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The bedstead of our forefathers—the old-fashioned "four-poster"—is coming back into favor. Of course it won't appeal to everybody—but to many it will. Maybe you are one of those who favor it. We have some very handsome examples of this style to show you, and, in addition, at this writing, fourteen other patterns—Bureaus, Chiffoniers, Ladies Tables, Somnoes, Chairs and Rockers to match Beds, in Solid Mahogany, Mahogany Birch, French Gray and Old Ivory Enamel, Circassian Walnut and Quartered Oak.



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You'll surely find the very chair that pleases you most, at the most satisfactory price. This line is a hobby with us, and we give it more than ordinary attention. The consequence is, we have a larger stock than most stores. Buying in large quantities means lower prices for you. You'll save a big part of price in making your purchase here.

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#### SOME PUBLIC BEQUESTS.

In Will of Elam C. Lewis, Late of Rutland.

Rutland, Jan. 26.—The will of Elam C. Lewis, long time druggist and bank director of Rutland, who died early this month, was probated before Judge A. G. Coolidge this morning. In addition to public bequests, \$1,000 to the Rutland Missionary association for the support and maintenance of the Old Ladies' home, and the other of \$1,000 to the Rutland hospital, to help in the support and maintenance of that institution,

both of which bequests will be known as the "E. C. Lewis fund," the decedent left \$500 to the Evergreen Cemetery association for the care of the lot in which his body and that of his wife are interred, the balance of the income from the fund, if any, to be devoted to the care of otherwise neglected lots. The principal beneficiary under the will is Mrs. Lillian Everett Ray, wife of George H. Ray of Gardner, Mass., to whom is bequeathed the homestead on Cottage street and \$7,000 in cash or securities. William V. Everett, of Los Angeles, Cal., is given \$1,000, and his daughter, Julia J. Everett, a similar amount. The residue of the estate is willed to Dr. Lewis' sister, Mrs. Maria S. Martin and her son, Lewis D. Martin of Barre, to whom is given \$2,000 in cash or securities. The executors of the estate are E. C. McIntyre of this city and George E. Adams of Fair Haven.

Bequests to Church Societies. The will of Sophronia P. Shedd, wife of Franklin W. Shedd, of this city, was also probated to-day. The Woman's Missionary society of the Methodist church and the Ladies' Aid society of the same church each received bequests of \$100. The husband is willed \$600. Benjamin Billings, \$100, and various other relatives receive special bequests of household articles. The residue of the estate goes to Mrs. Shedd's sister, Mrs. Carrie S. Hyde and her daughter, Florence, of Springfield, Mass.

This is to notify those who were going to Plainfield for a sleigh ride Wednesday night that the ride has been postponed on account of bad roads.

See the waists on sale in window at Vaughan's.

**Charcoal has Arrived**

**Granite City General Store**  
1-15 Granite St. Telephone 151

### You'll Forget

it's cold and dreary this winter, if the interior of your home is bright and attractive with fresh PAINT, VARNISH and WALL PAPER. Let us help you make it so.

**A. V. BECKLEY**

Phone 289-W (Over Drown's Drug Store) 46 Main Street

#### TALK OF THE TOWN

See window display of waists at Pitts'. Buy your corsets in the sale at the Vaughan Store. Are you procuring one of those sample waists at Vaughan's? Come to the new Remnant Store for your bargains. 12 Seminary street.—ad. John Gray has gone to Montreal to pass the remainder of the week with relatives. Frank G. Rogers of Richardson street was a business visitor in South Royalton to-day. Dr. G. C. Lang of Barton arrived in the city yesterday for a business visit of several days. Carlos Granai of New York City arrived in Barre last night for a visit at the home of his mother, Mrs. C. Granai, of Granite street. Plans are being completed for the annual banquet of the Barre Burns club, which will be held in Clan Gordon hall on the evening of Friday, Jan. 28. Fred Nutting of Plainfield, who was connected with a drug store partnership in Burlington until a short time ago, visited acquaintances in the city yesterday and to-day. George A. Ford of Boston, publisher of Granite, Marble & Bronze, arrived in the city yesterday and is staying at Hotel Barre while here on a business visit of several days. Charles H. Tenney of Springfield, Mass., president of the Tenney corporation, arrived in the city today to inspect the "Tenney service" holdings in Barre and Barre Town. "Out with the old rags," yes, or any other wearable costume, and attend the masquerade in K. of C. hall Friday evening, Jan. 28. Auspices I. O. O. L., M. U. Carroll's orchestra. Gents, 25c; unmasked ladies, 10c; masked ladies, free. Refreshments. For a jolly good time, mask and come down.—adv.

News is received here of the illness at her home in Rochester of Miss Evelyn Eaton, a student at Goddard seminary. Physicians have diagnosed the young woman's case as scarlet fever. She was taken ill a few days after the seminary was closed on account of scarlet fever. Acting under the instruction from Deputy Sheriff A. A. Emery, who is a special agent of the humane society, the police yesterday dispatched a superannuated member of the horse family and turned the remains over to a representative of the Burlington Rendering Co. The horse was taken out of an unprotected shack on Summer street Tuesday morning by Officer David Henderson and turned into a comfortable stall at the Johnson & Gamble livery on Prospect street. The owner of the horse was discovered in the afternoon and after he had expressed his views on the question of ending activities of the horse, the police got in touch with the humane society.

Winter golf, if not the simon-pure article to be had at Pinehurst, has its attractions for certain devotees of the game in the Meadow Brook club and each day this week the golfers have managed to while away a few hours on the club's Brook street course. On the more exposed surface of the course the warm weather has obliterated nearly all signs of snow and the opportunities for getting in a difficult stroke now and then are said to be very numerous. One member of the club, an ardent follower of the game in season and out, has played golf in Barre in every month of the year since January, 1915. An attractive card of ice races to be run off on the Winooski river at the capital Saturday afternoon has interested a number of local horsemen to such an extent that several entries from Barre stables are contemplated for the week-end event. In addition to the entry of new horses from this end of the winter circuit, other entries have been promised from points farther to the northward and one of the best meets of the winter seems to be in prospect. A purse of \$25 is offered in the 2:25 class, trotting or pacing. There is to be a free-for-all with a \$25 purse and an unusually large number of starters in the 3-minute class will travel toward a \$25 stake. Racing is to begin at 1:30 o'clock.

#### Notice.

Granite Cutters' International Association: All shop stewards are requested to call at the rooms, Scampini block, on Wednesday evening, Jan. 26, between the hours of 7 and 9 o'clock. Per order committee.

#### Avviso.

Tutti shop stewards da venire nei locali degli scalpini nel Scampini block, Mercoledì 26 Gennaio dalle ore 7 alle 9. Per ordine del comitato. J. D. Will, secretary.

### We Cut the Prices on Fruit

IN THE MIDDLE OF THE WEEK—TAKE ADVANTAGE OF THESE BARGAINS

**NAVEL ORANGES**  
SWEET AND JUICY  
LARGE SIZE, 50c PER DOZEN, FOR 45c  
45c PER DOZEN FOR 40c  
40c PER DOZEN FOR 35c  
35c PER DOZEN FOR 30c  
30c PER DOZEN FOR 25c  
NEW LOT AT 20c FOR 25c

**BANANAS**  
15c, 20c AND 25c PER DOZEN

**FLORIDA ORANGES**  
15c, 20c, UP TO 40c PER DOZEN

**GRAPEFRUIT**  
6 FOR 25c, 4 FOR 25c, 3 FOR 25c

**TANGERINES**  
20c AND 25c PER DOZEN

**PEARS**  
14 FOR 25c

**Fresh Roasted PEANUTS**  
THREE QUARTS FOR 25c

**FIGS**  
20c PER POUND  
FREE DELIVERY—TEL. 248

**United Fruit Store**  
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## No Time in the Whole Year

that you can buy so many Dry Goods and Garments for the money you spend as during this

### Stock-Taking Week

This is the last week of our stock-cleaning sales. Next will be spring goods and more talk on kinds that you will want for another season's wear.



#### Garment Department

No time of the whole year that you can buy from our Garment Department so well as just now. There is a good assortment and prices are not marked with any thought as to what has been the cost. They are marked to close at once and, if possible, this week. At 98c are a few odd Coats carried over from last year. Are a good warm Coat that sold from \$12.00 to \$20.00. At \$3.98 are a few good warm Coats in medium sizes. The styles are very good, cloths are the best; are lined throughout; are worth from \$15.00 to \$25.00. To close at \$3.98. At \$4.98 are a few odd Coats of our season's best styles that sold at \$10.00. At \$5.98 are a few odd Coats in the season's best styles that sold at \$12.50 and \$15.00. We have about 25 Coats in the season's best styles and values that sold at from \$15.00 to \$25.00. These we are putting on one rack to close at \$9.98. See these Coat values.

#### Garment Department

Ladies' Suits in winter weights always give you more for your money than summer Suits. They are never so heavy that they cannot be worn in the year around, while summer Suits cannot be worn in the winter. Here are two special lots of winter Suits, new in style, all right in every way; the only thing wrong is the price, and that is all in your favor. Other Suits in our stock priced in this proportion. What we have left in Suits that sold at \$12.00, now at only \$6.00 to close. These are made from All-Wool Serges and were our specials at the prices. At \$9.98 are about 25 Suits in different qualities, no two alike. These are Suits that sold at from \$18.00 to \$27.50 and are the season's best values at the price. Are made from Serges, Poulins, Gabardines and Broadcloths, and were good values at the prices. Now to close at \$9.98.

#### Stock Taking

All odd lots and short lengths to our Bargain Tables. This is the time of the whole year to pick up short lengths at but a part of their cost. Every Remnant now on our tables. One table of 12 1/2c and 15c Wash Goods. These are Percalines of best grade, Gingham and Fancy Wash Goods. These are all of them good patterns, best goods, now to close at 9c per yard. On Bargain Table. One lot of 25c Scotch Gingham and 25c Kimono Crepe on Bargain Table with several other kinds equally as good, all at 15c per yard. One lot of 10c Colored Outing Flannel in best patterns. These we will cut any length wanted at 7 1/2c per yard. One lot of 15c and 20c All-Linear Guest Towels. These are soiled and will be sold at half price—a 15c Towel for 7 1/2c.

#### Bargain Basement

We would take these goods to fit floor if we had the room, so as to have all these bargains together. Only a few steps to the basement. Don't miss a call there every time in our store. Half-Price Table in basement; all odd lots from the whole store drop here. Extra large Huck Towels at 10c. Bed Spreads; three grades in this Basement Sale. Fifty-cent Kimono Aprons in medium-colored Percal at 39c each. Bleached 7c Plain Cotton Crash now at 5c per yard. Will cut lengths wanted. One lot of White Huckabuck Towels at 5c each. One lot of 25c White Shirting Madras at 18c per yard.

You can buy real bargains in our Millinery department. This is the week that you should take a look at all odd lots all over our store. You will want to save on a few things.

## The Daylight Store

#### TALK OF THE TOWN

See Abbott's remnant tables. Sale wool skirts \$1.98, \$2.25, at the Vaughan Store. Notice! All kinds of stove repairs at E. A. Prindle & Co.'s, Pearl street. Mrs. Richard Attridge of South Main street is spending a few days with relatives in Waterbury. A 10-pound son, John William, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Roy Crossett of 18 Church street, Jan. 20. Special meeting of Ruth chapter, No. 33, O. E. S., Wednesday evening, Jan. 26, at 7:30 o'clock. Important business. Regular meeting of the Central Labor union Friday evening, Jan. 28, at 7:30 o'clock. Important! Per order S. L. Card, secretary. Rev. Bert J. Lehigh, who conducted services at the Baptist church last Sunday, left yesterday for his home in Oswego, N. Y., after spending a few days in the city, after preaching at the Baptist church. A fire loss of \$50 resulted from a defective chimney and stove connection last night in the house at 43 Foster street, occupied by the family of Joseph Camp and owned by James McTigue. The loss is covered by insurance carried in the G. H. Pape agency. It was around 8:30 o'clock when the fire was discovered and a telephone call to the fire station brought the auto truck and several of the regulars and call men to No. 43. Smoke was issuing through the roof and side walls of the cottage house and for a few moments it looked as though the building would shortly be in flames. The fire was located in a partition and after copious applications of the chemical fluid had been made the blaze subsided. Smoke did considerable damage and had it not been for the quick work of the regulars and call men to No. 43, the fire would have enveloped the house within a comparatively short time after the outbreak was discovered.

#### TALK OF THE TOWN

Big sale percales and wash goods at Vaughan's. Tenement to rent at 147 Washington street. Enquire upstairs.—adv. We buy rides, skins and pelts. Pay the highest market price. Bring yours along. H. J. Smith Co., 367 North Main street. The ladies of the Congregational church will meet in the church parlors Thursday afternoon, Jan. 27, to sew for some needy children. Bring thimbles and needles. A costume carnival will be held at the Buzzell rink Friday evening, Jan. 28. Prizes will be given for the best costumed couple as well as the most grotesque costume. A prize will be given to the best costumed child, boy or girl.—adv. The newly installed officers of Vincitella lodge, No. 10, of the Knights of Pythias, acted as hosts to about thirty members of the lodge at a buffet lunch served at the close of the regular meeting last evening. Music was furnished by an Edison phonograph. The intermediate department of the Methodist church Sunday school is to entertain the members of the senior department at a reception to-night in the church vestry. A program has been arranged and refreshments will be served. All members of the senior department as well as all teachers and officers of the Sunday school are invited to be present. The program will start at 7 o'clock. The newly organized dramatic club of the Church of the Good Shepherd is progressing steadily, several new candidates for membership having presented themselves, and the work of getting ready for the first performance is being pushed forward rapidly. Friday night comes the first rehearsal of a two-act comedy, "Mrs. Manning," which will probably be the first play staged by the club.

#### WILLIAMSTOWN

Ervin H. Martin Painfully Injured When He Fell from Team. Ervin H. Martin received a painful injury yesterday morning while unloading ice in the village. He had just driven up from Catter pond with a two-horse load of ice and was unloading it at Frank Downs' ice house, when in moving a cake of ice on the top of the load the tongs failed to hold and Mr. Martin lost his footing and fell to the ground. He was taken to his home as soon as possible and the dislocation reduced by Dr. Cross, assisted by Dr. J. A. Wark of Barre. While the injury is quite painful, the patient is comfortable as could be expected. The meeting of the Home Study club which was to be held on Thursday next with Mrs. E. J. Clogston, is postponed for a time on account of the illness of Mrs. Clogston. The school on south hill is not in session this week as the teacher, Miss Edna Seaver, is at home, sick with the prevailing distemper. She is now improving and expects to be able to resume work in school next week. The next number in the lecture course under the auspices of the Village Improvement society, is slated for Monday evening, Jan. 31, and will be in grange hall as usual. The attraction for this evening is an entertainment by the talented and versatile dramatist and impersonator, S. Platt Jones. Miss Ethel Wade, who has been employed as trained nurse in caring for Charles B. Brockway for several weeks, has lately had an attack of the grippe and has gone to her home in Moretown for a rest. Favorable reports are received of the condition of George Holden, who underwent an operation for hernia at the Heaton hospital, Montpelier, several days ago. He is not yet able to sit up any. Margaret Aiken of Barre, who was employed at George Earle's several months ago as a nurse and housekeeper, is again there in the same capacity during his present illness.

#### GROTON

Mrs. B. S. Eastman, accompanied by her husband, and Dr. N. A. Caldwell, went on Monday to the Mary Fletcher hospital at Burlington, where she underwent an operation the same day. Her many friends are hoping for her early recovery. Henry Hatch died Saturday afternoon at the home of his brother, John F., in Newbury, after a brief illness. He was a native of Groton, and the body was brought here for burial Monday afternoon. He was 44 years of age. Phillip Racette, who has been employed in the Groton Times office, left Saturday for his home at St. Johnsbury, having finished his work here. Mr. Gray of Ryegate was in town Monday and purchased the horse of Miss L. J. Meador. Mrs. E. J. Clark and Mrs. M. D. Coffin were at St. Johnsbury Monday. Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Pillsbury returned Tuesday from a visit with Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Pillsbury at Barre. The annual men's supper held Friday evening, was very successful, financially as well as socially, \$31 being realized. Mr. and Mrs. William Foley and little son were visitors at Woodsville, N. H., Saturday. A. E. Pillsbury returned Monday from a visit with his brother, G. Waldo Pillsbury, at Keene, N. H. Notice, Lumpers, Boxers and Derrickmen! At our last regular meeting, held Jan. 11, we endorsed the action of the A. F. of L. convention to aid the United Hatters. The appeal asks all union men to contribute one hour's pay, Jan. 27. Will you give an hour? Not an hour to read this, but an hour of your labor in a righteous cause on batters' day, Jan. 27, 1916. This is a voluntary contribution, but an hour's wage is a small amount for each, but it will be a considerable sum, providing we all dig down. It will restore to those who are about to lose their little homes, which means so much to them. All contributions to be paid to S. E. Perry, Business, George Thompson, Cor. Sec.—adv. All kinds rubber repairing, waterproof leather soles, factory methods, at Charbonneau's, basement Worthen block.—adv.

## GOOD VALUES

Strictly Fresh Eggs, per dozen 37c  
(Less 5 per cent. at store.)  
18 good juicy Oranges for 25c  
Two large cans of Spinach for 25c  
Old-fashioned Golden Drip Cane Syrup in bulk, per quart 15c  
Golden Drip Cane Syrup in pint Mason Jars 10c

#### MEAT DEPARTMENT

Salt Pork from native corn-fed pig pork, special price for a few days, per lb., 12c, or 9 lbs. for \$1.00  
Try our special cure Scotch Ham, no bone, sweet and tender; per lb. 30c  
2 cans of Monadnock Spinach for 25c  
2 cans of Albion Fancy Tomatoes for 25c  
3 cans of Albion Sweet Peas for 25c

### Fresh Lot of Cakes To-day

Ward's Silver Queen, Windsor Fruit, Sun-kist Gold, Berwick Sponge, Rosebud Sponges, each 10c  
Glaze with cherry filling, Oriental, Nut, Citron and Light and Dark Fruit, special price by the whole Fruit Cake.

2 cans of Choice Pears for 25c  
2 cans of Peaches for 25c  
3 cans of "Bear Brand" regular 25c Peaches 50c  
One can each Peas, Tomatoes and String Beans for 25c  
Norwegian Smoked Sardines, 2 cans for 25c  
6 cans Eagle Sardines for 25c  
Canned Dandelions, per can 17c  
Canned Spinach, per can 18c  
Canned Sauer Kraut, per can 10c  
3 lbs. of Bulk Sauer Kraut for 25c

We have a carload of

**Pillsbury's XXXX Best Flour**  
that we are offering at, per barrel \$7.50

This is a low price on to-day's market, but we are expecting another car of Flour and a carload of Sugar soon, and we need the room. Why not take advantage of this?

**Brown's Quick-Fire Charcoal**  
2 large bags for 25c; leads in quality and size of bag.

**Lenox Oil**  
makes the whitest light to use in your kerosene lamps or oil heaters; no odor, no smoke; 5 gallons 55c

**The Smith & Cumings Co.**

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