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## BUZZELL'S LUNCH ROOM.

A. H. Buzzell, the new proprietor of the Red Star Lunch Room, puts out to his customers a chicken pie every Sunday; beef stew, Monday; chicken stew, Tuesday and Wednesday; fish chowder, Thursday; fish balls, Friday; hamburger steak Saturday. Oyster stews, clam chowders, baked beans, coffee and other refreshments served at all hours.

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Choiceest line of Chocolates in the city. See our new line of 60c. goods at only 45 cts. per lb. L. M. Averill.

## The Weather.

BOSTON, April 30.—Fair to-night and Sunday, west winds.

## Grand Patriotic Meeting.

To be Held To-Night in Armory.

It will not be necessary to call the attention of the public to the patriotic meeting which is to be held in the armory hall to-night. Every patriotic citizen of Barre will be present if it is possible. The hall is decorated with the stars and stripes and the walls are covered with mottoes. At the rear of the platform is placed an engraving of the battleship Maine surrounded by a stuffed eagle and supported on each side by two United States flags, with underneath the motto "Freedom To Cuba." Other placards on the walls bear the words "Remember the Maine," "The Land of the Free," "Put the Vermonters Ahead," "Capt. Sigbee," "Hang Old Weyler to A Sour Apple Tree, The Old Butcher," "Three Cheers for Company E," "Patriotism," "Dewey's All Right, Give Him an Opening Uncle Sam." The program has already been given in the ENTERTAINER. Music will be furnished by a male quartet consisting of Edward Mitchell, John Anderson, W. H. Gale and George Ingalls and everybody is expected to join in the chorus of patriotic songs. There will be a brass band, an army drum corps, and Highland Pipes, and altogether it will be one of the most successful patriotic meetings ever held in Vermont. The hour is 7:30 sharp. William Gilbertson has kindly consented to lead the band in place of Mr. Rosse who is ill. John Sannard will also play with the band.

## THE WATER QUESTION.

THE SUBJECT WILL AGAIN BE DISCUSSED MONDAY EVENING.

The water question, which has been agitated for so long a time, is again to be brought before the people for public debate. The subject which will be discussed Monday evening at the city meeting is to decide as to the feasibility of the city building city waterworks, and whether a sewer would be laid on the west side of the river.

At the present time there are 10 companies who supply the people of Barre with water and each company is entirely distinct from the other in every way. The city council at its last meeting talked the matter over briefly, and the question has arisen, that if the city wish to have water works of their own, can they condemn the other companies who are furnishing the city with water?

These companies, some of whom have been granted charters and given the right to lay their pipes through the streets of the city. The city has stated its willingness to purchase these plants, providing the owners do not set the value too high. Some of the companies have already stated the price at which they would be willing to sell, but they are considered exorbitant by some of the officials. It is hoped a decision will be reached in the matter. To get some idea as to the views of the public on the matter and sewer question, the ENTERTAINER reporter has interviewed a number of prominent citizens on the subject.

E. L. SMITH.

"I certainly think it is time that the city controlled its own waterworks, but I do not think we can afford to put in waterworks if these private companies are allowed to supply the people. It would not be profitable. I am in favor of condemning the water of the Barre Water Company because I think it would be to the advantage of the city to do it. If the city does not propose to put in waterworks and use the water from Martin brook, some arrangements should be made whereby some other company could supply the people with this water, as we are in need of better city water. I believe that as the west side people helped pay for our sewer they are entitled to one."

CITY ATTORNEY SWAZEY.

"I think any municipality of this size should own its own waterworks. I believe it would be a good thing for the city to secure their own plant. If you cannot purchase these water systems at a reasonable price they should be condemned. I am in favor of putting in a sewer on the west side at once."

MAYOR GORDON.

"I think the city should own its own works and supply the whole city. It is a great mistake that the city did not do this a number of years ago. I am also in favor of laying a sewer on the west side."

S. D. ALLEN.

"I see no reason why we should not make a temporary loan until the finance of the country is settled and bring the Martin brook here at once and not wait until our industries are shut down for want of water. We ought to have as much energy in this respect as the Barre Water Company. They went to a great expense last fall for one half the water we have, and did it for a speculation and we do it for our own use. If allowed the franchise this Company ask, we will pay dearly for it in the end in my judgment. Think what Mr. Foster, (a man beyond reproach) says in our last city report, well worth looking over. It is in my opinion the most important article that ever came before our city meeting, and should be considered without delay."

The ENTERTAINER will contain Monday a further list of opinions upon this subject.

We have D. M. Ferry & Co's Mixed Sweet Pea Seed, last crop, 5c. per oz. L. M. Averill.

## MUST VOLUNTEER.

### All Spaniard to be Pressed Into Service.

## TWO SMALL NAVAL BATTLES.

### Captures Still Continue. Fred D. Grant to Command New York Regiment.

## Terror Reigns.

KINGSTON, Jamaica, Apr. 30.—Advices from Santiago de Cuba say that on Saturday Commandant General Pompo proclaimed that every man between the ages of 15 and 50 must volunteer in the Spanish army under penalty of arrest, trial and death. A reign of terror exists and thousands are leaving the island. The British consul here has cabled for a British warship to be sent at once.

## Eli Shaw not Guilty.

CAMDEN, N. J., Apr. 30.—The jury has found Eli Shaw not guilty of the murder of his grandmother.

## The Paris is Safe.

NEW YORK, Apr. 30.—The American liner Paris arrived here this morning from Southampton after a very rough passage of seven days and seventeen hours. They saw no Spanish vessels of any kind. They took their course 30 miles north of their usual route.

## The Minneapolis off Maine Coast.

ROCKLAND, Me., Apr. 30.—The cruiser Minneapolis touched here this morning and steamed away again toward Portland.

BAR HARBOR, Apr. 30.—The Minneapolis passed here at ten o'clock this forenoon, followed fifteen minutes later by a large, black steamer with two smoke stacks.

PORTLAND, Apr. 30.—The Minneapolis was sighted at 1:30 off Portland.

## Naval Bill to be Voted.

WASHINGTON, Apr. 30.—An agreement has been reached in the conference report on the naval appropriation bill and it will be voted upon at 4 this afternoon.

## Leaving for the Canaries.

WASHINGTON, Apr. 30.—Information was received here this morning that three Spanish torpedo boats, two of them towed by transports, left St. Vincent this morning for the Canary islands.

## 70 Shots Fired.

MADRID, Apr. 30.—It is officially announced here that the Spanish gunboat Liguria again engaged with an American gunboat off Cadiz. The report states that the American fired seventy shots which all went wild. The marksmen of the Liguria fired so well that the Americans were forced to retreat.

## American Ship in Danger.

TOLON, France, Apr. 30.—It is announced that the American yacht, Nannama, on the way to Marseilles, is being chased into Saint Tropez by a Spanish warship.

## Prisoners of War.

KEY WEST, Apr. 30.—All the passengers taken on the Panama will be held as prisoners of war. They left New York with the intention of being taken to the Dolphin off Havana. The skipper when warned away asked that he be seized, as if the Spanish government caught him would impress him in the Spanish service.

## Skipper Asked for Capture.

KEY WEST, Apr. 30.—The Spanish schooner Olla has been captured by the Dolphin off Havana. The skipper when warned away asked that he be seized, as if the Spanish government caught him would impress him in the Spanish service.

## CO. E RECEIVES ORDERS TODAY.

Captain Badger received orders this morning to lead a cut at once with all the camp equipment of the Company and send it without delay to Fort Ethan Allen. There is rather a strange inconsistency in this move, if the Vermont regiment is to be mobilized at Brattleboro as reported. The present indications will take place at Fort Ethan Allen and that the regiment will be kept there to undergo a hard drill practice every day until sent to some other place for active service. It is not reasonable to suppose that the government would put into the field for active-service recruits who have had but one week's experience in drill, and men who as yet have never had the slightest knowledge of military tactics. It is safe to say that when the first regiment is called out it will remain in service for the period of enlistment and will not be given any vacational present.

one way.

"I have found a way," said the girl who works down town. "To avoid being shoved aside by men behind me when I am trying to get on an 'L' car in the evening to go home. I don't want men to offer me their seats in the car, and I always avoid the appearance of staring a man out of a seat. They have paid their money and are entitled to their seat if once they get it. Nor do I object so much when a seat in front of me is vacated if the man who has been standing up beside me makes a wild leap for it."

"But I do not like being shoved around and pushed to one side from behind so that men who are farther from the car platforms than I am can get in first. I don't try to break into a line when getting theater tickets nor at the stamp window of the postoffice, as many women think it is their privilege to do. Yet a woman can hardly fight to keep her place on the 'L' platform. So when they push me too roughly I turn one side and, making as low a bow as possible at such short range, say, 'After you, sir!' It never yet has failed to work. But I expect some day to be disappointed."—New York Press.

## Perfumed Cloth Is Now Sold.

Druggists in New York keep a perfumed cloth that is sold by the yard. It is imported and is by some process known to perfumers saturated with a sachet powder or essence that is very strong and lasting. It comes as high as \$8 and \$10 a yard, but is very wide, and one-fourth of a yard is a generous supply. Small pieces, three inches square or less, are sewed in hats, dress waists and shirts and are laid in glove and handkerchief boxes and chiffonier drawers. A hen it is considered that a fine sachet is for \$1, the perfumed lengths are really economical.

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### \$20 to \$125.

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## National Bank President a Defaulter.

WASHINGTON, Apr. 30.—The comptroller of currency received a telegram today from Bank Examiner Ewer saying that he had taken charge of the Hampshire County National Bank in Northampton, Mass. President Warner was found to be a defaulter in the sum of \$100,000. The President of the Hampshire Savings Bank is missing also.

## Not a Bombardment.

KEY WEST, Apr. 30.—The incoming boats say that the firing by the New York last night on the Cananos was by no means a bombardment. The Porter and Ericson were scouting along the coast when the batteries opened on them. The flagship New York returned the attack and fired 12 shots. The batteries did not respond.

## The Columbia at Portland.

BOSTON, Apr. 30.—The cruiser Columbia sailed this morning north, probably bound for Portland.

## German Warship Starts.

NAGASAKI, Japan, Apr. 30.—A German warship which has been stationed here for some time started today for Manila.

## No More Help to Spain.

MONTEVIDEO, Uruguay, Apr. 30.—The government has forbidden the public raising of money for the aid of Spain.

## Off Scotland's Coast.

ABERDEEN, Apr. 30.—Two warships and two torpedo boats passed Peterhead at midnight going north.

## Harvard Students Enlist.

SALEM, Apr. 30.—Company H, Eighth regiment is now full. Eleven Harvard students enlisted this morning.

## Fred D Grant Commissioned

ALBANY, Apr. 30.—Governor Black has commissioned Fred D. Grant as colonel of the 14th regiment.

## The Bancroft Sails.

BOSTON, Apr. 30.—The gunboat Bancroft sailed this morning for Norfolk, fully equipped with ammunition and guns.

## The Columbia at Cape Ann.

GLOUCESTER, Apr. 30.—The cruiser Columbia passed Cape Ann at 10:30 this morning, headed for the Maine coast and under full steam.

## Sponges.

### We have just received a new stock of Sponges of all kinds for different USES.

Sponges for the Bath	25c. to \$2.50
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We have wheels ranging in price from \$50 down, and for the next 30 days we will give a cyclometer, bell and a 20 coupon suburban ticket with each wheel sold, it will pay you to get our prices and examine these fine high grade wheels at our bicycle parlor, 17 FIRST AVE., MONTPELIER, VT.

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