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MUNICIPAL MARKET FOR BARRE HELD UP

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scored for not returning the report to the city, instead of rejecting it. Subsequently a motion asking for a more detailed investigation was carried.

Other Business Done.

A clear and concise statement from the water office exonerated the department from any blame in connection with an alleged freeze-up in the Rice house on Foster street. The letter was furnished by Supt. F. O. Lee at the request of members of the water committee, to whom was referred a communication from Mr. Rice of Northfield in which it was alleged that the failure of the de-

partment to shut off the water was responsible for bursting pipes and resulting damage to the property. Mr. Lee explained that H. O. Camp, representative of a local real estate agency, notified the office to shut off the water May 18. The service was terminated on the following day at a curb-stop, as the house was locked. The superintendent expressed the opinion that the pipes, if they had burst at all, must have burst long before the hot spell in May. The report was accepted.

Renewed pressure for relief in the vicinity of the Papin livery on North Main street was brought to bear on the aldermen by F. D. Beckley, who owns property adjoining. Incidents which figured in a move made last year to improve sanitary conditions in the basement of the barn were reviewed, and in the end the city clerk was directed to notify the owner of the barn, which is leased by Mr. Papin, that it must be cleaned up or closed up.

D. W. McDonald and Frank W. Robinson appeared in person to urge the acceptance of King street. After their departure, a report from the committee of the whole, which looked over the street the other night, recommended that the matter be referred to the street committee. The request of Messrs. McDonald and Robinson, on Alderman Healy's motion, was referred to the street committee with instructions to bring in a written report at the next meeting.

A woman whose husband is in jail on a civil process made her regular visit to the meeting and reiterated her request for assistance from the charity department. She was interrogated by Alderman Alexander and then told that the committee would investigate and report at the next meeting. G. Aja was granted permission to erect a barn addition at 27 Berlin street. Alderman Alexander mentioned the fact that the Central Vermont railroad is erecting a new dry bridge on Lincoln avenue and suggested that the railroad be requested to make it lower than the old structure. The matter was left with the street committee. Overseer William McDonald of the charity department reported expenditures of \$1,227.61 in the past month and a small balance on hand.

The following warrants were approved for payment: Street payroll, \$411.41; engineering payroll, \$36.81; water payroll, \$81.84; fire payroll, \$134.32; police payroll, \$105.87; assessors' payroll, \$72; Caroline D. Milne, executrix, \$1,489.20, interest due on temporary loan note; G. A. Bemis, \$16, salary as janitor.



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TALK OF THE TOWN

The regular meeting of Barre lodge, N. E. O. F., will be held to-night at 8 o'clock.

Miss Ruth Blake of Hartford, Conn., is visiting Miss Evelyn Bryna of Maple Grove.

Louis Beni, who has been employed in Westerly, R. I., for several years, returned to Barre last evening to be employed in the granite industry.

Cian Gordon picnic, Saturday, July 27, at Caledonia park. Special cars leaving Barre at 12:15 and 12:45. Return specials leave Montpelier at 6:30 and 7:30 p. m.

Denial that Peter Morgan, one of the Barre men in the mechanics detachment of the U. S. service, has sailed for overseas is contained in a postcard from the young man which states that he is now at Camp Dix in New Jersey.

Mario Dughini arrived in the city last evening from Buffalo, N. Y., to make a visit of several days in the city. He is a former resident of this city, having left about a year ago, together with his parents, for Buffalo, where they have made their residence.

This evening at 8:15 o'clock at Salvation Army hall Adjutant and Mrs. Fowler of Burlington, accompanied by Ensign Whipple and Captain Colborn of Montpelier, will conduct an old-time salvation meeting. Come and hear these long-service warriors. All are welcome.

Miss Elsie Morgan of Ayer street, who is taking a vacation from her duties as an operator at the local telephone office, and Miss Gladys Clark of Hill street, have gone to Boston, where they will make a visit of several days. Before returning to this city, they expect to visit for a few days with friends in other points of Massachusetts.

Nurses and helpers will be at the Congregational vestry again on Friday from 2 to 6 in the afternoon and from 8 to 8 in the evening to finish up the work of weighing and measuring children under five years of age. Any parents whose children have not already been weighed and measured are urged to bring them then, and also turn in their cards.

The boys of the junior department of the Congregational Sunday school held a picnic yesterday in Waterman's grove. Among other sports engaged in was a game of baseball between teams captained by Walter Hendrickson and George Aiken. The game was called at the end of the fifth inning on account of hunger, with a score of 12 to 4 in favor of Hendrickson's team.

Contractor E. N. Normandeau has been engaged to supervise numerous improvements projected at the quarries of the E. L. Smith Co. on Millstone hill. He finds the labor market crowded with demands for help of all kinds, and it is with difficulty that he is enlisting enough common laborers to do the work, which includes the treatment of an important railroad spur in the company's siding system.

Mrs. John Mercer and son, Leslie Mercer, left the city this afternoon for Des Moines, Ia., where they are to rejoin Mr. Mercer, who has been employed there since last spring. Last evening at their home on North Main street, Mrs. Mercer and son were surprised by a number of friends who called to bid them farewell and to make appropriate presentations on the eve of their departure. Light refreshments were served. Young Mr. Mercer has been a well known figure in the Barre pipe and drum band since its organization a year ago. He is a step dancer of no mean ability and his talent will be greatly missed in local entertainments.

Two large audiences heard Daniel J. Sullivan in four-minute speeches at the Park and Bijou theatres last evening. His subject, "The Meaning of America," and the speaker's method of handling it made a strong appeal to the listeners for there was much applause. Mr. Sullivan frequently stressed the necessity of standing squarely behind the government and argued that there should be no thought of a compromise, no consideration of a middle-ground peace, even though Germany should make concessions. He declared for a citizenship that would recognize only the name, American, and in closing predicted the coming of a new era of American men and resources is going to hasten the day of victory.

To-morrow is circus day in Barre and for the reason that the government has ruled that only one circus shall visit a city this season, it will be Barre's first and last opportunity this year to witness a tented show. The Walter L. Main shows, in twenty cars, will arrive in the city from Lebanon, N. H., to-morrow morning soon after daybreak. Special arrangements for unloading are to be provided by the city. The circus will be ready to roll. The winter apparatus is available, but most of it is under cover. A man who passed through the covered bridge yesterday and noticed for the first time that the snow rollers remained exposed to the elements, remarked that it reminded him of the farmer in his home town who annually leaves his mowing machine to winter in the shade of the old apple tree.

Barre checker players are to be largely represented at the first annual summer tournament of the state checker association, which is to be held in the rooms of the Rutland Business college in Rutland next month. The annual tournament was held in Barre last winter, when the finish of play among some twenty-five contestants left the championship in doubt. David Stephens of this city and L. J. Eglington of Rutland as the principal contenders. The trophy was never awarded, as the state governing board finally decided that after eliminating other players who did not finish their games a tie existed between Stephens and Eglington. If the coming tournament, to be held Aug. 28, is successful an effort will be made to follow each winter tournament with a summer gathering. Barre, Montpelier, Randolph, Burlington, Ludlow and Rutland are among the towns and cities to be represented next month.

Notice.

A regular meeting of the Central Labor union of Barre and vicinity will be held in the carpenters' hall, Worthen block, on Friday, July 26, at 7:30 p. m. Angus McDonald, secretary.

TALK OF THE TOWN

Get one of those voile dresses at Abbott's.

Adjourned meeting of tool sharpeners' branch, No. 2, at 7:30 Wednesday evening in polishers' hall.

Dr. A. H. Laroche of Springfield, Mass., is visiting at his home on Railroad street for a few days.

The Barre pipe and drum band will give another of its popular open-air concerts in City park this evening.

Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Stewart of West street left the city yesterday for Boston, where they will spend a few days on business.

Mrs. Martin Lanie left for her home in Louisville, Ky., yesterday, after passing a few days with her stepson, John G. Lanie.

Do not forget the auction sale of household goods Thursday, July 25, 1 p. m., in the evening. O. J. Dodge, 200 North Main street.

Walter Adams of Worcester, Mass., a former employe of the Homer Fitts Co., is passing a vacation with his parents on the Montpelier road.

The street department will inaugurate the July garbage collection next Monday, and the collectors will follow the usual street routes from day to day.

R. E. Gerry, who has been visiting Mrs. Harriet White of Seneca hill and with other friends in the city returned this morning to her home in Charlotte.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Scott of Orange street and Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Tilden of South Main street have gone to Essex county, where they are passing a week in camp at Little Averill lake.

Don't forget to send in your savings account books for verification before Aug. 1. A large number have already complied with the law and sent them in, but there are many more to be verified before Aug. 1.

Mrs. Herman C. Davis and children of Washington street returned to the city last evening, after passing two weeks with relatives in Stillwater, Mass. Mr. Davis has returned from a visit with his parents in Chelsea.

Miss Nellie Scampini of North Main street and Caroline Calcagni of Humbert street left the city yesterday for Highgate Springs, where they will join a number of Barre young women, who left the city earlier in the week for a week's camping trip.

Miss Lottie Merrill of Franklin street, who is taking a two weeks' vacation from her duties as a clerk at the Daylight store, left the city yesterday for Bethel, where she expects to make a visit of several days at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Merrill.

Rev. J. B. Beardon of Church street, who is passing much of his vacation in the hayfield, will preach in the Universalist church in Barre will be reopened in mid-August, after the usual month's suspension of services.

Private Percy F. Haskett, who has been spending a furlough of several days at the home of his mother on North Main street, while recuperating from a severe injury to his right ankle, after being confined to a field hospital for seven weeks, expects to return to Hemptstead, L. I., this evening, where he is stationed at the Hemptstead camp. Private Haskett is attached to the signal corps, aviation section.

Recently the Boston Globe printed a half-tone of the new postoffice in Skowhegan, Me., and in the descriptive matter below mention was made of the fact that the architect whose thorough knowledge of building was used while the Barre postoffice was in course of construction. That Barre has a government building architecturally far more pleasing to the eye than most of the federal buildings in Vermont cities is due in a large measure to Mr. Nealy's careful supervision.

Campers at Caspian lake, Greensboro, were much interested Monday afternoon in watching a swimming feat accomplished by Miss Barbara Hooker, when she swam across the lake in its widest part and back, without stopping or touching land. Miss Hooker has swam across the lake before, but was ambitious this season to make the round trip. Conditions were not the best for making the attempt, as she had to breast quite strong waves on her outward trip. She entered the water at 4:10 and reached the opposite shore at 5:20. She was swimming strong at the finish and could have gone a longer distance if necessary. It is estimated that the distance across the lake at this point is a mile and a quarter. Miss Hooker is probably one of the best lady swimmers in Vermont. Before the camping season is over she will no doubt attempt a swim from the upper to the lower end of the lake, a distance of three miles.

Pipe Band Concert To-night.

The Barre pipe and drum band will play the following marches and strathspeys and reels in City park this evening, the concert to begin at 8 o'clock, with Eustace Ritchie acting as pipe major: "The Highland Lassie Going to the Fair," "The Earl of Mansfield," "The Cock of the North," "The 92d Gordon Highlanders" Selected popular airs by Fordyce Ritchie "The Hills of Glenochy" "The 79th's Farewell to Gibraltar" "The Marquis of Huntly" "The Kilt Is My Delight."

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These are a lot of odd Dresses of our season's best values, together with a few we were able to pick up at a special price.

These Dresses are all on one rack at very tempting prices.

At \$4.98 is a lot of Dresses in a variety of the season's best styles. Are Dresses that are finished with fine French embroidery. Are Dresses that sold at from \$5.50 to \$7.50 each and are the season's best values at those prices. Now to clean up at \$4.98.

In this lot of Dresses are a few Fine Plaid Voiles, made in the season's best styles, to sell at \$6.50. Now only \$4.98.

At \$4.98 there are a few odd Dresses in the heavier materials, such as a Cotton Striped Serge Coat Dress. Was \$7.50.

In this clean-up lot of Dresses are some odd Striped and Figured Voiles in the season's best qualities, made in a variety of good styles. Are Dresses that sold at from \$8.75 to \$10.00. Now to close, \$7.50 each. At \$4.98 are a half-dozen Fine White Lace Net Dresses, some plain tucked skirts, others embroidered, all White. Are Dresses that sold at from \$10.00 to \$15.00, to close at \$4.98. The lace is worth much more than that alone.

One Lot of Wash Skirts

We have about a hundred odd Wash Skirts in White and colors, mostly all White, in all sizes and prices from \$1.00 to \$7.50 each. These are sized up on one table to close at one-third off the original price. A \$1.50 Skirt sells for \$81.00, a \$5.00 Skirt sells in this sale at \$3.50. The cloth alone would cost you as much.

This is just the weather that you want these values. Make your selections early, while we have your size.

We have a few Rajah and Plain Linen Suits that sold at from \$6.50 to \$10.00 each. You can have your choice of these at \$1.49 each. You can buy them for the skirts alone and make good money.

In Wash Silk Waists

We have another lot of those Wash Silk Waists, in all colors and White, also Black, at only \$2.00 each.

The Daylight Store

TALK OF THE TOWN

Mr. and Mrs. James Stephen of Madison street left last night for a visit in Old Orchard, Me. New Haven, Conn., and Quincy, Mass.

Hammond Douglass, who was formerly employed in Barre as a granite cutter, arrived in the city yesterday from Squantum, Mass., to pass a vacation of a week.

Frank G. Rogers, the express man, received a serious injury yesterday while unloading freight at the Central Vermont station. Mr. Rogers was transferring barrels of sugar to his auto truck when one of the stakes on the deck of the car struck him in the forehead. The blow rendered him momentarily unconscious, but employees in the freight office used restoratives and later he was able to drive the car home. His condition was improved to-day.

Autolists who have favored Williams-town golf in their travels this season are wont to remark upon the carelessness of picnic parties who neglect to remove odd scraps of paper, lunch boxes, etc., after their outing. Most of the picknickers halt near the site of the old Spring house and the accumulation of wastepaper left by them has not added to the beauty of the golf. It has been suggested that parties tarrying in the golf for luncheon would do well to preserve the attractiveness of the big ravine by burning the paper before they leave.

Dellie Merlo has received from a taxidermist in Glover the two-headed calf which attracted attention in Barre last spring when an east hill farmer brought the bovine prodigy to the city to sell. The calf is mounted on a mahogany pedestal, and people who have had experience with taxidermists say that the man in Glover did a fine thing when he took the little Holstein and converted it into a lifelike figure. The pose of the calf as it left the taxidermist's shop is so convincingly lifelike that folks who have inspected the work are prone to believe that a portion of oats placed under its nose would bring the bovine to life. Mr. Merlo is considering several datterling offers for the effigy.

Help Feed a Soldier.

"Do you know that every bushel of wheat now saved means the support of a soldier on the battle line until the next harvest?" says the August Woman's Home Companion. "As no soldier can live without food, every bushel of wheat is the actual equivalent of a fighting unit. The moral is clear. We must supply soldiers. But it is useless to supply the fighters themselves unless we can also supply the wherewithal upon which the soldier lives. The number of men we can put in the field is in direct relation to the number of men we can feed in the field. Will you support a soldier until the next harvest?"

STOCKS IRREGULAR.

But the Specialties Were Mainly Higher in New York.

New York, July 24.—Stocks continued at the opening of to-day's session their uncertain course of the preceding days of the week, standard issues displaying irregularity, while specialties were mainly higher. Firm strength in features included industrial alcohol, Texas company, Marine preferred, Sumatra tobacco and tobacco products, while circulate and midvale steels, Chesapeake and Ohio and United Fruit were among the heavy issues. U. S. steel made a nominal advance with leading rails. Liberty bonds were steady.

NEW HEAD OF ELMIRA COLLEGE.

Rev. Dr. Frederick Lent of New Haven Elected President.

Elmira, N. Y., July 24.—Rev. Dr. Frederick Lent of New Haven has been selected the fifth president of Elmira college, the oldest exclusively women's college in the world. Dr. Lent is an instructor in Yale university and the present pastor of the first Baptist church of New Haven. He is a native of Nova Scotia. Dr. Lent succeeds Rev. Dr. John Balcorn Shaw, who recently resigned the presidency.

FRIENDLY TO UNITED STATES.

Chile Newspaper Proposes Permanent Naval Commission.

Santiago, Chile, July 24.—Establishment of a permanent naval commission to the United States similar to the one now in England, is proposed by the Mercurio, which advances the suggestion in an editorial article under the title of "Our Seas Constitute the Best Union with the United States." Admiral Gomez Careno is suggested as the head of such a commission.

Colonel Roosevelt's Refusal.

The refusal of Colonel Roosevelt to be a candidate or accept the nomination for governor of New York squares with the obligation he owes to all his countrymen and most of all to those among them who have gone to the colors, afield and afloat. The position of governor is one whose power and usefulness he will understand. Because he does misappreciate its consequence to the country he is unwilling to see the position held by one who is not both fit and free to give his thought and time to the discharge of its duties. He is fit enough, as the record shows, and would make a great war governor, but he is not free because his whole heart is in the war and the whole country stands in constant need of his counsel and criticism, his experience and his expertise, and over and above all, his example in all the relationships of life in war time.

It is desirable that the state of New York should have for the next two years a war governor who is loyal, competent and unafraid of his job. But our man power has not dwindled so suddenly that the nation must sacrifice its own best interests in behalf of any state. Were Colonel Roosevelt to be conscripted as a nominee for either House of Congress, his course in the premises might be more difficult to decide. Certainly, however, he must not lend himself to any party in any state as a political pulmotor at this time. It would have pleased the nation and our allies had he been allowed to lead to France last year his four sons and the volunteer force which was ready to rally behind his sword. When that privilege was denied him however, he did not sulk in his tent, and to-day he personalizes more than any other American in private life and to many millions more than any American anywhere the meaning of the war as it comes home to the families, rich and poor alike, of those who are fighting to make the world safe. He is therefore a national asset of the highest value, and his leadership cannot be loaned to any state, even its own.—Boston Transcript.

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