





SHIRLEY

News Items. A special meeting of the First Universalist parish will be held next Thursday evening at 8 o'clock in the church vestry, to consider raising funds to repair the roofs of the church and parsonage.

Mr. and Mrs. Lhron and two children of New York are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Williams.

Miss Carrie G. Bradford left last week for Hyannis for several weeks to attend the summer school there.

Harry Bell and Francis Caye started on a motorcycle trip Tuesday and expect to be gone several weeks, going out through some of the Western states, and they say they intend to work their way in part.

The largest crowd of the season listened to the best concert the Present Suspender Company Band has played yet last Tuesday evening.

An auto belonging to Sgt. Vandercarr, arrested as the slayer of Officer Thomas of Leominster last Saturday night, is being kept in Cassavoy's garage on Main street.

Miss Margaret L. Robinson from the Middlesex County bureau was in town on Wednesday and organized the class in clothing efficiency.

Edward Sheridan of Newton, Mass., has been the guest of his sister, Mrs. Jennie Fessenden, her mother, Mrs. Sheridan, also spending a few weeks with her.

Over 90 members and guests of the President Suspender Company attended the clambake and outing held on the Edgarton and Hyde Farm last Saturday and at the close of the day voted it the best time ever.

Miss Lucretia Johnson of Medfield, Mass., is visiting her cousins, the Misses Alice and Arvilla Hardy.

There were two minor accidents near the postoffice Thursday night, when one automobile backed into another and Fred Mayo drove his motorcycle at a good pace around the corner and ran into Willis Spaulding's auto.

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At one o'clock the President Suspender Company band gave a splendid concert on the vaudeville stage giving way at two o'clock to the vaudeville acts.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Woodin and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Nelson and son Lars went on a week-end camping trip in the mountains last Saturday, making the trip by auto.

Rev. R. M. French and family left Tuesday for a two or three weeks vacation in Connecticut, going first to Middletown to Mrs. French's old home to visit her father and sister.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Middlesex ss. Probate Court. To all persons interested in the estate of SARAH J. FAY, late of Middlesex County, deceased.

At 12:30 dinner was ready and the following menu was served: clams, pickles, Queen and stuffed olives, chicken and potato salad, cold roast, sugar-cured ham, frankfurters, salad, rolls, raspberry bombs, frozen pudding, Country club ice cream, fancy assortment, cake and coffee.

Mr. and Mrs. George E. Wilson and two sons and Mr. and Mrs. Almond A. Wheeler started Wednesday morning on their long trip across the continent by auto.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Harrison of Stoneham, Mass., have been visiting at the Sweetser home.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. Ous Evans and little daughter Myrna of North Irwin, Pa., are spending two weeks at the home of Mr. Evans' mother, Mrs. J. W. Evans.

Mr. and Mrs. John A. Coburn and Mrs. Ella Farley left town Wednesday for their new home in Townsend.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Wright, Mrs. Sarah Corey and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bennett attended the funeral of Thomas Bennett at Greenville, N. H., last week.

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The Minute Man statue near the bridge at Concord, Mass., where, on April 19th, 1775, the Minute Men gave battle to the British Troops and fired "The shot heard round the world."

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The JOHN H. HOWARD HERD of Pure-bred Holsteins is headed by Mt. Hermon Perfection Johanna Lad, a prize winner at five fairs including 1st at Brockton and 2nd at Eastern States Fair at Springfield.

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Thursday, August 7, 1920

GROTON

On Thursday, July 29, Miss Fannie E. Woods motored to Ogunquit, Me., accompanied by Mrs. Frank Pierce and her two daughters, the Misses Carol and Rebecca Pierce of Ayer.

where they are to go to Mr. John Richards' camp. Miss Elizabeth Marsh, who has taught for the past two years in our high school, has accepted a position to teach Latin in the Staugus high school.

July 1892, and the family followed in December. The first time she saw Gen. Grant was when he came to Washington to receive his commission as lieutenant-general, and the occasion was a reception at the White House.

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The Boston Store GEO. B. TURNER & SON AYER, MASS. SILK HOSIERY Special Sale at Great Reductions in price 10 strand Heavy Black and White Silk Hose, full fashioned \$3.75 value for \$2.75







Saturday, August 7, 1920

PEPPERELL

News Items. We note that U. W. Kidder, formerly the acting agent on the E. & M. railroad and going from here to Millford, N. H., has now accepted a similar position at Clinton, this state, and will assume his duties very soon.

five o'clock, Mrs. Elizabeth Heald, hostess. Congressman John Jacob Rogers of Lowell will speak on the political issues of the day in Prescott hall, Thursday evening, August 12, at eight o'clock, under the auspices of the republican league.

Henry Wood recently had another nice trip to Hyde Park, with Dr. Beckor and family on their return home after a day spent at their place purchased from Mr. Wood, last year.

Interest in social life, and in all the small, sweet, foolish enjoyments dear to every woman's heart, has a cloud over the mind and quenched the fire of which the heart is brightened and blessed, in spite of temperament and rheumatism, the community.

doings of state and town, with very decided and clear ideas on matters coming under her observation. Her impatience has no doubt affected her mind, and her death at the age of only 62, with sufficient means to make life pleasant for herself and others, seems particularly sad.

Aug. 7 Fitchburg's Big Market Aug. 7 1920 SPECIAL FOR SATURDAY 1920 SATURDAY IS DOLLAR DAY IN FITCHBURG Our store is full of Specials—You save a dollar on every \$5.00 you spend here Saturday

Miss Dorothy Grier has returned from a visit to friends in West Acton, where she was the special guest of Miss Marjorie Stearns.

Friday Lakin came from Greenfield on Friday last week for a short stay at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lakin, Cottage street.

At the Community church on Sunday, morning worship at 10:30. Sunday school at noon. The Webster school class of Miss Anna Boynton will have charge of the decorations.

At the Methodist church Sunday morning worship at 10:45. Preaching by the pastor, Rev. B. W. Rust, theme, "The wedding feast." Church school at noon. Evensong service at 7:30.

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