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BARRE DAILY TIMES THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 5, 1918.

The Weather Rain to-night; cooler in Vermont; Friday partly cloudy, probably rain in eastern Maine; cooler in interior; moderate to fresh shifting winds.

TALK OF THE TOWN

Goddard opens Sept. 17. Miss Flora Nishini of Waterbury was among the business visitors in the city to-day.

Dance at Woodbury pond every Friday night. An ideal spot and a good time—adv.

Dance, armory hall, Montpelier, Thursday night. Gentlemen 50c, ladies free. Chatfield's orchestra, eight pieces—adv.

Frank L. Small of Eastern avenue left this morning on a business trip to Boston in the interests of Smith, Whitcomb & Cook.

Miss Nina Caselli of Maple avenue, who has been passing the summer at home, has gone to Waterbury Center, where she is engaged to teach this year.

Mrs. George Milne of Grantville and Mrs. David Morgan of Bassett street left to-day by auto for Burlington, where they will visit relatives for a few days.

Miss Elizabeth Smollett, who has been passing a vacation at her home in Barre, has returned to Claremont, N. H., where she is attending a training school for nurses.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Calogami and family of Humbert street returned to the city last evening from Milford, N. H., where they have been making a visit of the past few days.

Miss Rose Levin of Merchant street is employed as cashier in the Union Clothing store during the absence of Miss Rebecca Cheever, who is enjoying a vacation of two weeks.

"The Girls Over Here," a patriotic play, will be given in East Montpelier village hall Friday evening, Sept. 6. Supper and dance after the play. Proceeds for the Red Cross.

Mrs. Charles Keith of North Seminary street returned last evening from Waterbury, Conn., where she has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bird for a fortnight. She was accompanied by Mr. Keith, who passed Labor day in Waterbury.

"The Naulakka," by Rudyard Kipling, a six-reel feature of the east and west, featuring Helene Chadwick and Antonio Moreno, and a two-reel Lonesome Luke comedy, Bijou to-day. Machine is in perfect running order now—adv.

Jamae Robertson of Orange street, who has been detained from his duties at the A. P. Abbott Co. store during the past few weeks, following an automobile accident in which he was injured near Newport, N. H., resumed his duties this forenoon at that store.

The aldermanic health committee is planning a vigorous clean-up campaign for September, as the monthly garbage collection, due the last week in August, was omitted. According to the schedule blocked out in the spring, monthly collections are to be continued until December.

Andrew J. Barclay, who left with a contingent of Washington county men for Camp Devens yesterday morning, was notified by the county board that his father, Peter Barclay of east Hill, had passed away. The message reached the young man at Concord, N. H., and he was able to arrive home at an early hour this morning.

W. G. Kimball of Maple avenue, who has been employed as a brakeman on the Barre & Chelsea railroad several months, will complete his duties in that capacity this evening. Mr. Kimball, together with Mrs. Kimball, expects to leave the city in the near future for Portsmouth, N. H., where he has secured employment at the government shipbuilding yards.

Adolfo Comelli, who is attached to Co. A of the second mechanical unit at the University of Vermont at Burlington, was a visitor at his home on Comelli street yesterday afternoon, returning to Burlington late in the afternoon by automobile. It is the general feeling that the second unit, which has been pursuing the course at the university during several weeks, will be moved to another camp within a short period of time.

With the opening of school sessions in a number of the schools in the towns surrounding Barre, many of the district school teachers, who have been spending the summer months at their respective homes in the city, are leaving to resume their duties. Among those who left the city yesterday were: Miss Eda Buzz, who will resume her duties in the Corinth schools; Miss Amelia Guidici, 1918 graduate from Spaulding high school, who will commence her duties in the schoolhouse known as the Shady Hill school in Middlesex, and Miss Nina Caselli, who will begin her duties in the schools in Waterbury Center.

One of Barre's quarrying firms as well as the entire district was honored in Chicago recently when the International Granite Monument Producers' association, which met in the week when the national retailers were convened, elected S. Hollister, president of the Stone & Co. president of the organization.

Among the monument producing states represented at the meeting were Maine, New Hampshire, Vermont, Massachusetts, Rhode Island, Pennsylvania, North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia, Wisconsin and Minnesota, combining nearly ninety per cent of the monumental granite interests of the country. Mr. Jackson's election was unanimous.

Kiltie musicians who have been affiliated with the Barre pipe and drum band since its organization more than a year ago were out in force this morning to honor one of their comrades who is off for the training camp. Andy Falconer, leading side drummer in the band, left with the Washington county contingent for Camp Upton, but before his departure the Scottish musicians gave him a lively send-off at the station in Montpelier. Other drafted men appreciated the music, and the serenade proved a fitting farewell for the entire contingent. Mr. Falconer is one of the two band members who have had military training, and his knowledge of the formations figured materially in the parade work of the musicians.

Notice. All those having bills against the Central Labor union of Barre and vicinity for supplies to the Labor day picnic please have same in the hands of the secretary not later than Saturday, Sept. 7, as the committee wishes to clean the matter up as soon as possible. Angus McDonald, secretary.

Regular meeting of Winnetka council Thursday, Sept. 5, at 7:30 p. m. Refreshments. Important business to come before the meeting.

MONTPELIER

The freight traffic on the Montpelier & Waterbury railroad has reduced so late that Wednesday the way freight, which has been operated on the road for many years, was taken from service. This caused a general reorganization of the help, older men "bumping" younger ones. M. G. Sawyer, who has been running on the way freight, has taken the Barre yard, while Engineer Kane has taken the mixed, which causes Engineer Rivett to take spare running and probably bring regularly. The rear end crews have been similarly changed around.

Miss Elsie Forgue has returned from a visit with Mrs. W. Rochell and Mrs. V. Cordella in Hardwick.

W. H. Jeffrey of the board of charities will send this week a little Italian girl from Barre to Mary Fletcher hospital for a long treatment of a curved spine which resulted from infantile paralysis. A Milton child has also been sent to the hospital, while in a few days a Moretown child is to be taken to the hospital. This work is being done with the funds that have been placed in Mr. Jeffrey's hands for removal of defects in children.

Miss Ethel McNeil has gone to Annapolis, Md., where she begins her duties as a Red Cross nurse.

R. W. Simonds, who has been in Boston, is in Burlington to-day relative to some industrial hearings.

Miss Laura Keegan is taking a vacation from her work in the library reference bureau.

Miss Eleanor Lowe, Mr. and Mrs. Mason S. Stone and Mrs. Gertrude Berry have gone by automobile to Northampton, Mass., where Mrs. Berry resumes her duties as house mother at one of the cottages connected with Smith college.

Miss Agnes Lynch has resumed her work in the weights and measures office and Miss Eileen Burns is taking her vacation from the same office. Mrs. Kenneth Kirk is assisting the office during the vacations.

At the meeting of the board of civil authority last evening 15 names were added to the check list.

The assistant judges of Washington county who have charge of the county courthouse, have notified the Washington county local exemption board that the court will need all the available space in the building in the coming term of court, so that the local board is completing plans to vacate the room which it has occupied in the courthouse regularly and has taken the matter up with B. B. Barry, so that it is expected that the work will be done in the federal building; there being two rooms that appear to be available for the board. The date of the moving has not yet been announced.

Miss Ethel L. Bush of Kennedy, N. Y., has been engaged by Montpelier seminary through the state educational department and will teach the model class of teachers as part of the teacher training course of the seminary. It is a new course of study for the students who are taking the training course. Miss Bush will take pupils of different ages from schools in nearby towns and, using one room in the seminary, will teach these as a rural school should be taught, giving the students in the training course a chance to watch the process of teaching rural schools. Miss Bush is a graduate of the high school in Jamestown, N. Y., and the state normal school at Fredonia, N. Y. She has taught four years and is especially adapted to primary teaching. The model class is a new feature in instruction and will be watched by the educators of the state with interest.

The First Congregational society of Montpelier and the Bethany Congregational church society are to consolidate and have filed papers in the secretary of state's office for that purpose, after which the church will be known as the Bethany Congregational church of Montpelier.

Adjutant General H. T. Johnson has received an order from the war department authorizing his department that it may drop members of the local or district boards, may appoint new members or may add to the membership of the board at any time that the efficiency of the board is not 100 per cent or such part of it as appears to the office to be right. This means that the government reserves the right to pay the local board members a substantial sum, expects good service.

Fred Baker of Randolph has paid a fine of \$1 and costs for selling short weight in delivery of ice, the case having been tried Wednesday, before a justice in that town. The complaint was lodged by residents of that town with the weights and measures department in Randolph, resulting in the prosecution.

In probate court a hearing has taken place relative to the settlement of the trustee account of C. C. Putnam, jr., of a fund created from the estate of C. C. Putnam, sr., in favor of Harriet Putnam. H. W. Kemp was recently appointed trustee of the fund and the hearing was for the purpose of locating the \$10,000 which is supposed to be turned over to Mr. Kemp. It appears to have been lost or has disappeared. The hearing was not completed. In the settlement of the Mr. Putnam, sr.'s estate, the fund was set aside, but it is not settled whether it was turned over to the first trustee.

L. C. Moody, clerk of Washington county court, is notifying the attorneys that the court will be formally opened Sept. 10, and then take a recess until the 16th, and that the jury will not come until the following day. This change will give time to complete the repairs now under way in the court house. The change is made because the attorneys and others will be engaged in different matters the week of Sept. 10, including registration for the draft, which takes place on the 12th.

No less than 500 cats were stopped in Bellows Falls last Sunday by officers stationed at each of the five entrances to the village, who questioned each chauffeur as to whether the trip was for business or pleasure and whether they had their license with them. Most of the cats were from Massachusetts, New York or New Jersey, and the occupants were returning to their homes from the White mountains and other vacation resorts. Several did not have their licenses.

Paul Freeman, 14, son of Mrs. Bertha G. Freeman of Brattleboro, was drowned late Friday. So far as is known there were no witnesses to the accident and the body was not recovered until after dark. The boy's mother, who is a dressmaker, asked him to go to Main street on an errand. After a lapse of several hours as he did not return, Mrs. Freeman began making inquiries, but nobody had seen the lad. Neighbors then began to search, some of them going to the hole where several persons have been drowned and the body was found by dragging in about 15 feet of water. It was fully dressed. Why the boy went there and other circumstances of the accident are not known.

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IN WOMEN'S OUTER APPAREL, INCLUDING THE SMARTEST AND THE NEWEST STYLES IN TAILORED SUITS, FASHIONABLE NEW COATS, WOOL DRESSES, etc., every garment showing the latest ideas in fall and winter fashions, and making, indeed, a very interesting display.

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U. S. BOYS WORKING RESERVE. CHANCELLOR APPEALS FOR NEW FRANCHISE

An Outline of What the Organization Proposes to Do. To the high school boys of the United States and their parents. My Dear Friends: The U. S. boys' working reserve is an organization that is endeavoring to mobilize the high school youth of this nation for productive work in this time of national crisis, chiefly upon the farms. Already the farms of the country have been denuded of fifty per cent of their hitherto available farm hands. They are about to be further denuded. It is positively certain that the farmers cannot harvest their crops without the help of the members of the U. S. boys' working reserve.

Veteran Airman Fell. V. A. Bishop Crashed Through House Roof, But Wasn't Seriously Hurt. Vancouver, B. C., Sept. 5.—V. A. Bishop, royal flying corps ace, home on furlough, fell in a hydro-airplane yesterday onto the roof of a residence. The motor, dislodged by the impact, crashed through the roof and Bishop followed. He was reported as not seriously injured.

Dropped 40-Tons of Explosives. On Towns of Brancourt and Anisy-le-Chateau During Raid by 148 Allied Airplanes. Paris, Sept. 5.—(Havas.)—Nearly forty tons of explosives were dropped by 148 entente airplanes on the towns of Brancourt and Anisy-le-Chateau south of Coucy forest, on Aug. 29, in connection with the advance of General Mangin's army, says the Matin. Important material damage was done.

Arrest Kerensky's Relatives. On Orders of the Bolshevik Extraordinary Commission in Russia. Amsterdam, Sept. 5.—All the relatives of Alexander Kerensky, the former provisional premier of Russia, have been arrested by order of the bolshevik extraordinary commission, according to the Ivestia of Moscow.

Notes of Interest. Reserve a few dollars for the District Nurse Fund. School Shoes. These are the days when the School Shoe question looms up again in every family where the children attend school. They must have good, strong shoes that will stand the racket of the playground and still look well and have the shape that fits the feet.

People's Shoe Store. C. S. Andrews, Prop. 14 State St., Montpelier—Currier Block, Barre.

Special Sale Saturday. ENAMELED WARE 49c. This is the biggest yet. Kettles and Pans, eight different shapes. Only one Kettle to a customer. No telephone orders taken on this sale. Come early.

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TALK OF THE TOWN

Miss Marion Murray of Providence, R. I., a former resident of Barre, is passing a vacation of several days with relatives in the city.

Harold Johnson of Richardson street commenced his duties at the F. D. Ladd Co. store this forenoon. Mr. Johnson is a 1918 graduate from Montpelier seminary.

Julius Mendelsohn of Plattsburg, N. Y., who has been registered at Hotel Barre while here in the interests of Payette & Mendelsohn, which figured in a municipal court suit Tuesday and won a verdict, has returned to his home.

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George Bowes, a former resident of Barre, who is acting as a church organist in Burlington, recently called on friends in the city.

Henry Kenniston of Plainfield called on friends in Barre this morning while on his way to Burlington for a business visit of a few days.

Another star has been added to the honor roll of the Barre Granite Manufacturers' association, the addition standing for Jerome Veronesi of the Veronesi Granite Co., who is taking the mechanical course in the Springfield, Mass., high school.

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