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The average daily circulation of the Barre Daily Times for the week ending Saturday was

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copies, the largest paid circulation of any daily paper in this section.

A GAIN OF 400

In the daily circulation of the Times since Jan. 1st is something no other Washington county daily can show.

The circulation statements of the Times can always be verified by anyone who so wishes. Press room, circulation books, paper bills and all that pertains to the circulation of the Times are open to the inspection of all. Is there any other Washington county daily that will show up in like manner?

The Yankees say that the cup is safe, but there is such a thing as being too sure.

League base ball is very interesting to watch but it is also quite expensive. For illustration refer to the Burlington team in the Northern League which closed its career yesterday.

The insurance agents of the well known Montpelier company have been busy for three days manufacturing persuasive ammunition for their business. How many will go down before them!

For good practical benefits the Akaley memorial building in Stowe meets the requirements exactly, and the donor had the right idea when he planned a building to be used for the every day affairs of the village. As constructed the building can be utilized for nearly all the purposes which the civic life of the community demands, including offices for the town officials, court room, voting place, etc. The gift is exceptionally valuable for the reason that it is so designed for the use of the town, not merely to be an ornament, although it does serve the latter purpose.

And now they are mentioning Lieutenant General Nelson A. Miles, retired, for governor of Massachusetts on a Democratic ticket. Let the jokers have their little fun. They have about run the gamut of possible offices for the soldier, and it is very probable that the one mentioned has had nothing to do with the various breaks by his friends. Whether the latter know it or not they are holding their hero up to ridicule before the world and are really doing him a lasting injury. Such shortsightedness on their part is ridiculous, and their zeal is fairly running away with their prudence. General Miles himself would put a stop to it no doubt if he were capable of so doing.

The advice of Booker T. Washington to his Negro brethren at Nashville, Tenn., to "learn to be bigger than those who would insult us," is sure to be misinterpreted by those hostile to the Negro and his advancement. It is unnecessary to tell most people that Mr. Washington did not mean that his people should get to that point where they have an exalted opinion of themselves. Rather he meant that they should show themselves to be so broad minded as to overlook the insults that might be hurled at them. Further along in the course of his talk the speaker uttered these words which show the nobility of the man, "We must learn to hold up our heads and march bravely forward, in spite of obstacles and discouragements."

TWO OPEN PORTS

Chinese Ambassador Confirms Report Concerning New Treaty.

Washington, Aug. 22.—Sir Liang Chen Tung, the Chinese minister, was at the state department and informed Acting Secretary Adee that he had received a dispatch from his government confirming the information previously received that Prince Ching had informed Minister Conger that in the treaty to be signed on Oct. 8 provision would be made for opening two ports in Manchuria.

The Chinese minister after his last conversation with Secretary Hay informed his government that the United States would insist upon open ports in Manchuria, and he advised it to yield gracefully to the American demands.

Big Fire in Texas Oil Field.

Sour Lake, Tex., Aug. 22.—Fire, which started through the carelessness of a fireman in the Wirt Davis tract, swept a large portion of the Shoestring district in the oil field, inflicting a loss of \$50,000. For a space of fifty yards about the point of origin all derricks and pumping rigs were destroyed.

The Rev. Junius E. Mead, pastor of the Methodist church in Burlington, returned home Wednesday night from a trip of two months abroad. Mrs. Mead, who has been visiting about the state during Mr. Mead's absence, has also returned.



If you can't go to the sail of Shamrock III and the Reliance, you can at least come to our sale. Perhaps not so much excitement, but more profit for you.

The popular taste has surged towards blue serge, the old favorite. Here it is—the genuine—and our August mark-down places it at \$7.98. All wool, properly shrunk, firm, fine quality, fast color. What more do you want.

Ten pairs of Bicycle Trousers to close at 49c per pair. There were \$2.00, \$2.50 and \$3.00.

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Quinlan Building, Barre, Vermont.

JINGLES AND JESTS.

The Limit.
A man may be dogmatic, yet some men are so fanatic. In stubbornness they really get to be quite bull dogmatic.
—Philadelphia Press.

Figuring It Out.
"Is she pretty?" asked Langulde.
"Quite," replied Statisticus; "fully 50 per cent as pretty as she thinks she is. I should say."—Cincinnati Commercial Tribune.

So to Speak.
Clara—Is Miss Refawin down on high heels?
Flora—No, indeed! She's up on them.
—Baltimore American.



In Training.
The Brother—Yep; I'm goin' to match him against Willie Jinks' kid brother to a long distance cryin' match.—New York American.

EAST BARRE

Roy Coleman is busy helping Herb Sargent get in his hay.

Herb Whitcomb has taken a few days' vacation from his work at Mert Cutler's barn and is visiting his parents at Hyde Park.

Lillian Johndrow has gone to visit friends at Hyde Park, Hardwick and other places in that vicinity.

Frank Dickey is having his home on Washington street repainted and thereby greatly improving the looks of the building.

Lillian Hersey passed through town yesterday en route to her home in Chelsea.

Mrs. Ed. Bacon who has been reported on the sick list for several days of this week is better now.

Elsie Woodruff is still off on her vacation. Her work at the post office is being done by Mrs. Bertha Garratt.

During the absence of Louise Johndrow Lily Gallison is working at the home of Mrs. McArthur.

Rev. W. F. Sturtevant, pastor of the Baptist church at Essex Junction, will exchange pulpits with Rev. A. N. Woodruff and will preach at Westerville morning and evening of next Sunday, Aug. 23.

Congregational church, Sunday, Aug. 23, 1903, 10:30 a. m., preaching service; 11:45 a. m., Sunday school; 6:15 p. m., Christian Endeavor meeting; 7 p. m., preaching service. Rev. D. H. Strong of Williamstown will preach both morning and evening in exchange with the pastor. A cordial invitation to all these services.

WILLIAMSTOWN.

Judge Nichols of Randolph was in town yesterday on business.

Miss Julia Baas returned to Boston today after a two weeks' vacation with friends here.

Miss Sadie McKee and her sister, Mrs. L. D. Gale, left here this morning for their home in Canada. They will spend the week with their parents, returning the last of next week.

Miss Blanche Gale of Barre will teach in the red meeting house district and Miss Bertha Minor of Hyde Park in the primary department at the quarry.

Geo. Wilber and Thos. Poland have been painting at the quarry school house.

Remember that McWhorter's is the place for honest goods at right prices. We shall continue for the balance of August to give a reasonable discount on all summer weight goods.

Do not forget the special sale of wrappers at 60c each and umbrellas at 50c at Perry & Camp's this afternoon and evening.

You can get the best value for your money in the fruit and vegetable line at the City Fish Market.

ABOUT THE STATE.

Items of Interest Gleaned From Our Exchanges.

Mrs. Isaac Marsette of Brandon had the misfortune to have three ribs broken Tuesday at her home near the depot. Mrs. Marsette fell down the back stairs, some four or five feet to the ground.

Monday night, while milking, Charles Rogg of Fairfax had an artery burst. He called to his wife and she went to a neighbor's for help. Mr. Rogg bound his limb to check the flow of blood but by the time the doctor arrived he was very weak, having lost about a pail of blood. Wednesday morning he was quite comfortable.

Miss Hattie Bennett, a servant at Prof. Wilkin's home, in Burlington, met with a serious accident yesterday morning. She had a kettle of boiling water on a gas stove which she attempted to move and in doing so overturned it, the contents going into one shoe and scalding the foot in a serious manner. Miss Bennett returned to her home in Vergennes and it will be some time before she is able to use her foot again.

At South Canaan recently, Ernest Gilman called in his friends from Canaan, Lemington and Colebrook, N. H., across the river to assist him in getting up the frame of what is now the largest barn in the north country. Early in the morning wagon loads of people began to arrive, for it was to be made a gala day, and the men brought the wives and children to enjoy Mrs. Gilman's hospitality and to help prepare food for the hungry, while the tall timber was being raised. Everything was in readiness and the men worked busily, until finally, when the dinner horn blew, the frame was more than half up and at 4 in the afternoon, 80 men who had helped build it had their pictures taken on what had been but a few hours before a mammoth pile of lumber. The dinner was the feature of the day, and about 150 people enjoyed the baked beans and brown bread, doughnuts and cheese, pies and cookies steaming rings of coffee or glasses of rich milk. Men and women who had not met for months enjoyed this social intercourse over the festive board; farmers forgot their cares in the discussion of the marketing of potatoes or caring of stock, while the tired faces of their wives brightened as they, in turn, talked about butter making and bringing up babies. It was late when the last family had departed, leaving a cloud of dust from their horses' heels; and it was an event that will not soon be forgotten, this old-fashioned country barn raising in a "truly rural" community.

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Administrator's Sale at Auction!

Saturday, Aug. 29, at 4 P. M.

I will sell at public auction, at the residence of the late Charles W. Laing, on the road leading from South Barre to Graniteville, on SATURDAY, AUGUST 29, AT 4 P. M. SHARP, the Home Place, consisting of

House, Barn and 15 Acres of Land.

The house and barn are nearly new and in first-class condition. The land is under high state of cultivation. This property is very desirable for anyone working in Barre city or at the quarries. Also, at same time and place, one Top Buggy Wagon, one Express Wagon, one Road Cart, one Buckboard, one Pung Sleigh, one Express Harness and other articles too numerous to mention. Terms made known at time of sale.

JAMES K. PIRIE, Administrator.
C. N. BARBER, Auctioneer.
Barre, Vt., August 13, 1903.

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