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BARRE DAILY TIMES

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 25, 1919.

The Weather Partly cloudy tonight and Friday, probably showers; cooler Friday in New Hampshire and Vermont; Saturday probably fair; moderate to fresh south and southwest winds.

TALK OF THE TOWN

A new shipment of hats arrived today. Mrs. Birnie, 4 Laurel street, adv. Bean supper, Presbyterian church, Saturday night. Everybody's going. Are you?—adv.

Miss Rachel A. Dix, a senior at the University of Vermont, returned to the college Tuesday morning. Largest line of new and second-hand ranges and heaters in Barre at lowest prices. E. A. Prindle, 10 North Main street. There will be a meeting of the Vermont Poultry association at the city building Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock. Miss Elizabeth McLeod is spending a few days with Miss Ruby Head of Keith avenue before leaving for Springfield, Mass.

Mrs. E. K. Ellis of Medford, Mass., formerly of Barre, is visiting at the home of Mrs. Charles Williams of Brooklyn street, her sister.

D. J. Morse, formerly with A. P. Abbott & Co., is showing a full line of ready-to-wear merchandise at 20-22 State street, Montpelier.—adv.

Talking about pumpkins, how's this? Wayne Bartlett of Plainfield can show you a giant pumpkin of the Mammoth variety weighing 82 pounds.

Richard Taylor is employed as stock clerk at the Perry automobile garage to take the place of Miss Bertha Nason, now bookkeeper for Dr. D. C. Jarvis.

The mission circle of the Universalist church will meet with Mrs. Horace Richardson to-morrow afternoon, Friday, at 2:30 o'clock. Watch work and consecration.

Miss Elizabeth Hoar, Miss Rachel Hollister and Miss Frances McWilliams left yesterday for Medford, Mass., and Jackson college, a branch of Tufts college.

John Connor of Westerville pleaded guilty to a second offense of intoxication in city court yesterday and was released after paying a fine of \$15 with costs of \$5.

Robert G. Warner of Boston, New England manager of the Cosmopolitan magazine, who was formerly a reporter for the Boston Post, will be in this city for the next few days.

The first rehearsal of the pageant to be given at the Methodist Episcopal church Oct. 5 will be held Friday evening at the church. It is requested that each one having a part be on hand promptly at 7 o'clock, so that all who have other engagements may be released early.

A walking club was organized yesterday among the girls of Goddard seminary, with Miss Wilma Kircher president, Miss Eloise Bailey secretary and Miss Frances Wood treasurer. The girls will be allowed to wear the athletic letter of the school as soon as they have walked a distance of 300 miles.

The auction sale held at the farm of L. Davidson of Plainfield Tuesday and conducted by D. A. Perry, auctioneer, was well attended. The farm stock brought good prices; potatoes were sold at \$1.37 per bushel and hay at \$22.25 a ton. To-day Mr. Perry is selling the farm and stock of Charles N. Lee in Roxbury.

Miss Mary McCarthy of Sumner street returned last evening from Sherbrooke, P. Q., where for the past two weeks she has been acting as emergency nurse for the Ingersoll Rand company while the regular nurse took her annual vacation. Miss McCarthy expects to return to-day to the Heaton hospital in Montpelier to care for a patient, who has postponed her operation for the return of Miss McCarthy.

Nelson D. Stuart, son of Mr. and Mrs. David Stuart of Spaulding street, entertained a number of his playmates at his home yesterday afternoon, the affair being in the nature of a birthday party. Master Nelson, celebrating his 7th anniversary. Games were played and light refreshments served. Remembrances in the form of gifts were left in large numbers by the visiting friends.

In the special election for town clerk in Barre Town to fill the office which will be made vacant Oct. 1 by the resignation of W. H. Miles, E. R. Nerney of Westerville was elected by a vote of 224 to 95 for A. C. Dickie of East Barre. The office of town clerk will be located after next Wednesday at Westerville instead of at Graniteville. Mr. Miles has been town clerk for 18 years and is undecided as to his plans. Mr. Nerney has resigned his position as postmaster at Westerville. He is a merchant in that village and one of the town's influential citizens.

The annual election of officers for council 401 of the Knights of Columbus resulted with all the officers of the past year being re-elected, with the exception of the deputy grand knight, who resigned, and the trustee whose three-year term expired. The officers for the ensuing year are: E. J. Owens, grand knight; John B. Kelly, deputy grand knight; James Mackie, chancellor; D. J. Sullivan, recorder; Dennis Lenahan, financial secretary; T. J. Denning, treasurer; John T. Nelson, warden; Charles E. Burrows, inside guard; G. L. Gregoire, outside guard; Georgia Lucia, trustee for three years; Martin Riley, rs., advocate.

The whist party and musical entertainment given under the auspices of the ladies' aid of St. Monica's parish in the Knights of Columbus hall last evening for the benefit of the poor was completely successful both in entertainment and financial results. The musical program opened with an overture, waltz by St. Cecilia and Murray's orchestra, composed of 10 violinists, pianist and drummer. Eighteen little tots arrayed in white garments then appeared before the large gathering to entertain with folk dances. Clement McMahon, baritone soloist, aroused considerable applause when he sang "Dear Old Pal of Mine." Next came the fancy Scotch dancing by Little Marie Pirie that was cleverly performed in the Scottish gay colors. Louis O'Leary was equally well greeted and applauded for the vocal solo, "Tears Tell," answering with another favorite for the encore. The first part of the program was completed by Aubrey Marrion, who displayed his oratorical ability in a selected recitation. Whist tables were then arranged in the hall, where the 75 or more people enjoyed the card games and competed for the prizes, which were won by Mrs. Patrick Brown and Mrs. Anne Sullivan. After the card games Emil Franz, James McLeod and Farrell Murray rendered several fine selections. Dancing predominated them until the close of the evening at 11 o'clock. Piano accompanists for the musical program were Mrs. James Bennett, Miss Beatrice Papin and A. Lutz.

Special communication of Granite lodge, No. 35, at A. M. Friday, Sept. 26, at 6:30 p. m.; work, E. A. and M. M. degrees. Per order, W. M.

MONTPELIER

City Council Warned to Make Out Requirement for Funds.

The regular meeting of Montpelier city council occurred Wednesday evening with Aldermen Farrar and Yett absent. Mayor Shurtleff urged the council members that the heads of departments submit requisitions for the finance committee would have little knowledge of where it stands. He then read some big bills in which the departments had not used requisitions and of which the finance committee had no knowledge. F. B. Thomas and A. C. Theriault, representing the American Legion, asked that an arrangement be made whereby their organization could use the memorial hall. The matter was left to the property committee to report, after ascertaining whether the agreement with the G. A. R. had been nullified. The Salvation Army was given authority to hang an electric sign at the corner of Main and State streets. The matter of resurvey of Cummings street was referred to the street committee. It was supposed to have been a two-rod street, but appears to be three rods wide, which takes away all the doorways on that street. Alderman Bowers brought up his East State street sidewalk scheme again, but no action was taken. Mayor Shurtleff and members of the council urged lack of funds. The Playgraph and the Poultry association were given authority to use the city hall subject to arrangements of other organizations that have been granted the use of the hall. Hill street is under the process of repairs after three years' delay. The Past Grand association's request to conduct a street dancing party was referred to the street committee. Wire Inspector Ladd was given a vacation to go to the women's convention in Springfield, Mass. The water committee was given authority to cut hemlock timber on city property, the intent being to use it next summer for plank sidewalks.

The thunder storm of last evening did quite a little damage to the telephone lines running out of Montpelier. A meeting of the Montpelier Concrete Products company was held last evening in the city court room.

A meeting of the Montpelier post of the American Legion will take place this evening in the armory. Although the officers have 100 members and are above the city's quota in membership, they want to make a bigger showing.

The will of A. E. Denney was proven in probate court this morning. He recently died in Northfield.

Mrs. Thomas Sherman of the educational office in the new state building, who has been ill with grip, is recovering.

Harry A. Black, W. F. Scott and Benjamin Gates, as state officials, to-day signed the \$1,000 bonds which have arrived at the state treasurer's office, the bids upon which will be opened Friday afternoon in the state treasurer's office.

The reports of accidents this morning included E. E. Campbell of Waterbury reporting a son of Frank McGrath of Waterbury running into Mr. Campbell's automobile. It appears that the boy ran into the street, not seeing Mr. Campbell, but Mr. Campbell was able to turn enough so that the child was not hit, but the child ran into the side of the car. His mother saw the accident and did not blame Mr. Campbell in any way.

The report of the accident in which the automobile of A. H. Temple of Montpelier and E. H. Bailey of Graniteville were involved was received this morning. The accident occurred in Barre. There were some 20 accident reports this morning, the most of which were adjacent to Rutland and that portion of the state.

General H. T. Johnson and Colonel Walter Harvey went to St. Albans last evening to visit the office of the machine gun company and to-day are visiting in Burlington relative to the organization of a company in that city.

Willard Colton, who has been suffering for five weeks with an abscess back of one ear, is improving. An operation has been performed, which is relieving the pressure.

VERMONT D. A. R. ELECTION. Mrs. John H. Stewart of Middlebury Is Chosen State Regent.

Middlebury, Sept. 25.—The following officers were elected yesterday afternoon at the 20th annual conference of the Daughters of the American Revolution: State regent, Mrs. John H. Stewart of Middlebury; state vice regent, Miss Jennie A. Valentine of Bennington; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Winifred S. Huntley of Middlebury; recording secretary, Mrs. J. H. Rust of Burlington; state treasurer, Mrs. Esther L. Edwards of Poulney; state auditor, Mrs. E. H. Prouty of Montpelier; state historian, Mrs. Frank B. Gillingham of Woodstock; state chaplain, Mrs. A. B. Engren of Rutland; and state librarian, Mrs. Wilfred F. Root of Brattleboro.

After the report of the committee on resolutions and various announcements, the greater part of the delegates and others attending were taken by automobile and otherwise to Cornwall to a tea, to which they were invited by the Mary Baker Allen chapter of that town. The evening exercises were held at Masonic hall and comprised music and addresses.

Dr. Ezra Brainard, former president of Middlebury college, gave an interesting talk on the "Old Trails in Vermont," and Prof. H. P. Williamson, de Vismé, spoke in an interesting manner of "Devastated French Villages." The meeting closed with singing by Mrs. L. I. Bonney.

MARSHFIELD Masonic hall, North Montpelier, Sept. 26, a dandy big 7-reel feature, entitled, "Come Through"; also one-reel comedy, "Eight reels in all. Time, 8:30. Admission, 20c and 30c, war tax paid.—adv.

ORANGE COUNTY FARM BUREAU

Notes for Week Ending Sept. 20.

On Tuesday evening the county and home demonstration agents attended the regular meeting of the Taplin Hill Farmers' club at Ralph Carter's. The subject for discussion was "The Advantages and Disadvantages of the Holstein Cow." There was an average attendance in spite of the rainy weather and a good meeting was held.

Wednesday evening Vershire grange was visited. The home demonstration agent gave an interesting talk on the history of the early grange and read accounts of the pioneer work of the grangers of nearly half a century ago. The county agent spoke briefly on the "Accredited Herd," answering several questions and distributing several bulletins on the subject.

Friday and Saturday were spent in Randolph and Braintree in the interests of cow-testing work and memberships for the farm bureau. Saturday afternoon the home demonstration agent attended a picnic of the Girls' club at Braintree branch. Friday afternoon she met the Girls' club at West Brookfield.

This week the agents expect to attend the Washington fair for the three days. The home demonstration agent will have an exhibit in floral hall, while the county agent will be ready to help in whatever way he can. He will be specially glad to help any who may have trouble in keeping their farm account book and records.

The Chelsea Board of Trade has taken another step in the advancement of agricultural interests in Chelsea and vicinity. By co-operating with the farm bureau they have secured O. M. Campbell, extension dairy specialist of Burlington, to give his stereoscopic lecture on the value of purebred sires, Friday evening, Sept. 26, at the town hall in Chelsea. Everyone interested in better farming will be welcome. There will be no admission charged. The subject is right in line with a nation-wide activity which is sweeping the country with the object of improving the quality of the stock kept on our farms. Remember the date and come.

A warning has come to the farm bureau office of the presence in the country of dread potato disease, the potato wart. As yet no reports have come to us that the wart has been found in this state but it is well to be on the lookout for it, especially on those farms where seed has been brought in from outside the state. The disease is readily recognized by rough spongy outgrowths varying from the size of a pea to that of the tuber itself being produced at the eyes or at injured places. These outgrowths are first light brown but later turn black and quickly decay. Report all suspicious cases to the county agent.

Recipe for the week: Grape Jam—Select grapes about one-half of which are under ripe; wash and stem fruit. Separate pulp from skins. Cook pulp for 10 minutes and press through a sieve to remove seeds. Add 3/4 cup of water to each quart of skins and boil until tender. Put pulp and skins together and measure. For every quart use 1 pound of sugar. Bring fruit to a boil, add sugar, and cook, stirring frequently until thick and jellylike. Pour into sterilized jars and seal at once.

H. A. Dwinell, County Agent. F. Mildred Grant, Home Dem. Agent.

GRANITEVILLE Miss Carolyn L. Riddell the Bride of Newport, N. H., Man.

Miss Carolyn L. Riddell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Riddell of Graniteville, and Edward Beauchamp of Newport, N. H., were united in marriage at 6 o'clock Monday evening, Rev. John B. Reardon of the Universalist church of Barre officiating. The couple were attended by Mr. and Mrs. George C. Milne, sister and brother-in-law of the bride. The bride was becomingly attired in a traveling suit of blue with a picture hat. A beautiful supper was served at the home of the bride, where there was a reunion of the family. Mr. and Mrs. Beauchamp were the recipients of many beautiful gifts, including cut glass, china ware, hand-painted china, linen and money. The couple will leave in the near future for Sunapee, N. H., where the groom has employment.

Thursday night, Gilbert's hall, big show, "Open Your Eyes," in seven acts. Two shows. First show at 7 p. m. sharp; second show at 8:30. Admission, 35c, war tax 4c. Persons under 16 not admitted.—adv.

Mrs. Mariani will be in lower Graniteville at Mrs. Lewis McLeod's, Friday, Sept. 26, with an assortment of all the latest fall and winter hats.—adv.

Public dance, East Barre opera house, Friday night, Sept. 26. Ericson's orchestra. Dancing from 8 until 2. Admission, \$1 per couple; ladies free. Gallery, 25c.—adv.

Card of Thanks. We wish to extend sincere thanks to our friends for their varied acts of kindness during our quarantine, also to the Graniteville Sunday school for kind remembrance of fruit. Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Niven and family.

Vermont Bee Keepers. Pittsford, Sept. 25.—The annual meeting of the Vermont State Beekeepers' association was well attended at the home of G. Frank Hendee yesterday. The principal speakers of the day were William A. Silser of Philadelphia, J. E. Crane of Middlebury and R. H. Holmes of Shoreham.

The following officers were elected for the year ensuing: President, Frank D. Manchester of Middlebury; vice-presidents, J. H. Clark of West Pawlet, G. W. Fasset of Middlebury, S. Davis of Bridport, and secretary-treasurer, Ernest Larabee of Shoreham.

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SATURDAY—LILA LEE IN "ROSE O' THE RIVER" The well-known book by Kate Douglas Wiggin, a neat little romance with interest enough to keep you rereading until the end. Also a Sunshine comedy, "WILD WOMEN AND TAME LIONS."

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