

THE BARRE DAILY TIMES

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 12, 1911.

Weather Forecast.

Fair Friday; light to moderate west winds, becoming variable.

TALK OF THE TOWN.

Have you seen the towel news at Fitts? Sale of sample muslin underwear at Abbott's Saturday.

Percale, one yard wide, 10c yard at Perry's on Saturday. Be sure you see that Columbus picture at Dreamland to-day.

Another lot of those bed spreads—80c each—at Perry's on Saturday. T. H. Wilford of Chelsea was in the city yesterday on a business trip.

Mrs. G. A. Bohanon of Washington was among the visitors in the city yesterday. Don't forget the degree of Pochontas, I. O. E. M. fair in Howland hall, Oct. 19, 20 and 21.

Sessions at Goddard seminary were suspended to-day to allow the students to observe Columbus day. Miss Mary Sexton, assistant in the city clerk's office, is passing a few days at her home in Brattleboro.

Col. J. B. Mead circle, No. 1, Ladies of the G. A. R., will meet in G. A. R. hall Friday afternoon, Oct. 13, at 2:30. Miss Mary Gonyo, who has been passing the summer at Bethlehem, N. H., returned to her home in this city yesterday.

Extra special Friday, October 13—500 yards dress gingham in small checks and plaids, at 8c a yard. Henry W. Knight. Don't forget the Scotch dance in Woodmen's hall Saturday evening, 80c per couple, extra ladies 10c. Imperial orchestra.

Miss Estella E. Butterfield of the Goddard seminary faculty returned last night, after passing a few days in Somerville, Mass. Among the guests registered at the City hotel yesterday are to-day were: C. T. Osborne, G. A. Moshier, F. E. Reed of Boston and B. H. Sweet of Portland, Me.

The best 80-cent box of candy in Barre, four kinds to pick from—Quimby's Big Six, Drop Front, Red Box or "Louise," manufactured by W. D. Quimby & Co., Boston, and for sale at Drown's drug store. Wednesday arrivals at the hotel Otis were as follows: D. L. Spaulding, Boston; A. W. Walker, New York City; W. P. Thompson, Bangor, Me.; C. H. Taft, Randolph; J. H. Smith, Rutland; L. M. Taylor, Boston; I. Gonyo, Berlin.

Mrs. W. C. Douglass and Mrs. Robert Wright entertained a large party of friends at their home on Brock street last evening in honor of Mrs. L. C. Peters of New York City, who has been their guest for the past three months. The evening was passed with music and dancing, a particularly pleasing feature of which was the Highland dancing by the Misses Mary and Josephine Will to the accompaniment of a singing orchestra. In behalf of the company present, Mrs. Margaret Stevens, in a witty manner, presented Mrs. Peters an artistic silver thimble and a handsome black satin hand bag. The party broke up at a late hour with the singing of "Will You No Come Back Again!" Mrs. Peters leaves to-morrow for her home in New York City.

As a special Columbus day offering, the management of the Pavilion has secured the well-known team of Indian entertainers, Brown and Brown, a high class feature act of considerable fame in the larger cities. Both members of the act are cultured singers and are endowed with voices of extraordinary power and beauty. Besides being singers, they are artists of great ability and in the act which they present they combine their singing ability and artistic accomplishments by drawing in color reproductions of famous paintings and at the same time sing specially arranged duets to fit the pictures they produce. A special feature of their act is the drawing of a picture of the "Rock of Ages," and at the same time singing the well-known hymn of the same name. Bell and Mayor, a team of singers and dancers, will look after the comedy part of the program. The picture entitled "Captain Kate" is really a feature in every respect. It is one of those self productions in which wild animals are used and is very exciting throughout. It is so much different from the usual picture that it is really a great diversion.

There will be a dance in opera house hall Saturday evening, October 14. Dancing from 8 to 12. G. Paton, floor manager. Good music. Admission 50 cents.

There will be a special communication of Granite lodge, No. 55, F. and M. L., Friday evening at 7 o'clock for the purpose of holding a lodge for instruction. Per order W. M.

Regular meeting Hiawatha lodge, I. O. O. F., Thursday evening at 7 o'clock. Work, first degree. Per order noble grand.

Friday evening, Oct. 13, 7:30 o'clock, Green Mountain council, No. 736, Royal Arcanum, will hold at K. of P. hall, Blanchard building, a social evening, open to the public and members. Whist, games, a musical program and light refreshments provided for entertainment. Admission 10c. All invited. Come!

H. W. Quimby, E. M. Laws, Richard Vesle, Wm. Black, W. H. Wescott, Committee.

TOO LATE TO BE CLASSIFIED. FOR SALE—A show case, a small safe, and a cash register. Inquire of A. R. Gilbert, agent of Bolster block, Barre, 1752.

WANTED—Experienced stenographers would like position. Call on or address, 21 Jefferson street, city. 1751.

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LOST—Between Barre and Graniteville, a package addressed to "Arvin McLoay, Graniteville." Will finder please forward to McLoay or telephone 108-13 and it will be called for. 1753.

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THE HOMER FITTS COMPANY

KANSAS COAL OUTPUT SMALL.

Strike of 1910 Reduces Production by Two Million Tons.

The total coal production of Kansas in 1910, as compiled by Edward W. Parker of the United States Geological Survey, in co-operation with the state geological survey, amounted to 4,921,451 short tons, valued at \$7,914,709.

Kansas lost heavily in coal production in 1910 by reason of the coal strike. In 1909, when industrial peace reigned throughout the coal-mining states, Kansas produced 6,980,478 short tons, and in the boom year 1907, the output amounted to 7,322,449 tons, the maximum for the state. In 1910, when 80 per cent. of the men were on strike and the period of idleness exceeded that of activity, the production decreased to 4,921,451 short tons. Compared with 1909, this shows a loss of 2,058,927 short tons, or 29.56 per cent. The decrease in Arkansas amounted to 19.8 per cent., in Oklahoma to 15.17 per cent., and in Missouri to 20.6 per cent. As in the other states, Kansas prices were naturally advanced by the shortage in fuel and the decrease in value was relatively less than the decrease in quantity. The value of the Kansas product decreased from \$10,083,384 in 1909 to \$7,914,709 in 1910, a loss of \$2,168,675, or 21.5 per cent. The average price per ton advanced from \$1.44 to \$1.61.

The number of men employed in the coal mines of Kansas in 1910 was 12,870, of whom 10,346 were idle during the strike. The average number of days worked was 148 and the average number of days idle was 132. The total working time was 1,906,151 days, and the total idleness was 1,578,927 days. The average production per man was 382 tons annually and 2.58 tons for each working day. In 1908, when 13,916 men were employed for an average of 181 days in the production of 6,245,508 tons, the average output per man was 449 tons for the year and 2.48 tons for each working day.

Part of Fortune.

The October Woman's Home Companion contains an article called "The Spider and the Fly," which is an excellent warning to women investors who are in danger of being robbed of their money. The author, Mr. J. M. Oskinson, a financial writer of authority and standing, gives women investors good specific advice, but he also tells some

wonderful though tragic stories of women who have been cheated. Following is one of his stories:

"Dr. William T. Bull, a surgeon with a country wide reputation, died and left a modest fortune to his widow. As soon as it became known to the public that Dr. Bull left a modest fortune, Mrs. Bull became fair game for the financial sharks that infest New York waters. The first to get to her were John A. Qualey and Harvey W. Corbett, promoters, among other things, of the Magnesia Asbestos company.

"Mrs. Bull met Qualey about the middle of June, 1910, and Qualey told her that the process used by the Magnesia Asbestos company was a remarkable invention of his own. He said that the delimitic rock—his own name for it—was heated to a certain temperature and formed into building blocks that were practically indestructible. The profits, he said, were three thousand dollars a day. They were not paying dividends just at that time, he said, because they were constructing costly plants at Boston and Chicago.

"At last Mrs. Bull gave Qualey a check for fifteen thousand dollars and received a certificate, the number of shares being written in Mrs. Bull's presence. Later Mrs. Bull invested twenty thousand dollars more, and gave a check payable to Harvey W. Corbett for that amount.

"The plant, which, according to Qualey, was making three thousand dollars a day, was in Newark, N. J. After the arrest of the two promoters it came out that practically no real work was ever done there. One visitor found, on a first visit, absolutely no sign of activity; but on a second visit, a gang of men were very busily engaged in transferring sand from one pile to another and then carrying the same sand back into the first pile. Corbett confessed once that the custom was to send out men the day before the arrival at the plant of a prospective investor and have them create a scene of great activity and industry."

Louis Rosen of Center Rutland, a Jewish merchant, pleaded guilty in Rutland county court to the charge of maintaining gambling paraphernalia and paid a fine of \$50 and costs of \$8. Rosen's store was one of those visited by the sheriff's department last spring, when State's Attorney B. L. Stafford began a crusade against slot machines.

"THE COUNTRY IDEA."

Views of a Believer in Advantages of Farm Over City.

W. A. Beard of Sacramento, Cal., a member of the Roosevelt country life commission, believes in the motto, "The country idea." Keeping the boy and the girl on the farm, Mr. Beard believes, is simply a question of educating him to the "country idea"—the possibilities and the advantages of the farm over the city.

"The American people to-day are imbued with the town or city idea," Mr. Beard declared to a reporter at the Kansas City Star. "Until we inculcate the country idea, the stay-on-the-farm movement cannot reach its fullest possibilities. The country boy sees only so many rows of corn to hoe, so many acres of wheat to drill. He overlooks the great joy of seeing things grow and produce. He does not fully realize the possibilities the farm offers from a financial standpoint."

Scientific agriculture, Mr. Beard believes, will furnish the ultimate solution of the problem of keeping the farm boy on the farm. The tilling of the soil, scientifically, will so greatly enhance the profits of farming that the boy will not turn to the city to seek a fortune. It will open up new possibilities and a realization of the independence of the farm.

"That tendency already is being felt on the farm," Mr. Beard said. "It began at the top, with the agricultural college. We had to have teachers. Now is the time to strike at the grass roots. Put a study of agriculture, scientific agriculture, in the country school. Give with it a study of nature and the out of doors. A new world will be opened up to the farm boy. He will choose rather to stay on the farm and work out the problem of making two ears of corn grow where one was harvested before. He will build a comfortable farmhouse and devote his life to the farm. And his children's children will follow in his footsteps. The country school will assume a new importance. The country church, now decadent, will again lift its head and take its large place in the life of the farmer and his family."

SOUTH ROYALTON.

Mrs. Glenn Blake is on the sick list. Mrs. J. H. Hewitt was in Randolph Tuesday.

E. J. Hewitt and family are visiting friends in Boston.

Mr. and Mrs. Bowditch of Boston are visiting Mrs. E. F. Watkins.

Robert Abbott, who has been in Gardner, Mass., has returned home.

Mrs. Ed. Sargent is sick and Ruth Wheeler of Barnard is working for her.

Mrs. Charles Sargent and daughter, Lucy, have been visiting friends in Cavendish.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hope and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Moody, spent Sunday in Washington, Vt.

Mrs. Ada Spaulding of Canton, Mass., who has been visiting friends in town the past two weeks, returned home Sunday.

Pere au Fil.

(Lines to a sub-freshman.) They tell me that you start for Yale to-night.

I trust it will not dull anticipation to hear from me some homely maxims quite Horatian.

At college there are men who seek "great place" (So Bacon calls it) with much noise and riot.

Remember shouting never won a race—Keep quiet.

You'll hear much worldly wisdom, si-mon-pure, Look squarely at Truth's sun light without blinking;

Remember half the sure things are not sure—Keep thinking.

It is no mark of greatness to complain, And wit is far removed from mere reviling;

Remember laughter clears a cloudy brain—Keep smiling.

You may have seen a swimmer far from shore, Sink neath a wave whose foaming crest is breakin;

You hear his last cry in the ocean's roar, (Mistaking).

The wave recedes, an arm gleams in the light, He plunges on—life's cup sees over brimming.

Then when a breaker buries you from sight—Keep swimming.

—Yale Alumni Weekly.

See Abbott's sale of sample muslin underwear.

LAST WEEK

we were pleased to see many new faces at our new store, and wish to thank all for their patronage and expressions of appreciation. We hope to see not only our old friends this week, but many new ones, and will have a still larger variety of Fresh Fish, which will include the following:

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