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Special for Saturday Waists Only 98c Each

For this one day's sale we have 5 dozen new dainty fancy striped Waists. These are extraordinary values for the money; all sizes.

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The Homer Fitts Company

NEW SUITS | NEW WASH GOODS

TALK OF THE TOWN

New waists on sale Saturday at the Vaughan Store.

Notice! All kinds of stove repairs at E. A. Prindle & Co., Pearl street.

All repair work promptly attended to and fully guaranteed at Bell & Houston's.

The company playing "When Dreams Come True" in the opera house to-night is registered at Hotel Barre.

Fred Chaffield, a barber employed at the Ross barber shop on Depot square, has gone to his home in Randolph on account of illness.

Robert W. Simonds of St. Johnsbury and Fred S. Pease of Burlington, members of the industrial accident board, were among the business visitors in Barre to-day.

Leap year dance in K. of C. hall Saturday evening, Feb. 26, auspices, Swedish Order of Vasa. Good music. Admission, 75c. per couple; single ladies or gents, 40c. Everybody invited.

Go to Rossi's Piano parlors, Averill block, where you can find the largest and best variety of pianos, by famous makers. The only representative in Barre, Montpelier and surrounding towns for E. E. Clarkson Co., of Burlington, Vt.—adv.

Among the visitors in the city yesterday and to-day were the following people: C. A. McLeod, N. P. Anderson of Rutland, W. A. Hinman of Rutland, D. G. Bushnell of Burlington, F. C. Smith of St. Albans, Edward Darby of Bellows Falls, H. B. Trombley and Edward Cummings of Littleton, N. H., Miss Irma Story of Nashua, N. H., and J. R. Jocelyn of Weybridge.

TALK OF THE TOWN

See the big towels for 10c each at Vaughan's.

A fossil fish head unearthed in the slopes of Mount Libanus in Syria, from which region many members of the Syrian colony in Barre emigrated to America, which was presented to the American museum of natural history in New York by George Haddad, a well known Vermont Syrian, has been found to be 6,000,000 years old, according to the reckoning of naturalists. As a dealer in Oriental rugs, Mr. Haddad, who makes his home in Rutland, is well known to Barre people.

On the occasion of a visit among the scenes of his boyhood last summer, he discovered the fossil not far from his former home. It is said that the fossil is new to science, belonging to the genus *Cooloolus*, and is of the chalk period, which is one way of accounting for its great age.

Regular meeting of Queen of the Forest circle in Worthen hall this evening at 7 o'clock. Public dance afterward.

One of Montpelier's regular night policemen stepped into the Vermont Fruit store on North Main street this morning and applied such an overplus of muscle to the door in closing it behind him that a large plate glass was reduced by the shattering process to vest-pocket mirror dimensions. Attaches at the store thought that one of the display windows had been broken, but the damage at glance was confined to the glass panel in the door. A man who was entering the door at the policeman's heels was struck by fragments of falling glass, although he escaped injury. The loss of the panel, which was valued at \$25 or thereabouts, is covered by insurance.

BARRE DAILY TIMES

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 25, 1916.

The Weather

Rain or snow to-night, Saturday clearing and colder; east gales.

TALK OF THE TOWN

Smart spring styles in millinery at Mrs. W. F. Shepard's. Special prices—adv.

Ladies' house dresses, 98c. No more at this price when sold. The Vaughan Store.

The People's Shoe Store gives 500 extra pony votes with every purchase made Saturday—adv.

Big dance at the Socialist hall Saturday, Feb. 26, at 7:30. Carroll's orchestra will furnish music—adv.

Mrs. Clarence R. Wood of North Main street has gone to Boston to attend the spring millinery openings.

Chief Samuel Sinclair of the police department, returned to the city yesterday from New York, where he has been making a visit of several days.

William Arley of Maymont, Sask., is passing several weeks in Barre as the guest of his brother, J. L. Arley, of Washington street.

Augustus McFarland of Westerville was a visitor in the city to-day, while on his way to Sherbrooke, P. Q., where he will visit among relatives in his former home.

Miss Verna Laxson of Mount street, who is recovering from an operation to which she submitted some weeks ago, was able to be out of doors yesterday for the first time since her illness.

O. W. Edwards, grand marshal of the Vermont Odd Fellows' convention, returned to his home in Burlington this morning, after attending a ceremonial of Hiawatha lodge, No. 14, last evening.

Harry Rossi, son of Prof. G. Rossi of the Averill block studio, was hurried to the City hospital in an ambulance last evening, when he submitted to a serious surgical operation. His condition to-day was reported to be favorable for a steady recovery.

The Spaulding high school basketball team will play its last home game of the season this evening, when it meets the Montpelier seminary team in the Spaulding gymnasium. Spaulding fans are making plans for a record attendance and hope to see their team finish its home schedule with a win.

James Hillis of Elm street was given a pleasant surprise by a score of his friends last evening the occasion being his birthday anniversary. A social evening was spent and refreshments of ice cream and cake were served. Mr. Hillis was the recipient of many nice gifts from his friends.

To-night at the Pavilion, "The Wolf," a great feature picture in six reels, dealing with life in the Canadian woods, will be shown with other pictures. Saturday, "The Fortune Hunter," by Winchell Smith, in six reels, and other pictures, will be seen. Matinee daily at 2:15; night at 7 and 8:30—adv.

Ice races will be held on the Winooski river in Montpelier to-morrow afternoon as usual. Four quarter-mile heats will be run off between well known boats in this vicinity. Billy Walters is matched against Anna Deen, Dr. Styles against Duke, Cherry Dean against Math Dingen and Irie against Beraldo. Two prizes are offered in each class, \$10 to the first and \$5 to the second horse.

In city court to-day the case of State vs. Herbert Smith of Graniteville, charged with an assault with intent to rob, was continued until March 3. The man was allowed to go on his own recognizance last week, after having been detained for two days while an effort was being made to procure bail of \$1,000. He is represented by Attorney A. E. Sargent and the state's case is in charge of State's Attorney F. E. Gleason.

Ned Guyer returned last night from northern New York, where he was called by the illness of his grandmother, Mrs. John Patterson of Eastern avenue, who accompanied him home. Miss Hazel Guyer, who was also called from Burlington to New York state by her grandmother's condition, is with her in the city for a few days. Mrs. Patterson was visiting her sister at the time of her attack of illness. She seems to be improving.

Three candidates received the first degree at the regular meeting of Hiawatha lodge, No. 14, O. O. F., last evening, when a number of guests from Williamstown lodge, No. 64, were privileged to witness the exemplification of the degree on one of their own candidates. Interest was added to the occasion by the presence of O. W. Edwards of Burlington, grand marshal of the Vermont Odd Fellows' convention, who witnessed the ceremonial and then reviewed the work. Mr. Edwards spoke briefly and there was informal speech-making by local members of the fraternity. After the program delicious refreshments were served and a social hour was enjoyed.

Woman's Club Notes.

It has been necessary to cancel the lecture scheduled for Tuesday evening, Feb. 29, but all club members are invited to attend the literary class, which will meet in Aldrich hall Monday evening, Feb. 28, at 7:30. This meeting will be the first of a series to be conducted by S. Hollister Jackson, and the subject for the evening is the Persian poet, Omar Khayyam.

A pleasant hour was spent by those club members who attended the study talk of the music department, given at the home of Mrs. C. W. Steele yesterday afternoon by Miss Hovey, who spoke on "Musical Appreciation," and outlined, with graceful illustrations, the subject as taught in the public schools. Miss Hovey's talk was much appreciated and helped to stimulate the interest in musical topics which is manifested by the large attendance at these meetings.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to express our sincere thanks to the neighbors and other friends for their sympathy and assistance during our recent bereavement; also for the beautiful floral tributes.

Emilio Falocetti and family.
Louis Falocetti.
Mrs. Charles Paine and family.
Basilio Falocetti.

Notice.

A regular meeting of the Central Labor union of Barre and vicinity will be held in carpenters' hall Friday evening, Feb. 25, at 7:30. S. L. Gardi, secretary.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

UPSTAIRS TENEMENT—Four rooms, bath, pantry and screened piazza, at 57 Agency street. Apply at 18 Agency street, tel. 255-35.

EGGS FOR SALE—Buff Orpington eggs for hatching. Tel. 255-35. Call at 57 East Main street.

TALK OF THE TOWN

N. B. Smith of Williamstown was a business visitor in the city yesterday. The parliamentary law class will be postponed until March 12. The lesson will be part four.

Mrs. Harry Anderson and her mother, Mrs. John Wilfore, of Williamstown were visitors in the city to-day.

Regular meeting of Canton Vinton, No. 9, this evening at 7:30 o'clock. All officers and chevaliers are requested to be present for practice. Per order of the captain.

Extensive repairs have been made in the office of the bookkeeper of the Vermont Tel. and Tel. company, a new and larger desk having replaced the old and the iron grill work being also replaced by new.

Barre granite manufacturers and others, who were affected by the failure of the Vermont and Chicago Co., are in receipt of notices advising them of the first meeting of the creditors, which is to be held in St. Johnsbury on the afternoon of Monday, Feb. 28, at 1 o'clock. The Vermont and Chicago Granite company was adjudged bankrupt Feb. 1. It was stated that the moving spirit in the enterprise was Edward McLane, a Chicago man, whose ventures in the monumental field are said to be well known among men connected with the granite industry in Barre and Hardwick.

Continued rain and a rapid rise in temperature made walking a hazardous undertaking to-day. Along the business section a number of enterprising merchants were out with picks and shovels so early that by mid-forenoon the concrete was exposed for the first time in several weeks. In other areas, however, the thaw wore the ice to a high polish. Especially in residential and hill streets was walking fraught with the possibility of accident. Much of the sand in the municipally owned bank on Quarry street was undisturbed, a circumstance which led many persons to comment sharply on the condition of the walks.

Reports of an authentic nature concerning efforts to adjust labor differences in other granite centers were received in Barre to-day. At Quincy it is stated that very little headway is being made. The employers made rather rapid progress at the start only to learn later that the conclusions reached by the joint committees were rejected by the branch. Recently the branch added five more members to its committee, making 10 all told. A meeting was to be held last evening, although it was stated that the manufacturers were unready to make any concessions. At Millford, N. H., the employers have not met the men as yet, although the employers met Feb. 22 to discuss matters pertaining to a new bill. Westerly, R. I., employers have settled with the quarry workers, but the cutters' bill is not adjusted. It is said that difficulties are being encountered with the polishers, who are included in the cutters' bill. No one appears to be refusing the \$4 minimum proposition, although a number of other features deemed objectionable are responsible in a measure for the lack of activity.

WARNING FOR ANNUAL CITY ELECTION

March 7, 1916

The legal voters of the city of Barre, Vermont, are hereby notified and warned to meet on Tuesday, March 7, 1916, at 6 o'clock in the forenoon, in their respective wards at the several voting places hereinafter named, for the purpose of electing a mayor, city clerk, city treasurer, first constable, second constable, three directors French's Barre library, and three auditors, all of whom shall hold office for one year; also one assessor to serve three years; also to vote upon the following questions, viz.:

"Shall licenses be granted for the sale of intoxicating liquors in this city?"

"Shall licenses of the fifth class be granted in this city?"

"Shall an act of the general assembly for 1915, entitled 'An Act to Prohibit the Sale of Intoxicating Liquors,' become a law May 1, 1916?"

"Shall an act of the general assembly of 1915, entitled 'An Act to Prohibit the Primary Elections,' become a law March 20, 1916?"

"Will the city vote to install a uniform system of public accounting, as recommended by the officials as appointed by the governor under the act of 1915?"

Also, for the purpose of electing:

In ward two, one alderman to serve for two years.

In ward four, one alderman to serve for two years.

In ward five, one school commissioner to serve for three years.

In ward six, one school commissioner to serve for three years.

The following are designated as voting places in the several wards:

Ward one, Church street school building.

Ward two, Spaulding graded school building.

Ward three, Summer street school building.

Ward four, Brook street school building.

Ward five, ward five school building.

Ward six, city court room, city hall building.

Dated at the city of Barre, Vermont, this 24th day of February, A. D. 1916.

FRANK E. LANGLEY, Mayor.

Attest:

JAMES MACKAY, City Clerk.

Feb 25-26 Mar 4

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Order early and not be
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MONTPELIER

Alderman Galleher Renominated After Spirited Caucus.

With over 200 of the 250 old voters of the ward represented, Alderman J. P. Galleher was nominated to succeed himself last evening in the liveliest and best attended ward four caucus in a decade, the present incumbent defeating his opponent, George H. Almon, 126 to 77. The ward four caucus was held in the auditorium of the city hall at 7:30 o'clock and although caucuses were held in every ward in the city last evening interest centered chiefly in the fight being waged in the district which surrounds the State House. In ward six Alderman W. N. Parker was opposed by Louis N. Jerue and the former was given the surprise of his life when he succeeded in defeating Mr. Jerue by but three votes, 39 to 36. Mr. Jerue displayed his true sportsmanship after the result of the ballot was announced by moving that the nomination be made unanimous. His motion was carried and Alderman Parker was called upon to make a speech. He responded by thanking the voters and assuring them that he would endeavor to give satisfaction for the next two years.

Harry C. Shurtleff overwhelmed E. O. Gould in ward three, the latter receiving but 13 votes out of a total of 75 cast and Mr. Shurtleff will very likely be elected for one year to fill out the unexpired term of Henry T. Frenier, resigned. In ward three Levi H. Bixby was elected chairman and C. E. Theriault served as secretary. The voting was done by check-list, the ballot box being left open for 30 minutes. In ward five Alderman P. H. Ryan was unanimously nominated to succeed himself for the next two years and the caucus lasted less than 10 minutes, the gathering being held in the city court room.

Frank K. Gosa was elected chairman of the ward four caucus and Maurice Dewey secretary and George L. Blanchard placed the name of George H. Almon before the caucus without any display of oratory. His nomination was seconded by Charles H. Heaton and by Fred L. Laird, the latter making a 10-minute speech in which he gave several reasons why his nominee should succeed the present occupant of the office. Alderman Galleher's name was presented by President Fred A. Howland of the National Life Insurance company and was seconded by M. E. Smilie and Charles F. McKenna.

The general caucus of the citizens' party is to be held at 7 o'clock this evening in the city hall auditorium but unless something entirely unlooked for occurs the meeting will be adjourned within 15 minutes. It is expected that Mayor Boutwell will again be nominated, along with T. R. Merrill for city clerk and treasurer, A. C. Theriault for city grand juror and other city officers except aldermen and school commissioners.

The death of Mrs. Margaret Agnes Goodenough, widow of the late John F. Goodenough, who died three years ago, occurred at 7:15 o'clock this morning at her home, 32 Court street, after an illness of two months. The deceased was born in Bolton, April 1, 1866, the daughter of Katherine Corvin and Thomas Phillips. She resided in Montpelier after her marriage to Mr. Goodenough about 25 years ago. She was an active member, until her recent illness, of the woman's auxiliary of the Independent Order of Foresters and had held numerous offices. She also belonged to the Woman's Relief corps. She is survived by two sons, Phillips F. Goodenough and Alonzo M. Goodenough, of this city; a brother, James Phillips of Huntington Center; two sisters, Mrs. C. E. Gillette and Mrs. R. J. DeCollaines of Montpelier, and her parents, who reside in Huntington Center. The funeral will be held Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock from St. Augustine's church and the body will be placed in the vault at Green Mount cemetery, later to be buried beside that of her husband.

Accompanied by Chief of Police Samuel Sinclair of Barre and R. J. DeCollaines of this city, six persons, who have recently figured in either Montpelier or Barre city court, left on the morning train to-day for Rutland and Vergennes. Clyde Laforest, a Barre youth, will be the only one of the half dozen to end his journey at Vergennes, having been ordered committed to the industrial school for the remainder of his minority. Those who will continue to Rutland in the custody of the officers to be lodged in the house of correction are John J. Abbey, Henry Laforest, the latter an accomplice of the Laforest youth; Wesley North, Walter Burke and John Mossetti.

The fire department was called shortly after 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon to 88 College street, a telephone message in-

Closing Out Sale

- LADIES' HOUSE DRESSES AND KIMONOS
One lot, values to \$1.25 79c
- BATES TABLE DAMASK
2 Bates Table Damask, Red and Tan, 50c value 39c
- BATES SEERSUCKER GINGHAMS
Spring stock, 12 1/2c value 10c
- BURKLAND INFANTS' BANDS
Cotton and Wool, 25c value 20c
- All Wool, 35c value 28c
- Silk and Wool, 50c value 39c
- COTTON, WOOL AND SILK SHIRTS at like bargains.
- VELVET RIBBONS—A good assortment of colors in varying widths. Black from one-eighth inch to four inches in width at a 20 per cent. reduction in price.

Henry W. Knight

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Special Sale

Smart Spring Millinery
Beginning Saturday, February 25th

Special values at 98c, \$1.48, and \$1.98, including all Satin, Satin and Straw, in Black and Colors, small and medium shapes

Mrs. W. F. Shepard, Howland Block
Correct Millinery

BURLINGTON BUSINESS MAN.

Willard F. Ferguson Died in Champlain, N. Y.

Burlington, Feb. 25.—Willard F. Ferguson, a well-known resident of Burlington, died last evening at the Champlain hotel, Champlain, N. Y., from the effects of a paralytic shock with which he was stricken Tuesday. The body will be brought to-day to this city, accompanied by Mrs. Ferguson and J. O. Baxendale of Bristol. Mr. Ferguson's son-in-law, who has been with him since Tuesday.

Besides his wife, Mr. Ferguson is survived by two daughters, Mrs. S. S. Dennis, jr., of West Roxbury, Mass., and Mrs. John O. Baxendale of Bristol; one son, Willard W. Ferguson, of this city, who is a student at Brown university; by one sister, Mrs. Frank J. Buxton, of Berlin, Mass., and by a brother, Charles H. Ferguson, of 120 North Winooski avenue.

Willard F. Ferguson was born in Johnson, February 7, 1853, and came to Burlington when but 14 years of age, entering the employ of Charles L. Hart, a groceryman. In 1874, Mr. Ferguson married Miss Clara M. Adsit of this city, moving soon after to Malone, N. Y., where he was for some time in business. Upon returning to Burlington, Mr. Ferguson was for a time employed in the store of George L. Hagan, but in 1882, in partnership with Alvaro Adsit, entered the saddlery and hardware business, under the firm name of Ferguson and Adsit, their place of business being located at 207 College street. Mr. Ferguson severed his connection with this firm a few years ago to become a member of the Bannockburn company of Boston, who are engaged in the same business, which position he occupied at the time of his death.

A Question.

"Are you going to the musicale at the Robinson's to-night?"

"I don't know. Are they going to have music or is Josephine going to sing?"

Pittsburg Post.

TALK OF THE TOWN

Go to Rossi's Piano rooms, Averill block, for some nice bargains in second-hand pianos and fine cabinet organs. Also any kind of music merchandise—ads.

Home-made delicacies for your delectation at the New England Fruit store. Some of our Saturday specials: Chocolate covered caramels at 19 cents per pound; nut-top creams, four flavors, at 19 cents; and another lot of our famous molasses chewing candy at 15 cents.

The Best of Rubbers

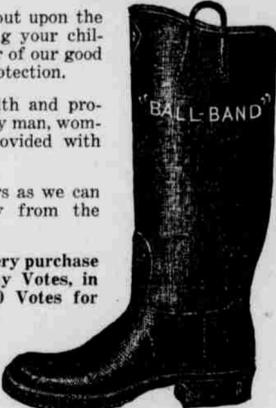
Don't think of stepping out upon the streets yourself, or allowing your children to do so, without a pair of our good Rubbers on the feet for protection.

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We sell only such Rubbers as we can guarantee, and keep away from the worthless "bargain" sort.

Saturday we give with every purchase made at our store 500 Pony Votes, in addition to the regular 100 Votes for every one dollar purchased.

People's Shoe Store
187 No. Main St., Barre, Vt.



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More cold weather is coming. Get ready by having some Coal and Wood on hand.

- Best Block Wood, per cord \$3.00
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We have the very best Lehigh and Free-Burning Coals in all sizes.

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Our selection this season is much larger than ever before. Prices are moderate, and fit and satisfaction are guaranteed.

It is none to early to select your spring Suit or Topcoat.

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The Sale of Muslin Underwear
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We feature the PUNJAB PERCALES, because they are the best made and guaranteed absolutely fast colors. A complete showing to-day of 75 new and distinct patterns that will surely please you. These high-grade Percales are 36 inches wide and priced at, per yard 12 1/2c

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Garments that are exclusive in style and are correct in every detail. We would be glad, indeed, to show you these new things, whether you purchase or not.

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