearance. Buy early before the stock is depleted. See Window Display.

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Quick Cure for that Cough!

Our Wild Balsam is pleasant to take and a perfectly safe cough cure for young children or adults. 50c. Money back if you are not satisfied.

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Barre Savings Bank and Trust Company Bolster Block.

STATEMENT, MARCH 2, 1908. ASSETS: Real Estate Loans, \$769,462.83; Other Loans, 460,032.42; Bonds and Investments, 142,648.70; U. S. 2 per cent. Bonds at par, 15,000.00; U. S. 4 per cent. Bonds at par, 2,600.00; New York City Bonds, 4 1-2 per cent at par, 30,000.00; Funds on hand and in banks, 56,084.34. Total, \$1,475,828.29. LIABILITIES: Capital Stock, \$50,000.00; Surplus Fund, 13,000.00; Undivided Profits, 13,368.89; Dividend No. 15, 8 per cent., 4,000.00; Deposits, 1,390,962.56; Premium U. S. bonds sold, 4,496.84. Total, \$1,475,828.29.

This Trust Company is duly authorized by law to act as Trustee, Executor, Administrator, Guardian, Receiver and Assignee. When we are named Executor of a will the instrument may be deposited with us for safe keeping without charge.

Interests Credited April and October 1st at 4 per cent. We pay all Taxes on deposits not exceeding \$2,000.00.

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