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TALK OF THE TOWN

Miss Hazel Gonyo of Williamstown visited friends and relatives in Barre over the week end.

A son was born at the City Hospital Saturday to Mr. and Mrs. Leslie J. Russell of Currier street.

Miss Dora J. Blouin left this morning for Springfield, Mass., where she has secured a clerical position.

Miss Ella Hoyt of Chazy, N. Y., is visiting at the home of Miss Marjorie Andrews of Maple Grove street.

Miss Ruby Bradbury, who teaches school in East Calais, spent the week end at the home of her mother in Barre.

E. M. Laws, manager of the Barre Candy Kitchen, left yesterday for Boston, where he will visit for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. O'Brien will open their bakery Tuesday, Sept. 23, at 40 Keith avenue. They solicit your patronage—ad.

Mrs. Janet Clark, who lives with her niece, Mrs. H. Dingwall, and who suffered a shock a short time ago, does not get any better.

Nick Stroutos of the Stroutos shoeshining parlor has returned from a week's vacation spent in Buffalo, N. Y., and Boston.

Mrs. George Delford and Mrs. Walter Cutney of Orfordville, N. H., are visiting their nephew, Charles Smith of South Main street.

Miss Josephine Fontana of Central street returned this morning to her school in Ryegate, after spending the week end at her home.

Mr. and Mrs. George Wood, who have been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Hillis, left for their home in Worcester, Mass., to-day.

Mrs. John Kellogg and daughter, Mamie, have returned to Bethel after visiting a few days at the home of James Sullivan of Brooklyn street.

Miss Emily Dodge, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Dodge, went to Burlington this morning to enter the freshman class at the University of Vermont.

Miss Louise Canton of Maple avenue arrived home Saturday from a three weeks' pleasure journey with relatives and friends in Massachusetts and Connecticut.

Special meeting of K. of C. Tuesday evening, Sept. 23, at 7:30. A very important matter will come before the meeting and every member is asked to be present.

Clifton Kelly, a waiter at Jack's restaurant on Depot square, resumed his duties this morning after an absence of a week, which he spent with friends in Queen City park.

Important! Special meeting of Bright Star Rebekah lodge, No. 18, this (Monday) evening at 7:30 o'clock. Every officer is requested to be present, as there is important business.

A joint meeting of the ladies' auxiliary and Clan Gordon No. 12, amusement committee will be held in the clan rooms in Miles' granite block, room 17, on Tuesday evening at 7 o'clock.

Ralph Smith and Clarence Burke, sophomores of the University of Vermont, went to Burlington 16-day by automobile to make the necessary preparations for their re-entrance to college work.

Miss Gladys Turner returned yesterday to Burlington, where she has been employed the past year as a stenographer, after passing her vacation at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Turner.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald M. Leith and Mr. and Mrs. William Murray, who have been spending the past week with relatives here, returned to their home in Kingston, N. Y., yesterday, making the trip by automobile.

Mr. and Mrs. George Ledward of Concord, N. H., the former of whom is connected with the New England Granite Co., are visiting at the home of Mayor and Mrs. E. C. Glysson, having come to Barre by automobile.

Passport for eight Italians were received in this city last week and had telling effects, for when the midnight train whistled out of the local station Saturday night the eight Italian citizens were bound for their native land.

Gelsi Monti has returned to his home here for a few days before returning to Boston university to continue the study of law. During the summer he has been canvassing through New York and Pennsylvania as an agent for several magazine publishing companies.

Mr. and Mrs. John B. Kelly of Liberty street and Mr. and Mrs. Antoine Burke of Summer street completed Saturday night an extended automobile tour through New York state, lower Canada and northern Vermont. While away they attended the Malone, N. Y. fair, visited at Plattsburg and later Montreal.

Miss Fanny G. Perry, formerly supervisor of drawing in the Barre public schools, was married at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel W. Perry, in Nashua, N. H., Saturday evening to Giles E. Landers of Cataumet, Mass.

Rev. William H. Morrison of the Universalist church of that place being the officiating clergyman. Mr. and Mrs. Landers will make their home in Cambridge, Mass. Mrs. Landers was a successful supervisor of drawing while in Barre. She resigned her position during the middle of the last school year.

The initial game of the Spaulding high school football team against the alumni team resulted in a defeat for the younger and inexperienced players with the score 26 to 6. Though defeated, Coach Ross was entirely satisfied with the showing of the candidates, for they displayed considerable aggressive work against their towering opponents. Their only asset was training against the speed, weight and experience of their antagonists. Many fans turned out for the practice game, showing much of the old football spirit. Nearly every candidate of the high school team was given an opportunity to play against the older men, who endeavored to acquaint them with a few of the intricacies of the sport.

At the first kick of the game, the alumni team was playing with the alumni; John Gordon fullback, T. Tomasi right halfback, Ralph Smith, left halfback, Nelson Brown quarterback, P. Eager center, C. Marrion left guard, H. Venetti right guard, Ed. Carroll left tackle, S. Mortimer right tackle, N. Gordon, right end and M. Willey left end. E. Cruickshank and W. McLung entered the game later.

The high school team consisted of Murphy as center, Belville, left guard, Jones right guard, O'Keefe right tackle, Ladd left tackle, Olliver left end, Smith right end, Reardon quarterback, L. Denmore fullback, Brown left halfback, Denmore right halfback. James Sector refereed the game and had occasion to introduce a new rule. Ralph Smith had received a long pass over the line from Quarterback Nelson Brown and with an open field dashed off a hundred yards for a touchdown. According to the latest rules, a pass is not legal if caught over the line of the teams in formation and, therefore, the 100-yard run was in vain.

Granite Cutters' International Association of America.

A regular meeting of the Barre branch of the G. C. I. A. of A. will be held in Clan Gordon hall.

Una riunione regolare dell' unions degli scapellini (branch di Barre) avra' luogo nella sala di Clan Gordon.

On Monday evening, Sept. 22, at 7 o'clock. J. McKernan, Secretary.

TALK OF THE TOWN

All blacksmith shops in Barre will be closed Wednesday.

Dance in Howland hall on Wednesday evening; Gilbertson's orchestra—adv.

Herbert of Prospect street left yesterday for Hemmingford, P. Q., where he will visit for a few days.

Regular meeting of the L. A. A. O. H. Tuesday evening at 7:30 in Worthen hall. Initiation and refreshments.

Largest line of new and second-hand ranges and heaters in Barre at lowest prices. E. A. Prindle, Worthen block.

Miss Madeline Sullivan of 6 Averill street is employed at the Barre Candy Kitchen, beginning her duties there last Friday.

Grapes, grapes, grapes. A carload just in. Best for making jellies, wines or preserves. Come and see them. Charles Zauloni—adv.

Miss Robina Skinner of Quincy, Mass., returned to her home after spending a week at the home of Mrs. John Leslie on Nelson street.

Floyd Gerrard left yesterday by auto for Brunswick, Me., where he will attend Bowdoin college. Mr. Gerrard is a graduate from Spaulding with the class of '19.

Mrs. William Bippus and son, Lloyd, of Hartford, Conn., left here for Greenfield, Mass., Saturday to make a visit with relatives before returning to their home.

George Hunt of Derby Line registered at the seminary Saturday as a junior in the college preparatory course. His athletic specialty is hockey, he having been quite prominent in that sport in other schools.

Mrs. George G. Foster of Boston, who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Holt of Hill street for the past two weeks, left here Saturday afternoon for Baltimore, Md., to visit her husband, a superintendent of a large contracting firm.

Miss Alice Miles of Hartford, Conn., arrived in Barre the last of the week, being called here by the illness of her mother. Mrs. Andrew Miles, who was taken to the hospital last Wednesday. She will remain in Barre for a few weeks.

The D. A. Perry Real Estate agency sold for Mr. and Mrs. Frank Provost of Barre their home place on Brook street to S. M. Porter and wife of Stowe to-day. Quite recently Mr. Porter disposed of his large farm in Stowe and is now coming to Barre to live.

The first of the regular Sunday evening services held during the school sessions at Goddard started last evening in the school assembly hall at 7 o'clock under the direction of the senior class president, Paul Cate. After the services a topic committee was appointed to choose leaders and topics for the ensuing meetings.

An informal dance and reception, given under the auspices of the senior class to all the other classes at the school, as well as the alumni, was held in the auditorium of Goddard seminary Saturday evening beginning at 8 o'clock and continuing until 12. Among the 250 young people were a great many alumni of recent classes stepping to the popular air of Landl's four-piece orchestra. Refreshments of punch and wafers added to the enjoyment of the affair.

Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Gooley and two sons, who came here during the early part of last week to call on many of their acquaintances in the city for a few days, motored back to their home in Newtonville, Mass., accompanied by Miss Gladys Gooley, who spent two weeks with friends here. Miss Olive Burgess, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Riley Burgess of Washington street, was included in the motoring party to Newtonville, where she is enrolled in the entering secretarial class at the Mount Ida school.

The ladies of Barre have an unusual opportunity on Wednesday at the Methodist church to hear missionary speakers of great ability, especially Mrs. Thirkel, national president of the Woman's Home Missionary society, and other women well known in the denomination for their work along that line. The convention opens Wednesday morning at 10:30 and continues through that evening. Ladies are asked to bring a basket lunch for the dinner Wednesday noon, the women of the church furnishing tea and coffee. Supper will be served at the church.

While playing about the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Clark at 86 Washington street Friday afternoon, the four-year-old daughter of Mrs. Howard Rydberg of Montreal stepped upon a hose used by Chauncey Bixby in washing his car and sustained a broken leg. In her path lay the line of hose and when about to step over it Mr. Bixby pulled the line at a critical moment, and the child's foot to the ground, effecting the fracture between the hip and knee of the left leg. She was taken to Mr. Clark's home, where Drs. Goodrich and Chandler set the bone. Mrs. Rydberg was called here last week by the illness of her mother, Mrs. Clark.

One of the enjoyable annuals of the ladies' Mascebees was held Friday evening at the farm of Amos Hall on the east hill, the affair being a corn roast with the corn furnished by Mr. Hall and Mrs. Sanborn. Nearly 50 members of the society met at Lincoln camp and walked to the farm, where a large bonfire had been built by Mr. Hall. Around it stories that amused were told and an impromptu program furnished by several of the ladies preceded the roasting of corn. Before making the return to the ground, a rising vote of thanks was tendered the donors of the corn.

A number of autoists from Barre reporting having seen an overturned automobile yesterday about a mile this side of West Topsham. The car, a Chevrolet bearing the number 24544, from New Hampshire, was tipped completely over, bearing its weight on the top and hanging on the edge of the river bank.

The car was apparently making the corner driving from West Topsham but was for some reason unable to make the curve and smashed through the iron railing. It was said that the driver and one passenger were picked up by another auto party and taken where they could receive aid for their injuries.

All the ladies in Barre who are interested in missions are cordially invited to attend the convention which is to be held this week Tuesday and Wednesday at the Congregational church. This is the annual meeting of the Woman's Home Missionary union and the Vermont branch of the Woman's Board of Foreign Missions. The convention opens to-morrow evening with a supper served at 6:30 o'clock in the Congregational vestry, which will be free to visiting delegates, and to which the women of the church will be welcome at a small charge. Following this, around the tables, the preliminary business of the convention will be taken up, the addresses coming Wednesday, the morning session opening at 9 o'clock, the afternoon at 1:30 and the evening at 7:30. Dinner and supper on Wednesday are to be served in the Universalist vestry by the ladies of that church, in order to give the Congregational ladies an opportunity to take advantage of the convention without the anxiety of serving meals. Splendid speakers will deliver addresses and the program is especially interesting.

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GOVERNOR CLEMENT NAMED

As One Head of National Budget Committee Campaign.

Governor P. W. Clement has been appointed one of the state chairmen of the national budget committee, the appointment having been made by John T. Pratt, chairman of the commission. He has appointed nine state chairmen who will, in their individual states, lead the committee's campaign to secure the adoption by Congress of a national budget system.

National organization work will be under the immediate direction of Charles F. Nesbit, former insurance commissioner for the District of Columbia.

The chairman selected as a nucleus for this work are Governor Percival W. Crampton of Montpelier, Benjamin Ide Wheeler of San Francisco, Cal., Henry P. Scott of Wilmington, Del., Alexander W. Smith of Atlanta, Ga., Silas Strawn of Chicago, Ill., P. H. Saunders of New Orleans, La., Walter S. Dickey of Kansas City, Mo., Arthur N. Pierson of Westfield, N. J., R. G. Ribbet of Charleston, S. C.

Letters explaining the aims of the committee have been sent to leading men and women in all walks of life throughout the country and many favorable replies have been received at the committee's offices, 29 Liberty street.

Members of the organization will be divided into three classes, namely: Charity, contributing and annual. In order to facilitate the task of state chairmen, Mr. Nesbit has arranged a system whereby no executive in the state organizations will be responsible for the work of more than 10 individuals.

The aims of the national budget committee are fourfold: (1) to promote independent, non-partisan and constructive inquiry concerning the revenues and expenditures of the government; (2) to advocate the adoption of a national budget system whereby national expenses are systematically estimated and balanced and revenue planned accordingly; (3) to submit to the duty of the president to submit and to assume responsibility for a budget; (4) to develop budget procedure and other steps for more responsible government.

The members of the board of directors of the committee who are co-operating with Messrs. Pratt and Nesbit are: Gov. Benjamin Strong of the federal reserve bank of New York, Paul M. Warburg, Joseph P. Cotton, Henry L. Stimson, former secretary of war, and Dr. Samuel McCune Lindsay.

Mr. Pratt declared that the national budget committee is not fostering any of the budget bills or resolutions presented at this session of Congress, but that it is prepared to co-operate with select committees to which budget measures have been referred. The movement, he added, is a patriotic effort to turn the thoughts of the American people toward matters of national finance and to secure a real budget to protect public interest.

Washington Fair.

I went one day to Washington To see the annual Fair, The day it was most beautiful, And prancing to and fro' Tho' some were blind, and some were lame, Yet 'round and 'round they'd go, The farmer's hair was waving, you could view it from afar, And see them burn their whiskers, while A-smoking their cigar. (Repeat chorus)

—By the late John Brown.

MR. HOOVER'S WARNING.

Europe Impressed by His Summary of Economical Conditions.

An impression perhaps not fully realized in this country has been made in Europe by the memorandum of Herbert Hoover on the economic situation. The London Spectator says: "Mr. Hoover, who understands better than any living man the material, social and moral condition of Europe, has used language about the situation which is the most menacing, the most soul-shaking, that has been used within living memory." "We have been living in 'a fool's paradise'."

Mr. Hoover stressed the urgent need of increased production, and this side of his argument is being emphasized by many as though labor were wholly to blame. But his memorandum, based on a wide and thorough study of conditions in Europe, covered much more ground than this, and showed that governments have their share of responsibility. The continuation of the blockade after the armistice, he says, has destroyed enterprise even in open countries, and prevented any recovery in enemy countries. The uncertainties produced by the protraction of the twilight zone between war and peace have checked the flow of raw materials and have prevented industry from getting a fresh start.

The alarming conclusion is reached that at no time, not even at the height of the war, has the production of necessities for the 450,000,000 people of Europe been at so low an ebb. The industrial and commercial demoralization caused by the war has been continued and increased by "the struggle for political arrangements during the armistice, the creation of new governments, their inexperience, and friction between these governments and the readjustment of economic relations."

Unhappily these conditions have not changed. A great part of Europe is still blockaded, the newly created governments are being aided and encouraged to fight each other, millions of men are under arms, a burden on society, the resumption of trade is checked by jealous governmental interference. How under these conditions is Europe to recover? It is estimated that 100,000,000 of its people must live on imported food—how is the food to be paid for? America might as an emergency measure give credits, but if they were given for more than

temporary purposes the result would be the economic slavery of Europe to the western hemisphere and the ultimate end would be war again.

Mr. Hoover's remedy calls for the removal of obstacles to commerce, the utmost stimulation of industry even if it involves high prices, the rigid control of waste on luxuries which compete with essentials, and the utmost economy by governments and people. Efforts to lower prices by government control he in general opposes, on the ground that high prices automatically bring relief by checking consumption and stimulating production. But the great thing is to increase useful production in every possible way.

It is felt by those who have studied the situation, says the Spectator, that "Unless a remedy is found and found quickly, there is a real danger of Europe falling into the condition to which she was brought in the ninth century. That means plague and famine, and the demoralization that goes with them, following each other in horrible succession till civilization breaks down altogether." The case though grave, is not incurable, provided Mr. Hoover's prescription of hard work and free commerce is followed. But the coming winter will be the severest test that Europe has yet had.—Springfield Republican.

Didn't Believe It.

"Agnes says she's a perfect 36." "Don't make me laugh. It must be her age she referred to, instead of her figure."—Boston Transcript.

Some Tribute.

Francisville Times—"Our scholars are getting a splendid start this fall. Miss Jones, the teacher, is to be congratulated on having a set of scholars that will learn fast in spite of her methods of instruction."—Boston Transcript.

Expression Defined.

"Pa, when is a man a confirmed liar?" "When nothing he says can be confirmed, my son."—Boston Transcript.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to express our thanks to all our friends for their words of sympathy given during our sad bereavement in the death of our husband and father; also for the beautiful flowers.

Mrs. James Imlah and family.

Monday Special

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- Pint E. Z. Seal Jars, per dozen \$1.10
- Quart E. Z. Seal Jars, per dozen \$1.20
- Fitz-Em-All Jar Rubbers, per dozen 10c
- 6 lbs. of Red Star Sweet Potatoes for 25c
- Best Native Potatoes, cash and carry, per peck. 40c
- Best Lard Compound, cash and carry, per lb. 28c
- Bee Brand Tomatoes, cash and carry, per can 15c
- Van Camp's Evaporated Milk, cash and carry, can 15c
- 3 cans Van Camp's Tomato Soup, cash and carry. 25c

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