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MONTPELIER

Mrs. Orsola Albano Died Last Night as Result of Shock.

Mrs. Orsola Albano, who was employed in the family of Peter Cavoretto on Sibley avenue, died at Heaton hospital Monday evening after a short illness of shock. She was taken ill while getting supper at the home one evening the early part of last week and was taken to the hospital, where she failed until death occurred yesterday. She was 44 years of age, born in Italy but came to this country several years ago. She had lived in the city most of her life in this country. She is survived by her husband, Eusebio Albano, and two children, Rose, who was employed in the city, and John, employed at the Barton stonework in Barre. The funeral will take place Wednesday afternoon.

Commissioner of Industries Robert W. Simonds has made an order in the petition of Diot Malais against the Green Mountain State company of Poutney and the Travelers' insurance company in which he has ordered the insurance company to pay the petitioner \$8.78 for six and one-sixth weeks for an injury received to one knee March 20, while employed in moving a stone for the slate company, during which time the iron bar slipped, allowing him to fall on the frozen ground.

G. L. Hunt, as representative of Theriault & Hunt, this morning filed in probate court the accounting of the estates of P. P. Pitkin, Frank I. Pitkin and Carroll P. Pitkin, as made by M. L. Wood, a surviving administrator of the estates. The accounting of Carroll P. Pitkin as surviving administrator of the estate of P. P. Pitkin, of which Mr. Wood later became the administrator, was also filed, showing that property had been properly accounted for and later in the day a hearing was set relative to increasing the bond of the administrator in the estates of F. I. and C. P. Pitkin. C. B. Adams, of the Waterbury National bank, presented a petition relative to the bonds of W. J. Boyce for the bank as trustee of the last will and testament of Martha A. Moody for the benefit of Betty Grout. He petitioned the probate court, praying for the allowance from the bond of W. J. Boyce for carrying out the provision of the will, setting forth that funds were not available to be transferred to the bank, which has become trustee in place of Mr. Boyce, deceased. The amount is about \$3,000.

Roy Hardigan, who has been employed in the Chapman store, has completed his services there and commenced work in the shipping department of the Cross and Son store.

Dr. John Carroll and daughter of De-

CHELSEA

A daughter was recently born to Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Luce and a son to Mr. and Mrs. Ray A. Royce.

Ray F. Titus of Claremont, N. H., was a guest last week of his father, Frank J. Titus.

Robert Ames, who has been spending the summer at the home of Holton S. Annis on the west hill, has returned to his home in Montclair, N. J.

Mrs. R. B. Smith of Washington, D. C., who is pleasantly remembered here as Miss Alta Sleeper, with her little daughter, is the guest of her mother, Mrs. Abbie F. Sleeper.

The regular monthly communication of George Washington lodge, No. 51, F. and A. M., will be held this week Thursday evening with work on the M. M. Degree. District Deputy Grand Master Bigelow of Brookfield will be present, and it is requested that all the brothers make a special effort to be present.

Judge S. C. Wilson was a week-end visitor at his home here, returning to Rutland Monday morning to resume his duties as presiding judge of Rutland county court. He was accompanied by Mrs. Wilson and Lyle R. Beckwith, who is a law student in his office.

Rev. John A. Lawrence has returned from his annual vacation and occupied his pulpit at the Congregational church last Sunday morning.

This is war library week, and there will be a book sale at the library on Wednesday and Saturday afternoons, the proceeds to go toward the soldiers' library fund. Chelsea is asked for \$75 as her share, and the committee for raising this are John M. Comstock, Judge Stanley C. Wilson, Rev. Robert Adams, Prof. C. D. Grupp, Rev. Robert Haseltine, Rev. John A. Lawrence and the librarians, Mrs. Horace T. Walker and Miss Mary George.

C. J. Hood of Lowell, Mass., was a brief visitor in town last Thursday and called on a few friends while in town.

Wheat and Flour.

The statement of John Washburn of Minneapolis, president of one of the largest flour milling concerns in the country, that "the mills are grinding away today and reports that the industry will be seriously affected as to output are unfounded," may be worth preserving for future reference. Mr. Washburn says there has been in circulation, broadcast, a report to the effect that the Minnesota milling industry had been temporarily crippled by the new government wheat-buying plan. This report he declares to be entirely untrue; and he characterizes as likewise false a report, evidently based on light wheat movements, that dissatisfied farmers were withholding their wheat. "The new wheat-buying plan will work out successfully," avers Mr. Washburn, with considerable positiveness.

This is reassuring. It is also somewhat at variance with the balky and sulky disposition manifested by some wheat raisers in portions of the West. It is not to be supposed that the flour trade will at once bow in meek submission to any plan, federal or otherwise, to prevent an inordinate rise in prices. It will not yield without a struggle. There will be excuses of varying degrees of plausibility, for high prices; and there will be arguments galore to show that price increases are inevitable. It is all ways so. These excuses will be based on alleged conditions far removed from the consumer; and these arguments, nine times out of ten, will have to do with the same or similar alleged conditions.

Excuses and arguments alike will be applied to such processes of progress from wheat field to household as seem best calculated to serve the purpose. In view of all this, the assurance of the president of one of the country's leading flour milling interests that the farmers are NOT holding back their wheat; that the mills ARE grinding merrily and uninterruptedly on, and that the mills will NOT be seriously affected as to output, is encouraging and well worth remembering. It may come handy, later on.—Manchester Union.

BARRE DAILY TIMES

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 25, 1917.

The Weather

Fair and slightly warmer to-night. Wednesday fair and warmer in the interior; gentle shifting winds.

TALK OF THE TOWN

New showing of waists at Abbott's. Bluebird day at the Bijou to-day.—adv New line of house dresses at Abbott's. Splendid showing of new coats and suits at Fitts'.

Hobart Hanley in "The Sign of the Poppy," a Bluebird, at the Bijou today.

Regular meeting of Sons of Veterans' auxiliary, No. 5, Wednesday evening, Sept. 26, at 8 o'clock.

Notice—The store will be closed from Tuesday, 4 p. m., to Wednesday, 7 p. m. Little Dry Goods Store.

Regular meeting of L. A. A. O. H., will be held in K. of C. hall Wednesday evening. Refreshments.

Mrs. W. H. Wilson and daughter, Miss Sadie E. Wilson, of Harrison, Mich., are guests of Mrs. Lizzie A. Robinson of Eastern avenue.

A number of the Jewish colony are planning to go to Montpelier this evening to celebrate the feast of the Passover, which commences this evening at sunset.

We invite all the ladies to come to our store during the demonstration of Sao Paulo coffee, a most delicious South American plantation coffee. The demonstrator will serve you a free sample. The Smith & Cummings Co.

The auction sale held at South Barre last Saturday afternoon for John Nichols was fairly well attended. The real estate of the home place was sold to Jerry Donahue of South Barre for \$1,850. Property brought very good prices. C. F. Smith, auctioneer.

Several of the Barre young men who are members of the Headquarters Co. of the old First Vermont have recently received promotions, according to information which has come to this city. Norman Gordon, Wilfred Lovie, Thomas Sibley and Lawrence Wilcox have been promoted to first-class privates, while Clarence Geddes is a sergeant and Lorraine Densmore is a sergeant in charge of the mounted orderlies. Further information states that they expected to be moved to Charlotte, N. H., within three weeks. The Barre men were feeling well, except that they, like many other soldiers at Westfield, had been having trouble from the drinking water.

FORESTRY BATTALION

Instructions Offered as to How to Enlist.

The department of agriculture has sent out circulars in regard to the formation of the 20th engineers (forest), with instructions as to how to join it. The forest battalions in this regiment are composed of woodsmen and sawmill men who will go to France to get out lumber for the use of the allied armies. One regiment, the 10th engineers, has been fully recruited and a number of other battalions have been asked for at once. The first units will be assembled at the training camp at the American university, Washington, D. C. The companies composing these battalions will be scattered widely throughout the forests of France and very little, if any, of their work will be near the battle lines.

Most of the forests are pine and fir, but there are also oak, beech and other hard woods. The trees are smaller than in virgin American forests, but the stands are often quite heavy. The forests are like the woodlots of southern New England, and the manner of cutting will be with portable sawmills, similar to operations in logging and tie cutting in Massachusetts and Connecticut. The larger logs will be sawn into boards and dimensioned, while the smaller trees will be cut into hewn ties, poles, props, etc.

The commissioned officers of the forest battalions will comprise 50 per cent practical lumbermen and sawmill operators, 25 per cent technical foresters and 25 per cent men with engineering and military training. The technically trained foresters and practical lumbermen and sawmill operators will be selected by the war department and the men with engineering and military training by the engineering and military training by the war department.

Eligible men must be between the ages of 40 and 58, and must be men of experience in some phase of forest work and have demonstrated their qualities of leadership. Captains and lieutenants will be appointed from men over 31 years of age who have had extensive experience in the lumber business and proved themselves capable of leading men and filling places of responsibility.

The enlisted men will be picked woodsmen and sawmill workers. For the logging crews, skilled axmen, woods-sawyers, cross-cut saw-filers, the hewers, skidders, teamsters and blacksmiths are wanted. Millwrights, mill sawyers, circular-saw filers, engineers and experienced mill hands are needed to operate the sawmills which will form part of the equipment; carpenters, machinists and charcoal burners are wanted and helpers are required for the various activities connected with woods operations and the maintenance of large camps. There is little need for motor truck and motor-cycled operators and motor truck repair men, as well as for experienced clerks and cooks. Logging teamsters are also needed.

To join a forest battalion, applicants can first be listed by a listing officer appointed by the forest service or go direct to any U. S. army recruiting office. The listing of applicants by listing officers does not insure their final acceptance.

"Know Thyself." A stout, baggage-laden, old Englishman was trying to make a hurried exit from a railway carriage. At the door he stumbled on the foot of a brawny Scot.

"Hoots, toots, mon!" groaned the Highlander. "Canna ye look whaur ye're going? Hoot, mon, hoot."

The burdened traveler slammed the door behind him and shouted through the window: "Hoot yourself! I am a traveler, not an automobile."—San Francisco Argonaut.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

FOR SALE—One used 5-passenger Oakland car, in combination truck-body, taken in exchange for Overland car; price \$150; H. F. Cutler & Son, 316 No. Main street, telephone 462-W. 1636

WANTED—Position in Christian gentleman's home by reliable and capable woman; would take care of 1 or 2 elderly people; address P. O. box 8, Barre, Vt. 1636*

WANTED—A small family wants a 5-room tenement, centrally located; rent must be reasonable; inquire of Mrs. E. E. Laviolette, or tel. 452-2.

STRAYED AND LOST—From the pasture of B. D. Dwinell in Calais, an unusual opportunity to buy at a bargain, an automobile, owned by A. C. Bliss, 3 yearlings, viz.: 1 grade Holstein steer, 1 grade Holstein heifer, 1 red heifer; persons having knowledge of such please inform D. B. Dwinell, East Calais, Vt. 1636*

APPLES FOR SALE—To anyone who comes to pick them, for \$2.50 per apple barrel for best and \$1.50 for small ones, and take everyone on the tree for cash; no Sunday picking allowed; N. R. Graham, South Hill, Williamstown, Vt. 1636*

A NICE CLEAN LOT OF HOUSEHOLD FURNISHINGS at private sale; an unusual opportunity to buy at a bargain; furniture, stoves, etc., for a 6-room house; would prefer to sell lot complete, or will sell in quantity desired; good stock near of 4 Park street, and can be seen after 9 a. m. Wednesday. 1636*

Regular meeting of Iroquois tribe, No. 16, to-night at 7:30. Work, adoption and warrior's degree.

Special convocation of Granite chapter, No. 26, R. A. M., Tuesday, Sept. 25, at 7:30 p. m. Work, mark degree. Per order E. H. F.

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The New Suits

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New Fall Dresses

Handsome new autumn models, straight lines, plaited or draped styles, finely tailored, others are nicely embroidered, collars and vestees of Georgette Crepes.

New Neckwear

just received, very pretty new styles in Georgette Collars. These are the very latest, priced at 50c and \$1.00.

Outing Gowns

Full line of Ladies' Outing Fannel Nightgowns, high and low neck, white and colored stripes. Priced at 69c, 1.00, 1.25.

Hosiery

Full assortment of Ladies' and Children's Hosiery.

The New Coats

are right, both in style and price. You will find here a very complete assortment of the very newest models. These Coats were bought early, which means a saving of from \$2.00 to \$5.00 on every garment in stock. Prices range from \$14.50 to \$45.00.

Pretty New Waists

New Lingerie Waists made of Fine Voiles with large collars, some frilled styles, at \$1.00 and \$1.98.

Crepe de Chine Waists, 3.50 and 3.98. All very attractive styles.

Fine Georgette Waists at 5.00, made with large collars, fronts are prettily embroidered with shaded colorings.

Winter Underwear

Full and complete assortments of Fleece Underwear for ladies and children.

Fine and Heavy Wool Underwear for ladies and children. Excellent values.

Blankets

We have a big stock of Cotton and Wool Blankets for cold weather and at special prices.

(Now is the time to buy.)

Outing Flannels

At 15c per yard.

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Seeking Sympathy.

Danny and Bobbie had been left in the care of their big sister while their mother went out. At bedtime they wanted to "stay up for mother," but their sister relentlessly put them to bed. Danny maintained a stolid indifference, but Bobbie cried insistently. Their sister listened at the foot of the stairs, hoping they would soon be quiet. At last Bobbie stopped, and the listener heard him say: "You cry a bit, Danny; I'm tired.—Irish World."

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