

# 25c Package Sale! 25c

## Saturday Morning, Jan. 31

At 8 o'clock we place on sale in our show window 200 Packages at 25c each. These are odd and broken lots of merchandise selected from our regular line, and every box contains more than a 25c value.

### Some of the Packages Contain

- LADIES' SWEATERS
- LADIES' PETTICOATS
- COLORED SLIPS
- CRIB BLANKETS
- LAUNDRY BAGS
- TOILET SOAP
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- CHILDREN'S SWEATERS
- CHILDREN'S DRESSES
- UNDERWEAR
- STATIONERY
- TOWELS
- MEN'S HOSE
- DRESSING SACKS

ETC., ETC., ETC.

Take your pick of any size box in our window for only 25c each. Something for ladies, gents and children.

### Extra Special

Your choice of any Dress in our show window at only \$3.98 each. See the special values in our Silk Dresses.

# The Homer Fitts Company

### PLAINFIELD.

In a caucus held Tuesday night and by a vote of 35 to 2, Democrats of Plainfield endorsed John A. Foss, Republican, for re-appointment as postmaster, a position which he has held for 16 years. So far as known, this is the first caucus for postmasters' position held in Vermont.

Mrs. Will Moore is at Heaton hospital in Montpelier for treatment. Mrs. Alba Martyn is reported seriously ill at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Dan Page.

Mrs. Julia Cummings is spending a few days in town with friends.

F. J. Bancroft was in Groton Saturday on business.

Miss Vena Townsend spent Friday and Saturday in Montpelier with her sister, Miss Lila Townsend.

A successful Pomona meeting was held at the opera house Saturday. The Pomona degree was conferred upon a class of candidates, followed by a literary program.

Mrs. W. H. Martin and Mrs. Ann Martin spent Saturday in Barre.

Fred L. Page of Barre spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Baldwin.

Mrs. L. L. Knapp returned from Lyndonville Monday. She was accompanied by her little granddaughter, Elva Goodwin.

Frank Cahill has been confined to the house by illness several days.

Miss Ethel Colby of Waterbury spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Colby.

Rev. and Mrs. A. W. Hewitt recently visited relatives in Berlin.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bohannon and daughter of Marshfield called on Mrs. Elsie Woodcock Saturday.

Miss Helen Parks of Barre spent Sunday in town with friends.

William Bancroft of Pawtucket, R. I., is spending a few days with his brother, F. J. Bancroft.

Mrs. E. F. Leavitt is spending a few days in Montpelier with Mr. and Mrs. William Stratton.

Miss Rose Moore of Montpelier spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Theron Moore.

Clinton Bartlett was in Waterbury, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Chandler of Montpelier spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rice.

Mrs. A. M. Cate and daughter, Elsie, of North Montpelier spent Wednesday with Mrs. Viola Bemis.

Miss Emily Harris of Boston is the guest of her niece, Mrs. Jennie Hamol.

### ALLEGED SHOE THIEF.

Maurice Quitt, Arrested in Keene, Wanted by Windsor Police.

Keene, N. H., Jan. 29.—Maurice Quitt, alias Charles E. Greene, was arrested here last night for the Windsor, Vt., police on a charge of robbery of a shoe store in that town on the night of Jan. 17, when he is alleged to have carried off 78 pairs of shoes valued at about \$250. He is also believed to be the man who robbed a shoe store in Charlestown early in December and stole about \$500 worth of shoes.

Sheriff James Kilnery of Windsor county says Quitt is wanted in about 15 or 20 towns for similar robberies. When searched at the police station last night Quitt had a large searchlight and a Jimmy, he is about 40 years old and claims to live at 42d street, New York City.

### JURORS GIVE BANQUET.

Judges and Court Officials Their Guests in St. Johnsbury.

St. Johnsbury, Jan. 29.—The jurors of Caledonia county court tendered a banquet last evening in Pythian hall to the justices and court officials. James B. Campbell, deputy county clerk, was toastmaster and the following responded to toasts: F. C. Shony of Lyndonville, Sheriff W. H. Worthen, Judge Frank L. Fish of Vergennes, Judge Leighton P. Slack of St. Johnsbury, Harland B. Howe and United States Dist. Atty. Alexander Dunnett.

### TALK OF THE TOWN

Spring goods for 1914 at Abbott's.

Alfred A. Lamorey of Cliff street left last night for Boston, where he will make a short business visit.

Armando A. Comolli of Comolli street left this forenoon on a ten days' trip through Connecticut in the interests of Comolli & Co.

### TALK OF THE TOWN

New spring cereals at Abbott's. A good time to buy your furs, at Fitts'.

Only three days left of our clearance sale, at Vaughan's.

Baked ham supper at the Universalist church Saturday night from 5:30 to 7:30. Look for menu Friday.

Best dairy butter, 30c per lb.; Cobble Hill Creamery butter at 38c per lb., at Smith & Cummings.—Adv't.

Charles Fiske, who has been passing a few days in the city, returned to-day to his home at St. Johnsbury.

Mrs. M. Albert Bertrand, who has been visiting at her former home at Farnham, returned to the city to-day.

Anthony Colomba, who has been spending the past few months at Holyoke, Mass., returned to the city last night.

Mrs. Amelia Adams, who was called to Barre by the death of Valentine Hutchins, returned yesterday to her home in Fayston.

Dr. Jarvis will sing at the concert in the Universalist church Thursday evening, Feb. 5. Dr. Lynde will be one of the readers on the program.

Charles Duffy of Providence, R. I., who has been passing a few days in the city as the guest of Edwin Keast, left to-day for a few days' visit at Burlington.

A little pea coal put onto your fire will hold your fire longer. It pays to use it. The D. M. Miles Coal Co., 122 North Main street. Telephones 133 and 417-M.

The S. B. of A. of Montpelier will hold a masquerade ball in Eagles hall Jan. 31. VanOrman's orchestra. Admission, 35c per person. Come and bring your friends.

Mrs. George Linekin of Merchant street left this week for Thomaston, Me., where she was called by the illness of a brother. She will probably return to the city within two weeks.

"The Adventure of the Copper Beeches," a two-reel special feature; "The Haunted Bride," a Rex comedy-drama also "The Girl and The Bandit," a Frontier drama, at the Bijou.—Adv't.

The members of R. B. Crandall post, No. 56, department of Vermont, will hold a smoke talk at their hall Saturday, Jan. 31, at 2 p. m. All soldiers and sailors of the Civil and Spanish-American wars and Sons of Veterans are cordially invited to attend. John W. Averill, commander.

The Times bowling team won over the Ozarks at Merlo Bros' alleys Tuesday night was correct as far as it went in stating that the Times team had a larger total, but, as a matter of fact, the Ozarks took two out of the three strings and are entitled to the credit of the victory.

A large number of members of Div. No. 1, A. O. U. E., went to Greenfield last evening to attend the annual installation of officers of the Graniteville division, which was held in Miles hall. After the installation a public dance was held. Harris' orchestra of this city furnished music for the dancing.

The Shamrock basketball team will make its first trip away from home Friday. They leave in the forenoon for St. Johnsbury, where they play the strong French Catholic association in the evening.

The first game between the two teams resulted in a victory for the local team. Manager Carroll will carry a squad of six players on the trip. Carroll will play center, "Bill" Stuart, the back, will not be able to make the trip. Bartlett of Montpelier, Grady, Ogston of Norwich and "Nell" Brown will compose the regular Shamrock line-up.

Max Fisher, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Fisher, who is playing a Shakespearean role with the Margaret Anglin company, is expected to arrive at the city the next part of the week for a few weeks' visit at the home of his parents on Averill street. At present the company is playing at London, Ont., and was booked for the coming few weeks at Boston. But the date of the engagement at Boston has been deferred for two or three weeks to allow Miss Anglin a much needed rest.

Mr. Fisher, who has been in the city since his season started during the summer. The company has toured through the West to the Pacific coast and has also appeared in all the large Canadian cities.

Five new members were admitted at the annual meeting of the ladies' auxiliary of the First Presbyterian church last evening and new officers were elected to serve during the coming 12-month.

The auxiliary met in the vestry of the church. The officers are as follows: President, Mrs. Lizzie Wood; vice-president, Mrs. William Alexander; treasurer, Mrs. Peter Park; collector, Mrs. James Scott; secretary, Mrs. John Robertson.

Reports from the various departments of the auxiliary indicated that the organization has emerged from one of the most successful years in its history.

The society contemplates endeavors along several new lines in 1914. There was a large attendance and after the business session a number of the young women served a light luncheon, consisting of cocoa, sandwiches and cake.

B. W. Hooker & Co. to-day received a communication from the Royal Chair Co. of Sturgis, Mich., notifying them of their success in the window competition started by the furniture-makers in December.

The local dealers of the award class. The fifth prize was also awarded. Hooker & Co.'s window was trimmed by members of the firm and their assistants. Royal chairs were conspicuously placed about the window and the picture was the time-exposure work of A. M. Troup, the well-known local photographer. In the company's communication, the company was complimented for its taste and the excellence of the photograph.

The cast of characters for the annual senior class play, "The Cribber," which is to be staged in the chapel at Spaulding high school Friday evening, was announced to-day. There are nine participants and all have been trained in their roles by Miss Stillson of the high school faculty.

The advance sale of seats has been large and indications point to one of the most successful presentations in the history of dramatics at Spaulding. The play committee was busy to-day assembling the various articles that are to make up the stage investiture. Fine attention has been paid to details in making the stage setting as attractive as possible. Following is a list of those who have accepted parts in the piece: Norton Lebourgeois, "Hal Hinker"; Leon T. Page, "Roy Darrell"; Arthur Blackmore, "Bug Wells"; Henry Bjork, "Lucian Burdock"; Frank Greder, "Eli-an Darrell"; Ruth Robinson, "Kate Darrell"; Madeline Rogers, "Grace Zigler"; Mary Restell, "Myrtle Landon." There are three acts and the scenes are laid at Crawford college during the final exams, in June, 1913.

### TALK OF THE TOWN

New ripplette at Abbott's. Bargains. Come here this evening, at Vaughan's.

See Fitts' window of dresses; your choice at \$3.98 each.

Do not fail to get some of the good values at Perry's on Saturday.

Brady Holmes, who has been passing a few days in the city, returned last night to his home at Vergennes.

Watch for the date of the hospital benefit dance, under the auspices of the South Barre grange.

Don't fail to hear Professor Wheaton play the sextette from "Lucia" and "Humorske," which he plays by request.

Mrs. F. P. Wetmore of Merchant street went to her former home in Northfield this morning for a few days' visit.

George Black, who has been passing a few days in the city as the guest of friends, returned to his home at Boston last night.

Stanton Burgess, a student at Norwich university, arrived in the city last night for a few days' visit at the home of his parents.

Miss Lorraine Hambleton, who has been passing a few days in the city as the guest of friends, returned to-day to her home at Bennington.

The Spaulding high school glee club will sing at the concert at the Universalist church Thursday evening, Feb. 5, at 8 o'clock. Admission, 15c; children, 10c.

Mrs. John Kelley of the west hill was brought to the City hospital in the A. W. Badger ambulance this forenoon and an operation was performed this afternoon.

George L. Morse of Milton, who has been passing a few days in Boston on business, arrived in the city this morning for a short stay before returning home.

Mrs. Edward L. House and little son, Reginald, of West street have returned home from Williamstown, where they have been making a stay of several days with relatives.

Special for Saturday: Fresh-made old-home-made chocolates in various tempting flavors at 15c per lb., or 2 lbs. for 25c; also 20 juicy navel oranges for 25c. At the New England Fruit Store.—Adv't.

Forty-five cents a pair, a special value in corsets, one lot of medium bust, long waist, neatly trimmed, supporters front and back, a strong and durable corset; only 45c a pair at Perry's on Saturday.

Rev. A. Belloni, who has been visiting some of his former parishioners and other friends in Barre for a few days, was returned to Boston, where he has charge of an Italian mission.

Wilber Hynes and A. O. Booth of North Ferrisburgh, who have been passing a week in Barre and Orange on business, returned this forenoon to Burlington, where they will make a short business visit before returning home.

Theodore J. Ruddy of West Patterson street, who was employed until recently as day clerk in the City hotel, will leave within a few days for his former home in Providence, R. I., where he is to be employed at his trade as a machinist.

Mrs. Ruddy and little son will join him later.

Peter Passera of Williamstown was a visitor in the city to-day on his way to Boston for a few days' visit. After passing a few days in Boston he will leave on an extended business visit through the western states on business in the interests of the Passera Granite company at Williamstown.

Alexander T. Adam, who has been making an extended stay with George B. Milne and with other friends in Barre and vicinity, left this morning for New York, where he is to sail within a few days for Liverpool, Eng., proceeding thence, after a short visit, to his former home in Aberdeen, Scot.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Grant and children left last night for New York, where they will make a few days' visit with relatives before sailing on a Cunard liner Saturday for Liverpool, England, where they will go to their former home in Aberdeen, Scotland, to pass the remainder of the winter and spring. They will return to Barre early in the summer.

Among those who registered at the Buzzell hotel yesterday were: George E. McLeod, Burlington; Harry E. Gage, Burlington; H. K. Math, Boston; E. H. Saxby, Marshfield; M. Alper and Yett, Burlington; E. H. Bover, South Royalton; F. C. Spaulding, Albany, N. Y.; N. C. Stanton, Burlington; L. F. Donahue, Westerville; Sam E. Pearson, Burlington; W. L. Wood, Boston; J. J. Calhoun, Boston; Charles Chapman, Boston; Fred P. Kinney, Dorchester, Mass.; Gust Floka, Boston; W. V. Perkins, Bethel.

William H. Brewster of Middlebury and George B. Wheeler of Bellows Falls arrived in the city to-day for the annual inspection of St. Aldemar commandery, No. 11, Knights Templar, which is to be held in the commandery asylum in the Blanchard building to-night. The meeting will open with a dinner in the barracks at 6 o'clock. A number of out-of-town sir knights in addition to the inspecting officers, will be guests of the St. Aldemar knights at the dinner. There will be an informal program of speech-making after dinner and then the inspection will be made.

### TALK OF THE TOWN

H. G. Boyce returned to-day from Wells River, where he has been making a short business visit.

Dan A. Perry of the Perry Real Estate agency left this forenoon on a few days' business trip to Lebanon, N. H.

William Bishop left yesterday for Montreal, P. Q., where he will make a several days' visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. George N. Taylor of Woodbury were among the business visitors in the city yesterday and to-day.

Mrs. Edith Hartley of Fortney place left this forenoon for Burlington, where she will spend several days with relatives.

H. F. Cutler and Fred D. Ladd returned this morning from Boston, where they have been making a few days' business visit.

Mrs. Charles Hurley and two daughters, who have been visiting relatives in Barre and vicinity, returned this morning to their home in Glover.

Miss Elizabeth Sutton has gone to St. Albans, where she will make a week's visit with her aunt, Mrs. Elmer Johnson, and other relatives in that vicinity.

Robert Kerr, who has been visiting friends at his former home in Barre for a few days, returned last night to Waterbury. Mr. Kerr will be remembered here as a one-time manager of the Barre Athletic club's baseball team.

Mrs. E. McPherson Laws, who has been passing ten days at her home on Wellington street, left this forenoon for Boston, where she will make an extended stay. She was accompanied as far as White River Junction by Mr. Laws.

Some of the men at the fire station were called to the house of Barclay Scott early this afternoon to look after a chimney fire which was resisting the efforts of the householders to restrain. They went up with the practice sleigh and carried hand extinguishers.

John Ruddy, who has been passing a few days in the city, returned this forenoon to Hanover, N. H., where he is making his home with Mrs. Ruddy for a time. He was accompanied by Mrs. W. H. Snow, his daughter, who will make a short stay in Hanover.

Claude Druge of Camp street, who began a week's vacation from his duties in the tailoring department of Lamorey & Co.'s store, left this afternoon for Montreal, P. Q., where he will spend a few days with his brother, who recently returned to Canada from a year's stay at his former home in Bordeaux.

Paul D. Leavitt, who has been detained from his duties at the postoffice for several days, is slowly recovering from a severe attack of the grippe. For a time it was feared that the case would develop into pneumonia, but reports to-day told of his improved condition.

James E. Levie of Hill street is taking Mr. Leavitt's place at the federal building.

The Vecchia Filodrammatica company will give the first of a series of plays in the opera house Saturday evening, the name of the piece being "La Morte Civile," a powerful three-act drama that has been interpreted successfully by other Italian actors elsewhere. The new orchestra will furnish music for the affair, and the advance sale of seats ensures the success of the affair. Such well-known amateurs as E. Valentine, M. Pusca, F. Comolli, A. Parnigoni, A. Fontana, L. Comolli, C. Restelli, and others are in the cast. Rehearsals have been going on for several weeks, and the directors of the company plan to make it one of the most successful presentations in the history of Italian dramatics in Barre. The performance will begin at 8:15. Special arrangements for the New England States Limited for a trip to Boston and New York. The bride is a well known St. Albans young woman. For several terms she was a teacher in the public schools of Highgate. Mr. Sheltus will be remembered by many as a former resident of Barre. At one time he was employed in D. E. Davis' drug store and after an absence of several years, he returned to this city and became the manager of the Charles Zanoloni drug store on North Main street. Nearly two years ago he left Barre and went to Wallingford, where he was employed in a drug store. Later he came to proprietor of the business. Mr. and Mrs. Sheltus will make their home in Wallingford.

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5 only this season's Suits to close at 1-2 price; 1 Navy Eponge, fine quality, fancy bulgarian collar, size 36, a \$25 value, for \$12.50.

1 navy fine French Serge, bulgarian collar and cuffs, size 18, was \$25, now \$12.50.

1 black and white stripe Novelty Suiting, size 38, was \$25, now \$12.50.

1 black Storm Serge, size 36, a \$20 suit for \$10.

1 fine brown Serge, brown satin trimmed, size 36, a 16.50 value, for 8.25.

All Furs 1-2 price to close.

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Shoe yourself and shoe every member of the family at our store while you have this big offer.

Here are some figures that ought to interest those who wear Shoes.

Men's High-Cut Shoes, were \$6, for ..... \$4.50

Men's High-Cut Shoes, were 7.50, for ..... 6.00

Women's High-Cut Shoes, were \$6.00, for ..... 4.50

Women's High-Cut Shoes, were 5.00, for ... 3.75

Women's High-Cut Shoes, were 4.00, for ... 3.00

1 lot Misses' Patent Button Cloth Tops, were \$2.50, for ..... 1.25

1 lot Men's Patent Shoes, size 5 to 6½, were \$3.50 and \$4.00, for ..... 1.75

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