THE BENNINGTON EVENING BANNER

THIRTEENTH YEAR—NO 3723 | BENNINGTON, VT., SATURDAY, MARCH 4, 1916. | PRICE ONE CENT

Vermont Is 125 Years Old Today. Seeing It's Our Birthday Don't Let's Get Mad Over Rum, Referendum or Other Slight Annoyances

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—G o substantial 8 room house, with shed in rear. Piazza slate roof, City water, and toilet located on Maple St near Gage St., a very desirable property and has never been offered for sale before. Price $2200. Nash & Hutchins 18tf

FOR SALE To close the estate, the owner will sell or rent or might exchange for village property a farm of 167 acres, 1 east of just off Main road between Bennington and South Shaftsbury, the land is about equally divided, there is wood for home use, spring watered pasture and good well at house, good set of farm buildings, owner will include stock and tools for the very reasonable price of $2200. Nash & Hutchins 18 f

FOR SALE—Two Cypher egg incubators 144 egg capacity each; 1 Mann brooder, No. 7; Rhode Island Red and Buff Wyandotte cockerels and pullets. Also 50 more second manuel. Mountain View Poultry Farm Tel. 171-W. 15 f

FOR SALE—Eggs for hatching White Wyandotte straight Pasel strain. Wonderful winter layers 50 per cent fertility guaranteed. Prices five to eight cents each, according to quantity and pens. W C H. Cushman, North Bennington Vt., phone 163 J 14tf

FOR SALE—Chestnut Fence Posts, any size desired, also seed barley a dozen. J. H. Peters, North Bennington Tel 183—15 7t2

FOR SALE Extra good black work horse seven years old, 1250 pounds. Kind and gentle effectly fearless One express wagon equipped with brace Three Rhode Island Red cockerels. Guy C. Stanley, North Bennington Vt. 8t 5

FOR SALE 40 horses. We just arrived with 30 head to pick days rounds, black browns and grays 800 to 3 50 ages 5 to 6; several sale 2 50 to 2800; several up to 1 marc in foal, 1 black mare 6 1400, 1 black horse 1900, a few single horses 1,250 to 1,500. We can save you money if you want good healthy nice horses, as we buy direct from farms where raised. No second rate stuff We buy in large quantities than any dealer in this state; have 150 head ready to ship now in Iowa. All horses warranted next load in two weeks. Gulliver & Wood, Fairhaven, Shelburne Falls, Mass. 9t 8

FOR SALE Farm of 96 acres, 2 1-4 miles from Arlington St. about 30 acres in meadow, 20 acres in pasture with trout stream enhance timber with pine and white birch that will almost pay for farm 9 room house painted, slate roof Barn 24 36 with cement floor Barn 20x24. Sugar Orchard, running water at barn, well and cistern at House Other will include farm machinery and tools worth about $400 Price $1700, part cash. Nash & Hutchins. 2tf

FOR SALE—Small place in South Shaftsbury consisting of eight room house in good condition 3-4 acre of land, more or less, quantity small fruit and out buildings and good well. Apply to C. P. Salmons, South Shaftsbury. 2tf

FOR SALE—One 1915 Ford Touring car equipped with shock absorbers, at a low price. Bennington Garage E. W. Williams 44tf

FOR SALE Don't pay rent; $15.00 per month for 20 years, with interest, amounts to $6,721 39 Buy a lot and save this. I can sell you a building lot on Main St. Grant St. Elm St., Weeks St., Dewey St., Putnam St., Washington St., McKinley St., Dunham St., Evesett St., Convent St., Monument ave., and several new streets. Geo. H. Dewey, Agt. 36tf

WANTED

WANTED—Experienced and steady man to work on farm. Either married or single. Address John Robinson South Shaftsbury. Phone 153-12 24t6

WANTED—Laborers at Pownal Lime Co. North Pownal Vt. Ten hour day, rate $1. 23t6

WANTED Salesman, who can sell high grade paints and lubricating oils, to territory open. Liberal commissions. Splendid opportunity. Blackstone Oil and Paint Co. Cleveland Ohio

WANTED—Women wanted full time salary $1.00 selling guaranteed hosiery to wearer. Spare hours are time. Permanent. Experience unnecessary. For particulars and samples address Inter Hosiery Mills, Norristown, Pa. 23t1

WANTED—Girl for general housework Two in family. Apply with reference, 09 Gage St. Mrs. Tiffany. 24tf

WANTED—Experienced women knitters. Steady work. Will also take on a few learners. Bennington Hosiery Co., Division St. 19t6

WANTED—Boomers at 107 North street. 23t6

WANTED—Single man familiar with farming and farm machinery, references required, Vermont soldiers home. 23tf

WANTED Pine and oak Lumber in quantity, green or dry. Address Lumber, Banner Office. 22t2

WANTED—Washings and Ironings. Apply 111 Park St. 22t6

WANTED Men for Wood working department. See R. H. Williams Eagle Square Mfg. Co., South Shaftsbury, Vt. 2tf

WANTED—Girl for general house work Three in family. Apply 220 West Main St 21t6

WANTED—Domestic nursing, sewing or housework to do by the day. Apply 09 Gage St. Tel. 83-M. 21t6

TEACHER—Wanted immediately, mixed school, grades 2-7. Massachusetts salary $12 to $15 per week. Apply Nellie S Huth war, Tel. 326 w 17t 7

WANTED—Experienced cook by Mrs Fred Stevens of Hoosick Falls. Apply to Mrs. A. S Carpenter, 219 Pleasant St. 15tf

WANTED Young man as assistant knitter on Cooper spring Needle machines Good wages, steady work. Address Atlas Underwear Company, Richmond, Indiana. 15t5

Saws of all kinds filed and set, prices reasonable Est of Olin Scott 12t25

WANTED—White birch, yellow birch beech and hard maple on No lots too small dismember. Good prices paid. Rice Williams, Eagle Square Mfg. Co., South Shaftsbury Vt. 97tf

TEACHER—A young lady graduate of Emerson college, Boston Mass. Will give lessons in any of the Elementary and high school subjects except foreign languages including Elocution, day or evenings. Terms reasonable Any who are interested. Address Teacher, Banner Office 8t25

WANTED—Salesman, acquainted with retail merchant to sell our line of Hava a cigars. Salary and expenses or commission with drawing account. Reference required. Former experience in our line not essential. Good opportunity for right man. Must be ambitious, energetic and willing to learn our business and work hard. A. Landmark & Co., Denver, Pa. 8.6t

EMPLOYMENT FOR YOUNG WOMEN—At light manufacturing operations the work pays good wage and the girls' boarding house run by company and controlled by a competent matron affords a desirable home while learning. Address Waltham Watch Co. Waltham, Mass. 21t13

Children Cry
FOR FLETCHER'S
CASTORIA

3,130 LIVES WERE LOST ON BOARD PROVENCE

Vt. State Library

Greatest Single Disaster in World's History

PROBABLY SUNK BY GERMANS

French Cruiser Was Used as a Transport and Had 4000 Men on Board.

It was announced at the French ministry of war at Paris that there were nearly 4000 men in board the French auxiliary cruiser La Provence when she was sunk in the Mediterranean on February 26.

As the minstry of marine on February 29 announced that the number of survivors of the Provence disaster was estimated at 870, upward of 3130 lives were lost.

It was stated that on board the Provence were the staff of the 3d colonial infantry regiment, the 3d battalion and 2d company of the 1st battalion, the 2d machine gun company and one extra company.

The loss of more than 3000 lives in the sinking of the French auxiliary cruiser Provence is the greatest ocean disaster of modern times. The previous largest number of lives ever lost in one wreck was when the White Star liner Titanic struck an iceberg off the Newfoundland banks on April 14, 1912, and sank with a loss of 1595. The rescued numbered 743.

"No signs of a submarine were noticed either before or after the sinking. La Provence was armed with five cannon of 14 contimeters, two of 57 millimeters and four of 47 millimeters.

THOROUGH WORK

How Bennington Citizens Can Find Freedom From Kidney Troubles.

If you suffer from backache—

From urinary disorders—

Any curable disease of the kidneys,

Use a tested kidney remedy.

Doan's Kidney Pills have been tested by thousands.

Grateful people hereabouts testify.

Can you ask more convincing proof of merit?

Fred Thompson, farmer, North Bennington, Vt., says: "For some time, my back was lame and ached severely and I was hardly able to bend or stoop. Doan's Kidney Pills were finally brought to my attention and I began using them. They made me feel better in every way."

Price 50c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. Thompson had. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

Ford
THE UNIVERSAL CAR

More than ONE MILLION now in use—500,000 more are to be sold this year. No other motor car in the entire world has such a wonderful record for service. This year's lowered prices mean the same Ford car of quality and reliability for less money—that's all. The Runabout is $390; Touring Car $40; Coupelet $590; Town Car $640; Sedan $740, f. o. b. Detroit. On sale at

BENNINGTON GARAGE
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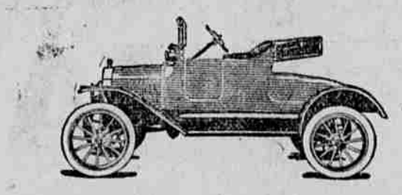

TWO FAST GAMES

Girls' Teams Play Good Basketball at Recreation Hall.

There were two excellent games of basketball at Recreation hall Friday evening witnessed by a good sized crowd of interested spectators. The visiting teams were from Dalton, Mass., representing the high school and the Y. M. C. A. auxiliary. They were opposed by the Bennington high school five and the Bennington Recreation team.

At the close of the game between the high school teams there was a disagreement over the score due to the failure of the score keepers to turn in reports that balanced. It was finally agreed to award the victory to the visiting team by a score of 11 to 10.

In the contest between the school girls, Dalton led in the first half by a score of 6 to 4 but in the second period the accurate basket shooting of Miss Nash for Bennington put the Vermont school on an equal footing. Dalton's ability to keep in the game was largely due to the accurate basket shooting from the foul line of Miss Hosburg. The little lady had a fine eye for distance and caged the leather four times.

The Dalton "Y" auxiliary won from the Bennington Recreation five by a score of 7 to 3. In this game the guards of both teams seemed to outclass their opposing forwards and allowed few opportunities to shoot for the basket. At the end of the first half Bennington had scored one point on a foul basket to a blank score for Dalton. In the second half, Miss Loomis, who is a former North Bennington girl, was unkind enough to score two baskets from the field and a basket from the foul line, while the best that Bennington could do was one field goal. The summaries:

Dalton high	Bennington high
M. Spiers, rf.,	lf., M. Nash
M. Hosburg, lf.,	rf., A. Green
F. Robinson, c.,	c., J. Brazil
I. Hoskeers, rg.,	lg., M. Fisher
M. Lawrence, lg.,	rg., B. Whiteley

Field goals, Brazil, Green, Nash 3, Spiers 3; foul goals, Nash 1, Hosburg 4, Spiers 1.

Dalton Y. M. C. A.

	Bennington Recreation
R. Loomis, rf.,	lf., Margaret Young
M. Jacobs, lf.,	rf., A. Farrer
B. Miler, c.,	c., Marie Young
R. Hosburg, rg.,	lg., F. McBride
W. Hoxies, lg.,	rg., H. Carpenter

Field goals, Loomis 2, Jacobs 1, McBride 1; foul goals, Loomis 1, McBride 1. Referees, Misses Warren and Vossler.

NORTH BENNINGTON

Mrs. Rogers of Wallingford is the guest of Mrs. M. C. Holt.

Mrs. Emma Nichols, who has been spending ten days with her sister, Mrs. H. I. Spafford, returned Friday to her home in Berlin, N. Y.

Maurice Rudd, who is wiring many buildings in town for electricity, spent Friday in Troy.

A. C. Torrance of Bennington has been spending several days in town.

The final number in the entertainment course given under the auspices of the Village Improvement association, will be given in Bank Hall, Monday evening, March 6.

Services at the Baptist church Sunday morning and evening as usual. The ordinance of the Lord's supper will be observed at the close of the morning service.

GOV. HANLY GIVES STRONG ADDRESS ON PROHIBITION

High School Hall Nearly Filled to Hear Indiana Executive

SPOKE OF PERSONAL EXPERIENCE

Prompted to Take Up Anti-Saloon Work from Results of Drink Manifest in Home State.

Hon. J. Frank Hanly, ex-governor of Indiana, gave one of the best addresses in support of Prohibition at the High school hall last evening, that has been heard in Bennington since agitation over the Perry bill first began to show signs of waking up the state.

High school hall was nearly filled to hear Gov. Hanly, as he drew a much larger crowd than Gov. Patterson of Tennessee and gave a stronger and more stirring address. He is a Roosevelt type of speaker, and spoke from a four-year experience with the liquor traffic in Indiana as he came into contact with it from the executive chair.

Gov. Hanly is a fighter. No one went to sleep while his address was in progress. Several times throughout the oration, his climaxes brought hearty applause from his audience. He was flowery without indulging in cheap sentiment or threadbare similes, and brought to bear upon his subject all the fine oratorical points of an experienced campaign speaker.

Gov. Hanly was born in a log cabin in Champaign County, Illinois, not far from the old home of Abraham Lincoln. He received most of his early education from his mother, being able to attend school but a few weeks for several years, then at the age of 13, started out to make his way in the world. At 41 he had worked up to the governor's chair of Indiana. He could have gone still higher, but became disgusted by the interference of the liquor traffic in the law-making and administring of a great commonwealth, the cases for executive clemency coming up for his attention which he traced back directly or indirectly to liquor, and the pitiful sights he had witnessed in the state's charitable institutions and reformitories among the children handicapped for life from the effects of the evil.

He started out to spend the rest of his life, aiming what influence and experience he had to driving the liquor business out of the nation.

Gov. Hanly was introduced by H. H. Webster.

GREATEST MINSTREL SHOW

Neil O'Brien's Big Show at Opera House March 13.

Minstrelsy as conceived and staged by Neil O'Brien will be the attraction at the opera house, Monday evening, March 13 with the popular Neil as the star and principal comedian. Mr. O'Brien has always been a great favorite with local minstrel fans, and promises this season a show entirely new throughout. While the company contains a few of those who were prominent in last season's organization, it has been considerably augmented this year and includes the following artists: Eddie Ross, Eddie Mazier, 'Lasses White, Pete Detzel, Major Nowak, David Morris, Jas. Baradi, Leslie Berry, Wilfield Williams, Geo. F. Peduzzi, Jonathan Haw, Dan and Al Palmer, Chas. Strong, Ed McMullen and many others. The features are all new to the minstrel stage and Mr. O'Brien has conceived and staged two new acts which he calls "Darktown's Bravest Fighting the Flames" and "The Penny Arcade."

NOTICE

I see that my name has been filed as a candidate for first constable on a so called independent ticket. This was done without my knowledge or consent and I do not want to have votes cast for me as I am a supporter of the regular Republican ticket.

Le Grand Colegrove.

EAST ARLINGTON.

Mrs. Davis will have a sale of second hand clothing at Nellie Bromley's on Thursday and Friday of next week. New lot of goods which will be sold very cheap to close out as this will be the last sale.

Old age enjoys a steady income, free from risk or care. Annuities furnish just this service and also give maximum income for minumum amount invested. National Life Ins. Co., of Vt. (Mutual) Earle S. Kinsley, General Agent, Mead Building, Rutland, Vt. Adv.

CITIZENS CAUCUS MAKES VILLAGE NOMINATIONS

A. W. Braisted Again at Head of the Ticket

ONLY ONE BALLOT LAST EVENING

Caucus Was Good Natured Affair and Did Its Business in Short Order.

There was only one contest at the citizens caucus held at Apollo hall Friday evening for the purpose of placing in nominations candidates to be voted for at the annual village meeting to be held on Tuesday March 21. Two candidates were placed before the caucus for trustee from ward 7 and John P. McGurn, the present incumbent, won over Mortimer G. Townsend by more than three to one. Mr. Townsend had no printed ballots and for that reason was at disadvantage.

The caucus was called to order by E. T. Griswold of the citizens' committee with about a hundred voters in the hall. Mr. Griswold read the call and was made the permanent chairman while the organization was completed with the election of Ernest L. Lambert as clerk.

It was voted that nominations be made from the floor with the following results:

President, A. W. Braisted.

Clerk, W. P. Hogan.

Treasurer, C. H. Dewey.

Corporation attorney, Edward C. Bennett.

Collector of taxes, J. George Hudgins.

Auditors, H. D. Fillmore, E. L. Lambert, W. H. Myers.

Trustee in ward 1, J. P. Morrissey.

Trustee in ward 7, J. P. McGurn.

Water commissioner in war 2, F. B. Carver.

Water commissioner in ward 4, F. L. Abbott.

When two nominations for trustee in ward 7 were placed before the caucus the chairman named as tellers Willis T. White, W. P. Hogan and Dr. H. R. Bristol. The vote stood: J. P. McGurn, 68; Mortimer G. Townsend, 20. Mr. McGurn was declared the nominee of the caucus. The present citizens' committee consisting of E. T. Griswold, Claire W. Soule and J. C. Pellerin was re-elected and authorized to fill all vacancies. The caucus then adjourned.

WEATHER FORECAST

For eastern New York and western Vermont fair tonight and Sunday. Warmer Sunday.

BRANDRETH PILLS
100 Years Old
An Effective Laxative
Purely Vegetable
Constipation,
Indigestion, Biliousness, etc.
OR at Night
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Chocolate-Coated or Plain

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TO RENT

TO RENT—House Apply 601 Main St. Or at Wet Wash Laundry 23tf

TO RENT—Room formerly occupied by Christian Science Church, corner Park and Scott S., suitable for light manufacturing, club or society room. Apply at Coopers Machine Works 13tf

TO RENT—Modern flat Apr. 1. Seven room and bath, $14. Albert W. Varney. 28tf

TO RENT Tenement Five Rooms on School St. Inquire 417 School St 16 t.f.

TO RENT Stores, offices tenements, shops, stables, individual garage, individual storage lockers, furnished apartments and rooms all centrally located. Geo. M. Hawks 435 Main St. 72tf

TO RENT One side of new two family house consisting 7 rooms and bath, steam heat electric lights and all improvements. Inquire Denis Donahue, Convent Ave., Tel. 10?-M 10tf

NOTICE

NOTICE—$10 buys a Brinnon Starter for your Ford car The starter that Starts. Agents wanted. Exclusive territory granted H. H. Franklin Agent, 16 Exchange Place, Providence, R. I. 22 6t

LADIES—Earn money and enjoy selling our line of fancy and staple wash fabric among friends and neighbors No money required References necessary. Our representatives enthusiastic over our beautiful line and results. Send immediately for particulars. Secure your territory before it's taken. Old Colony Textile Co. 296 (H) Broadway, New York 23t1

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on Main Street, and are this week showing a FORD TOURING CAR with special finish. We extend a cordial invitation to those interested in a light five-passenger car to call and see this PARTICULARLY ATTRACTIVE SMALL MOTOR CAR.

Open Evenings E. W. WILLIAMS

The Bennington Garage

SPRING SUITS
MADE TO MEASRURE

We have the Browning, King Co. line of made to measure samples to show you this season.

There has been no advance in the prices of these suits over last season, such as has been made with a large number of the made to measure houses.

SUITS
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The new Shoes just in were made by the best Manufacturers in New England and sold to us at prices from 10 cts. to 25 cts. a pair Less than the same Styles can be bought today.

What has made The W. L. Douglass, Elite and Walk-over Shoes the Best Shoes in the World for Men. Just this

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