

## ARE BACKED BY NO PROOF

### Says P. M. General Payne of Tulloch's Charges.

## GLITTERING GENERALITIES

### Charges Cover 50 Typewritten Pages of Alleged Crookedness in Post Office Department.

Washington, May 18.—Postmaster General Payne received from Seymour W. Tulloch fifty typewritten pages embodying the charges of crookedness Mr. Tulloch says he knew of in the department when he was cashier of the Washington post office.

Mr. Payne says there are only three pages out of the fifty that contain matter germane to the present investigation. He says that most of the fifty pages are given up to insinuations against officers of the department, backed by no proof, and to criticism of transactions of which Mr. Tulloch has no accurate knowledge.

Already Investigated, Says Payne. A great deal of Tulloch's communication, according to Mr. Payne, is an attack on former Postmaster General Smith. Tulloch asserts that certain irregularities were brought to Mr. Smith's attention and were ignored by him. Mr. Payne says that in his recent letters respecting these charges Mr. Smith declares the irregularities complained of were investigated and the abuses corrected.

Tulloch discusses at length the manner in which the temporary postal service for Cuba, Porto Rico and the Philippines was established and conducted and shows much personal feeling.

"Glittering Generalities," says Mr. Payne, "consists of an airing of his own grievances and of comments on his own removal. He deals in glittering generalities in criticizing ex-Postmaster General Smith. He refers to vouchers and payments of certain people which he claims to have been illegal and makes a pretty severe attack on the comptroller of the treasury.

"The bulk of the offenses alleged is that vouchers were charged to the wrong accounts. All of the items which were not allowed by the comptroller were finally audited except less than \$100. We will look into the records of these matters, of course."

Tulloch's Allegations. The serious charges made by Tulloch are that men and women were carried on the pay rolls without performing any service and that great extravagance characterized the division of salaries and allowances under George W. Beavers. He also asserts that Beavers and Machen were interested in certain corporations which attempted to secure concessions from the department.

## BURGLARS IN BIRMINGHAM.

### Union Passenger Station Robbed of \$7,000.

Birmingham, Ala., May 18.—Burglars have robbed the private office of Jack W. Johnson, ticket agent at the Union passenger station, of \$7,000 in greenbacks, coin and indorsed checks.

At the time the burglary is supposed to have taken place A. B. Cook, a clerk who was on the night watch, says he had taken a nap, as no trains were going out. There were three or four watchmen in the station at the time, however, and there were several men sitting in the waiting room into which the ticket office opened. After securing several small boxes in the safe containing valuables the burglar or burglars escaped through a small window.

The robbery was not discovered until Mr. Cook went to the safe to make a deposit. Several railroad detectives and three or four special men from the Birmingham police force were put to work on the case.

The thief evidently was familiar with the office, as he opened the safe by the regular combination and did not disturb the clerk, who was sleeping a few feet from him.

The loss is shared by the various railroads entering Birmingham, and each of them now has a special detective working on the case.

The First Idea of Electricity. The first idea of electricity was given by the friction of two globes of quicksilver in the year 1467.

## CLYDE STRIKE ENDED.

### Engineers Resumed Work Today After Being Out Two Weeks.

Glasgow, May 18.—The strike of the Clyde engineers which has been in progress two weeks ended this morning when there was a general resumption of work.

Prindle & Averill have just received a large assignment of kerosene oil stoves.

## HELPED TO LOCATE GODDARD.

### Rev. George W. Bailey Died at Springfield Last Week.

Rev. George Bailey of Springfield, who was one of the committee which selected Barre as the location of Goddard Seminary, died last Thursday and was buried yesterday. The other members of the committee were, Lieut. Gov. Trask of Massachusetts and the Rev. Dr. Miner.

Mr. Bailey was born in Wearse, N. H., in 1816; was educated in the academies in Cavendish and Chester, and at the Scientific and Military Academy at Unity, N. H., then in charge of Rev. A. A. Miner, the distinguished Universalist clergyman. Mr. Bailey preached his first sermon at Amherst, N. H. His first pastorate was in Springfield, followed by settlements in East Randolph, Lebanon, N. H., and Morrisville. His pastorate at Lebanon extended for 15 years and that at Morrisville for ten years. Since 1876 he has lived in Springfield without a charge, but has officiated at many funerals and weddings.

Mr. Bailey twice represented his town in the legislature of this state from Morrisville and was twice elected to the New Hampshire legislature from Lebanon. He has served for many years as the superintendent of schools for Springfield, and has held that office for 17 years in all his parishes.

He has been twice married, first to Martha B. Dow of Lowell, Mass., and after her death to Mrs. Hannah Hawkins Brown of Springfield, who died in 1901. He has one son, George B. Bailey for many years in the customs service in New York.

## POUNDED A GIRL.

### Two Proctor Men Fined For Raising a Disturbance While Intoxicated.

Proctor, May 17.—Otto Gustafson and Lavine Johnson, two Swedish polishers who were employed in the finishing shop of the Vermont Marble company, were brought before Justice Butler yesterday on charges of assault and breach of the peace respectively. They were found guilty and Gustafson was fined \$10 and costs amounting in all to \$27.70 and Johnson \$4 and costs amounting to \$21.70.

A complaint had been made by Frank Trombley that the two men made a disturbance at the house of Columbe on the Pittsford road Thursday and pounded and knocked down his 14-year-old daughter at Columbe's house, where she is employed. Gustafson and Johnson went to Pittsford Thursday afternoon, became intoxicated and on the way home they passed the Columbe house.

It is supposed that the men were angry at some things Miss Trombley said to a companion and proceeded to pound her. Miss Trombley was quite seriously injured.

## FIRE AT WATERBURY.

### Residence of F. C. Luce Quite Badly Damaged Yesterday.

Waterbury, May 17.—Fire was discovered about 2 o'clock this afternoon in the fine residence of F. C. Luce on Main street. The fire company promptly responded and speedily had three or four streams ready to play on the fire, the fire being confined in the attic of the ell part of the house where there was no chance to reach it without cutting an opening through the slated roof. Some time elapsed before the firemen could reach it with the hose. In the meantime much of the furniture was removed from the house and after an hour of hard work the fire was stopped.

The origin of the fire is believed to have been among some clothes or rags under the sink from which it communicated with the attic. The loss is large but at this time it is not possible to estimate it with any degree of accuracy.

Several slight casualties occurred among the workers but none very serious.

## THE McGOVERN ESTATE.

### Among the Bills Presented Was That of John W. Gordon of Barre.

Montpelier, May 18.—J. E. Cushman of Burlington, appeared before the commissioners of the estate of Daniel T. McGovern in T. J. Deavitt's office Saturday afternoon in the interests of Charles Bostwick, the hotel proprietor at Richmond, where Mr. McGovern was cared for several weeks after he was injured at a railway crossing near North Duxbury. Mr. Bostwick's bill was \$287, with \$103 interest. The commissioners on this estate are T. J. Deavitt and T. J. Kelleher. This was the last meeting and among the bills presented were those of John W. Gordon of Barre and F. L. Laird of this city, for attorneys' services in the several trials of the case of McGovern vs. Hays & Smith, receivers of the Central Vermont railroad. Mr. Gordon's bill was \$1,419 and Mr. Laird's \$1,421.

## POLISHING UNDERBODY.

### Reliance Being Smoothed Over Preparatory For Trial.

City Island, May 18.—Reliance's crew was busy this morning polishing the yacht's underbody. After the work of polishing is completed a secret composition of paste will be made by the Herreshoffs to be applied. The paste will prevent corrosion and keep the underbody smooth. Later this afternoon it is expected the Reliance will be put overboard. The Constitution will be hauled out here tomorrow, the breaking of the cradle chain at New London preventing the work of cleaning her underbody today.

## Old Home Week Celebration.

Montpelier, May 17.—At a second adjourned meeting of the Montpelier Old Home Week association, held Saturday evening at the Capital Savings Bank the old board of officers was elected as follows: President, A. J. Sibley; vice presidents, George Atkins, Arthur Lopez; secretary, E. H. Deavitt; treasurer, A. W. Ferrin; executive committee, J. M. Boutwell, Fred Blanchard, J. G. Brown. Only three members of the association were present, and that after the annual meeting had been twice adjourned for lack of a quorum. Old Home Week will not be publicly celebrated in Montpelier this year.

## FIFTEEN HURT AT BRIDGEPORT

### Attempt to Run Cars Causes Riots.

## BOMBARDMENT OF BRICKS

### Fire Department Came Out and Used Steamer Streams to Scatter the Rioters.

Bridgeport, Conn., May 18.—The attempt made by the officials of the Connecticut Railway and Lighting company, to run their cars with non-union men yesterday resulted in a riot in which at least 15 men were injured. The sheriff hopes that it will not be necessary to call out the state troops but says that another such outbreak as occurred then will make that step inevitable. At the present time it is possible that the county sheriff will supercede the police in the control of the city.

## INVESTIGATING WATER SUPPLY.

### Montpelier Officials Think of Extending Pipe to the Big Pond.

Montpelier, May 16.—The committee on public health from the city council, health officer and the mayor met for conference last evening and talked over the situation at Berlin pond, in accordance with matters brought to the attention of the board by the health officer and the personal observation of the various members who have visited the pond. It was decided to invite the state board of health to this city to look over the water supply and the council will abide by the board's recommendation. There are certain sources of possible danger past city councils have endeavored to overcome and this action is along the continued policy for pure water.

## A REPRESENTATIVE DEAD.

### C. H. Vaughan of Pomfret Died Friday Night of Heart Trouble.

Woodstock, May 17.—Charles H. Vaughan, representative in the last legislature from Pomfret, died at his home in that town Friday night of heart trouble, following a long period of poor health. During the session of the legislature last fall Mr. Vaughan came near dying while alone in his room at Montpelier. Others in the house heard him groaning and hurried to his room just in time to save his life, a blood vessel having burst. Mr. Vaughan was in his 62d year and in addition to keeping a country store at Pomfret was postmaster for a number of years until his election to the legislature. He had also held most of the other town offices, his integrity and faithfulness commanding the respect of all his townsmen. He leaves a widow and daughter.

## CAUGHT FROM ENGINE.

### Fire at Center Rutland Destroyed House of Vermont Marble Company.

Rutland, May 16.—A barn and shed owned by the Vermont Marble company at Center Rutland, and used by John Mumford, were burned late yesterday afternoon.

The fire was caused by sparks from an engine on the Clarendon and Pittsford railroad and was a stubborn one to fight.

The roofs of several houses caught fire and the house of John Mumford was badly scorched.

## Concert Programmes.

The graduating class of the musical department of Goddard Seminary, assisted by M. A. Davis and H. E. Tarbox will give a public recital in the Seminary chapel Wednesday evening, May 20, at 8, when the following programme will be rendered:

- Pianoforte—"The Spinning Song," Bendel
- Pianoforte—"La Trienne," Raff
- Pianoforte—"Pavane," Hoffmann
- Pianoforte—"Pavane," Vogrich
- Pianoforte—"Pavane," Schumann
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## Card of Thanks.

We wish to thank my friends for their kindness and sympathy in our bereavement.  
Mrs. A. J. Stephens and family,  
Mrs. E. Stephens,  
Mr. and Mrs. W. Stephens.

## VICTORIES COME DOUBLY

### Two Barre Ball Teams Defeated Rivals.

## GODDARD BEAT NORWICH

### The Seminary Boys Put Up as Fine a Game as is Ever Seen, at Northfield.

Northfield, May 17.—The Goddard Seminary baseball team defeated Norwich University in a well played game of base ball Saturday afternoon by a score of 14 to 11. This was Goddard's first game away from home and she put up the best game of the season, playing an almost errorless game. Seaver made the only error which was an excusable one.

Goddard started out scoring from the beginning, running in three scores in the first inning and four in each of the third and fourth innings. Lewis was in fine shape and pitched an excellent game up to the sixth inning when Fraser went into the box. Lewis struck out five men and gave three bases on balls. The visitors did great work at the bat as well as in the field, making 11 single hits off Morris, and two two base hits and one three base by Buchanan.

Costly errors characterized Norwich's playing, although she did some good work with the stick after Fraser went into the box, knocking out three home runs in two innings, and 18 singles during the game.

Fraser closed the game with a sensational one handed catch of a very high fly straight up between pitcher and outfield. During the past week Goddard has been putting in some good hard profitable practice. A decided improvement has been made in the in-field by the changing places of Seaver and Murray.

Goddard was defeated in the game with Norwich in Barre eight to seven.

The score:		G. S.						N. U.					
		R.	BH.	P.O.	A.	E.	R.	BH.	P.O.	A.	E.		
Berry, 2b.	2	1	4	3	0	0	2	1	0	0	0		
Buchanan, c.	3	2	8	2	0	0	0	3	4	2	0		
Murray, ss.	2	2	0	3	0	0	1	0	2	2	1		
Grant, 3b.	3	0	2	3	0	0	0	1	1	0	0		
Seaver, rf. 1b.	2	3	1	1	1	1	0	1	1	0	0		
Fraser, lb. p.	0	1	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Lewis, p.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Butler, lf.	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0		
Pike, cf.	2	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Smith, rf.	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
		14	11	27	12	1							

Score by innings:  
G. S. 3 0 4 4 1 2 0 0 0-14  
N. U. 1 0 2 0 3 3 2 0 0-11

Summary. Two base hits, Pike, Buchanan, Seaver; three base hits, Pike, Colombe, Howard; base on balls, off Lewis 3, Fraser 1, Morris 11; double plays Chase, Colombe, Thompson; hit by pitched ball Pike 2, Berry; Umpire, Loveland. Time 2 hrs. 15 min.

## SPAULDING BOYS DEFEATED BETHEL

### Game at Granite City Trotting Park Went to Local Boys by Score of 14 to 9.

The Spaulding high school ball team was easily victorious over the Bethel High school nine in its game at the trotting park Saturday afternoon, by a score of 14 to 9.

At first the visitors took the lead, the score standing 4 to 3 in their favor at the end of the second inning, but after that the Spauldings went ahead and easily won out.

The home team played a good snappy game and did good work at the bat. The Bethel boys were weak in field work. Wishart and Wheeler were the battery for Spaulding. The home team players were Carswell lb. Creed 1 f., Wishart p. Wheeler c. Pickering ss. Ayer rf. Knapp of. McDonald 2b. Stoughton 3b.

## LEAGUE BASE BALL.

### Slugging Match in St. Louis Won by Home Team.

Saturday's National league games: At Boston, Chicago 6, Boston 1.  
At New York, New York 7, Pittsburg 3.  
At Brooklyn, Brooklyn 8, Cincinnati 4.  
At Philadelphia, St. Louis 6, Philadelphia 2.

National League Standing:  
Won. Lost. Pct.  
New York 15 9 .625 St. Louis 10 10 .500  
Chicago 12 9 .571 Cincinnati 13 13 .500  
Pittsburg 17 11 .607 Philadelphia 7 13 .350  
Boston 12 11 .520 Washington 8 13 .384

Yesterday's American League scores:  
At St. Louis, St. Louis 9, Philadelphia 3.  
At Chicago, Washington 6, Chicago 2.

## CASE OF BEER UNCOVERED

### Police Search Robert Redpath's Place.

## PLEADS NOT GUILTY

### Man Fined for Intoxication and Abusing a Horse, One for Drunk and One Thought He Wasn't Drunk.

The unusual over-Sunday activity in police circles continued yesterday, and as a result the police department had considerable to show for its efforts today. Two raids were made—the first since the opening of the saloons—and one of the raids was successful. Four men were also arrested, three for intoxication and one for breach of the peace.

Yesterday forenoon, with warrants from Grand Juror Scott, Chief Brown, Officer Hamel and Special Cressmer Allen visited the places of Robert Redpath on Granite street and of George Badger on Pike street. At the former's a case of beer was found and seized, and Redpath was arrested. It was only a few weeks ago that Redpath was arrested by Deputy Marshal Luke Parish of Randolph for selling without a federal license.

At that time he was taken to Burlington for a preliminary hearing, and the case was set for trial next Tuesday, Thomas Sutor of this city being recognized as bail. On Saturday the case was settled, it is understood.

This morning Redpath was arraigned in city court on the charge of keeping for sale. He pleaded not guilty and the case was continued to Wednesday, May 27. Bail of \$500 was furnished by Angelo Scamporrino. Grand Juror Scott prosecutes and M. M. Gordon has been engaged to defend Redpath.

A double charge of intoxication and over driving and abusing a horse was what William McGowan had to face in court Saturday evening. To the intoxication charge he pleaded guilty and paid a fine of \$5 with costs of \$7.20. He contended Saturday night to stand trial for the charge of abusing a horse, but this morning decided to enter a plea of guilty which he did, paying a total of \$13.85.

William J. Brown was in court Saturday evening having been arrested by Officer Hamel for a breach of the peace. He pleaded guilty and was fined only \$3 with costs as Judge Fay found there were extenuating circumstances.

David Newton, Sr., arrested by Constable Laviolette yesterday for intoxication thought he was not drunk, and he will be given a trial next Saturday. Bail was furnished at \$50.

Benjamin Woolhouse who had been gathered in by Officer Hamel Saturday night pleaded guilty to the charge of intoxication and was fined \$5 with costs of \$11.17 which he thought he could raise.

Thomas Henderson of Seminary street was arrested this morning by Officers Brown and Hamel, charged with being drunk.

## HE RAN PRETTY FAST

### And Eluded the Grip of Barre's Chief of Police in So Doing.

Chief of Police Brown is a good sprinter, but he met his match Saturday night and the match successfully eluded the clutches of Barre's chief of police for the time being. The test of the sprinting abilities of the two started on Main street in the busiest part of the evening, and the contest was witnessed by a big crowd.

It all happened after the chief had made an arrest of a man for intoxication in the north end of the city. After making the arrest Chief Brown took the man on a car, to expedite matters. When the car reached Depot Square, a team was driven by in a rather reckless manner and the chief turned his head for a minute to watch the team. The man in custody saw his chance and sprang from the car, with the chief soon after him.

The man ran into Depot Square and the chief followed. Nero, the big dog belonging to Herbert Rugg, also joined in the chase, and his owner avers that the dog would have captured the man had he been allowed to continue. But Mr. Rugg thought the dog was chasing the man in fun and called him out. The dog had stopped the fleeing man enough so that the chief got near enough to grab for him.

But the pursued was a little man and he slipped out of the grip of the officer and darted down the Montpelier & Wells River tracks with the officer after him. With the dog at his heels the little man took courage and redoubled his speed. The last seen of him he was making tracks for the intricacies of Granite and River streets. The little man is known.

## STEPPED INTO HOLE.

### Team Driven By Two Burlington Men Had Accident on East Barre Road.

One of Charles Papin's teams met with a serious accident about 9 o'clock Sunday night while returning from East Barre. Near the Spring house the horse stepped into a deep hole in the road and was thrown completely over onto its back breaking both shafts, and the harness was all torn to pieces. Dr. Costello and Mr. McKannon of McKannon Bros., piano dealers of Burlington, who were driving the horses were thrown out and quite badly bruised.

The horse received a bad cut on its knee. It is miraculous that the horse's leg was not broken.

Wearers of the famous "Queen Quality" shoes will be glad to know that the People's Shoe Store has just received their large spring line of boots and oxfords.

This village desires to contract at once for the putting in of some concrete walks. Address, Village Trustees, North Troy, Vermont.

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