

Began Business January 4, 1904
The Peoples National Bank
 of Barre
 Barre, Vermont

Statement July 1, 1916

ASSETS.	
Loans and discounts	\$426,611.77
U. S. bonds to secure circulating notes	100,000.00
U. S. bonds to secure U. S. deposit	7,000.00
Bonds to secure postal savings deposit	22,000.00
Redemption fund 5 per cent. cir. notes	5,000.00
All other bonds and securities	210,051.53
Cash and reserve balances	85,591.86
Due from other banks and bankers	3,756.11
\$860,011.27	
LIABILITIES	
Capital stock	\$100,000.00
Surplus and profits	33,179.67
Circulating notes	100,000.00
Deposits, including July 1st interest	604,136.93
Postal savings deposits	12,494.67
United States deposit	5,000.00
Reserved for taxes and interest	1,700.00
Dividend No. 24	3,500.00
\$860,011.27	

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The Vermont National Guard is on the Mexican border and will hold its part of the line.

The celebration of the Fourth will have an added impetus because of the new outburst of Americanism.

It remains to be proven whether Sir Douglas Haig's name is to go down in history as one of the great generals of the great war.

The people of New Hampshire might be pardoned for looking into the reasons why their militia organization is still held in New Hampshire when Vermont and Massachusetts troops are already "at the front."

Vermont would maintain her own sturdy independence better by standing on her own financial feet than by leaning on the arm of some wealthy individual, even an ex-governor of the state, at this time.

It has been suggested that the members of the Vermont legislature, if called in special session to take action on the matter of paying Vermont soldiers summoned to the country's service at this time, could render a patriotic service by declining to accept a per diem for their very brief stay at Montpelier, merely accepting the mileage allowance. The suggestion is a very good one and should be taken seriously by every member of the legislature. The legislature need not be in session more than a day or two, and consequently the individual stipend would be very small but the aggregate which the state would be called upon to pay would be no inconsiderable sum. The boys of the Vermont National Guard have shown their patriotism by offering their services, and their lives if need be, to the defense of their country; the members of the Vermont legislature could show their patriotism in small part by giving a few hours of their time to the common cause if they should be called in special session. Let the matter be considered in all seriousness.

THE BRITISH THRUST.

One can readily agree with the report sent out officially from the British headquarters in France that it is "too early" to say a great deal about the offensive which the British and French armies started Saturday morning in the middle of the great war front where the contending armies have been at a deadlock for a year and more. To be sure, the first thrust of the entente allies in that sector was fruitful of great results in territory seized; but the final test of the success of an offensive is the ability to keep up the operations and to hold the ground gained. It has been proven time after time in the present war that a sufficient army can be assembled and sufficient munitions piled up so that progress can be made against any defending army lined up in the war, so great is the momentum of the movement; but it has been demonstrated again and again that once the defending force gets its second wind, so to speak, it is able to check the assailing army and eventually to win back all or a part of the territory lost. Therefore, it is agreed that as yet it is too early to sum up the results of the entente thrust on the western front, albeit admission is readily made that the first effects have been very disastrous to the Germans. The real story of the effort will be told in the next few weeks.

To-morrow is the day!
 Preparedness is the word

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

First and Last Word.

Editor, Times:
 At a regular meeting of the musicians' union, local No. 488, held July 2, it was thought advisable in connection with sending our report to our headquarters to also send to each local in this vicinity our protest against certain members of the Barre city council and others who are union men, who have been working against the principles of organized labor. To explain: The Barre Citizens' band was a union organization in good standing, belonging to a union of 100,000 members. The band have received from the city each year \$1,000 for 16 park concerts; that gave to each member the sum of \$32 for 16 concerts, and he was expected to rehearse a whole year for that amount. When the proposition came before the city council this summer for their consideration, they turned it down, and were in favor of giving one Peter Gropelli, who teaches a boy's band, two

of these 16 concerts, the amount to be deducted from the appropriation usually given to the Barre Citizens' band. That would leave an amount too small to maintain an organization, and be able to pay their bills, therefore the band disbanded. This Peter Gropelli is an expelled member of our local, with a fine against him of \$5 for violating one of our rules. Mayor Gordon, Aldermen Rossi and Reynolds, union granite cutters, voted for Gropelli, as also did Alderman Shurtleff. Alderman Reynolds was notified by our secretary of the standing of Gropelli. Three of the strongest supporters who appeared before the city council in favor of the boys' band were John Callaghan, Henry Russ, two union men, and W. Clapp, our city poor master. We think it perfectly proper that the locals in this vicinity should understand the situation and know who are responsible for the lack of support given to the band that caused their disbandment. We are in sympathy with the boys' band and believe they should receive some support and encouragement, but not to enter into competition with a union organization. Musicians' Protective Union, No. 488. [Seal]

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STATEMENT JULY 1, 1916

RESOURCES		LIABILITIES	
Loans	\$1,436,087.42	Capital stock	\$75,000.00
Real estate and banking house	30,684.67	Surplus and profits	25,323.59
Bonds and securities	268,443.00	Dividend, 3 per cent.	2,250.00
Accrued interest receivable	31,074.15		
Other assets	388.13	Deposits (including interest due depositors July 1, 1916)	1,777,306.99
Cash on hand and in banks	113,203.21		
	\$1,879,880.58		\$1,879,880.58

This Bank Pays Taxes on all Deposits
 Deposits made on or before JULY 13, will draw interest from JULY 1, at 4 Per Cent.

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New Goods by Express

Received this morning goods for Fourth of July wear. New Waists, White and Colored Wash Skirts, Plain and Stripe Middies, Silk Hose, Silk Gloves.

- SALE SUMMER DRESSES**
 \$1.25 and \$1.50 Dresses for \$1.00
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 25c Gauze Hose, per pair 21c
 Children's Hose at 11c, 15c, 25c
 Lot of Children's 25c Socks for 15c
- FOR 4th OF JULY**
 Lot of White Waists, Special at 50c
 98c lot White and Colored Waists at 69c
 \$1.25 Silk Stripe Waists at 98c
 \$1.50 fine Organdie Waists at \$1.25
 \$2.00 new pretty Waists for 1.49
 SILK WAISTS—Lot of samples in White and colors at . \$1.25, \$1.75, \$1.98, \$2.25 up
 SILK GLOVES at 50c, 75c, \$1.00
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TALK OF THE TOWN

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F. D. Beckley of Beckley court left the city Saturday evening for Highland Park, Mich., where he is to make a stay of several weeks. He was accompanied by two Barre carpenters, John A. Plaisted and George Rising.

The Vermont Trucking & Sales Co. delivered to the North Montpelier woolen mills Saturday a Jeffery ton and a half truck. The truck was purchased by Harry Daniels, who acted as purchasing agent for the company.

Charles Hoernle, the Goddard seminary coach, arrived in St. Johnsbury yesterday afternoon and will take charge of the St. Johnsbury ball team for the remainder of the summer. The team plays its first game of the year with Hoernle at the helm in Barre this afternoon.

John Kingston, who has been visiting with John Cleary on North Main street for the past few days, returned yesterday to his home in Northfield, Miss Katherine Kingston remaining for a few days to complete her visit with Mr. and Mrs. Cleary.

Received on His 90th Birthday.

Joseph Grant Mudgett celebrated his ninetyeth birthday Saturday in a most pleasant and profitable manner. From 2 till 6 p. m., many friends calling to pay their respects and to offer congratulations and leave numerous gifts.

Mrs. Wilbur P. Bradford, in a most friendly manner, presented a purse of gold to Mr. Mudgett from his many friends, to which he responded with feelings of true affection for his friends and the dear old state of Vermont.

A feature was the birthday cake made by Miss Emily Dodge and decorated with 90 candles. A bouquet of 90 pinks adorned the table, and there were also flowers from the Woman's club. Fruit punch, cake and wafers were served each guest. The following lines, written for the occasion by Mrs. Lewis Mudgett, were read:

Birthday Greetings.
 Though ninety years have passed away,
 And you, dear Grandpa, with us yet,
 How glad on this thy birthday we,
 To see thy face and bid thee stay,
 And linger yet, and view with joy
 The green hills of Vermont, where thy dear boy
 Did make his home.
 With him and his dear ones near by
 You had no thought nor care to roam
 Till our dear Master called him home.
 However—
 There is no rose without a thorn,
 There is no life but hath its sorrow,
 Hark! hear the angels sing of a glad to-morrow.
 Then we shall see them face to face,
 Our loved ones in that heavenly place.
 This brought to the end of "a perfect day" a most happy birthday.

Card of Thanks.
 We wish to express our sincere thanks to the neighbors and friends who so generously contributed toward the purchase of gold, the beautiful flowers and the many gifts at the birthday anniversary.
 Joseph Grant Mudgett,
 Mrs. Fred B. Mudgett.

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