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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.

It doesn't do insurance companies any good to become the "goat" for capitalistic maneuvering.

Every person in the United States ought to have \$34.98. At least, that's the per capita wealth on December 1. Let John D. and the canny Scot count up and see if they have it.

The United States navy department gives a merry Christmas to a thousand employes at the Charlestown, Mass., navy yard, by ordering the repair of the battleship Illinois, and thus saving them from absolute discharge. The work will occupy two years' time, so it is said.

For a community which has been so frequently and sorely tried by fire, Richmond shows remarkable recuperative powers. The dedication of a splendid new "Masonic temple" last Friday evening marks the bustling little village as full of vitality, which promises to bring much good to the place. Evidently, fire cannot keep Richmond down.

The death of unusual happenings in Rutland in the past few days for the newspapers to chronicle is emphasized by the morning contemporary that makes its big "scare head" on the principal local page on a contest for the office of Ceres in the West Rutland grange.—Rutland News.

Don't complain. That is quite a Ceresian market and worthy of the prominence given it.

The utter inadequacy of public protection and the helplessness of the people in some of the smaller communities was well illustrated in Athol, Mass., Saturday morning, when six brigands entered the place by automobile, disarmed and locked up the single night policeman, held an express messenger a prisoner, and then blew up and robbed the post office safe on the main street of Athol. Even after arousing a large number of people with the noise of their safe-cracking, the six brigands went to their automobile and speeded off to safety. This is only one phase of public helplessness in the smaller communities. Another is the lack of protection from fire, either in a system of alarm or equipment to fight fire. In too many cases, the public trusts to chance, that untested goddess, which is now here and now there. Athol's experience of Saturday might be duplicated without end.

REGISTERING CO-PARTNERSHIPS.

The act under which he proposes to move is so new and novel in Vermont that there is little wonder that State Tax Commissioner Cushman finds a great many corporations which have not lived up to the 1908 law requiring registration of persons doing business under any other than their own names and of co-partnerships or associations under any name which does not include the surnames of all co-partners or members "without any other descriptive or designating words except the Christian name or initials." Such associations are ordered to file a return setting forth the name under which such business is carried on, the name of the town or city wherein such place of business is located, a brief description of the kind of business to be transacted under said name, and the individual names and residences of all persons, co-partners or members so doing business thereunder, and shall on or before June 1, 1909, file with the commissioner of state taxes a like return. This also applies to corporations doing business under any other name than that of the corporation, and they shall file returns sworn to by some officer or member of such corporation, setting forth the name other than the corporate name under which such business is carried on, the name of the town or city wherein such business is to be carried on, a brief description of the kind of business transacted under said name, and the corporate name and location of the principal office of such corporation.

Failure to do this as provided lays the co-partnership or certain kinds of corporations liable to injunction, either permanently or temporarily. It will be well for the two hundred odd corporations and partnerships to see to this matter as soon as Commissioner Cushman has evidently given his last warning.

The Cost of Living Has greatly increased during the last few years. The necessity is plain—your family will need more insurance than was thought sufficient a few years ago. 1908 year. National Life Insurance Company, Montpelier, Vt. (Mutual.)

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We Clean, Press and Repair Clothing.



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CURRENT COMMENT

Not All of One Mind. If Washington county can't trot out better timber for a lieutenant governor candidate than Frank Corry it better take a back seat.—Groton Times.

Cause and Effect. The Brattleboro Phoenix is of the opinion that "the need of a campaign of education in Vermont among the owners of small growing spruces suitable for the Christmas trade has not entirely disappeared." True, and the trouble with Vermont is the same with other counties throughout the state. The farmer gets a small sum for these trees and then wonders why his springs are drying up and exclaims "we don't have the abundance of water on the farm that we used to have." Stripping the farm of these and other trees is the cause. And what a sermon might also be preached upon the destruction of the beautiful scenery all for the sake of a few paltry dollars!—Morrisville News and Citizen.

Story by Vermont Author. How many readers of the story, The Treasure of Rubies, appearing in the November number of the Blue Book are aware that the author is a Vermont man? He has not only located his story principally in a Vermont town—Panton—but he has even drawn upon one of his neighbors back in his native town for a name for one of his characters. The description of the character fits the grave, dignified woman that can remember the author from his boyhood up through his college days to his breaking into the literary world in the great metropolis. Marvin Dana may prefer the whiff of Broadway to the holocaust of the New Haven river, but he will never permit himself to forget the old Nash bridge, the "Mills" or any of a dozen other places within miling distance, so to speak, of that home where he was born.—Brattleboro Reformer.

Get Together or Step Aside. The folly of Windsor county's harping and abetting two candidates for the lieutenant governorship is apparent enough to "the most casual observer." It will be time very soon for the rivals for this honor to get together or step aside and let some other citizen of the county have the field. Else Windsor will have to look on while the lieutenant governorship locates in some more harmonious section.

New England Thrift. The management of the Farmers' Institutes of Illinois issues interesting press sheets of matter in their line appropriate for newspaper use.

Here is one of their stories, which New Hampshire papers will be glad to use. A Bloomington man, who took a trip through Vermont, New Hampshire and Maine a few weeks ago, says that a New England farmer would make a fortune out of what an Illinois farmer

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WILLIAMSTOWN

Our stores are beginning to assume a holiday appearance. Mrs. E. J. Trask of East Brookfield is stopping with Mrs. Herbert Martin.

On account of the annual meeting of the Congregational church on Friday, there will be no meeting on Thursday evening.

The Christian Endeavor society of the Congregational church will have its monthly business meeting and roll-call Tuesday evening.

G. F. Martin of the west hill and Eugene Fellows were in Barre Saturday on business. Mr. Martin has recently installed a hot water system in his house.

JINGLES AND JESTS

Suspicious. Uncle Groncher sits around, Allus lookin' cheerless. His remarks, they ain't profound, Nor especial fearless.

Never seems to have no schemes, Prospects nor ambitions; He jests shets his eyes an' dreams, Havin' his suspicions.

When you mention anyone High in public service, He drops hints of what they've done, That'll make you nervous.

Though their time may be employed On unselfish missions, He declares he can't avoid Havin' his suspicions.

Next to trustin' every man Who may come a-soppin', Seems to me the poorest plan Is this wholesale doubtin'.

This is certain; no one will Better life's conditions If he keeps on sittin' still, Havin' his suspicions.

Foot Ball. He made a run around the end, Was tackled from the rear. The right guard sat upon his neck, The fullback on his ear.

The center sat upon his legs, Two ends sat on his chest, The quarter and the halfback then Sat down on him to rest.

The left guard sat upon his head, A tackle on his face, The corner was next called in To sit upon his case.

A Proposal. "A rose by any other name Would be so sweet"—and so would you, Though you changed in that you'd be the same, As Shakespeare very wisely knew.

So don't be stubborn as the rose Which always must be called the same, This is the project I propose, Why don't you try the other name?—Judge.

ERNEST A. DUPILLE AT THE PAVILION.

Foremost among the vaudeville performers coming to the Pavilion to-day is Ernest Dupille, the well known English coster singer and comedian.

His delineations of the London street gamin and the English yokle are side-splitting, and mark him as an artist of rare ability.

Until two weeks ago, Mr. Dupille was the leading comedy support with the world famous James J. Jeffries. Some of the things he tells of the big fallow set one to thinking. He says that while the boxing bout between Jeffries and his partner seems to take all the wind the big fellow has, he will play hand ball and work all day with a medicine ball, which is a great deal harder on the wind, and not show the least bit of fatigue. Significant, eh?

Try Landers' 5 cent Havana Leaf and Spotted Jacket cigars. 92 No. Main St. More than 22,000 pounds of Dustbane already sold in Barre. Have you tried it? Read about it in adv. on page 4.



ERNEST A. DUPILLE AT THE PAVILION.

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New Holiday Goods arriving on every train. 10 to 20 per cent discount off now on all kinds of winter clothing, underwear, gloves, mittens and rubber footwear to reduce stock to make room for holiday display.

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For Our 7th Anniversary 10 Per Cent Discount on All Goods in Our Store THIS SALE IS TO LAST FOR 10 DAYS

Our store never was so full of Winter Goods and of the right kind and prices marked so remarkably low as this year. It will pay every customer to take advantage of this sale when you can buy merchandise at a time when everything is advancing in price. Here you save 10 per cent discount on all goods in the store.

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SECOND FLOOR—Don't forget to visit this department and see the values we offer and 10 per cent discount. Ladies' Coats, Skirts, Petticoats, Children's Coats, Babies' Coats, Shirt Waists, Silk Waists, Furs, Furs in Sets, Scarfs, Muffs, Fleece and Wool Underwear, Flannelette Robes, Skirts, Blankets, Comfortables, Corsets, Curtains, Couch Covers.

A good time to do your early Christmas shopping. THIS SALE CLOSES DECEMBER 11TH

The Vaughan Store

RANDOLPH

Funeral of Mrs. A. J. Curtis Was Held Sunday Afternoon.

The funeral of the late Mrs. A. J. Curtis was held from her home on School street on Sunday afternoon at half past one o'clock, the Rev. Fraser Metzger officiating and interment being in Southview cemetery. Mrs. Curtis was the daughter of Samuel and Letsey Brewster Chadwick, born in Randolph January 17, 1840. When a small child, her parents removed to Lowell, Mass., where she remained until she was 14 years of age, after which, Mr. Chadwick having died several years before, her mother returned to Randolph, where she has since made her home. In January, 1865, she was married to A. J. Curtis, and to them were born five children, all of whom died in infancy save one daughter, Gertrude, who died when about five years of age. Mrs. Curtis was a genial, kind-hearted woman, whom to know was to love, and during her life here was closely identified with many organizations, in all of which she was an efficient and zealous worker. During the existence of the old Christian church, she was an interested and constant attendant, a member of the Ladies' Ways and Means society, and upon its union with the Bethany church became also a member of the Bethany guild. She was for many years a member of the Randolph Woman's Literary club, and being a great student and possessed of rare ability, was here, also, a valued member, and one who was ever ready to perform whatever duty devolved upon her with credit to herself and pleasure to others. In her home, also, she was a willing and interested helpmeet, always devoted to the welfare of her husband of so many years' standing. The services at the home were largely attended, and the numerous and beautiful floral gifts all testified to love, which so many in this village bore for her in an acquaintance which extended over so long a period of years. Mrs. Curtis is survived by her husband, two sisters, Mrs. Charles Proper and Mrs. Olive Knowles of Cambridge, N. H., and one brother, Edward Chadwick of Lebanon, N. H. The bearers were from the family, Will Curtis, a brother of the deceased's husband, Edward Chadwick, a brother of the deceased, Charles Proper, a brother-in-law, and A. E. Bass, who was also a relative of the family.

Principal E. G. Ham went to Middlebury Saturday.

Miss Ida Flint returned Sunday to her work as stenographer in Boston, after a few days' visit with her mother, Mrs. J. P. Cleveland.

W. E. Rand, jr., is making a visit of a few days upon his parents, before returning to his work in Boston, where he has been employed for the last year. James Rand, a student at Norwich university, who has been at the home of his parents for a brief vacation, returned on Sunday morning to Northfield.

A pleasing program for Christmas is being prepared for the Sunday school at the Federated churches, and rehearsals are already in progress for the Christmas services.

The ladies of the Federated church cleared nearly \$45 at their sale at Mrs. O. B. Copeland's on Thursday. The articles on sale were aprons, food and candies, all of which were purchased by the large number who gathered there.

Orlando Abel, who was taken ill at West Brattleboro and afterward developed bronchial pneumonia and was taken to the sanatorium here for care and treatment, died there on Friday, and the remains were taken back for interment. Deceased was 72 years of age and had an illness of only a few days, his death having occurred at the sanatorium the day following his entrance there.

Miss Janette Metzger, head nurse at the sanatorium, has gone to visit friends in New York, and her place is being taken by Miss Nellie Billings, who graduates from the institution in January.

Mark Jerd had the misfortune to sprain his left wrist, while out skating Friday when, as he approached, another party was to collide with him, and he put up his hand to save himself; but, on the contrary, hit his hand, which resulted in a severe injury.

Easy. "Do you think that you can make my daughter happy?" asked Mr. Quimrod. "She has been happy with you, hasn't she?" rejoined the confident youth. "I think so, sir."

"Well, if she's that easy to please, there ought to be no difficulty."—Washington Star.

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