

BARRE DAILY TIMES

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 15, 1917.

The Weather

Partly cloudy to-night and Thursday; gentle south to southwest winds.

TALK OF THE TOWN

Kodak films developed free if purchased at Russell's.

Miss Florence LePage commenced work at the telephone office this morning.

John F. Benjamin returned to the city yesterday from Peacham, where he has been during the past few days.

Paul Mammalo of the People's National bank and Joseph Cassellini of Cottage street returned to the city to-day, after passing two weeks with friends in Boston and Quincy, Mass.

M. S. Levin of Merchant street returned to the city last night, after passing several days in North Hero, where he was the guest of Kenneth McRae of the Union Dry Goods store, who is passing the remainder of his vacation in Burlington.

Charles Davidson, who has been employed for many years as a stationary engineer in the quarries of the E. L. Smith Co., of Graniteville, passed through the city to-day en route to Montreal, P. Q., whence he is to leave for the Canadian Northwest, there to be employed during the harvesting season.

The sanitary water bubbler purchased by the water department some weeks ago has been installed at the north corner of City square, replacing a drinking fountain of somewhat antiquated design. The new bubbler supplies a long felt want among the youngsters who frequent the park, as there is a grated step which permits them to drink without straining their toes.

To-night at 7 o'clock the board of civil authority meets in the court room at city hall to consider appeals from the board of assessors. There are known to be several errors in the list and a number of abatements and rebates may be ordered. After all of the appellants have been heard, the board will decide the several cases and act in instances where names have been duplicated, etc.

Samuel Thompson, who was arrested last week on a charge of driving his automobile while intoxicated, appeared before Magistrate H. W. Scott in city court this morning and acknowledged an intoxication offense, after which he made arrangements to pay a \$5 fine and costs. The complaint against the man was changed from the first alleged offense to a simple intoxication charge.

Mr. and Mrs. William H. Snow, who had charge of the City hotel in Barre for some years previous to its destruction in 1914, are to move from Plainfield to Wallingford, where they are to occupy the Wallingford inn, a three-story structure which has 40 guest rooms, a barber shop and a pool room, among other conveniences. Mr. Snow's lease on the Hancock inn in Plainfield, where he has resided for the past two years, does not expire until Oct. 1, and in the interim that hostility is in charge of John A. Foss. After leaving Barre, the Snow family went to Hardwick, where Mr. Snow managed the New Hardwick house for a time.

MONTPELIER

In probate court to-day the will of Charlotte Lyman Washburn, late of Waterbury, was presented for probate.

Mrs. Don DeColaines, who has been employed as supervisor in the local telephone office while other employees have been enjoying vacations, left yesterday for Ludlow to visit relatives. She will return home with her children, who have been spending the summer in Ludlow.

Polish Quarryman Killed.

Frank Scanowski of West Rutland died Monday at the Rutland hospital as the result of a fractured skull received at the Stasio slate mill at Castleton, the previous day. The man was assisting in quarrying slate when a heavy piece fell from a carrier, striking him on the head. He was hurried to the hospital and lived only a few hours.

Toney's record of winning 20 games out of Cincinnati's 59 games won, is certainly a noteworthy feat, making him worthy to receive the \$1,000 bonus.

Wonderful Values

—in—

Ready-to-Wear Apparel for Present and Early Fall Wear

Clean, fresh stock each season is our method of doing business, and the prices we quote below will clean our stocks quickly. First choice is best.

One Rack Dresses to Close at \$2.98

Made of voile, chambray, linene, silver blooms, poplins, etc., originally priced up to \$6.98. These are a rare bargain.

Ladies' Dresses at 25% Discount

This includes our entire stock of white and also colored dresses of voile, linen, chambray, silverblooms, etc., in this season's best models.

White Skirts at 25% Discount

All this season's best numbers in materials like gabardines, corduroys, poplins, linene, etc., also sport models.

White Serge Skirts at \$3.98

With fine hairline stripes. These are attractive garments and very special at this price.

Coats and Suits at \$5.00

(Original values up to \$20.00.) Just a few of these garments left, and we have placed them on one rack for immediate disposal. If yours is here it's a wonderful bargain.

The Homer Fitts Company

TRUNKS, BAGS and SUIT CASES

You will need something in the line of baggage for your vacation. Our line is worthy of your consideration.

Cut price on Straw Hats and Children's Wash Suits.

The Frank McWhorter Co.

Only Four Days More

And the Most Stupendous, Sensational Price-Wrecking Merchandise Event Comes To a Close

10 Day Public Sale!

If you were one of the lucky ones, well and good; but if you weren't, your opportunity will soon pass to lay in a supply of the highest grade footwear ever made at the low prices quoted in this sale.

We were forced to this sale because we needed the money, and sensational reductions are the only means by which we can raise cash.

Shoes next fall will be at least 100% higher so buy now as you never did before. Come one and all and bring your friends. Bargains added each day.

We Need the Money, You Need the Shoes, Let's Swap, This is Your Opportunity

Note these sensational cut prices which are only a small part of the ones in the store. Come in! Don't fail! Opportunity knocks but once.

Child's Gun Metal Shoes, \$1.26	Women's Oxfords and Pumps, small sizes, \$1.19 Were \$2.00 to \$4.00	Women's Colored Pumps, \$3.19 Were \$5.00 and \$6.00
Misses' Gun Metal Shoes, \$1.69	Another deep cut in Women's White Pumps, 98c \$1.50 and \$2.00 grades	Men's Dress Shoes, button or lace, black and tan, \$3.29 to \$3.98 \$4.50 and \$6.00 grades
Children's White Duck Oxfords, leather soles, 69c		Men's Work Shoes, \$2.49 \$3.50 grade

\$10 in Gold Free—Ask About It!

The Peoples Shoe Store

C. S. Andrews, prop., Currier block, Barre, Vt. 14 State Street, Montpelier, Vt.

Union Dry Goods Company

A Good Selection of Pretty Summer Dresses Still to Be Had at a Good Saving

Voile and Muslin Dresses in many desirable styles, specially priced for quick clearance, which is the main object in offering such values at **\$3.98**

New Waists at \$1.00

Another shipment of that wonderful \$1.00 Waist value. Get yours early.

Shopping Bags \$1.48

Black and Tan in the new up-to-date shape, brass trimmed. A neat, natty bag, far from ordinary looking.

Child's Dresses 89c

Hard to beat, values in Children's White Dresses, sizes 2 to 6. Value, \$1.00.

Scarfs 50c

Embroidered and scalloped Scarfs, Covers and Pillow Cases—many handsome patterns—looks like hand work. Good material.

THE UNION DRY GOODS COMPANY

TALK OF THE TOWN

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Dwyer of the east hill and Mr. and Mrs. A. Gustafson of Currier street have returned from Molly's pond in Marshfield, where they have been passing a few days. During their outing the party caught 29 pounds of fish.

HEAVY LOSS BY FIRE.

On Farm of Attorney Frank E. Barber Near Brattleboro.

Brattleboro, Aug. 15.—The entire set of farm buildings on the former Daniel M. Barber farm on the upper West Dummerston road, with practically all of their contents except some of the livestock, were totally destroyed by fire beginning about noon yesterday. The loss will be between \$15,000 and \$20,000, only partially covered by insurance.

The property was the homestead of the parents of Attorney General Herbert G. Barber and ex-Municipal Judge Frank E. Barber of Brattleboro. Frank E. Barber bought the property from the estate two years ago and has been living there the greater part of this year. He had expended much money in improvements both to the buildings and in stocking the farm with purebred Holstein cattle.

The fire was discovered by one of the employees, who was in a potato field near-by spraying the vines. When he first saw it smoke was issuing from the roof of the barn in which were stored about 100 tons of new hay. He gave the alarm and the men rushed to the stables to free the horses, a Holstein bull, a valuable heifer calf and 18 hogs. The hogs could not be reached, but the other stock was saved.

SPORTING NOTES.

The St. Louis National league team has purchased from the Little Rock team of the Southern association, Robinson, who was formerly a Philadelphia blooded Cherokee Indian and recently pitched a perfect game against Birmingham, not allowing a man to reach first base.

Monday was Evers' day at the Braves' field, the Trojan making his first appearance in a Philadelphia suit. Boston admirers presented the former Brave with a traveling bag and a large floral bouquet.

The National league pennant seems to be a certainty for New York. To beat the Giants, Philadelphia, St. Louis or Cincinnati must travel at a 800 pace while New York is going along at a 500 rate.

Otis Lawry, second baseman of the Athletics, who left last week for his home in Maine, yesterday informed Connie Mack that he had failed to pass the examination of the new national army.

Bender, the former Philadelphia American pitcher, held the Braves to four hits in Monday's encounter between Boston and Philadelphia, and only one of the Braves saw second base during the afternoon's performance.

Poor La Follette.

Poor La Follette! Honest undoubtedly, sincere according to his dim lights, he is playing the game of Prussia as Prussia is paying other men in this country to play it or have it played.

"Gumshoe Bill" Stone, whose ability to suck eggs and leave no traces of the shells, has brought to him a certain drab fame which will outlast him, might be expected to do what he is doing, but there are those who have believed La Follette to be of truer metal, who have sympathized with him in his resentment of the fact that Col. Roosevelt undoubtedly purloined at a crucial moment La Follette's political ammunition and capital, and who have hoped that in time of war a formerly impressive figure in American politics would see his way clear to devote himself whole heartedly to the cause of Americanism.

La Follette is not even original in his exposition of the fact that Germany, in her dire straits, is trying through her American agents, to prevent the United States from vindicating her own wrongs and making it impossible for Wilhelm and his group of super-Huns to be factors hereafter in the world's affairs. Nearly all of the Kaiser's American instruments in politics and journalism know just what they are doing and why they are doing it. Does La Follette:—Boston Traveler.

Another Sale for 10 Days

On Men's and Young Men's Suits. Here's a chance for you to save dollars on new, up-to-date Suits. A large assortment of sizes and fabrics to choose from.

\$16.50 to 18.00 Suits \$15.00
20.00 Suits 17.50
22.00 and 24.00 Suits 20.00

Considering the prices of fall and winter clothing these are rare bargains.

We have a few more of those \$10.00 Suits.

Blue Serges and Black Worsteds not included in this sale

THE BIG BUSY UNION STORE

Union Clothing Company

Depot Square Phone 599-W Barre, Vt.

WILLIAMSTOWN

Harry M. Lasell began work at the Palace garage, Barre, last Monday morning. He will run his Metz car to and from Barre and his family are to remain in town.

Two new cement bridges have built by the town this summer, first the one near Leslie D. Gales and the other lately opened to travel at the north end of the village near Harley T. Martin's blacksmith shop. This is in line of the policy of the town to make highways and bridges that will be permanent and though the first cost is somewhat greater, it is believed that in the end they will be found to cost less than the cheaper but short-lived wooden bridges.

Lester O. Morgan and Herbert N. Farnham, with their families, were at Woodbury pond the first of the week.

The people at the south end of the village are wondering if George E. Wilber was really trying to run his Ford on the sidewalk yesterday or if by chance he got his reins crossed.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lasell went to Naples Bay, nine miles from Portland, Me., last week and were away from home two nights. They were accompanied on the trip by Fred Cutler and members of his family of South Barre and the mileage was 342 at the end of the trip. The party went through the White mountains, staying the first night at Bartlett, N. H., and the second at Ashland in the same state.

Mrs. Mary Fushey, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Ashline, for several weeks has returned to her home in Montpelier.

The concert given by the band last Saturday evening was pronounced the best of the season thus far. Due credit should be given to Messrs. Gilbertson and Estabrook of Barre and to Messrs. McDermont and Goodhart of Randolph for their valuable assistance.

Rev. George W. Keeling, pastor of the M. E. church, while prevented by the sickness of his little daughter from actually going out of town for his vacation, has had a rest from pastoral work and preaching for the past two weeks, and will resume his regular work next Sunday. The daughter, who had German measles, is now recovered.

William O. Lasell began work in the store of Smith & Cummings, Barre, this week.

People having young fruit trees are warned to keep a lookout for a very hungry worm, about one and one-half inches long and with a reddish head and with narrow stripes on its back. Colonies of these worms have been found on trees belonging to Millie J. Drury and Edwin M. Whitney and they ate out all the green part of the leaf leaving only a brown skeleton. No one has named them so far as we know, but they are certainly capable of doing much damage.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

FOR SALE—At a bargain, a 10-h. p. engine, in first-class shape inquire of A. H. Norris, Williamstown, Vt., Peoples' phone. 1294

WANTED—10 or 15 laborers for street work; 25 cents an hour for 9-hour day; Apply to J. C. DeBruns, Barre, phone 65-W. 1296*

WANTED AT ONCE—First-class bed setter, Marston & O'Leary. 1291

WANTED—A teamster for the balance of season; apply to H. C. Leonard, South Main street, Barre. 1294

FRUIT JARS

WE HAVE BALL'S IDEAL JARS

These have the large opening. Buy early and not be disappointed.

Telephone orders delivered in city.

Fruit Jar Rubbers to fit all jars.

C. W. Averill & Co.

Telephone 500 Barre, Vermont