

ABOUT THE STATE

HAPPENINGS OF INTEREST FROM DIFFERENT SECTIONS

Twenty-two automobiles are owned in the little town of Benson.

Rev. John Van Burke of Montpelier, Mass., has decided to accept the call of the committee to the pastorate of the Congregational church of Swanton and will assume his duties Nov. 1.

Poultney welcomed thousands of visitors last Thursday for the first annual field day under the auspices of the Poultry Business Men's association. There were many athletic events and a crowd of 3,000 witnessed a baseball game.

Dr. and Mrs. John C. Murphy of Hinesburgh have made application to the Vermont Red Cross to go to Europe as doctor and nurse, respectively, in the war. The matter will be taken up by treasurer and acting secretary, H. S. Howard, of the Vermont branch of the Red Cross authorities at Washington with a view of sending Dr. and Mrs. Murphy to the front.

The Howe Scale company of Rutland has already commenced using the Panama canal for transportation purposes and Tuesday three carloads of scales were taken through the canal. It is said that rates on the Union Pacific railroad, which operates across the isthmus, will be reduced to meet the rates of the canal, which is likely to arouse some competition.

Vermont Young People to the Front.

Since the announcement was made that the regular state corn show was to be replaced by the first exposition ever held in New England given over entirely to boys and girls interest has increased by leaps and bounds.

Early in July this interest was argued by the distribution of a very attractive handbook, and to-day young people all over the state are making preparations to participate in the Vermont boys' and girls' agricultural and industrial exposition which will be held in the big Kennedy area at Windsor, October 27-30.

The committees having in charge the arrangements have no purpose in mind other than the encouragement to be given all school and home agricultural and industrial pursuits in which boys and girls are engaged. And through the demonstrations to be made along the line of vocational training it is hoped that all such interest in the state will be given a new impetus and that school officials and parents will come to approve of such work being taught and extended over the state.

The response from school officials to cooperate in the undertaking has been very general and many schools plan special demonstrations of their work along vocational lines.

Classes for which attractive prizes are offered include baked goods, covering wheat and graham bread, rolls, cakes; canned goods, covering tree fruits, berries, jellies, vegetables; clothing, washable and unwashable dresses, shirts, waists; home furnishings, sofa pillows table runners, darning and repairing.

Vegetables, grains, grasses, corn, forage plants, dairy products.

Written essays covering various farm

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BIG AUCTION SALE

Barre City Real Estate

VALUABLE INVESTMENT PROPERTIES AND GOOD HOMES ON NORTH MAIN STREET

We are authorized and directed to sell at public auction, on Saturday, August 29th, 1914 at 2 o'clock in the afternoon on the premises

the large two-story five-tenement house at the corner of North Main and First streets, known as 505 North Main street. This building has five good tenements, with city water, always rented; on the car line and near the stonesheds. The lower part of this building could be converted into a storeroom. Nice location for a store on this corner; balance could be used as tenements. Building now rents for \$43 per month. Also the six-room cottage adjoining the above and known as 507 North Main street; neat, slick property, on car line and near the large sheds, now renting for \$14 per month. Also another two-tenement, neat cottage, adjoining the above, that is now renting for \$18 per month. These three properties return an income of \$900 per year; always rented and are up in good condition. Will be sold all together as one property, or separately, anyway to suit purchasers. If you are looking for a home, near the manufacturing section of the city, attend this sale. If you have money you wish to invest, that will net you a large rate of interest, this is your opportunity. The agents will be glad to show you the property any time before the sale. Remember the date, Saturday, this week, August 29, 2 p. m. on the premises. Terms will be liberal and stated at time of sale.

C. F. SMITH, Auctioneer. SMITH & DASHNER, Agents.

topics, maple products and honey, live stock, poultry, miscellaneous pets. Fruit, flowers, manual training and industrial crafts, models, mechanical articles, metal work, electrical outfits and collections of boy scout work. All told there are 121 different departments described in the hand-book which any one may have by addressing the exhibition secretary, Archibald C. Hurd, at White River Junction, Vt.

AVIATOR GRAY COMING.

Visitors to Northfield Fair Will See Some Daring Stunts.

Northfield, Aug. 27.—Interest in the Dog River valley fair, which occurs here Sept. 8, 9, and 10, is increasing all over Washington county, both among exhibitors and intending visitors. President E. E. Campbell of Waterbury and Secretary W. H. Douglas of Northfield are in receipt of letters daily making inquiry about the many features that will enter into the exhibition.

George Gray, the daring aviator, who will twice daily fly Wright biplanes, is one of the most accomplished in his time. He has been flying several seasons and has become as proficient as it is believed possible for anyone to become in this time of endeavor. Mr. Gray has been making flights in Mexico and saw much of the recent unpleasantness from high in the air. He will be seen at the Dog River Valley fair in all the air stunts of the most daring aviators.

Improving the track is work now going on and local trotters will test out the track the last of the week. It is expected the track will be very fast.

Many new attractions for the midway were booked this week and this feature promises to afford amusements to all.

The attracting premium list gotten out by the directors can be had by dropping a postal card to Secretary Douglas.

PROGRESSIVE CONVENTIONS.

To Be Held September 17—Caucuses September 12.

The Progressive state convention is to be held in Burlington, Thursday, September 17, for the purpose of placing in nomination candidates for U. S. senators.

REPUBLICAN COUNTY CONVENTION

The Republican voters of Washington county are requested to meet in convention by their delegates at City Hall, Montpelier, Saturday, September 12, 1914, at 10 o'clock a. m., to nominate candidates for three senators, two assistant judges of the county court, judge of probate, state's attorney, sheriff and high bailiff, to be supported by the freemen of the county at the next biennial election; also to elect a county committee.

Towns will be represented in the convention on the basis of three delegates from each town and city and one additional delegate for each fifty voters or majority fraction thereof, as shown by the vote for governor in 1912.

Delegates will be chosen at a primary meeting called by the Republican committee in each town Thursday, August 27, and will provide themselves with proper credentials signed by the secretary of the meeting at which they are elected.

They are requested to present such credentials to the county committee at city hall immediately on their arrival in Montpelier on the morning of the convention.

- Barre City, R. S. Currier;
Barre Town, F. C. Bancroft;
Berlin, G. H. Crandall;
Cabot, S. J. Norris;
Calden, I. W. Gray;
Duxbury, E. M. Huntley;
East Montpelier, Geo. McKnight;
Fayston, G. C. Grandfield;
Marshallfield, S. Swerdberg;
Middlesex, R. W. Putnam;
Montpelier, F. E. Gleason;
Moretown, F. H. Sawyer;
Northfield, E. L. Field;
Plainfield, E. J. Bartlett;
Roxbury, W. A. Averill;
Waitsfield, E. H. Jones;
Warren, J. F. Spaulding;
Waterbury, E. E. Campbell;
Woodbury, C. H. Dana;
Worcester, J. R. Wilson.
County Committee,
Montpelier, August 24, 1914.
On the above basis the several towns in the county will be entitled to representation as follows:
Barre City ... 10 Middlesex ... 5
Barre Town ... 6 Moretown ... 5
Berlin ... 5 Northfield ... 8
Cabot ... 6 Plainfield ... 5
Calden ... 5 Roxbury ... 5
Duxbury ... 5 Waitsfield ... 5
East Montpelier ... 5 Warren ... 5
Fayston ... 5 Waterbury ... 5
Marshallfield ... 5 Woodbury ... 5
Montpelier ... 13 Worcester ... 5

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and state officers, and for the transaction of any other business properly coming before a state convention of the party. Conventions for both the first and second districts for nomination of candidates for members of Congress will be held at the same place immediately following the state convention.

Cities and towns will be represented in the conventions by one delegate each as governmental units and one delegate additional for each 100 voters, and each fraction of 100 voters exceeding 50, cast for the Progressive candidate for president in 1912.

Primary meetings for the election of delegates will be held Saturday, September 12.

The Prettiest Boat Ride in America, to Maquam Bay, Returning Through the Alburg Passage, via St. Albans and the Steamer Chateaugay, Sunday, Aug. 30, 1914.

Train leaves Barre 8:45 a. m.; Montpelier 9:25 a. m.; Middlesex 9:41 a. m.; Waterbury 9:59 a. m.; North Duxbury 10:35 a. m.; Bolton 10:52 a. m.; Jonesville 10:57 a. m.; Richmond 10:12 a. m. Yours for round trip, Barre, Montpelier, Middlesex, Waterbury, North Duxbury, Bolton and Jonesville \$12.25; Richmond \$1.00. See flyers for further particulars.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh That Contain Mercury

as mercury will surely destroy the senses of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescription of a specialist. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure, be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally and made in Toledo, Ohio, by J. C. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free.

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Horse harness, robes and buggy, to be sold to the highest bidder.

Brown mare, name "Lightning," warranted sound by the owner and a good roadster, weighs about 850 lbs., and is a little dandy.

Also a good horse and Concord buggy wagon, 1 mud wagon and 1 Bailey buggy, 1 iron truck boy's express wagon, and 1 good wheelbarrow.

Chamber suites, bed springs, mattresses, dressers, commodes, tables, chairs, rockers, easy chairs, mantel beds, a good cottage organ, 1 combination writing desk and china closet, cost \$20. 1 white chiffonier, 1 half iron bed, spring and mattress; 1 good sideboard; 1 carpet.

Kitchen tables, refrigerator, 1 Wheeler & Wilson sewing machine in good shape, 1 baby carriage, 1 go-cart, 1 enameled sink, bag flour, 1 sets Mrs. Potts' flat irons, 2 bowls and pitchers, box stove, 4 stone hammers, 1 lot overalls.

Watches, cigars, whips, and a large list that is to arrive too late to mention. Come early, as the good must be sold At the City Auction Market, Barre, Vt., on Saturday at 2 and 7 p. m.

O. H. HALE, Auctioneer

NOTICE

The members of the Granite Mutual Insurance Company of Barre, Vt., are hereby notified that the following assessments have been levied by the directors of said company on all premium notes in force on the following dates, viz.:

- August 10 ..... 1/4 per cent.
August 31 ..... 1/4 per cent.
September 30 ..... 1/4 per cent.
October 31 ..... 1/4 per cent.
November 30 ..... 1/4 per cent.
December 31 ..... 1/4 per cent.
January 31 ..... 1/4 per cent.
February 28 ..... 1/4 per cent.
March 31 ..... 1/4 per cent.
April 30 ..... 1/4 per cent.
May 31 ..... 1/4 per cent.
June 30 ..... 1/4 per cent.

For the fiscal year ending July 31, 1914, payable to the treasurer of the company on or before September 1, at the home office, city of Barre, Vt. By order of the directors, R. G. ROBINSON, Treas.

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The Times will publish Wants, Lost and Found, For Sale, To Let, etc.—short advertisements—at the rate of four lines for twenty-five cents for the first insertion and five cents for each subsequent insertion.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

FOR SALE—32-acre farm 2 1/2 miles from Willamstown, near school on R. F. D. and telephone. 16 acres tillage in high state of cultivation, balance in pasture and timber; will sell at a bargain for quick sale. Silverdan Bros., Willamstown, Vt. 18816\*

FOR SALE—Two-tenement house of 8 rooms each at 14 Clark street; good location and a very desirable place for someone; large barn and garden, also several fruit trees; for further particulars call on the premises; will be sold at an extremely low price if taken now. 18812\*

FARMS FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE for good renting property; farms that will keep from 15 to 50 cows. J. B. Stewart, 18742\* field, Vt.

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offer some newly listed farm and city property bargains. We are selling them right along. Write for list and best months, since starting in the business.

No. 207—For sale 107 acres of land, only 4 1/2 miles from Barre City, 50 acres in tillage, balance pasture and woodland, all well fenced, good fruit orchard. This farm will keep 20 cows and team, large basement cattle barn, 30x42, with 28 stanchions, horse barn 30x40, large room house, painted and in good condition, water at house and barn 3-4 miles to school. There is no better farm proportion, than this in Washington county, for the money, only \$4,900. Easy terms.

No. 208—For sale, 199 acre farm, 2 1/2 miles from Willamstown, Vt. About 50 acres in tillage, balance pasture and woodland, some soft-wood and a large amount of hardwood. This farm will keep 10 cows and winter, 20 cows and team, large basement stock barn, with 28 stanchions, horse barn, silo and chicken house, and farm house, of 8 rooms, aside from closets and pantry, water at house and barn, 8-4 miles to school. This farm of the kind you are looking for. Price \$2,800.

No. 209—For sale or will exchange for a bakery, 150 acre land, 25 tillage, 50 pasture, 55 wood-land, quite a lot of soft wood timber and a large amount of hardwood. This farm will keep 10 cows and team, horse barn and chicken house, good 6-room house, water at house and barn, 8-4 miles to school, 1 1/2 mile to school. On R. F. D. and telephone lines, 3 miles to R. R. town. Owner is a baker, and will exchange the bakery business in any good town. Price is right.

No. 210—For sale, 160 acre farm, stock and tools, 2 miles from a good R. R. town, 35 to 40 acres of tillage, balance pasture and woodland, 200 sugar trees. Estimated to be \$7,000. This farm will keep 10 cows and team, good fruit orchard, 15 years old. This farm will keep 16 cows, team and some 1/2 acre of good large barn and silo, house of 8 rooms, pantry and closets, building in very good shape, water at house and barn, 1 mile from school. On R. F. D. and telephone lines. With this farm you get a good pair of horses, 8 cows, 2 calves, 2 brood sows, registered Berkshire lard, sugar and the Loyal Cream separator and a large lot of all kinds of farm tools, and machinery, both large and small. Everything for \$4,900. One half cash. A big lot for the money.

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Also nice cottage on Perrin street, garden, fruit and shade trees.

Also nice modern double tenement house on Laurel street.

We have many other desirable farms and city properties for sale and exchange. More interest is being shown than ever before. Come to us if you want to buy one. List with us, if you wish to sell one. Show us, if you wish, any week day at any time.

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FOR SALE OR RENT—House on Franklin street, containing 8 rooms, large hall upstairs and down, bath, kitchen, dining-room, pantry and downstairs toilet room; inside finish and floors all hard wood; furnace heat, electric lights, gas, hot and cold water; rent, \$24.00. Also 1861\*

FOR SALE OR RENT—House on East street, containing 6 rooms, bath, kitchen, pantry, hall, outside sleeping porch, electric lights, gas, furnace heat, hot and cold water; rent, \$20.00. 1861\*

70-ACRE FARM—1 1/2 miles or less from Barre, on one of the best roads with no hills; 25 acres of tillage, balance pasture and woods; quantity of fruit; good 9-room house, horse barn and 2 cow barns; large hen-henry with room to accommodate 100 to 150 hens; excellent water, buildings; a fine one-acre farm and one of the best for market gardening in this section, as it is early land and lays warm. Price, \$2,800.00. 1881\*

No. 509—Farm, Stock and Tools. 3 miles from Barre, on one of the best roads with no hills; 125 acres of extra productive land, suitably divided; will keep 15 to 20 head, summer and winter; good house, well painted and in good shape; 2 good barns with basement; stable warm; plenty of wood, and fruit for farm; with the farm, the owner wishes to sell 12 cows, 2 1-year-old heifers, 5 calves, 6 pigs, 2 horses, hens, a complete set of farming tools, all hay, crops, etc., all ready for winter, etc. This farm is well equipped and a good value at \$4,800.00. Might exchange for city property if the price is right. The property is offered for sale only on account of the owner not being able to do the work. 1881\*

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WANTED—A girl for housework. Apply at 17 French street. 14017

SPARE TIME WORK—Either sex: \$5-87 weekly; send 25c and initial of first name for outfit and complete instructions. Holmes Mfg. Co., North Station, Providence, R. I. 1881\*

WANTED—First-class man to banker for cutlery and do general setting; steady work; lifting done by crane. The Park Brothers Co., Cincinnati, Ohio. 18816\*

WOMEN—Sell guaranteed boiler to friends, neighbors and general wearers; 70 per cent profit; make \$10 daily; experience unnecessary. International Mills, West Philadelphia, Pa. 18716\*

WANTED—At once, a man to run surface machine. Perry Granite Co., Waterbury, Vt. 18818

WANTED—Girl or middle-aged woman to do general housework. Address F. DeFoe, South Barre, Vt. 18746\*

WANTED—A middle-aged woman for general housework on a farm; steady job. C. C. Tubetta, East Calais, Vt. 18817

WANTED—A man with team to take trip through Plainfield, Marshfield, Cabot and upper Cabot, also East Montpelier, North Montpelier, Calais, Woodbury, and Hardwick and some surrounding places. Wagon will be furnished. Eastern State Tea Co., 28 North Main street, Barre, Vt. 1221\*

PUPIL NURSES—Male and female, wanted at the Tanton State Hospital Training School for Nurses. For particulars, address Dr. Arthur V. Goss, Supt., Tanton State Hospital, Tanton, Mass. 4617

POSITION WANTED—A girl would like a position to do housework; has some experience. For particulars address "M. N.," care Times office. 18815

WANTED—Calves of all kinds from 1 to 5 days old; highest prices paid. R. V. Davis, R. F. D. 1, Plainfield, Vt.; People's telephone No. 72-18. 1861\*

WANTED—Places for students to work for their board and attend Goddard seminary. Have more young people who want such places than ever before. O. K. Hollister. 1811\*

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WANTED—Dead horses and cattle to take away in Barre, East Barre, Willamstown and Montpelier. Tel. 565-W, Barre, Vt. 48116\*

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