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BENNINGTON BRIEFS

News of the Town and Village Told Briefly for Busy Readers

Funny Charles Chaplin in "In the Park," opera house Saturday. Adv.
Frank Babbitt, who has been visiting here, has returned to Fair Haven, Mass.

Mrs. Frank Babeock has returned from a visit in Burlington and other places.

Dr. A. E. Houle has been called to Cohoes by the serious illness of one of his sisters.

A thrilling, romantic, exceptional drama in six parts, "Salambo," opera house today. Adv.

Mrs. Theresa Crawford of Brooklyn, a former resident, is visiting relatives in town.

Special added attraction at the opera house Saturday, Charlie Chaplin in "In the Park." Adv.

Henry Lodge of Troy who has been sojourning in Bennington, leaves today for Atlantic City, N. J.

Miss Florence Walbridge and her campfire girls enjoyed a days outing at Barber's pond Wednesday.

Mrs. J. B. Hannon has returned from New York with a line of new fall and winter millinery. Adv.

There will be a meeting of the W. R. C. this evening at 8 o'clock. A large attendance is desired.

"Salambo," a six-part World feature of scenic beauty and extravagance at the opera house today. Adv.

Acting that cannot be surpassed, excellent scenery, beautiful lighting effects in the six-part World feature, "Salambo," opera house today. Adv.

Miss Avilla McLaughlin, who has been passing a few weeks in town with friends, returned Thursday to Troy.

Lost—Boston terrier, female, dark brown brindle, white chest, answers to name of "Brownie". Notify Charles W. Thompson at Gokay's drug store. 6416

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William R. Daley, who has been in town for a portion of the week, returned to Brattleboro this morning. His wife and children who have been visiting in town, also returned.

Mrs. Anna P. Wood is visiting at her former home in Troy. From Troy she will go to Springfield, Mass., where she will reside in the future with her daughter, Miss Louise Wood.

The funeral of the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Willis Mattison was held at 2 o'clock this afternoon from the home, Rev. W. F. Meyer of the First Baptist church officiated. The burial was in the Waite cemetery in Shaftsbury.

The state convention of the Parent-Teacher association will be held in Bennington, Sept. 9 and 10. As there will be some expense connected with the arrangements a tax of 10 cents is imposed upon each member. The money will be called for the early part of next week.

Today and tomorrow are "Dollar Days" at the Joe Levin store. Mr. Levin has compiled a collection of dollar bargains that outclasses the quotations at any previous sale held in Bennington. The Levin store is the first in Bennington to announce a "Dollar Day," although such sales have been popular in the larger towns and cities. The new venture should be appreciated by residents of Bennington who are anxious to save money during the present business depression. Adv.

BIG LEAGUE BASEBALL

American League
Detroit 7, Boston 6, (12 innings).
Washington 2, Chicago 1, (13 innings).

St. Louis 10, Philadelphia 1.
New York 6, Cleveland 5.

	Won	Lost	P. C.
Boston	26	38	.647
Detroit	25	42	.641
Chicago	21	46	.607
Washington	19	55	.518
New York	14	56	.491
St. Louis	15	52	.485
Cleveland	14	51	.483
Philadelphia	15	49	.480

National League
Boston 4, Chicago 4, (nine innings, darkness).
Brooklyn 3, St. Louis 1.
Pittsburg 2, New York 1.
Philadelphia 4, Cincinnati 1.

	Won	Lost	P. C.
Philadelphia	62	50	.558
Brooklyn	62	55	.534
Easton	59	54	.522
Chicago	57	57	.500
Pittsburg	57	61	.483
St. Louis	57	62	.479
New York	52	60	.464
Cincinnati	54	63	.462

Federal League
Kansas City 6, Pittsburg 5.
Newark 4, Buffalo 1.
St. Louis 10, Chicago 6.
Brooklyn 11, Baltimore 9, 12 (innings).

	Won	Lost	P. C.
Pittsburg	65	51	.560
Newark	64	51	.557
Kansas City	65	54	.546
Chicago	65	55	.542
St. Louis	62	56	.525
Buffalo	58	66	.468
Brooklyn	57	65	.467
Baltimore	40	78	.339

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THE PACIFICATION OF MEXICO

False Assumption by the Critics of "Watchful Waiting"

The criticism of President Wilson's Mexican policy is based on the assumption that if another policy had been adopted peace long ago would have been established in the distracted country, with fewer American-owned property destroyed. The whole case of the alleged failure of the administration takes it for granted that opportunities to pacify Mexico have been neglected.

No proof of the assumption is offered, not does it appear that any can be offered. Diaz tried to pacify Mexico by force. With all his prestige and a well-organized army, supported by every special interest in Mexico, Diaz could not establish peace. He gave up when it was plain to him that if he did not give up he must face a civil war of indefinite duration.

Madero tried to give peace to Mexico and for a time succeeded, but ultimately failed. The scientific elements had not been whipped soundly enough. Those elements began against Madero a counter-revolution. Corrupting the army, they attempted a coup d'etat, leading up to Madero's murder and the usurpation of Huerta.

Huerta tried to establish peace by the force method. The longer he labored the more anarchic became conditions. After wrecking the country Huerta was compelled to flee to save his life.

Then the successful constitutionalists, under the leadership of Carranza and Villa, tried to restore order, but soon broke into two groups, and the war went on. It has been rarely manifest that it is not within the power of either faction in Mexico to compel a peace.

Diaz, Madero, Huerta, Carranza and Villa—these have all struggled to create a peaceful Mexico and have all failed. It is a warranted inference that peace in Mexico is not easy to command—that it is easier to demand it in newspaper editorials than to get it in fact.

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William H. Taft or of Woodrow Wilson or anyone else in this country to bring peace to Mexico. Either could have sent an army into Mexico. But this would not have meant peace. The crossing of the border by our troops would not have protected the lives of Americans in Mexico or prevented the destruction of American-owned property. More American lives would have been lost than have been saved. More American-owned property would have been destroyed than has been destroyed. Conditions in Mexico are bad. In all likelihood they would be much worse than they are if President Taft or Wilson had either of them yielded to the advice to "go in."

If the present administration's policy is a failure because peace has not come through it to Mexico, then forcible intervention, if it had occurred when urged, would have been more of a failure. Americans in Mexico have not been well-protected. They would not have been protected at all if Mexico had been united against us in a patriotic war. It is well to look the facts in the face.

Now, it is possible that American intervention, especially if executing the mandate of the principal American nations, may be effective to establish peace. Mexicans of all shades of opinion have been slowly persuaded of this country's good faith. American intervention for the restoration of order would now be welcomed to many Mexicans. A new situation has been created by the policy of "watchful waiting," and this new situation contains some promise of peace—real peace. If a contrary course had been followed, our troops would probably be in Mexico City by this time, but Mexico would be desolate beyond her present desolation. Beyond the range of our guns would be guerrilla warfare. To beat down the resistance of 15,000,000 people in a Globe.

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