

BARRE DAILY TIMES

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

4,780

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

Roef will rue the day that he did it.

Hardwick is noted for large things—namely that 27-pound baby and a million-dollar granite contract.

Foot ball, crushed to earth, will rise again. It did at Swarthmore and it is doing it at Columbia. "Bah, Bah, Bah!"

The president of a bank which had been robbed of \$9,300 calls it a "petty loss." If he had added a letter and called it a "pretty loss," the characterization would have been more apt.

What message of President Roosevelt ever got through without stirring up a hornet's nest somewhere? The last one certainly did not, and Mr. Perkins of New York appears to be the most vengeful hornet.

Taft hints that there will be a putting green in the White House enclosure beginning with reasonable weather next spring; which means good-bye to the Tennis Cabinet, with the substitution of the Golf Embassy.

William Nelson Cromwell succeeded in telling the public that the story of the Panama "steal" was false, without going to the necessity of calling "Liar," "Liar," "Liar." Therein is his method some different from a certain other person who might be easily named. Now let's have some temperate utterances on this alleged scandal.

GIFTS TO HOSPITALS.

If there is any particular form of philanthropy which challenges admiration more than any other, it is that which has for its scope the relief of humanity by providing the means whereby disease and injury may be attended to. We have reference to that philanthropy which endows hospitals or makes possible an enlarged field of usefulness for those institutions. Any donations for that purpose, which are turned into the right channels, are seed sown on good ground and will have their fruit in an enlarged sum total of human happiness. Hence, we applaud the motive which comprehended the recent donation of \$10,000 to the Heaton hospital in Montpelier and which is constantly finding its outlet in countless donations to hospitals throughout the world. The greater the contributions the better the service which the institutions can afford their patients; and the best is none too good.

CHURCH ADVERTISING.

The desirability of employing the advertising columns of the newspapers appeals to the Rev. W. H. Spence, pastor of the Congregational church in Rutland, and he has purchased space in both the daily papers in that city to announce a series of Sunday afternoon services. This adoption of a plan put into practice by the Rev. F. A. Poole of the Congregational church in Barre gives the stamp of approval to a somewhat novel method of reaching the people and presages, perhaps, the emergence of the church from behind the shield of ultra conservatism, ready to do battle for its cause. This plan of advertising, we may say, does not contemplate sensationalism in the least, albeit the users of the method may be wrongfully charged therewith. It is unavoidable, too, that the pioneers in a movement of this sort should have their motive misunderstood by some and in-

Holiday Gifts

- Christmas Postals, 2 for 5c to 25c. Post Card Albums, 10c to \$1.50. Fountain Pens, \$1.00 to \$5.00. Christmas Stationery, 5c to \$1.50. Bibles, 50c to \$5.00. Catholic Prayer Books, 20c to \$2.00. Daries, 10c to \$1.00. Calendars, 5c to 25c. Alger and Henty books, 25c. Wellesley Series, for girls, 25c. Popular Copyrights, 50c. Dennison Tags, Seals, Cords, 5c to 10c. Ink Stands, 10c to \$1.50. Best Latest Fiction, \$1.25.

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WHY is our store the most practical place for you to trade? BECAUSE we consider your satisfaction before we look for our profit. WHY is this the safest place for you to buy? BECAUSE we have no last year's styles on hand; all our goods are new each season and the quality and the price we guarantee will suit you or we buy the goods back.

WE CLEAN, PRESS AND REPAIR CLOTHING.



174 North Main St., Barre, Vt.

correctly set forth by others in the public print.

No doubt the Revs. Poole and Spence were prepared to meet a certain amount of adverse criticism for their selection of methods, believing that in the end the results would justify the means; but the former was certainly not expecting such gross misrepresentation of his work as has been recently published in several metropolitan newspapers, which, with an unfortunate disregard for the truth, have had a "moribund church" springing up in the space of two weeks into a powerful organization for good in the community. Such undesirable publicity is very distressing to the persons most vitally concerned, and certainly does not do justice to exact journalism. It is one of the first blasts which causes a sensitive organization to shrink back behind the shield of conservatism, doubting the advisability of the first move; but, like the wind, it will pass away. Newspaper advertising of church work may never be a thoroughly established order, but that it is a reasonable method is being demonstrated, in spite of some unsatisfactory concomitants.

CURRENT COMMENT.

Knocking, Gently Knocking.

"Oh, for one week of Proctor" was the remark we hear around the State House. Then there would be something doing and some prospect that the legislature might adjourn—some time. Only too true.—Burlington Clipper.

DeBoer's Position.

The time has come when Hon. J. A. DeBoer the representative from Montpelier, should be very prominent in discussing the important measures which will come before the House in the closing days of the session. Mr. DeBoer's position on the local option law, which he clearly stated in the House last Friday, well shows the excellent judgment he has on all questions.—Waterbury Record.

CORN-FED CHICKENS

It's an old proverb that when you have a good thing, know it and want to sell it, talk about it so others will know. That's the reason why we often talk about the high quality of our home-raised, corn-fed chickens. We never had better ones than this week. 20c per pound, and worth it.

We've some Swift's Winchester Brand Smoked Shoulders in 10-day. It's about as nice a lot as ever we saw. Better order some at 10c a pound.

Following is a list of good market produce that you should not overlook when ordering things for the week-end: Best Blue Point Oysters, per quart . . . . .40c Boston White Parsnips, per pound . . . . . 5c Fine Boston Celery, bunch, 18c New Sweet Potatoes, five pounds for . . . . .25c Cranberries, per quart . . . . .15c Native Onions, per pound . . . . . 3c Spanish Onions, per pound . . . . . 5c Best Boneless Codfish, pound packages . . . . .13c and 17c Three-pound boxes, 25c to 55c Phone us your orders. We deliver promptly and the things you get are satisfactory or we make them so—at the market.

"Where Quality Counts."

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SUNDAY SERVICES.

Times and Places of Worship and Subjects of Sermons.

Wesleyville Mission (Episcopal); service at 3 p. m. The Rev. W. J. M. Beattie, pastor.

Universalist Church; the Rev. F. H. Cole, Goddard, 99, of Boston, will preach. Morning service at 10:30 o'clock.

Christian Science services at 10:45, subject, "God the Preserver of Man"; Wednesday evening at 7:30; reading-room open Tuesday and Friday from 2 to 4 o'clock.

Presbyterian Church, Rev. J. D. MacKenzie, pastor; public worship at 10:30 a. m., and 7 p. m.; Sunday school and Bible classes at 11:45 a. m. The pastor will preach at both services.

Evangelical Church, 8 Merchant street, Sunday school at 1:30 p. m.; preaching service, 2:30 p. m.; evening at 7; class meeting Tuesday at 7:30 p. m.; prayer meeting, Thursday at 7:30 p. m. All are welcome.

St. Monica's church; children's mass at 9 o'clock, celebrant, Rev. P. M. McKenna; parish mass at 10:30 o'clock, celebrant, Rev. E. T. Gray; catechism, 3 p. m.; rosary and benedictions, 4 p. m.; baptisms at 4 p. m.

Congregational Church. The pastor expects to conduct the services. Evening theme, "A Vision That Transforms"; Miss Barbour of Randolph, contralto, and Mr. Whittier of Montpelier, violinist, will assist at the evening service.

The Church of the Good Shepherd, Rev. W. J. M. Beattie, rector. Confirmation and holy communion at 10:30 o'clock. Sunday school at 12 o'clock. Evening prayer at 7 o'clock. The Rt. Rev. A. O. A. Hall, D. D., will conduct the services both morning and evening.

The Salvation Army, Ensign A. C. Metcalfe; officer in charge. Meeting to-night in hall at 8 o'clock, when Rev. MacKenzie, pastor of the Presbyterian church, will preach. Sunday school at 10 a. m.; Christian's praise service at 3 p. m.; salvation rally at 8 p. m., led by Mrs. W. A. Hall. Meetings every night next week, specials each evening. Come and bring your friends.

First Baptist Church, William E. Braisted, minister; morning worship at 10:30, with message by the pastor, subject, "Love in a Life"; Bible study at 12 m.; C. E. meeting at 6:00; evening worship at 7:00, with message, subject, "What Is Truth?" "Talks to Young Christians," Monday, 4:00 p. m., and at close of prayer meeting. Prayer and praise meeting Thursday evening, 7:30. Cordial welcome to all meetings. "Come with us and God will do these good."

Heading Methodist Episcopal Church, Edward O. Thayer, pastor. Morning worship at 10:30, children's sermon, "Sliding and Climbing"; topic of sermon, "Roads and Rivers in the Desert"; Bible school and men's class at 12; Junior League, 3:30; Epworth League, 6; evening worship at 7; sermon topic, "An Ancient Wrestling Match"; class meetings on Tuesday evening at 7:30. Attendants will notice change of time. Prayer meeting on Thursday evening at 7:30.

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Tempting Yule-tide Puddings

Made of Tapioca or Rice are Delightful

Just at this season of the year all the really good things which are pleasing to the taste are particularly appropriate.

Not far from the head of the list comes puddings, and two of the most delightful are Tapioca and Rice. At this opportune time we are offering the best Pearl Tapioca put up in the latest modern way—in sanitary, white cloth sacks containing one pound each. Splendid receipt on sack for cooking. Its wholesomeness, its appetizing nourishment, its exquisite relish appeal to everyone—and its costs convinces the economical housewife of its desirability.

Try a quarter's (25c) worth four one pound sacks, to day.

The good qualities of rice are well known. The main point is to buy only the best grade. We have absolutely the finest grown, Fancy Head Carolina Rice, put up in same modern, sanitary way as Pearl Tapioca. It sells three one pound sacks for 25c. Remember, there is no other place in city where these products put up in this way can be obtained. Phone 217 3 an order today, or come in tonight and get some yourself. See window display.

Sowden & Lyon

For Christmas



A BANK BOOK

The perplexing question "What shall I give for Christmas?" is wisely answered by people who have adopted the method of presenting a savings account to children, relatives and friends.

Upon receipt of one dollar or more we issue a bank book in the name of the person designated and loan a Home Savings Bank Free.

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WORTHEN BLOCK, BARRE, VERMONT.

Open Monday Evenings from 7 to 8 O'clock.

par May Blossom; Chaplain, Rev. J. W. Miller; secretary, Mae Savage; treasurer, Mrs. W. E. Graham.

The officers of the Christian Endeavor society of the Congregational church for the next six months are as follows: President, Dr. H. W. Holden; vice-president, Roy Savage; secretary, Julia Miller; treasurer, Mary Washburn; organist, Mrs. Rix Williams.

Tag day was a success in Bethel for the benefit of the library building fund. Early Saturday morning eleven girls and four boys started out with their boxes and tags to canvass the town. A prize was offered for the box containing the largest amount and Miss Rita Clark was the lucky girl her box containing \$14.02. The total amount received up to date is about \$150 to add to the library building fund.

PEOPLE OF BARRE

I felt sure you would come the second time. Thank you again. You appreciate frankness. You understand, I believe, that it is far from my wish to be sensational. I would not have advertised had it not seemed the only way of reaching you with my appeal for fair play. Will you not

COME THE THIRD TIME?

My subject next Sunday evening will be "A Vision that Transforms."

Yours very sincerely,

FRANCIS A. POOLE.



Everything in the Line of Holiday Furnishings

We were never quite so well prepared to supply you with Holiday furnishings as we are this season. Assortments are larger. Varieties are considerably broader. Prices are as tempting as it is possible to make them. No need to go further than this store for the best in furnishings sold at the most reasonable prices.

THINGS "HE" WILL APPRECIATE AS CHRISTMAS GIFTS

- GLOVES—Are always an acceptable gift for a man. If you aren't acquainted with the various qualities of men's gloves you can safely let us do the choosing for you from our very comprehensive stock. Three grades. 50 cents to 15.00. SHIRTS—If you have a good idea of the kind of a shirt he likes then you'll find it a very easy matter to select a shirt that will please him if you come here for it—for we have all the latest patterns in both light and dark effects in all styles of shirts. 50c 1.00 1.50 2.00. NECKWEAR—Xmas won't be Xmas unless you buy him at least one necktie. We've gathered the handsomest lot of neckties this season that we've ever had the pleasure of offering our patrons. Come and make your selection now. 25c 50c 1.00. FANCY VESTS—You can very easily solve the perplexing problem of what to give "him" for a Xmas present. Just come and have a look at our assortment of fancy vests. Any one of them would make a very handsome gift. Prices are very reasonable. 1.50 up. BATHROBES—Are to be had here in various materials and patterns at various prices. If you want to make glad the heart of some man at Xmas just make him a present of one of these garments we have in stock. 4.50 5.75 7.50 to 10.00. MUFFLERS—We have a large stock of mufflers to select from—cassimere, silk and wool—pure silk in black and many choice designs in colors—also patent mufflers in good styles. You'll surely find something to please him among them. Cost—50c to 2.00.

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HOLIDAY GOODS

At Vaughan's.

Always to your interest to visit this store. Everything that is new is found here, and the kind that people want.

Holiday gifts in Fur Scarfs, Muffs, Ladies' Coats, Children's Coats, Leggings, Toques.

Holiday Umbrellas, the kind that give satisfaction, 98c, \$1.25 up.

Christmas Handkerchiefs, Gloves, best value and assortment we ever had.

Christmas Waists, 98c up. See them, Christmas Combs. Barrets also in sets.

Christmas Neckwear and Scarfs-- The kind here are different than found in every store. The name counts here for style. See the beautiful assortment, 25c, 39c, 50c up.

All the Above Goods Put up in Xmas Boxes Without Charge.

The Vaughan Store

PICTURES 1-2 REGULAR PRICE

This extraordinary sale is held at this opportune time that Christmas shoppers may take advantage of genuine bargains in artistically framed pictures depicting beautiful scenes in this and many foreign climes, and some very appropriate pictures for a lady's boudoir and for a gentleman's den. Regular prices are 25c to \$8.00—take away now and picture for just one-half what it is worth.

The reason for this sale is that hereafter we shall carry no pictures in stock. This is truly a closing out sale. Come in today and see them.

"If You Buy It Of Us, It's Right."

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