

Four Remarkable Specials

For Saturday and Monday

AT RITCHIE'S

At \$5.00

One lot of Ladies' Summer Suits good styles, finest workmanship and materials. The skirt alone is worth more than the price asked which is about 1-3 of cost.

At \$1.49

One lot of wash silk Blouses in white and colors. All this summer's styles, selling at \$2.25 and \$2.50. A stylish, comfortable waist of good quality silk at a little price.

At 98c a pair

Ladies' Oxfords and Pumps, broken lines, odds and ends of our \$3.00, \$3.50 and \$4.00 shoes. Your size is here at 98c a pair.

At 42c

1 lot of Rugs 27x54 inches in Brown, Green, Red, Blue and Mixtures. Fast colors and good wear guaranteed.

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:-: A. K. RITCHIE :-:

DR. THOMPSON
IS ON HIS
VACATION
Will Return Saturday, Aug. 15

DR. ROLLIN D. JENNEY
DENTIST
WILL BE IN
ARLINGTON THURSDAY
MANCHESTER CENTER MONDAY

ARMOUR SAVES WHEAT TRADE

Helps Entangled Firms and Seeks Heavily on Exchange

Chicago, July 31.—Armour's millions today rescued the wheat trade from panic.

Instead of chaos, resulting from a settlement day in the midst of a war market, with possibility of scores of firms being embarrassed, the Board of Trade was enabled to maintain its record of never having closed, no matter how great the emergency. Tonight not a single failure had taken place, seventy-five entangled firms and individual on 'Chances' receiving from the Armour people what ever aid they required.

A BENNINGTON MAN'S EXPERIENCE

Results Tell The Tale

Can you doubt the evidence of this Bennington citizen?

You can verify Bennington endorsement. Read this:

"R. J. Taylor, prop. Putnam House Livery, Bennington, says: 'For several years I had backache, directly over my kidneys. It came and went at regular intervals at first, but for the last two or three years it annoyed me almost constantly. Then I had headaches and dizziness and a cold always made me worse. I was compelled to pass the kidney secretions often. I was advised to try Doan's Kidney Pills and I procured them at Cole's Drug Store. They did me a great deal of good soon after I commenced taking them. The pain in my back left and the other troubles were removed. Time has not altered my high regard for Doan's Kidney Pills and I willingly endorse them again. For six years now I have been free from kidney trouble.'"

Whitney Theatre

TO-DAY
PICTURES

In The Bonds
of Passion
3 reel drama

Universal Ike and
the New Cook
Western Comedy

MONDAY
LUCILLE LOVE

BENNINGTON BRIEFS

News of the Town and Village Told Briefly for Busy Readers.

Miss Elizabeth Murphy went to Schenectady today for a visit.

Neopolitan ice cream, pints and quarts at Quinlan's drug store, Adv.

Elmer Rockwood of Park street has purchased a Ford touring car from the Bennington garage.

The baseball game today in the Recreation league will be between the All-Stars and the All-Giants.

Miss Margaret Battles of Main street who has been spending several days in Woodford, has returned to her home.

Miss Helen McWilliams of Perth Amboy, N. J., who has been visiting for a couple of weeks at the Sibley camp at Barber's Pines, returned this afternoon to her home.

Specials for Saturday at B. Slimintz's store: \$3.00 and \$4.50 ladies' white dresses for \$2.49; \$2.50 and \$2.00 ladies' dresses for \$1.49. 5312

The first of a series of baseball games between the Amateurs and the Hoosick Falls local nine will be played at Morgan park this afternoon the game being called at 3.30. The Amateurs are playing excellent ball this season, having won the last five games.

All girls over fifteen years of age are invited to the marshmallow toast on the playground on Wednesday night. It doesn't matter if you have even been there before. Come and join our fun. Plans for minstrel show to be given later will be discussed.

Mrs. Jennie Burgess returned Friday from Troy where she has been with her daughter, Jane, who recently underwent an operation in the Samaritan hospital of that city. Miss Burgess has recovered from the shock of the operation and is getting along very nicely.

Henry Lincoln of Rutland, the trainman on the Chatham train of the Rutland railroad, who was in the accident in the local yard Thursday afternoon, sustaining injuries from which he died Thursday night in a Troy hospital, was a brother of Mrs. Sidney F. Edson of this village.

The open-air meeting at the Soldier's home on Sunday afternoon will be held at 2.15 this week, August 2nd so as to be free from the band concert. A short meeting will be planned and all who are interested are invited to come and help make the meeting helpful. The Y. M. C. A. workers will be in charge.

The Second Congregational church cordially invites all not worshipping elsewhere to attend its summer services. The pastor, Rev. George S. Mills, has returned from his vacation and will preach tomorrow morning, four of worship is 10.30, Sunday school at noon. C. E. meeting, to which all are most welcome, in the chapel at 6.50.

Pledge slips for 325 Chautauque season tickets (1915) are in the hands of Philip T. H. Pierson. There are thus far, thirty names on the guarantee list. Unless fifty guarantors are obtained, no contract for next year will be made, as each guarantee understood that he was to be one of fifty.

Services in St. Peter's church on Sunday will be, Holy Communion at 7.30 and 10.45 a. m. The subject of the sermon in the morning will be 'My Father's House.' Evening prayer at 5.00 p. m. with brief bible talk. Seats in St. Peter's are free and all are welcome. The rector leaves for his vacation next week. His address will be Ocean Beach, Long Island, N. Y.

Infection and Insect Bites Dangerous

Mosquitoes, flies and other insects, which breed quickly in garbage pails, ponds of stagnant water, barns, musty places, etc., are carriers of disease every time they bite you, they inject poison into your system from which some dread disease may result. Get a bottle of Sloan's Lintiment. It is antiseptic and a few drops will neutralize the infection caused by insect bites or rusty nails. Sloan's Lintiment disinfects Cuts, Bruises and Sores. You cannot afford to be without it in your home. Money back if not satisfied. Only 25c at your Druggist.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve for Sores

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING

Town Farm Question To Be Considered Aug. 15.

The inhabitants of the Town of Bennington qualified by law to vote in town meeting are hereby notified and warned to meet at Library Hall in said town on the 15th day of August 1914 at 9 o'clock in the forenoon to transact the following business.

1. To see whether the Town will vote to empower and authorize its Selectmen to build a house in which to keep the Town's poor; to see what sum, if any, shall be appropriated therefor and to provide for the payment thereof.

2. To transact any other proper business found necessary when met.

Dated at Bennington Vt., this 31st day of July 1914.

E. M. Crawford,
Frank Cromack,
W. R. White,
Selectmen.

Vermont Electrocutings Too Frequent

Electrocutions are becoming altogether too frequent in Vermont. Every few days somebody is killed by coming into contact with wires carrying electricity of high voltage. In a great percentage of the cases the men are employees of electric lighting and powers concerns. Late Friday afternoon an employee of the Rutland company was killed, probably instantly, by receiving a current of 2,000 volts, and this week a lineman for the lighting company at Montpelier met death in exactly the same way. The frequency of these electrocutions suggests that some prompt remedy of the trouble, whatever it is, should be found. If greater safety appliances are necessary to reduce the hazards of the occupation of linemen they should be effected. If men too little familiar with electrical work are employed as linemen, this practice should be discontinued. Altogether too high a percentage of men employed in electrical work are injured or killed and the danger, whatever it is, should command the immediate attention of experts with a view to minimizing, if not eliminating.—Rutland Herald.

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JAMES S. SILK

Contractor & Builder
Office and Workshop
312 WEST MAIN STREET

UPHOLSTERING

C. A. Westhoff, practical upholsterer formerly with J. Ed. Waterhouse Co. will be in town for two more weeks. Persons having anything in the line of upholstering such as furniture, mattresses, curtains, cushions and slip covers, better see him before he leaves. Work done at residence if required. Prices reasonable, satisfactory a guarantee. C. A. WESTHOFF, 55 Gage St., Bennington, Vt.

CERTIFIED MILK

Rich Jersey Cream and separator milk. Fresh dairy butter churned every day. Cottage Cheese Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday
John M. Fay, 737 Main St.
Telephone 68 M



**Buyers to Share in Profits
Lower Prices on Ford Cars.**

Effective from August 1, 1914 to August 1, 1915 and guaranteed against any reduction during that time:

Touring Car	-	-	\$490
Runabout	-	-	440
Town Car	-	-	690

F. O. B. Detroit; all cars fully equipped. (In the United States of America only)

Further, we will be able to obtain the maximum efficiency in our factory production, and the minimum cost in our purchasing and sales departments if we can reach an output of 300,000 cars between the above dates.

And should we reach this production, we agree to pay as the buyer's share from \$40 to \$60 per car (on or about August 1, 1915) to every retail buyer who purchases a new Ford car between August 1, 1914 and August 1, 1915.

For further particulars regarding these low prices and profit-sharing plan, see the nearest Ford Branch or Dealer.

Ford Motor Company

Our Semi-Annual Suit Sale

In order to clean up the balance of our Spring and Summer suits we have made a price of **ONE-FOURTH OFF** on every suit in our store.

All Suits that were \$10.00	now \$7.50
All Suits that were \$12.00	now \$9.00
All Suits that were \$15.00	now \$11.25
All Suits that were \$18.00	now \$13.50
All Suits that were \$20.00	now \$15.00
All Suits that were \$22.00	now \$16.50

We mark everything in plain figures so you can see our regular low selling price and from that you can deduct **ONE-FOURTH**.

BURT BROS.

RITCHIE BLOCK BENNINGTON, VT.

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FOR RENT

On and after May 1st, the suite of rooms now occupied by Cluett & Sons opposite Library Hall.

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Library - Theatre

TO-DAY

2 BIG SPECIALS 2

THE CALL OF THE TRIBE A feature Kalem Indian drama in two parts.

CUTEY'S WIFE A special Vitagraph comedy drama in two parts, featuring Lillian Walker, Wallie Van and Flora Finch.

BRONCHO BILLY'S LEAP--A sensational western drama, featuring G. M. Anderson.

MONDAY
THE MAN ON THE BOX--in five big parts.

TUESDAY
THE MILLION DOLLAR MYSTERY--No. 7.

WEDNESDAY
ALICE JOYCE SERIES.