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It's time for old "Verbum Sap" to make his appearance.

Sign of spring—revival of the swat-the-fly campaign. Join now!

Now let everybody get together for the final pull on the hospital campaign.

New reason to be president: To marry off your daughters. There never was such a time as the present.

The policy of watchful waiting on the New Haven railroad will run just two and one-half years—then smash!

Speaking about the ruler of the White House, Dan Cupid has been twice crowned there and offered the crown thrice.

It is not a new disease—condensation—that Ambassador Page suffered from, but the results sometimes have been more fatal.

St. Johnsbury would like to secure the proposed new state school for feeble-minded children. St. Johnsbury would be a rather good place for location of such an institution.

In his latest appeal to the public, Harry K. Thaw denies appealing to sympathy in seeking release and then he starts right in and seeks sympathy—for his elderly mother. Thaw sidesteps the legal facts in his case.

A ball game is not won till the last man is out; the race for the hospital fund is not to be won till the last possible effort has been put into the work. That ought to be carried in mind during the next few days in Barre.

The meeting of the Republican state committee at Burlington on Tuesday is of more than usual interest as following some hint of the plans to be followed in a period which promises to be featured by no slight activity. It is for the Republican state committee to prove itself a "live one."

Out of the tangle over a big department store firm failure there is likely to be some law enactment that will protect the interests of the innocent people, especially in that department of activity which has to do with banking. It is extremely doubtful, too, whether a department store should be permitted to enter the banking field.

Secretary McAdoo will be called upon to put the new federal reserve bank system into operation at about the same time he will be engaged in getting married, unless they change the conflicting dates. For the good of the federal bank system, which needs a satisfactory start, the wedding might well take second position by being postponed.

Arthur F. Stone's resignation as editor of the Advance, the Progressive party newspaper, so soon after assuming his duties in that position is a distinct surprise to most people throughout the state, and the mystery is not cleared up by any announcement, only that Guy B. Horton of Burlington is to succeed Mr. Stone. Mr. Horton has been one of the moving spirits in the enterprise, having been president of the publishing corporation since its organization.

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a whole lot of Progressives up at this end of the district who prefer Representative E. A. Cook of Lyndonville to Col. E. W. Gibson of Brattleboro.—St. Johnsbury Republican.

There seems to be more than one mind in the Progressive party of east-side Vermont, and while Col. Gibson for some reason or other has been the man most often mentioned for the party's candidate there really is no settled conviction among the members of the organization. Moreover, there appears to be a rising determination on the part of the rank and file of the party to have something to say about the selection of a candidate. There are several Progressive party men in the second district who might be mentioned with equal weight of argument with the two already brought before the public.

VERMONTERS WHO DEVELOPED ABROAD.

The deaths of two Vermonters who gained distinction away from home—one in the law and the other in the ministry—causes double sorrow to the people in their native state, first because of their decease and second because they had not given their direct usefulness to the old state. And yet, it is reasonable to say that perhaps neither Judge Charles A. Willard nor Rev. Dr. George B. Spalding would have reached his high stage of usefulness if he had remained in Vermont, and so the world would have been the poorer had they continued to cast their lot in the old state. Therefore, the second cause of sorrow sinks into insignificance, and, while regretting the passing on of the two distinguished men, Vermonters will feel a sense of pride that these sons of the Green Mountain state had the latent possibilities for great good and that great extent in the new fields in which the men were placed.

WILLIAMSTOWN.

Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Seaver, who have been in Barre at the home of their daughter, Mrs. L. O. Morgan, for some three months past, have returned to their home on Northfield street.

Miss Rachel Bruce, who lately finished the course for nurses in the Mary Fletcher hospital—Burlington, and has since then been employed in Northfield, is at the home of her parents in Mill Village for a few days.

Mrs. Etta M. Covell and daughter, Doris, returned to town the 14th, after a visit of about a week at the home of George Dillingham in Northfield.

George T. Colby shipped a car of cows and calves to market from this station last Sunday.

Favorable reports are received from St. Johnsbury as to the condition of Miss Dorothy Simons, who was teaching in that town and underwent an operation for appendicitis in the hospital there last week.

Miss Bernice Morse, who has been in town as the guest of her sister, Mrs. Frank A. Downs, for a time past, has returned to her home in Bakersfield.

Will E. Carpenter, who was in the employ of the late Arthur Covell of Roxbury at the time of his death, was at his home in town over Sunday. The job of saving is to be finished and he returned to Roxbury the 16th.

Our former townsman, George W. Bruce, now of Randolph, has been ill at the home of his son, Bert E. Bruce for several weeks but is now gaining. His daughter, Grace Bruce of Manchester, N. H., has also been an inmate of the family during her father's sickness.

The ladies' missionary society of the Congregational church will hold their monthly meeting on Wednesday, March 18, at 2:30 p. m. at Mrs. Ainsworth's with Mrs. Warner as leader. A cordial invitation is extended to all who are interested in missions.

Through an error, the copies of the Times for subscribers at this office were not received Saturday night, though the bundle for newsdealer W. M. Williams arrived as usual. This will explain to many why their copy of The Times was not delivered to them on Monday morning.

Dame Fortune Ever Fickle Was, her wheel is often cruel. Wise men insure their lives because, there's use in wanting full. National Life Ins. Co., of Vt. (Mutual), S. S. Ballard, general agent, Lawrence building, Montpelier, Vt.

WEEK OPENS AT \$37,982.53

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five days more remain to swell the hospital fund. Among the workers as they started out this morning there was a certain spirit of determination to make the day count well. All were equipped with renewed vigor and zeal and it is safe to say that there will be no slackening of efforts during the five days to come. Encouraging reports continue to come in from towns about and the supper to-night, it is expected, will develop some interesting information to the outside towns that are rallying so splendidly to aid the cause. Not all of the energy is to be spent in the outside field, however, for the workers locally are planning systematic campaign for the week that will search the city of Barre as though with the finest toothed comb. Every force and factor that can be mustered to lend impetus to the movement will be drafted in the campaign. It is the visionary who believes now that the fund can be pushed up to a mark far beyond the minimum goal, finally set and the desire to see this thing accomplished is going a long way toward its realization. Through the week daily changes will be made on the three illuminated clocks and people who have the best interests of the movement at heart are asked to study the timepieces and to CONTRIBUTE!

BARRE CITY

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Corrections.
In Saturday's list of contributors, the name of John S. Murley was wrongly printed as Hurley. Also the individual subscriptions of \$2.50 each by Mary and James Drummond should have been credited as a collective sum of \$5 by the same.

CURRENT COMMENT

Looks Like Big Business Year.
1914 looks like a big business year. If everybody will give a hearty push right now it will count.—American Stone Trade.

Barre Congratulated.
Barre people are rallying in magnificent style for a hospital. Yesterday the teams which have been making a ten-day campaign to raise the required \$40,000 had secured pledges aggregating over \$34,000. The success of the campaign is fully assured and there is to be congratulated on its enterprise and public spirit.—Rutland Evening News.

Restrictions on Auto Driving.
Aaron H. Grant, state's attorney for Orleans county, has taken action which might be followed to advantage by the prosecutors in other counties throughout the state, in view of the general opening of the automobile season at an early date. Mr. Grant serves notice on all operators that cars must bear the 1914 registration number, and that any passenger or home-made number plates will not save them from the liability to arrest. All cars must display two lighted lamps in front and one in the rear, at all times on the highway, whether standing or running, after 45 minutes before sundown and before 45 minutes before sunrise. Mr. Grant announces that all violations of these laws which are reported to him will result in prosecutions, and he asks motor car owners to bear in mind the fact that the law is as much in force now as it will be next summer. It has always been the practice of some owners to begin running their cars in the spring without a thought of license number until later in the season.—Brattleboro Reformer.

One Big Express Co. Finally Surrenders.
The news that the United States Express company, prosperous for sixty years or more, has decided to liquidate its business in order to save its assets, in the face of the competition of the parcel post, will be received with unimpaired joy in many quarters. It will be cited as an evidence of the success of the government in doing business—by sending a competitor to the scrapheap. The picture of the past, from which the stockholders of this company are now deprived, will seem readily translated into gains for the dear people. And all the undiscriminating will be happy. But the express company's loss is not necessarily a people's gain. The cost of operating a business may be different in different hands. Illustrations of this abound. Let us see how this change will work out. If it may be assumed that the business formerly done by the

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whose memory is so dear to us, whose lyrics are immortal, but of whom it has been truly said "He was an irrepressible optimist but never before or since was an optimist required to do business upon such small capital."

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United States Express company will now be performed by the United States government, this will mean its transfer from a regime of measurable efficiency. The United States government performs no business efficiently, whether it be a printing office, in the postoffice, in the building of ships, or in the making of postage stamps. Its conduct in the lighthouse is woefully archaic. It touches nothing except to impart dilatoriness and wastefulness. Now the inefficiency of government operations must be paid for somewhere, somehow and by somebody. It need not be met by the users of the service. They will be charged lower rates than the old express companies, since general taxation can be relied upon to do all the rest. And just at present the government is paying the railroads nothing for carrying these parcels, a privilege which the United States Express company never enjoyed. Competition between a concern which must make ends meet, and one relieved of any such necessity is somewhat one-sided. The United States government has conferred on the interstate commerce commission authority to regulate rates of express companies. And its regulating of railroad rates affords sufficient evidence that it can do the job drastically enough to meet all possible needs. And seriously, the interstate commerce commission is empowered by law to regulate both the express companies and the parcel post, since it is the official adviser of the postmaster-general in any changes he may make under existing law. We should thus have regulation anyhow, regulation in abundance and regulation that would be adequate. That, in the Herald's reiterated judgment, is as far as the government ought to go. Its taking over the business only adds to the complexities of politics, the number of politicians, the widening of payrolls, to be met in our widely diffused taxes and our inevitably increased cost of living. And it is time we were giving some heed to such tendencies.—Boston Herald.

WASHINGTON.
Baptist church, Washington—Charles O. Dunham, pastor. Rev. Benjamin Lomax will preach every evening at 7:30. Theme for Tuesday evening, "The Self-Made Man." Rev. Lomax will sing "The Old Ship Zion," and by request the duet rendered Sunday morning, entitled, "The Beautiful Land," will be rendered again Tuesday night. Rev. W. Gartshore and singers from Westerville will assist in the music. Come early and enjoy the song service.

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