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CURRENT COMMENT

"United We Stand"—On Every Front.

From Washington comes the encouraging information that the Italian ambassador was in conference yesterday with the secretary of war. We say it is encouraging because we hope it signifies an intention to send an expedition to Italy as soon as possible. The sooner the better for all concerned. Italian troops are on the French front to-day, and British and French troops are on the Italian front. American troops are on the French and British fronts, and they ought to be on the Italian front. It is in Italy that Germany has maintained with greatest vigor its political offensive. There German agents and German dupes are doing their best to deceive and discourage and disrupt Italy by propaganda. They spread the story that our failure to declare war on Austria-Hungary showed that we were not really in the war, and finally we declared war and nailed that German lie. Now they point to the absence of an ev-

idence that we are in the war. They say to nail that enemy lie is to send troops to Italy, not necessarily a large number, but enough to show that we are in the war "with all we have and are," and to show also that we are not playing favorites among our partners in the enterprise.

It is to be hoped that the day is not far distant when on the Belgian, British, French and Italian fronts the troops of all the great nations in the alliance are represented, and that on the eastern front the soldiers of Japan and China will be joined by British, French and American troops. Then the alliance will stand united on every front, and on every front represented under united command. It is true we entered the war as a partner in a great enterprise, but we did not enter to play favorites among our partners. We have associated our troops with the British and French armies, and we should be quick to associate them with the Italian and the Japanese and the Chinese armies.—Boston Transcript.

Gage & Gage are located in Currier block, room 3, after June 27.—adv.

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The price will be much higher in the fall.

Men's Coats, \$5.00 to \$25.00 Boy's Coats, \$3.00, \$3.50, \$5.00

The Frank McWhorter Co.

BARRE DAILY TIMES

TUESDAY, JUNE 25, 1918.

The Weather.

Fair to-night; Wednesday showers; light variable winds, becoming southerly.

TALK OF THE TOWN

See A. V. Beckley's adv. on page 5.—adv. Buy wool knitting yarns at Abbott's. Dance at Woodbury pond Friday evening, June 28.—adv.

Beverly Bayne and Francis X. Bushman, Bijou to-day.—adv.

See A. V. Beckley's adv., page 5. Special sale wall paper.—adv.

Mrs. George W. Gault of Plainfield is a visitor with friends in the city to-day.

Regular meeting of the L. A. A. O. H., this evening in Worthen hall at 7:30, social hour following.

Mrs. Mattie McMahon has returned to the city, after spending several weeks with relatives in Springfield, Mass.

Wholesale prices and in many patterns less than wholesale prices, can be had on linoleums at B. W. Hooker & Co.'s.

Francis X. Bushman in "Red, White and Blue Blood," a special Metro feature, and a Sidney Drew comedy, Bijou to-day.—adv.

William B. Harmon has resumed his duties in the New England Tel. & Tel. Co.'s office, after passing several days with his mother in Shelburne.

Mrs. E. A. Drown and two sons, Lowell and Wendell, of Walnut street, left to-day by automobile for Danville, where they are to open their camp on Joe's pond for the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Beckley and sons, Frank, Jr., and John, arrived in the city from Hollis, N. Y., to-day for a visit with the former's sister, Miss Alice V. Beckley of Eastern avenue.

The Philathea class of the Baptist church are invited to the home of Mrs. Bernice Newcomb Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock for a sunshine party. Members are asked to bring their sunshine bags.

Harold Paterson and John Shepard returned to the Vail school at Lyndonville, where they will be employed for the summer months, after having attended the Spaulding commencement exercises last week.

Special service to-night at Salvation Army hall, conducted by Ensign Whipple of Montpelier, who will be accompanied by Captain Colburn and Mrs. Gibbs, also of Montpelier. Be sure you attend at 8:15 p. m.

Evans Roberts of Dunmore, Pa., and A. H. Luckenbill of Middletown, Pa., monument dealers, are registered at Hotel Barre while spending 10 days on a buying expedition through the Barre granite belt.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles M. Hawes, who have conducted a rooming house in the Arcade building for several years, are moving their household goods to the house on Spaulding street which Mr. Hawes recently purchased.

Mrs. C. H. Kenerson of Church street and Mrs. Harley Kenerson and two children of Averill street have returned to the city from Milford, Mass., where they have been visiting with friends and relatives during the past two weeks.

Miss Evelyn Miles of Cavendish, who was a member of the class of 1918 at Spaulding high school until her removal from the city, has been passing several days with friends in Barre while attending the commencement exercises.

Knights of Pythias district meeting at West Topsham Thursday night, June 27. Supper will be served, rank work to follow. Everybody come. Notify chancellor commander. Autos will be provided to leave at 8 o'clock.

Mrs. F. O. Fay of Highland avenue, who has been suffering for several months with a serious eye trouble, was operated on Saturday at her home, having the eye nucleated by Dr. Sprague. Miss Eleanor Gero, R. N., is caring for her.

Miss Vinnie Tilden, who has been passing a few weeks in the city as the guest of Miss Beatrice Callaghan of Park street, returned to-day to her home in Hinsdale, N. H. She was accompanied by her father, F. W. Tilden, who arrived in Barre yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry H. Patch are closing their home on Washington street preparatory to moving their household goods to Morrisville, where they have recently disposed of his granite buying office to E. L. White.

Miss Marie Gordon, who recently completed her duties as a teacher in the Danville grammar school, is passing a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gordon of Orange street, before going to Lynn, Mass., where she is to be employed in office work during the summer.

William Noonan of North Main street, who has been confined at his home during the past two weeks, following an operation at the City hospital, was able to be outdoors this forenoon for the first time. Unless some unforeseen developments occur, the young man expects a quick and complete recovery from the illness.

First Lieut. Clarence J. LePage, formerly of H company in the old 1st Vermont infantry, recently stationed at Austin, Tex., while qualifying for aviation service, has passed in the upper third division the examination for a pilot's berth, according to information received by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles LePage and his sister, Mrs. Grace Ducharme of the Miles building. Lieut. LePage expected to take his first aerial trip over Kelly's field in Texas yesterday. Friends of the young man are much pleased over his rapid progress.

A squadron of Oldsmobiles from the factory in Buffalo, N. Y., have into the office yesterday, the expedition having been carried through successfully by the Drown agency of this city. Automobiles are not highly favored in freighting circles this season, and to hasten the shipments, E. A. Drown of the local agency dispatched ten drivers to Buffalo last week, instructing them to return overland with cars much desired by patrons. Among those who made the trip were George Kent, George Rand, James R. Mackay, George Vancor, Asa Terrell and Howard Blossom, the latter acting as commodore of the squadron. The home trip was made without incident.

Card of Thanks. I wish to thank my friends, especially the nurses at the City hospital, for the many kindnesses tendered to me during my recent illness.

William J. Noonan.

Regular meeting of Ironquits tribe, No. 18, to-night at 7:30. Business, election of representatives to the great council.

TALK OF THE TOWN

See Abbott's special silk waist at \$2. Save \$1 by buying your Nemo corsets this week at Abbott's.

Manroe Salisbury in "The Red, Red Heart," a Bluebird, Bijou to-morrow.—adv.

Gage & Gage, chiropractors, move to their new office in Currier block, room 3, June 27.—adv.

Buy your linoleums at Hooker's. The price has got to be higher. Get in before the advance.

Edson A. Lander of Camp Dix, N. J., visited his people, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Lander, yesterday.

Mrs. Alex A. Milne of Hill street has returned home from a stay of several days in Massachusetts.

A. H. Nichols and E. H. Edgerton of Rochester were business callers in Barre yesterday and to-day.

John B. Lambert of Burlington, formerly employed in Barre as a drug clerk, was a local visitor yesterday.

Mrs. J. W. Vaughan has returned to her home in Brattleboro, after having been the guest of Mrs. Catherine Anker of Franklin street.

Sgt. Edward Buley and George Buley of Camp Wadsworth, S. C., nephews of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Lander, were visitors at their home yesterday.

Miss Alferetia Ducharme of the Miles building, who has been attending Goddard seminary, has gone to Bridgeport, Conn., to pass the summer.

Leon C. Smith, who recently completed his duties in the E. D. Ladd Co.'s store, has secured a position as traveling salesman for Calhoun & Robbins of New York.

Everett Wallis, who has been visiting Barre acquaintances since coming here to attend the Goddard commencement exercises, has returned to his home in Waitsfield.

Friends of Rev. and Mrs. Walter Harman of Fairview, Pa., will be sorry to know that their little son, Robert, has typhoid fever. Word was received by his grandmother, Mrs. Mattie Clough.

A card from Leroy Anderson, son of Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Anderson of Warren street, announces his arrival at the Commonwealth pier in Boston, where he was accepted for service in the merchant marine.

Lawrence A. Rising leaves to-day for Lebanon, N. H., where he has purchased the restaurant formerly operated by Edson A. Lander, now of Camp Dix, N. J., and first cook in the depot brigade. Mr. Rising will move his family at once.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael McMahon and children of North Main street left yesterday for White River Junction, where they are to reside, the former having been transferred from engineer duty in the local yard of the Central Vermont railroad, to the White River Junction freight yard.

Rev. W. J. M. Beattie of Tremont street went to Enosburg Falls to-day to pass a few days on business connected with his farming interests there. He was accompanied by his son, Hudson Beattie, manager of the farm, who has been passing a few days at his home here.

Promotion to non-commissioned ranks has come to three Barre boys who enlisted from this city in the old 1st Vermont infantry a year ago. The Vermont regiment, now known as the 5th Pioneer, is stationed at Camp Wadsworth, Spartanburg, S. C., and Privates Lawrence Wilcox, Wilfred Lovie and Richard Cruickshank recently received notice of their elevation to the rank of corporal.

Another local boy, Lemuel Halligan of Granville, who returned to Camp Wadsworth yesterday, has received word of his promotion to a corporal's berth.

SPRAGUE-PERRY

Wedding Took Place at Bride's Home in Plainfield.

A pretty June wedding was solemnized at Elmview farm, Plainfield, June 24, when Marion Evelyn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Theron C. Perry, was united in marriage to Ernest A. Sprague, son of Mrs. Florence Sprague of Brookfield. The ceremony was performed at high noon under an arch of maiden hair ferns and peonies. Rev. B. J. Lehigh of Barre officiating.

The bridal pair were attended by Edah Perry, sister of the bride, and Levi J. Taft of New Haven, Conn., while the bride's father gave her away. "O Promise Me" was rendered on the violin by Ralph Perry, brother of the bride. The bride was panned in silver white marquisette, trimmed with white satin, and carried a shower bouquet of bride's roses and swans down, while the bridesmaid wore white and carried pink carnations. The double ring service was used.

A dainty wedding breakfast was served, Mrs. Olive Rublee catering, after which the bridal pair left for an extended camping trip through Vermont and southern New England. The happy pair received many beautiful presents, including silver, linen and china.

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MONTPELIER

Insurance Suits Have Been Entered in County Court. Three cases, in which the plaintiffs live in Northfield, were to-day entered in county court. About \$30,000 is involved. These are Ellis Gomez and Manuel Figueroa of Northfield against the Providence Washington Insurance Co. of Rhode Island, \$5,500 damages for non payment of insurance, and \$3,000 damages on the neglect of same; also against the Patriotic Assurance company for \$5,000 for non payment of insurance and \$1,000 for neglect to pay, and the California Insurance company of Scotland, \$5,500 for non payment of insurance, and \$3,000 for neglect to pay. These suits are the outgrowth of the fire, which took place Nov. 8, 1917, when the stonished of the plaintiffs was burned.

The meeting of the board of control is taking place this afternoon. The first matter under consideration is the schedule for support of the state institutions the coming year. The fiscal year ends June 30, and it is necessary that the schedule be made up before that time. Major Harvey Goodell went to these institutions last week and obtained the data. One of the matters that will have to be decided is that of engaging exhibit for today for the state geology exhibit if it is decided to move it into the new building.

James Gray, about whom G. L. Lackey has been trying to obtain information, did live in Montpelier at one time. He stopped at James Burke's when here, and for many years lived in Waterbury Center. Many years he was employed by H. O. Ward of Moretown. He was a native of Worcester, Mass., and has relatives living in that place.

Harry Beldon of Waitsfield was in the city to-day; also Glen Wilkins of Morrisville, and Frank Howe of Northfield.

Leslie Morgan, who was formerly V. M. C. A. physical director here, has gone to Texas after a visit for a day here. He has recently been appointed instructor, first class, in the aviation corps and was assigned to a training camp in Texas.

P. R. Unwin has returned from a short stay in Bedford, P. O. He made the trip by automobile, finding the roads very poor.

Private Floyd Holmes, who has been visiting Mrs. James Holt, his mother, leaves to-morrow for Aberdeen proving camp in Maryland, where he is detailed for service. James E. Holt, his half-brother, leaves the same day for Albany, N. Y., having enlisted in the medical corps.

Harold Wallis, son of Senator and Mrs. G. W. Wallis of Waitsfield, leaves on Monday for Washington, D. C., where he has been appointed to the mechanical draftsman department of the ordnance department of the army. Soon after his employment at the Boutwell, Milne & Varum office in Barre Town, he made application for mechanical draftsman work in the army, and his application was accepted, stating salary was received and he would report next Thursday. He will be recalled as the baseball catcher of Montpelier seminary team a few years ago.

Brakeman Brewer, who is employed in the local yard of the Central Vermont railway, and who was for a time employed on the railroads running into Chicago, is well acquainted with the road upon which the accident took place last Saturday morning, when many of the Hagonbeck-Wallace circus employees were killed. He recalls that it is what is known as a double block system that is

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