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FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.
ANNUAL MEETING.

The Annual Meeting of the members of
the Union Mutual Fire Insurance Company,
for the election of directors for the year
ensuing, and for the transaction of any
other legal business, will be held at the
office of the company, in Montpelier, on
Wednesday, October 18, 1899, at 1 o'clock
P. M.

Per order of the Directors.
HARLAN W. KEMP, Secretary.
Montpelier, Vt., Sept. 6, 1899.

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Having leased the Commercial House
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of the leading stables in Boston and two
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now. See our new styles, skins and linings.
A. C. Spiro, furrier, Montpelier, Vt.

I want to let the people who suffer from
rheumatism and sciatica know that Cham-
berlain's Pain Balm relieved me after a
number of other medicines and a doctor had
failed. It is the best liniment I have ever
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Thousands have been cured of rheumatism
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Does Coffee Agree With You?—If
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A lady writes: "The first time I made
Grain-O I did not like it but after using it
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go back to coffee. It nourishes and feeds
the system. The children can drink it
freely with great benefit. It is the strength-
ening substance of pure grains. Get a
package to-day from your grocer, follow
the directions in making it and you will
have a delicious and healthful table
beverage for old and young. Fifteen cents
and twenty-five cents.

Do you want anything in the line of
drugs and medicines made from pure grains,
so call on Fred A. Ainsworth, proprietor of
the new Williamstown drug-store, on Depot
street, one door east of J. K. Lynde's store
if, perchance, he may not have exactly what
you desire, he will send to supply it in the
shortest possible time. If good goods and
honest prices and square dealing will do it,
he is bound to secure a fair share of public
patronage. Sewing-machine supplies and
popular line of stationery are specialties.
Give him a call.

HAVING A GREAT RUN ON CHAMBERLAIN'S
COUGH REMEDY—Manager Martin, of the
Person drug store, informs us that he is
having a great run on Chamberlain's Cough
Remedy. He sells five bottles of that medi-
cine to one of any other kind, and it gives
great satisfaction. In these days of grippe
there is nothing like Chamberlain's Cough
Remedy to stop the cough, heal up the sore
throat and lungs and give relief within a
very short time. The sales are growing,
and all who try it are pleased with its
prompt action.—South Chicago Daily Cal-
lenger. For sale by C. Blakely and W. E.
Terrill, Druggists.

Excursion to New York.

The Central Vermont railway will run its
annual fall excursion to New York from
Barre, Montpelier and all intermediate sta-
tions to Hartland on Monday, September
25. The fare for the round trip will be \$5.
The route is via the Central Vermont
New London, thence by the elegant steam-
er "City of Worcester."

A special train of through coaches will
run from New London without change as fol-
lows: Leave Barre 1:05 P. M., Montpelier,
1:35; Northfield, 1:57; Randolph, 2:43; Barre,
3:25; South Royalton, 3:57; White River
 Junction, 4:43; Hartland, 4:44; arrive at
Palmer 7:53 where supper can be had, ar-
riving at New London 10:35 P. M., arriving
at New York 7 A. M., Tuesday. Tickets
will be good only on the above named
September 25, arriving in New York Sep-
tember 26. Good returning to leave New
York not later than October 6 to arrive at
starting point not later than October 7.
See flyers for further particulars.

Electric Road Sued.

Papers were served on Monday by Deputy
Sheriff Tuttle on the clerk of the Barre
and Montpelier Traction and Power Com-
pany in a suit for breach of contract brought
by J. S. Viles. The amount of damages
claimed in the writ is \$20,000. Certain
property of the company was attached and
the writ is returnable at the present term of
Washington county court, although it will
not be tried until the March term.

The validity of the contract between Mr.
Viles and the electric road will be the
question at issue. The contract is a five
year contract that has been broken.

J. P. Lamson of Cabot is counsel for Mr.
Viles, and R. A. Hoar of Barre for the
Traction Company. Mr. Viles has pre-
viously brought two other suits against
the company for power furnished, for \$1,200
and for \$600. In regard to these latter suits
the company claims in defense that the
balance due is on the other side of the
ledger.

The State House Fece.

Editor of Daily Journal:—Much is being
said about the removal of the fence, and
rumor has it that our city fathers concluded
to take it away for Dewey Day.

As a resident of Montpelier for fifty
years, and with a profound love and ad-
miration for our Capitol buildings, grounds
and fence, I sincerely hope it will
be done at all. It should be done before
Dewey Day, as it would leave the
grounds badly cut up and make a bad mud
hole—if we could be so fortunate as to get
a rain.

Further, has this city any right to con-
tract to grade up the State property at a
cost of double the value of material they
will get out of it? Have they not just as
good a right to pay the citizens money to
level down Mount Hunger or to grade the
grounds of any private citizen, as to expend
it on the State's or any other property
any way not contrary to the Constitution?
The answer is, No. We should not be
granted and we should make haste slowly.

No Insurance Agent There.

"My friends, have you heard of the town
of Yaw, on the banks of the river Slow,
where blooms the Waitawhile flower fair,
where the Sometimes-often rains the air,
and the soft Green-eye grows? The Austral-
ian Budget. Everyone there is uninsured.
Although they mean to do it, it is never
done.

MONTPELIER AND VICINITY

LOC. 1 HAPPENINGS.

The Misses Paige of Knoxville, Tenn., are
at the Pavilion giving lessons in art em-
broidery.

"Colbath," owned by J. M. Boutwell,
was exhibited in the Argus last
Friday. Best time 2:16.

Mason S. Stone, State Superintendent of
education, was taken to Henton Hospital
Saturday evening. He is threatened with
typhoid.

A special train will leave the Northfield
fair grounds for this city at 5:30 o'clock
Wednesday and Thursday afternoons, ar-
riving here at 6:38.

The St. Johnsbury lodge, Knights of
Pisces, is to attend the Dewey celebration
and will charter a special train in which
the members will be quartered while here.

Special religious services will be held in
Berlin hall Wednesday afternoon and evening.
They will be in charge of Rev. H. H.
Perry, pastor of the Evangelical church.
All will be welcome.

Rev. J. E. Wright is to preach next Sunday
morning, in the Church of the Messiah,
a sermon appropriate to the thirtieth
anniversary of his settlement. It is hoped there
will be a large attendance.

Miss Willmap, sister of Rev. L. K. Will-
map of Waterbury, will lead a service of
song at the Thursday evening prayer meet-
ing at Trinity church, Miss Willmap, a
noted gospel singer, and will sing several
solos.

The woman's auxiliary to the Episcopal
board of missions will hold the annual
meeting in Montpelier, October 2 and 3.
The Rev. Charles R. Badger, James R.
Coughlin and Frank H. Smith of this city,
and William E. Kingston of Barre.

E. E. Dodge, one of the city truckman,
and Louis Normande, who runs a black-
smith shop on Berlin street, presented to
the city council bills of \$36 and \$70 respec-
tively for alleged damages, suffered by them
in their business during the construction of
the new water pipe. Dodge's bill is for a
truck that in running his truck team, to do busi-
ness on that side of the river, he lost val-
uable time, having to drive his team around
by the bridge near the Central Vermont
station over the Pioneer bridge. Nor-
mande claimed he was practically in a
state of blockade and lost trades because of
the inconvenience of getting to his shop.

The committee on water has been in-
structed by the city council to investigate
the owners of spring water systems in the city
who are using Berlin water connections
for their water supply. The committee has
discovered that at least two proprietors of spring water systems
have been working the city and their
customers as well. The committee says
that the water from the Berlin water
and when the springs become low
the Berlin water is turned on supplying
their customers with Berlin water through
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General Manager E. H. Fitzhugh of the
Central Vermont railway arrived in the
city on Tuesday in the private car "Mans-
field" drawn by the engine "St. Lawrence."
The train was accompanied by Superintendent
F. W. Baldwin, Resident Engineer J. M. Mor-
rison and General Roadmaster W. P.
Eliot. They met at the Langdon estate,
arrange for the location and construc-
tion of the side tracks to be laid on the
Langdon meadow to accommodate the ex-
tra trains on the day of the Dewey celebra-
tion in Montpelier. The patronage
with the Grand Trunk railway in Canada
was frequently called upon to handle
crows of 50,000 people which he did most
efficiently. He will undoubtedly be able
to take care of the visitors on Dewey
day with ease. The Langdon estate has
been most magnanimous in its offers of as-
sistance in the use of its property and other-
wise facilities. This is appreciated by
the committee and by the public.

Admiral Dewey's Montpelier relatives
will go to New York next Monday. Ed-
ward Dewey and Mrs. Mary Greeley will
not go because they do not feel able to
stand the excitement and the strain of
the Dewey celebration in that city.
Those who will go are Hon. Charles Dewey
and wife, W. T. Dewey and son, James, Mr.
and Mrs. J. M. Owen, F. A. Howard,
and Mr. George P. Dewey of Portland,
Me., Charles Robert Dewey of Bensonhurst,
N. Y., and Mr. and Mrs. James L. Martin of
Baltimore, Md. Kate Dewey Squire is
already in New York. These relatives go on
the invitation of Edward Wilkins Dewey,
a member of the New York committee of in-
vitation. They will be quartered at the
private apartments of George C. Boyd, in
the annex to the Waldorf-Astoria, which
has been reserved for the Admiral and his
family.

The Barre Spotters.

Excitement was intense in Barre Monday
afternoon when it was learned that A. E.
Busted and C. S. Kelley, the Massachusetts
spotters, were responsible for the num-
erous liquor raids last Friday and Satur-
day. The fact that they were working
freely indulged in but wiser counsels pre-
vailed. The spotters themselves were ar-
rested charged with furnishing intoxicating
liquor to the spotters. They left Mont-
pelier hurriedly this morning over the
Montpelier and Wells River railroad.

In the case against Henry Libben, prop-
rietor of the Commercial House, Barre,
which mention is made elsewhere, Libben
pleaded guilty to keeping, selling and main-
taining a nuisance. His fines and costs
amounted to \$293.55, which he paid. The
large number of people have
sharply criticized for employing spotters
from another State, and the good work
heretofore done by the league in Barre is
heavily discounted because of this.
The spotter Kelley was formerly in the employ
of the Argus in this city. He attempted his
gains in a certain quarter in Montpelier
Monday morning, but soon discovered his
mistake. He was fortunate to escape with-
out bodily harm.

DEWEY DAY AT MONTPELIER.

Ample Preparation Will Be Made for
Accommodation of Visitors.

The Montpelier committee having charge
of providing entertainment for the thou-
sands of people who will visit the city on
the day of the Dewey celebration is making
ample preparations for the event and will
be able to furnish meals and lodging for all
those who require them.

A contract has already been made with
Joseph D. Valiquet, of Boston, a caterer
who has had the experience of many years
in feeding large crowds, and who has won
the reputation of giving the very best of
satisfaction to the people who patronize
him. Mr. Valiquet will be able to furnish
meals for several thousand people. A large
tent will be erected on Haymarket square,
capable of serving thousands of people.
Meals will be furnished from 10:30 o'clock
in the morning until 12 at night. The price
of the meals will be 50 cents each, and the
Meals will be ample and of good quality.
The bill of fare includes three kinds of cold
meats, clam chowder, potatoes, olives, po-
tato salad, bread and butter, tea, coffee,
fruits, etc. In addition to furnishing regu-
lar meals, he will also have a lunch counter
where people can procure sandwiches, pies,
doughnuts, tea, coffee, etc., at reasonable
rates. This, in addition to the number of
private enterprises to feed the people, the
services of the hotels and boarding houses
and the meals that will be provided in private
families, will be sufficient for the large
crowd that is expected.

One of the most difficult matters in con-
nection with caring for the visitors is to
provide rooms for those who wish to remain
over night, but this work has been taken
up systematically that every room and
bed in the city will be available. A
bureau of information has been organized
and is already at work on a canvass of the
city. There is a member from each ward
and every house in Montpelier will be
visited. When the canvass is completed the
bureau will have complete infor-
mation as to what rooms can be secured,
the price of same, and the locality. In
cases where the accommodations are un-
likely to prove insufficient, they will ar-
range for the erection of temporary struc-
tures. Persons from outside Montpelier
who desire to engage rooms for one or two
nights should at once address William S.
Therault, secretary. By making early
application they will secure better accom-
modations for themselves and will also
lighten the work of the bureau. This bu-
reau of information will have an office near
the Central Vermont station on the day of
the celebration where they will be prepared
to furnish information to the visitors. Signs
rooms to those who have not secured them
in advance, and do everything they can
to promote the comfort of the visitors
to the city. The city council will have a
large number of extra policemen on duty,
so that there will be no danger of any dis-
turbance, no matter how large a crowd
there may be.

Superintendent Foster reports that the
water in Berlin Pond at the present time
is much higher than at any previous time
in the recent rain fall. The six-inch steam
pump, with an estimated capacity of 800
gallons per minute, has been run for sev-
eral days, but has not succeeded in in-
creasing the supply at the reservoir. To-
day the pump was started on a twenty-four
hour basis, and it is hoped that it will be
able to shut off also, as seen by the notice
in another column. The water motors are
again ordered off and the use of Berlin
water is to be restricted solely to domestic
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The Ministerial Union met Monday in
the East Montpelier hall. Rev. J. P.
Simmons of Woodstock, who preached in
the Church of the Messiah, last Sunday,
read a paper on the Hook of Jonah, and
the Rev. Charles M. Sheldon of Chicago,
read a paper on "In His Steps."

While Benjamin Daley's team was draw-
ing a lot of building material to the Lang-
don premises Friday some of the material
slipped under the horse's feet. They ran
over the material and the horse was killed.
The material was finally brought up near the
Exchange Hotel.

A man named Alger from Moretown
while driving down State street Saturday
afternoon ran over the horse of a farmer
in the car track and it locked in the
rear wheel of Joseph Perkins express
wagon tipping Alger out and springing the
horse to the car track.

H. Jackson of Worcester was arrested
Friday afternoon for intoxication by deputy
sheriff Kidder. In city court on Saturday
he was convicted and in default of pay-
ment of his fine was sent to jail for ten days.
He was also fined for obtaining false
information from the city liquor agency under
false pretenses, and sentenced to the house of
correction for 10 days, where he will be taken
at the expiration of his jail sentence.

Frank Gravelin was arrested Friday
evening by Constable Whitford for intoxi-
cation. In city court he was convicted of a
third offense. He appealed his case to
the Superior court for the week ending
September 18. He was immediately re-
arrested by Sheriff Graves on information
filed by States Attorney Hoar, charging
with illegal traffic in intoxicants. His
bail was set in default of which he
was remanded to jail.

A carrier pigeon will convey the first
message of the approach of the Olympia with
Admiral Dewey. Several fine specimens of
pigeons were sent to the city by the Navy
Yard in Brooklyn and transferred to the
cruiser New York and will accom-
pany her when she leaves in a week or
so to look out for Dewey. On the first
light of the Olympia, birds will be sent
bearing a message to Rear Admiral Philip.

J. Henry Libben, formerly of the Union
House, Barre, is in trouble because of al-
leged violation of the prohibitory law.
The Commercial House was raided Satur-
day afternoon by Sheriff Graves and De-
puty Sheriff Templeton, and a quantity of
wine, whiskey and lager was secured. Mr.
Libben was put under arrest for his con-
nection with the raid. The result of other
raids in Barre Saturday afternoon is told
in the Barre column.

The band concert given Friday evening
was simply attended owing to the north
wind, which prevailed. The band will
have to hustle in order to get in the
three remaining concerts of the eighteen
to be given this season as provided in the
city appropriation of \$1,200. Notwith-
standing the coolness of the evening and
the small crowd present, the band rendered
one of the best programmes of the season.
The two songs for the concert by
George E. White met with especial favor
eliciting hearty cheers.

Household furniture for sale. Having
rented my house, and am to reside out of
the State, I will be at my house, 76 East
Main street, until the 25th of September.
This week to sell at private sale my house-
hold furniture, consisting of chamber suite,
spring bed, mattress, feather bed, couch,
lounge, chairs, table, one gasoline stove,
clocks, straw matting, ironing board, etc.
These goods must be sold at once. Any
one needing any of them will find it to
their advantage to come and look at them
as they will be sold cheap. Mrs. H. E.
Worthing.

The Montpelier House was the first to
feel the water famine, having to go nearly
to the junction in order to obtain water for
dinner. The Pavilion is a little more for-
tunate because of being connected with the
water which is supplied by Berlin water.
The springs but they are so low that if there
is not a rain fall, water will soon have to
be drawn for use at this hotel. The branch
line of the Central Vermont railway is also
affected. For some weeks the engine used
on the Williamstown branch has had to
come to this city at noon every day to take
water from the stand pipe at the station
which is supplied by Berlin water. The
water being cut off this engine and also
those used in this city will have to look
elsewhere for their supply.

DEATH BY DROWNING.

Sunday afternoon people were shocked by
the report of the death by drowning of Harry
E. Jacobs, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H.
Elmer E. Jacobs, who reside at 109 Prospect
street. With two other lads the Jacobs boy
was bathing in Dog river near Montpelier
when the boy disappeared in the stream.
At first they thought he was playing a joke up-
on them, but when they saw that he had
disappeared, they ran to the farm house of W. H.
Lombard for aid. Mr. Lombard telephoned
to the police station and in a short time
quite a crowd had gathered at the scene.
Constable F. R. Dawley, after diving
three times, succeeded in recovering the
lad's body, but he had then been under
water about an hour and life was of course
gone.

The body was taken in the ambulance to
the undertaking rooms of Johnson & Hall
and the lad's parents were notified.
The scene of the accident is one where
several are said to have been drowned, and
is also said to be the spot where, in his boy-
hood, Admiral Dewey nearly lost his life
by drowning.

Harry Jacobs was popular with his
mates and always dutiful toward his par-
ents, who have the sympathy of the com-
munity in their bereavement.
The funeral was held from the house
at two o'clock Tuesday afternoon, Rev. J.
Edward Wright officiating. Burial was
in the Outer cemetery.

District Meeting.

A district meeting of the encampments of
district No. 5, which includes those at Ran-
dolph, Waterbury, Northfield, Montpelier,
Barre, East Barre, will be held at East
Barre, on Friday, September 23, at half
past seven in the evening.

The district encampment will be opened
in order by Grand Encampment of East
Barre. The address of welcome will be by
Rev. W. P. Jackson of East Barre and the
response by E. A. Nutt of Thomas Wilder
encampment, Montpelier. The principal
degree will be worked by Grand Encamp-
ment of East Barre and the Golden Rule
degree by Excelsior encampment of Ran-
dolph. E. F. Smith of Barre, grand pa-
trarch, will officiate at the secret work.

Following the banquet visiting patriarchs,
grand officers and others will make brief
addresses. To these after dinner exercises
the members of Rehoboth lodges and all
Old Fellows will be invited.

Transportation to and from East Barre to
Barre will be furnished by Page Brothers
at fifty cents each. The Central Vermont
train from Barre will be held that night
until twelve o'clock. The district encamp-
ment will be under the direction of Walter
F. Waterman of Montpelier, district deputy
grand patriarch, who has perfected the ar-
rangements.

The Spanish Guns.

The six inch Krupp cannon used on
the Spanish cruiser, Castells, in the battle
of Manila and which the government ship-
yard at the Mare Island navy yard three
weeks ago, and loaned to Vermont as mon-
uments of the victory of Admiral Dewey,
arrived in this city late Monday afternoon.
They were held at Dewey Day, and have
been notified of their arrival. The work of
unloading them from the car and placing
them in position in the State house grounds
will be begun at once.

The guns are seventeen feet long and
weigh 21,435 pounds. The freight charges
from San Francisco to this city amount to
\$729.34.

The guns show the ravages of salt water
and the heat from the burning vessel from
which they were taken. Some portions of
them are thickly encrusted with corrosive
matter. A large number of people have
visited the car in the Central Vermont rail-
road yards where the war dogs are lying.
The notion, if ever there was one, of firing
these guns on Dewey Day is dispelled by
the fact that the branch-lock and other
gearings necessary for such a purpose was
not sent with the guns.

"Our baby was sick for a month with
severe cough and catarrhal fever. Although
we tried many remedies she kept getting
worse until we used One Minute Cough
Cure, it relieved at once and cured in a
few days."—B. L. Nance, Prinn High School,
Bluffdale, Texas. W. E. Terrill & Co.

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