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The machine which cuts up wood to make matches turns out 40,000 "splints," as they are called, in a single minute.

The Japanese government intends to give \$5,000,000 for the international exposition to be held at Tokyo in 1912, beginning April 1 and ending Oct. 31.

In the Smuggler mine at Telluride, Colo., the rock is crushed underground. This is done to effect an economy in the cost of the ore handling. There are two crushers, and they are driven by motors.

The government of Colombia has issued a decree granting a premium or bonus on all exports of coffee, cotton, rubber and tobacco raised in that country. Over 50 per cent of these products come to the United States.

German Canaries.

The breeding and selling of canary birds in Germany have reached such proportions that it now controls the markets of the world.

CONSTIPATION

After over nine years I suffered with chronic constipation and during this time I had to take an injection of warm water every 24 hours before I could have an action on my bowels. Happily I found Cascarets, and today can enjoy my life again. I was cured before I used Cascarets. I understand the value of this medicine. I have used it and am free from all this suffering. I can see the value of this medicine in the light of suffering humanity. P. P. Fisher, Jackson, Ill.



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EAST CALAIS.

Oscar Guernsey was in Montpelier on Thursday.

D. L. Scott and wife were in Montpelier Monday.

O. D. Cole and family of Marshfield were in town Friday.

Harry Foster of Cabot was in town on business Tuesday.

George Wheelock bought a new horse at Plainfield Monday.

Ivan Grey was a business visitor in Marshfield Wednesday.

Glenn Sulham of South Woodbury is working for J. O. Lamb.

Rhey Prevost has finished working in Woodbury and returned home.

Albert George of Hardwick visited in town Friday at Asa Dutton's.

Dr. H. S. Carver and wife of Marshfield visited in town Wednesday.

George Sumner and wife of South Woodbury were in town Sunday.

D. D. Lamb and family are camping at Woodbury pond for a few days.

The Sabbath school held a picnic in Hermon Bullock's grove Tuesday.

Chester Bugbee and wife visited in Brattleboro several days last week.

Arthur George and wife visited in Hardwick Tuesday and Wednesday.

Shirley Tucker of Marshfield was visiting at the home of F. Grey Wednesday.

Clarence Ballentine and wife of Hardwick visited in town the first of the week.

Oscar Emery and wife of Williams-town are visiting at the home of John Emery.

Alice Guernsey of Montpelier is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Guernsey.

George Wheeler and wife and Lewis St. John and wife of Marshfield were in town Friday.

Mrs. Leon Ladeau of North Montpelier visited her mother, Mrs. John Emery, Wednesday.

The remains of Mrs. A. M. Foster of Cabot were brought here Wednesday and buried in the cemetery.

William Bancroft and wife of Pawtucket, R. I., visited at the home of Mrs. Eliza Bancroft Tuesday.

Dr. F. J. Gale of Newtown, Conn., formerly of this place, is visiting friends in this place for a few days.

Mrs. George Ballentine and children visited in Williams-town a part of last week, returning home Monday.

It is expected that Dr. Merrill of St. Johnsbury will occupy the pulpit Sunday at Union church for the Congregational people.

The Ladies' League will meet at the Good Templars' hall, Thursday. Mrs. J. O. Lamb and Mrs. Ivan Grey will entertain the ladies.

Ada and Ruth Gray held a party at their home Wednesday evening, which was well attended. They expect to go Monday to Randolph to attend school.

The funeral of Mrs. Lavina (Hammett) McFarland of East Montpelier was held at Union church Thursday afternoon. The Rev. J. Edward Wright of Montpelier officiating. Interment was in this cemetery.

CHELSEA.

O. Fay Allen of Vershire was in town on business Tuesday.

Mrs. Dr. Fish of South Royalton is in town, the guest of Madam Ann E. Goss.

Walter S. Goss returned to his duties Monday as clerk in Holmes & Co.'s store after a vacation of several weeks.

Dr. J. Euclid Fish of Boston was at the home of Madam Anne E. Goss over Sunday as the guest of his family.

Richard George, who has been visiting his grandfather, Moses George, on Court street, returned Tuesday to his home in Boston.

Will A. Hood has recently purchased a fine driving horse of Bethel parties, and William Robbins has also purchased a nice driver of Fred C. Waldo.

After two weeks spent in town, John M. Atwood and Sidney Mills returned to their homes respectively in Boston and Lynn, Mass., the first of the week.

J. G. Houghton of Stamford is a guest at the Orange County Hotel. Mr. Houghton was at one time a resident of Chelsea and this is his first visit to the place since 1865.

Mrs. Edwin I. Hibbard and three children returned to their home in Montpelier the first of the week after a few days' visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert W. Laird.

While the Rev. Fred Daniels and wife were riding out Saturday, the horse became frightened at an automobile which came around a curve in the road suddenly and Mrs. Daniels was thrown out and quite severely injured in one knee.

Among those from out of town who have been registered at the Orange County Hotel this week are E. W. Raymond and Miss Renie E. Raymond of Post Mills, Misses M. A. and A. L. Scanlon, Miss M. A. McCabe, J. E. Welch and Mrs. and Mrs. W. E. Snow of Boston, Mrs. Calista R. Jones of Bradford, H. B. Knight of Newbury, H. L. Dean of Montpelier, W. J. Blodgett of White River Junction, Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Stanley and D. E. Stanley of Washington and Rev. B. T. Stanley of Wiscasset, H. K. Barrett of Berkshire, N. Y., Will Patten of Sharon and Charles E. Woodard of South Royalton.

HEAVY FINES CAUSE MANY RUSSIAN PAPERS TO QUIT.

Official News Agency Loses Nearly Half Its Subscribers.

St. Petersburg, Aug. 23.—The restrictive measures and frequent heavy fines imposed on Russian newspapers during the last two months have had a ruinous result on the provincial press.

Fully a third of the newspapers of the provinces have stopped publication, and the official news agency has lost almost half its subscribers.

The Pope is Ill.

Rome, Aug. 23.—The pope's illness continues and he is confined to his room. All audiences have been suspended.

THE BARRE DAILY TIMES

FRIDAY, AUGUST 23, 1907.

They Are Young.

How would you take care of the children if your wife should die while they were young? Reverse the question, i. e., what would she do were you to die 38th year. National Life Insurance company, Montpelier, Vt. (mutual). S. S. Ballard, general agent, Montpelier, Vt.; N. B. Ballard, local agent, Barre, Vt.

TALK OF THE TOWN.

Masonic charms and pins at L. P. Austin's, "the watch and clock man."

Old gold and silver wanted at refiners' prices in exchange for goods at F. E. Burr's.

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L. P. Austin sells stone cutters' glasses, all kinds and prices from 20c to \$2.00 per pair.

Good-paying hammer handle business for sale. Inquire of M. M. Cook, Barre, Vt. Tel. 427-21.

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For Sale.—A 70-acre farm situated one mile and a half from this city. Will keep 12 cows and team. Good home, comfortable barns. Hen house suitable for 100 hens. An ideal home. Price low. Inquire at once at the D. A. Perry Real Estate agency.

The Barre Congregational church of Young People's Society Christian Endeavor will hold a union service with the Bethany Congregational church C. E. on Sunday next, August 26th, at Montpelier, leaving Barre at 4:45, Washington street car. All interested are invited to attend.

The ladies of the Universalist church are requested to meet in the vestry on Saturday afternoon as early as convenient to polish silver and wash dishes. The chairman has had the church thoroughly cleaned and now kindly asks the ladies to assist in placing things in order as our convention opens on Monday evening.

EXCURSION TO FORT FEDERICK.

Sunday, August 25, 1907.

On Sunday, August 25th, the Central Vermont railway will run an excursion to Fort Frederick via Burlington and Champlain.

Fare for the round trip: Williams-town, South Barre, Barre, Montpelier and Middlesex \$1.25 for adults and 65c for children; Waterbury, North Duxbury and Bolton, \$1.00 for adults and 50c for children; Jonesville, adults 90c, children 45c; Richmond, adults 80c, children 40c.

Special train will leave Williams-town 7:30 a. m., South Barre 7:45, Barre 8:10, Montpelier 8:30, Middlesex 8:45, Waterbury 8:55, North Duxbury 9:03, Bolton 9:07, Jonesville 9:15, Richmond 9:20, Leave Burlington (steamer), 10:05 a. m. Arrive Fort Frederick, 12:00 p. m.; leave Fort Frederick, 3:00 p. m.; train leaves Burlington 6:00 p. m. for Barre and intermediate stations.

See hand-bills for full particulars.

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Lives, eczema, itch or salt rheum sets you crazy. Can't bear the touch of your clothing. Doan's Ointment cures the most obstinate cases. Why suffer? All druggists sell it.

Don't use harsh physics. The reaction weakens the bowels, leads to chronic constipation. Get Doan's Regula. They operate easily, tone the stomach, cure constipation.

"My child was burned terribly about the face, neck and chest. I applied Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil, the pain ceased and the child sank into a restful sleep."—Mrs. Nancy M. Hanson, Hamburg, N. Y.

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"The most popular remedy in Otsego county and the best friend of my family," writes William M. Dietz, editor and publisher of the Otsego Journal, Gilbertsville, N. Y., "is Dr. King's New Discovery. It has proved to be an infallible cure for coughs and colds, making short work of the worst of them. We always keep a bottle in the house. I believe it to be the most valuable prescription known for lung and throat diseases." Guaranteed to never disappoint the taker, by Red Cross pharmacy. Price 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

Brand-New Postal Card.

Uncle Sam has prepared a new cream-colored postal card, three and a half inches wide by five and a half inches long. The printing on the card is in black ink.

The stamp design is a vignette profile portrait of the late President McKinley. Underneath are the dates of the martyred chief executive's birth and assassination, 1843-1901. Postmasters are instructed to sell all their old postal cards of the 1902 design before passing out the new ones.

Four Per Cent. Interest on Deposits.

The New England Farmer, the old agricultural standby of New England, believes that the policy of keeping Vermont money at home is a popular and wise one. It says:

The Lamolite County Savings Bank and Trust Co., Hyde Park, Vt., of which Ex-Gov. Carroll S. Page is president, is run upon a wise principle, one which the farmers who patronize it would do well to apply in their general business transactions. This bank believes in keeping its money at home. That its policy is a profitable as well as a popular one is indicated by the fact that it is about to pay 4 per cent. interest on deposits left with it a year or more.

HUNDREDS OF KIDNEY CASES IN BARRE.

The famed Dr. Loomis of Bellevue hospital has declared that his analyses show that nine-tenths of men and women over forty have kidney disease, and as probably one-tenth of the people in Barre are over forty, thus nine-tenths of these would mean hundreds. But if Dr. Loomis' statement is only partly correct, it would show the astonishing prevalence of kidney disease. Another important fact is that kidney trouble is not only curable but commonly gets well of itself the first few weeks. But if it has been hanging on and become chronic it is then considered fatal, and that it has been so is shown by the census deaths from kidney troubles—now over 45,000 annually. This frightful annual death toll also shows the futility of the scores of medicines that claim to cure kidney trouble. While many of them are possibly helpful during the first few weeks of the curative stage, there is only one thing known to cure a given case of kidney disease in the first or second stage, the only sensible plan if you have kidney trouble is to start on the only thing that will reach it in both stages.

If you have kidney trouble, start right. There is but one successful treatment. We will give you full information.

Represented in Barre by Rickert & Wells.

CABOT.

George Harvey of Philadelphia, is visiting here.

Clyton Kellogg has finished work for William Barr.

School commences here on Tuesday, September 3rd.

Estes Conant has finished work for Hartwell Stone.

G. V. Fraser has placed three signs in front of his store.

Mrs. Pelina Davis of Northfield, is visiting W. H. Barr.

Maud Foster of Wells River is visiting at her home on the Flans.

Marrion Kelly of Catala, Michigan, is here visiting relatives.

Otis Graves commences work for John Barr next Monday for a year.

F. A. Bailey of Providence, R. I., is visiting at the home of John Barr.

The repairs which Hartwell Stone has been making on his house are nearly completed.

Waverly Town is here from Massachusetts of his health, at one time he runs a store here.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Havens went to their cottage at Joe's pond Tuesday for a ten days' stay.

Charles Howland returned from Littleton, N. H. Tuesday, where he has been visiting his mother.

The F. & A. M. held its regular meeting and worked two candidates in the third degree. Refreshments were served during the evening.

TO MASTER THE SHEET.

What You Must Learn if You Want to Be a Sailor.

One thing you have to learn before you can write sailor after your name, and that is to master a sail. Brute force is of no account. To use brute force with a sail is like employing it to capture an elephant or run down an untamed steed. Mastering a sail is a game of strategy, finesse, diplomacy, flattery, persuasion and perseverance, with fierce energy flashed in at the right instant. You must know your sail. Sails are not all alike. What will work with a jib will fail if applied to a mainsail or topsail.

When once a man has become skilled at this game he can do more at it than three lubbers. I've seen three men tackle a jib and come back on the head baffled and beaten after a fifteen minute fight, and then a fellow went out and conquered the sail, binding it captive in ten minutes.

A sail master has five hands—two on his arms, two on his legs, and his teeth. Besides, he has knees, his elbows, the grip of his thighs, his neck, and his whole body. He must be an octopus, a lion constrictor and a monkey, combining with their qualities the patience of an ox, the quickness of a tiger and the subtlety of a fox.—T. F. Day in the 'Outing Magazine.

Lively Mourning.

A noted English artist once was standing at the edge of the road waiting for his horse and he was dressed in his usual peculiar style—mustard-colored riding suit, vivid waistcoat and bright red tie. A man who had evidently been reveling happened to hunch round the corner of the street. He stared at the famous artist for a minute in silence, then he touched his cap and asked in a tone of deep commiseration, "Beg pardon, gov'nor, was you in mourning for anybody?"

The Place For the Repentant.

They had closed and returned for the parental blessing.

"Father," the beautiful young woman said, "we are sorry for what we have done. Will you?"

"Then," the stern old man interrupted, "why don't you go to the lawyer around the corner? I'm no divorce court."

What the Hydra Was.

There have been many strange things in English history. One of the most curious was recently mentioned by a little schoolgirl.

"The hydra," said this much informed young person, "was married to Henry VIII. When he cut her head off, another one sprang right up."—Youth's Companion.

ANCIENT TRICKSTERS

Queer Conjuring Feats of the Seventeenth Century.

SOME QUAIN OLD RECIPES

Little Experiments in Which Boiling the Heads Off Living Animals Was an Incident—How They Killed a Horse and Cured Him Again.

Conjurers in ancient times were not very respectable members of society. When successful they enjoyed the reputation of having sold their souls to the evil one, and when of inferior ability they gained notoriety by being either drowned or burned. The mediaeval magicians as well as the Egyptian magi and the Chaldean sages were only a strange mixture of chemist, conjurer and charlatan, and as these gentlemen were in the habit of using their supposed occult powers to their own advantage they were naturally unpopular. The feats of jugglery performed by these craftsmen were intended for the mystification and not the amusement of the public, and for centuries conjuring had to it only a black side.

The amateur conjurer of today is not always a popular individual, save with children and the unsophisticated yokels. To the general public he is merely a bore of greater or less magnitude, whose performance is so obvious as to deceive no one. It is hard to realize that this person is no mere mushroom growth of modern society, but in point of fact his role is one of a respectable antiquity, for he is to be found treading close upon the heels of the magicians and in the days when witchcraft was still rampant. This is significant of his reputation even in those early times, for had any one taken his tricks seriously he would doubtless have been run to earth and done to death as a wizard.

In the middle of the seventeenth century, in the earliest years of the restoration, a number of tricks were published in one of those facetious books which seem to have occupied the press to a great extent at this time, but which owing to their popularity have for the most part perished. The chief recommendation of the greater number of these tricks is that no apparatus beyond the utensils of everyday life is necessary; also it is suggested to the performer that he can make some small profit out of his entertainment by prealling on his audience to bet with him on the result of the trick.

"To set a horse's or an ass's head upon a man's head and shoulders" seems impossible out of the land of Faery, but we are informed that by boiling the head cut off a living animal "the flesh boy'd may runne into oyle," and then by mingling the hair beaten into powder with this oil and anointing the heads of the standers-by "they shall seem to have horses' or asses' heads"—a costly experiment and fearsome if successful.

But, besides this, one can "make people seem headless," and this without bloodshed and by the following simple recipe: "Break arsenick very fine and boyle it with sulphur in a cover'd pot and kinde it with a new candle, and the standers-by will seem to be headless." Doubtless a strong imagination is necessary for success.

Some of the tricks are such as would nowadays cause the performer to be disliked, to put it mildly. For instance, "have a nut filled with ink and give this unto another and bid him crack it and see what he can find in that," which being done "will cause much laughter."

"To keep a Tapeter from frothing his pots" must have been an amusement to the wags of the period, and for this "provide in readiness the skin of a red Hering, and when the Tapeter is absent do but rub a little on the inside of his pots, and he will not be able to froth them, do what he can, in a good while after."

"To counterfeit a diamond with a white saphir" is a most useful accomplishment, but the fraud is likely in these days to be discovered and is more a chemical experiment than a trick.

Several tricks are recommended which have animals as their subject and are for the most part brutal to our modern ideas. Perhaps the least objectionable is "to seem to kill a Horse and cure him again," which may be thus accomplished:

"Take the seed of henbane and give it the Horse in his Provender, and it will east him into such a deep sleep that he will seem dead. If you will recover him again, rub his Nostriils with Vinegar, and he will seem to be revived." The "seem to be revived" sounds rather ominous, and it is to be noted that the correct quantity of henbane is not mentioned, so that it might be best to make this experiment on some one else's horse.

"To make a shoal of Goslings draw a Timber logge" sounds interesting, but unfortunately the directions are vague. "To make a shoal of Goslings or a Gargle of Geese to seem to draw a Timber logge is done by the verie means that is us'd when a Cat draws a Foot through a Pond, but handled somewhat further off from the Beholders."—London Standard.

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