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LITTLETON

Miss Susie Robbins is the happy pos-sessor of a Ford rundbout. Mrs. Adelia M. Parker is taking lessons in running an automobile.

Mrs. John H. Kimball and her mother, Mrs. S. Z. Cleaves, of Rindge, N. H., went down east Monday to visit relatives and friends in Maine.

N. H., went down east Monday to visit relatives and friends in Maine.

A good number of visitors accepted the invitation of the Baptist Woman's Missionary society to attend the first meeting of the season in the vestry on Wednesday, though the heat was excessive. A violin solo by Miss Katherine Kimball and a vocal duet by Miss Kimball and Mrs. Houghton were a fitting introduction to a very interesting and convincing address upon the question "Are the heathen religions good enough for them?" by Miss Helen Monroe, of Cambridge, who illuminated her subject by telling incidents drawn from her own experiences in foreign lands, and showed impressively the great progress constantly made by christian missions, the favorable attitude the governments themselves were taking toward christianity. A very enjoyable social hour followed.

E. H. Priest has sold his house on

E. H. Priest has sold his house on Foster street, recently vacated by V. H. Flagg, to his brother, George L. Priest, who has bought for occupancy. Miss Billings, for very many years a member of the Priest household, will keep house for Mr. Priest.

The Vinges Doughters' recention of

The King's Daughters' reception of September 24 will be held with Mrs. Paul L. Brown, Foster street, from three to five o'clock in the afternoon. Miss Frances W. Chandler, of En-field, Smith '94, is the guest of Miss M. H. Kimball.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Yapp and Mr. and Mrs. Richard T. Barrow were among the Littleton people in attend-ance at Clinton fair this week.

Several Newtown people enjoyed a dish of luscious strawberries for their breakfast a few mornings ago through the courtesy of George H. Chandler, who raised this fruit in his garden.

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Mr. and Mrs. Uriah S. Knox, of Taylor street, have the sympathy of their fellow townspeople in the death of their little boy Alvin, the third of their little boy Alvin, the third of their sons. He was seized with appendicitis and hurried to Groton hospital, where he died shortly after the operation. Alvin was one of a group of five little fellows in a family of bright, promising children, and his untimely death at the age of eight years is much lamented. He had reached the third grade in school and was an industrious, obedient pupil of fully the average ability. The funeral services were held on Friday.

Partick McNiff, gate tender, is taking a well-garmed case and secured from later the form of the courted for satisfactorily. A state detective has been with relatives.

Past Master Ladd of the State Grange, from Sturbridge, addressed a most appreciative audience at the open most appreciative audience at the

feet. Also of a young man whose Blue Blood was tinged with ochre, and of another who studied the stars and learned of hell.

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Saturday Night



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Mrs. Charles A. Dewey continues to live in Rome and writes that she knew nothing of war from present bservations.

Mrs. D. C. Houghton was pained to learn of the death by drowning of her nephew, Edward C. Reed, of Barre, last Saturday. He was diving and he failed to return to the surface for some reason that will remain a mystery.

Miss Josephine Holbrook has re-turned to H. F. Works' after a vaca-tion of seven weeks spent in Maine

THE THEME.

Being the tale of a girl who idolized aristocracy and wed it, and how she found her golden idol to have clay feet. Also of a young man whose Blue Blood was tinged. of his brother at the Congregational parsonage.

parsonage.

The good work of the jitney bus in service on Sundays is much appreciated at the missionary rooms in Boston, where the reduced fare for all attendants at the Congregational church is made possible. We are happy to learn, although not authorized to publish the fact, that through the generosity of a good Unitarian a similar reduction is offered to those who are conjected to and from the Unitarian charch in the jitney.

Mrs. John Caux Kelley has kindly

Mrs. John Chair Kelley has kindly consented to sing cwice in the Congressional church on Sunday and Mr. Kelley has genetously promised to preside at the organ. Miss Bertha Love read a report of

Miss Bertha Love read a report of the recent convention in Sagamore, Benjamin Connet spoke on "The ideal Christian E ideavor society" and Rev. J. C. Alvord delivered his sermon on "Advertisements" before the recent Y. P. S. C. E. union convention.

P. S. C. E. union convention.

Frank Peabody has accepted a
home with Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Robinson and he will assist Mr. Robinson
in his farm work.

in his farm work.

Mrs. Amelia Wakefield has been visiting relatives in Greater Boston during the week-end.

Misses Juniata and Priscilla Fairfield returned to Boston university this week. Miss Juniata will be assistant in the university library and will take a special course looking to library work. During the school year she will make her home with friends in Winthrop Highlands. Miss Priscilla has been given the honorary office of junior prector of the university. Her college address will be at the home of Miss Esther Dodge in Cambridge, as for the last two years. Miss Faith Fairfield will enter Bates college at Lewiston. Me.

The "Go-to-church band" move-

Fairfield will enter Bates conege at Lewiston. Me.

The "Go-to-church band" movement, initiated by Clinton Alvord, of Worcester, will be presented in Littleton on Sunday evening at seven o'clock at a union meeting of all the churches to be held in the Unitarian church. This movement has increased fifty percent this past year. It has been used in thirty-three states and seven denominations with excellent results. Over 5000 young people are reported to have made a perfect record of attendance for four months. Mr. Alvord is a brother of the Congregational minister here, so the Littleton people will have an added interest in learning the details of this movement, and a large attendance is expected.



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WESTFORD

Center

Frank C. Wright is having the customary two weeks' vacation allowed by the postal authorities and Wm. E. Green is substituting on R. F. D. route No. 1 for him.

The enrollment of pupils at Westford academy is fifty-one, being pret-ty evenly divided with twenty-five girls and twenty-six boys.

Joseph E. Knight has purchased a five-pasenger Reo automobile and is busy learning its care and control. Mrs. Kate Allen of Malden has een a recent guest at H. V. Hil-

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Whitney enjoyed a trip to Salisbury and Hampton beaches last Saturday, going by auto with friends.

Miss Grant, Miss Crocker and Miss Osborn are the teachers boarding at Mrs. Knights and Miss Young boards with Mrs. Walker, the same as last

Mrs. Bert Walker has been enter-taining her friend, Miss Havens, of Waltham, as a guest at her home this last week.

Two new telephone have been added to the already large list this week—Herbert E. Kendall 44-14 and David Sherman 36-4.

To and Ruth Galusha.

st. H. V. Hildreth and Mrs. Harsur.

W. Hildreth entertained the William of the former Wednesday evening of this week. The party took place on the pleasant screened in plorch, which was a very successful arrangement for the warm evening. The decorations, the arrangements for the game and the delicious refreshments were all most successfully planned for the enjoyment of the thirty guests present. Mrs. Lawrence the mother of one of the hostesses was a special guest of the evening.

Mrs. Donald M. Cameron gave a very pretty summer afternoon party at the Cameron summer home Friday afternoon of last week, given in honor of her mother. Mrs. Fiske, and her who has been visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. K. Holton, Shirley Center, one cupied the pulpit of St. andrews mission lost Sunday morning. The automobile owned by James Benott caught the last week Thursday afternoon of last week, given in honor of her mother. Mrs. Fiske, and her who has been visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. K. Holton, Shirley Center, or cupied the pulpit of St. andrews mission lost Sunday morning. The automobile owned by James Penott caught the last week Thursday of the tire department.

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at the Cameron summer nome reliang afternoon of last week, given in honor of her mother. Mrs. Fiske, and her aunt, Mrs. Calvert. Whist was arranged for those who enjoy the game and there was much merry sociability and a pretty luncheon was served. About thirty-five were present.

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A pleasant event which we inadvertantly failed to chronicle last week was a pleasant party given by Miss Beatrice Stitherland, given for the younger set just before the opening of schools. Whist was enjoyed for which there were five tables and refreshments of ice cream and cake were served. Another pleasant gathering of the young people the same week was at the home of Ethele Burland.

me of one of Westford's old fami-

lies.

The body was brought to Westford on Wednesday forence on for interment in the family lot at Fairview come-A large number of relatives and friends attended the committal service. A delegation of sorrowing class-mates of the class of 1914 and also of the present class were in attendboth classes sending beautiful floral tributes. There were many other beautiful tributes. Rev. David Wallace conducted the services with tender sympathy in the committal readings, in prayer and the reading of "Thanatopsis," from Bryant.

About Town.

Mrs. James H. O'Brien, of Pigeon hill, has been for a week with rela-tives who are officials at the state in-stitution and farm at Tewksbury. She reports everything cosey, comfortable and abundant for those who are unable to care for themselves.

Rev. Frank B. Crandall will conduct the service at the Unitarian church on Sunday.

Mrs. Clara Littlefield, of Fitchburg, spent Sunday at the old Walker home stead with her brother and sister, Charles E. and Miss Belle Walker.

John A. Taylor, who has been on a England vacation, left town last Friday for his home in the west. Mrs. Coffin and her daughter. Mrs Hurd, and infant son. Robert M. Hurd, of South Berwick, Mc. are having a warm welcome visit with relatives at the old Walker home-

A flock of wild geese was seen fly-ing over Francis hill on Monday, gosouth in search of warm weather.

West Chelmsford Grange will hold west Cheimsford Grange will hold their next meeting on next week Thursday evening. They neighbored with Tyngshoro Grange on Tuesday evening and Westford Grange on Thursday evening.

The Boston and Maine milroad are driving new piling at the bridge hellow Brookside that spans the Stony Brook. Also, preparations are being made for new and in ever rails between Westford and West Chelmsford.

An apple tree on a farm in South Chelmsford is in full blossom. It was disturbed by a serenade of hall stones while in blossom in the spring, hence its determination to get back to origi-nal and start life over again.

William Pollock, on the Cold Spring road, is still picking raspher-ries. Nature soms to have got a lit-tle might tangled up in law points in various ways this uneven weather

Nork has been resulted again at the H. E. Fletcher stone quarry on Oak hill after two weeks of idleness, an idleness never known before in the history of the unusual activities of this well managed, well equipped plant.

The children of Lawyer James S. Murphy, of Lowell, have been visiting at the Old Oaken Bucket farm. Vote for Messer for Sheriff.

Forge Village.

Miss Elizabeth Kelley has returned from a vacation spent as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Graham, Canton Junction.

Mr. and Mrs. John Conrey, of Bradford street, who have been visiting friends in Westboro, have returned home.

four weeks in Canada, where he will be the guest of relatives and friends. The mills of Abbot & Company will close down on Saturday for a week Mrs. John Campling and family, of Mrs. John Campling and family, of Hartford, If. Lawrence, were guests of relatives here last Sunday.

Only the Hartford, If. Baker, 1b. Delaney, 3b.

Services will be held at St. Andrew's mission at nine o'clock Sunday morn-

visit this last week with Mr. and Mrs. Rendall Heywood at Sterling, staying fro.n Friday until Monday.

Anong the little people just entering school at the Center are Elizabells, Elizabeth Hildreth, Everling, Elizabeth, Everling, Elizabeth, Everling, Elizabeth, Elizabeth, Everling, Elizabeth, Everling, Elizabeth, E

grandmother, Mrs. M. A. Lowther.

Mrs. William Weaver, of Fond street, who has been ill, is how much better. Her daughter, Mrs. William Baker, cared for her during her illness.

The sympathy of the village people is extended to the family of the late Mrs. J. Carmichael, of Graniteville, also, to the parents and relatives of Edward Read, who died as a result of injuries received in diving while bathing in Dana.

Vote for Messer f r Sheriff.

Deaths.

Daniel Hanley, one of the oldest and most respected residents of the town, died at his home on Central street Tuesday afternoon at the age of seventy-two years. Mr. Hanley had not been enjoying the best of health of a long time, but his death was at great shock to his family and wide circle of friends. He leaves to mourn his loss his wife. Catherine's seven children. Mary F., organist of St. Catherine's church, West Graniteville, Catherine and Edward of the item of the control freshments of ice cream and cake were served. Another pleasant gathering of the young people the same week was at the home of Ethele Burland.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Streeter are guests at Mr. and Mrs. J. Henry Colburn's.

The greatest interest centers on the rubber game of baseball between the Graniteville and Westford teams to be played this Saturday afternoon at the age of seventy-two years. Mr. Hanley had not been enjoying the best of health to a long time, but his death was not at all expected and came as a great shock to his family and wide with loss his wife. Catherine; seven thing the crop of rowen hay which has not been so abundant for a number of seasons.

Death.

The community was shocked and saddened Monday to hear of the tragic and sudden death of Edward Chamberlain Read, of Barre, aged seventeen years, caused by an injury received in diving while bathing at Dana the previous day. The Read family had only removed to Barre a little more than a year ago and Edward was graduated from Westford academy in the class of 1914, so the fatality seems very real to the Westford friends and the very sincerest sympathy of the community goes out to the washly stricken father, mother and other relatives.

Edward was a line, likable how of fine physique and good mentality, always having stood well in his classes. In his generation he represented the name of one of Westford's old familing amember of the How Name society.

He was a member of the Foresters of America, Court City of Lowell, and a member of the Holy Name society of St. Catherine's church and the Westford Veteran association.

Westford Veteran association.

The funeral services were held at St. Catherine's church at 9.20 o'clock on Thursday morning. A solemn high mass or requiem was sung by Rev. E. T. Schofield. Rev. Scott was deacton and Rev. Callahan sub-deacon. The regular choir, under the direction of Edward Ryan of Marlhoro, as organist, rendered the Gregorian chant. At the offertory the "Pie Jesu" was effectively sung by Miss Rebecca Leduc, and as the casket was borne from the church the choir rendered the "De profundis." The bearers were James Sullivan, James O'Brien, Elmer E. Nutting, Hugh Daly, Henry Pro-

James Sullivan, James O'Brien, Eimer E. Nutting, Hugh Daly, Henry Provost and William Harrington.

The body was met at the church by the Westford Veteran association who draped the casket with the American flag. The floral tributes were beautiful and numerous. Relatives and friends were present tives and friends were present from Boston, Lowell, Marlboro, Worcester North Chelmsford, Ayer and Granite

In the death of Mr. Hanley the own loses an honest and upright citi-en; his neighbors and friends who town loses an nonest and upright citizen; his neighbors and friends who had learned to feel the better for having known him lose a friend worthy of the highest respect; in the home, where he was ever present with his kindly words of comfort and advice, his place will be sadly vacant. The deepest sympathy is extended to the bereaved wife and family.

Miss Agnes Moran, a weil-known and esteemed resident, died at St. John's hospital, Lowell, Tuesday, at the age of twenty-eight years. Miss Moran had been an intense sufferer

Ralph Fletcher, who was reported as having diphtheria, has now, with more light, been found to have only tonsilitis and not enough of that to post up a quarantine.

and death came as a great relief. Two sisters are left to mourfi her less. Miss Mary Moran, of this village, and Sister Columba of Peoria, Ill. Burial took place in Lowell. took place in Lowell.

Graniteville.

Miss Bertha Golbraith, of the office staff of the C. G. Sargent Sons' Corp., is now on a vacation of four weeks, the first two of which will be spent in Montville, Conn., and New York, and the last two weeks at the home of her parents in Springfield.

Miss Lilly Mae Moran has recently returned from a very delightful vaca-tion spent at the different beaches along the North Shore.

Vote for Messer for Sherift.

Baseball. Baseball.

The fourth big ball game between the Westford and Graniteville teams was pulled off here on last Saturday before the largest crowd that has attended a game in the town. Graniteville won by the score of 5 to 1, and the count in the series now stands two-all, each club having won two games. The "rubber" game, that was decided by a flip of a coin, will be played on the Whitney playground in Westford this week Saturday afternoon at three o'clock, and it goes without saying that this game will be very largely attended.

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The game last Saturday was, filled with thrills from start to finish and excitement ran high from the time of "play ball" until the last man was out. George Reed umpired his usual good game and will probably officiate this Saturday. Following is the score:

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Ahearn, c			1	1	1	9	2	- 1
Lohman, p			1	1	1	()	4	0
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Bridgeford, rf			1	1	1	0	0	U
McGovern, 3b	. ,		()	0	0	1	2	1
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WESTFORD A. A.

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Death.

Mrs. Janet Eldes Carmichael, an old and highly respected resident of this village, and the widow of the late John Carmichael, died last Saturday at the family residence, Main street, Graniteville, aged 77 yrs. 4 mos. and 20 days. She leaves to mearn her loss two sons, John of Forge Village, and James of Lowelli also two daughters, Mrs. Clifford Legion, of teakland, Cal., and Mrs. Alva Bicknell, of Someevelle.

LITTLETON

News Items.

Daughters will hold their annual reception to all Littleton friends seventy years of age or over on the afternoon of September 24, at Mrs. Paul L. Brown's, Foster street. Mrs. Carl A. Dodge and little daughter, Jean-te, who have spent the summer at D. G. Houghton's, returned last week to their Gloucester City, N. J., home, accompanied by Miss Lucy Houghton, who will be at her sister's

our weeks. Miss Sarah Murphy is glad to be at home again after many weeks' con-inement in Lowell hospital. The casts have been removed from her knees, but she is restricted in her activities. Mr. and Mrs. Harold W. Conant are

expected today from Ashburnham, where they have spent their honey-Miss Olive Thacher went back to Sorthfield last week to continue her tudies at the seminary for girls.

Mrs. Henry F. Works and her moth-r. Mrs. Helbrook, will attend the attonal G. A. R. encampment in Vashington, D. C., leaving town on

Allen McDonald, of Yalesville, Conn. who represents the Barnes Fruit Co., has moved into F. C. Hartwell's Tuttle cottage at the corner of King street and Hartwell avenue.

Misses Arria Stone and Priscilla and Juniata Fairfield returned this week o Boston university. Miss Katherine Kimball has resum-ed her studies in the librarian's course at Simmons college this week.

Heywood Knowlton, who has visited Woburn relatives this last week, will leave for Dartmouth college next

On the afternoon of October 1, the ladies of the Alliance will hold a neighborhood meeting. The speaker, Rev. Florence Buck, of Boston, will give an address on "How the Alliance may help the school of religion." Miss Orissa Baxter, a former teacher in Littleton, has visited the Misses Sanderson this last week.

Mrs. Thomas Stephens went to Portland, Me., Monday to attend the Daughters of Liberty convention which s in session this week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Harwood, Miss Helen Knight and Miss Charlotte San-derson autoed recently to Greenfield and made a trip through the Mohawk

Mrs. O. J. Pairfield again preached. The president Miss Katherine Ki in Rowe for Rev. Margaret Barnard, ball, the delegate this summer

whing and report enthusi-

on Samua, the he will present a similar subject at the union meeting of Littleton soci-

Died, in Charles H. has lived cheefy here and in neighboring towns. He leaves one sen, Frank Conart, of Townsend, and a sister. Mrs. idem Ford, of Concord Junction. Services were held at the home of Mrs. Addie Loring, conducted by Rev. H. L. Caulkins, the interment being made in the family lot at Westlawn conterpy.

Miss. Ethel E. 7.

K Bruce will return the last of this week from New her millinery rooms in Ayer of Messer for Sheriff.

The felt-last Sunda meeting of

's officers were elected tonicers were elected evening at the annual Eaptist Y. P. S. C. E.: ball, pres.; Olive Flagg, Todge, sec.; Nina Den-Katherine K Whitney Caulkins Whitney, pianist, s been one of consider-

The year able active young peopl on the part of these. By means of ice cream wn party they have rais-ed in the bank twenty-a beginning of an efed and depo ve dollars fort which they plete to provide church. For th ey hope soon to comchurch. For three years they have sent each summer a delegate to the Sagamore C. E. Institute at the society's expense, and others have attended at their own expense. The results have been so good that the practice of sending a telegate here of sending a delegate has become established as a regular feature of the work. Their stendance at local and county conventions is always numerous, fourteen members being present at the local convention in Stow last at the loss Saturday. Saturday. The meeting on Sunday yeeiing was bed by Miss Helen Meory and was of more than usual increst, the basef, impromptu addressevening was terest, the biref, impromptu address-es of the members showing much thought and interest in the C. E. sub-

"Friendships that are worth having." The presider, Miss Katherine Kim-

Expeople in the village Sagamore, gave a most interesting and complete descriptive report of the Sanderson's last week institute.

The Antics of the "Antis."

Mrs. Mar. F. Robbins spent this last week with her sister, Mrs. Hattie Whitcomb, i. Norwell, and is now the guest of her son, Charles S. Robbins of Melrose.

Mrs. Chids, of Woburn, is making her annual visit with her niece, Mrs. D. G. Heaghton.

The Antics of the "Antis."

Some of the political activities of the Antis seem to the ordinary observer to be very mysterious. Just why any woman should still wish to be classed with imbeciles, criminals and lunatics is sufficiently unaccountable, but the mad-plunge of the Antis into political activities, all the time D. G. Houghton.

Rev. Clinton Alvord, president of the "Gostochurch band," will address old and young people, particularly the latter, at the Congregational church on Sanday merning. In the evening he will present a similar subject at the union meeting of Littleton societies in the Univarian church.

Univarian church.

Lattleton, September 5, cal stump speaker to prevent their sisters who desire the right of suffrage from gaining that privilege.

2 days, Mr. Conant was the control of the political stump speaker to prevent their sisters who desire the right of suffrage from gaining that privilege.

who would not take the trouble to qualify as voters and who have never voted, but they do not kick because others vote. There are many millions of voters in the country whose sole of voters in the country whose sole political activity consists in casting their votes at election time and that simple operation does not seem to take up much of their valuable time.

One plea the Antis have set up is that if women vote they should fight

n case of war. It seems to us that it in case of war. It seems to us that in taking this position the Antis are about in the position of the boy who hastily dressing got his knickerbock-ers on hind side front, and told his fond mother that when he found it out he could not tell whether he was

and fight, but that men should not to fight, and if they lack votes enough to prevent war give the wo-men the vote and a chance to help stop war for all time. In our opinion war is absolutely

guments against equal suffrage a comfortable income while the campaign lasts in which case their antico im- are explainable by the good old for to ula: "We have to live." V. T. E.

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out he could not tell whether he was going to school or coming home. In like manner our friends have got their arguments reversed.

From the huge object lesson we are getting in Europe at present there would seem to be solid grounds for arguing not that woman should vote and fight, but that more should vote

In our opinion war is absolutely the worst possible occupation for either men or women and if giving women their full rights will do anything to stop war forever it will be well worth the trouble. We have thought there may be an economic reason for the action of the Antis, It is just possible there is a sufficient "slush fund" somewhere available to give women who are able to put in pleasing language the slim arguments against equal suffrage a

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SHIRLEY

News Items.

Catherine Lent Stevenson, the noted temperance worker and advocate, will give an address in the Congregational church on Sunday morning at 10,45 The Ludies' circle of the Congrega-

The case of Frank Cifrino came up for trial on Monday in the district court at Ayer. The prosecution was represented by James H. McMahon, of Fitchburg, and John Maloney, of Ayer, represented the defense. Cifrino was found guilty and fined the sum of \$150 and given three months in the house of correction. He ap-Ayer, represented the defense. Cifrino was found guilty and fined the sum of \$150 and given three months in the house of correction. He appealed his case and furnished the required \$300 bonds for his appearance at the superior court the first Monday in October, at which time the case is listed for trial.

Wallace C. Silvia, who have employed as his appearance and shirted the superior court the first Monday in October. At which time the case is listed for trial.

Wallace C. Silvia, who has been employed as butler and houseman at the C. W. Marshall home, Center road, left Monday for a two-weeks vacation with Iriends in Nashua, New bedford and Nantucket. Since coming to Shirley Mr. Silvia has made a number of friends which will no doubt miss him. He was not in the best of health when he came to the Marshall home, but now enjoys the best of health and has gained twenty.

N. R. Graves, coming by automobile, Mr. R. Graves, coming by automobile, Mr. R. Graves, coming by automobile, Mrs. Heles, Supraga by automobile, five pounds in weight and speaks in the highest terms of the kindness ac-corded him at the Marshall home. He is a lover of flowers and through the generosity of Mr. Marshall sent ious to locate in the suburbs of Boston and will not return to Shirley.

years, one of the Industrial school boys, had his right hand cut clean of at the wrist while cutting corn in the silo Monday morning. He was feeding corn to the cutting machine when his hand was caught by the knives in ans mand was caught by the knives in the machine. First aid treatment was administered and a summons sent for Dr. Lilly, the school physician, who arrived in record time. The doctor did what was possible for the boy, who was weak from the loss of blood.

Clipping.

The following clipping was tiken the Witham Tribune:

'An early full wedding which was briggly attended by content frown pour pile was that on list week Wednesday evening of Miss Mildred E. Tilden daughter of Miss. Carrie E. Tilden, of Shirley, to Burton W Cary, of Brookline, a Boston attorney at the home of the uncle and aunt of the bride, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Bradford, where games were played and den, of Shirley, to Burton W Cary, of Brookline, a Boston attorney at the home of the uncle and aunt of the bride, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Bradford, where games were played and light refreshments served.

Batch I. Evans' new bungalow, sitting home of the uncle and aunt of the bride, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Bradford, where games were played and light refreshments served.

bride. Mr and Mrs. Henry A. Pelley, Jubb. is "The double ring ceremony was of the insed and was performed by Rev. C. the done. A. Kniekerbocker, of Reading, Pa., astham. A reception on the lawn to which 150 guests were invited was held after the wedding.
"Miss Mildred M. Edgarton, of Concord, a cousin of the bride, was maid

of honor, and the bridesmaids were Miss Helen M. Cary, of Lowell, a sister of the groom: Miss Alice P. Wiggin, of Bedford, and Miss Mildred Mead, of Greenwich, Conn. Langdon Coffin, a classmate of the groom in the class of 1908 at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, was best man. The ushers at the wedding and the reception were C. G. Edgarton and Edgarton G. Polley, cousins of the bride; J. C. Cary, brother of the groom, and E. S. Giles.

"The bride were a grown of white

groom, and E. S. Giles.

"The bride wore a gown of white charmeuse, with white net and lace, and carried bridal roses. The maid of honor was attired in yellow silk, trimmed with white net and fur, and carried Aaron Ward roses, and the bridesmaids wore pink silk and carried high full roses. The triangle of the silk and carried and full roses. rled pink Killarney roses. The in-terior decorations were gladiolas and

"The refreshment tables were set on the lawn and Japanese lanterns were hung on the trees to illuminate." An orchestra played the wedding

maren and atterwards played during the reception. "Mr. and Mrs. Cary received many wedding presents from their friends. The groom's present to the bride was

a pear! necklace. They will spend a month's honeymoon touring the White Mountains by automobile, and upon their return will make their home in

The Luddies' circle of the Congregational church will hold a food saic in the vestry next week Wednesday afternoon at four o'clock. A line assortment of home-cooked foods will be on sale.

Rodney Brown, clerk at Conant Brothers' store, is this week enjoying his annual vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Tewksbury of Center road announce the engagement of their daughter, Grace E. Tewksbury, to Percy E. Gale, of Fitchburg. Miss Tewksbury stools and Spent a year at Cushing academy. Mr. Gale is engaged in the automolide business by Ford & Lyon, and also attended Fitchburg schools.

Miss Lena Tewksbury is doing home photography work in Springfield and Chicopee, and before returning home will visit in Greentield.

Sidney S. Horton, Lancaster road, has purchased a five-passenger Hudson auto.

Mrs. Eddio J. Tremblay, who re-

Mrs. Eddie J. Tremblay, who recently gave birth to a daughter, was taken on Monday to the Chnton hospital, as her condition was considered Judge (Connell granted a divorce to sorting)

taken on Monday to the Chuton hospital, as her condition was considered sections.

George Holden picked this work from his orchard a large tot of Wealthy opples weighing fourteen chares each. They are considered the finest ever grown of that variety. Mr. Holden will this year harvest a thousand barrels of apples of the linest varieties.

Ev. Roserio Richard, of St. Anthony's church heft on Monday for his annual retreat at Brighton. He will return to Shirley this week Saturday.

Benjamin S. Binney reached the eighty-third milestone in life last work Friday. He passed the day quietly at home, receiving a number of friends who called during the day to extend congratulations. Mr. Binney was also the recipient of a number of postcards. As is usual at his time of life Mr. Binney has days now and then when he is not at his best but generally speaking he enjoys good health and is always pleased to receive visits from his friends, and being an interesting conversationalist, his reminiscences of important events in days gone by are entertaining and instructive.

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Mr. and Mrs. Edward Carey and Mrs. Potter, of Fitchburg, were guests over Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Merrick W. Carey.

Mrs. Amy Whitworth, who has been staying at the home of Miss Elsie Kir. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Sunbury and

Miss Helen Sumner has returned to the Mackage cottage on Parker road after spending two weeks in Wash-ington, D. C.

The Catacunamang Camb-fire Girls many lovely bouquets to the sick and held a very successful ice cream sale afficted in the town. Since he has on last week Friday evening in front regained his health Mr. Silvia is anxion to locate in the suburbs of Boston and will not return to Shirly. the young people played games on Harry Beckowitz, aged seventeen the common

Mr. and Mrs. George Martin, who have been spending a few days at the home of Miss Elsle Kirby, left last week for Worcester, where Mr. Mar-

Ernest Bohanor arrived home last week after spending the summer at Oak Bluffs. Norman R. Graves returned home

on Sunday after a ten-days trip to Lakeville, N. S.

Miss Ruth M. Graves, of Lineister,

Ralph I. Evans' new bungatow, sit-meted beyond the home of William Jobb, is nearly completed, only a part of the inside finishing remaining to

12t Rev Samuel G. Babcock, sufsisted by Rev. Joseph K. Mason, passisted by Rev. Joseph K. Mason, passitor of the Universalist church of Waltham. A reception on the lawn to which 150 guests were invited was held after the wedding.

Webster, rector of Christ church bishop of Massachusetts. Trinity chapel last Waltham, will conduct the service at

The Misses Smith, who have been occupying Rev. Howard A. Bridg-man's house on Center road this man's nouse on Center road this summer, return to Cambridge this week.

Mrs. Almond Wing, of Brookline is spending the week at th her father, Albert Adams Vote for Messer for Sheriff.

LUNENBURG

News Items.

The warrant for the primary elec-tion, September 21, has been posted. Mothers—Watch Irritable Children:

Richard D. Field has resigned as clerk of the board of selectmen and Edwin C. Smith was elected in his place at the meeting of the selectmen last Saturday evening. Hereafter the records of the selectmen's meetings clerk.

The Woman's club has received an Mothers—Watch Irritable Children:

That fever, paleness, grinding of teeth with a sleep, and coated tongue are inclications that your child has worms in dications that your child has worms in clerk by gets rid of these parasits. It is perfectly safe for even the most delicate to effective medicinal qualities—acts as a factive, expels the worms, and tones up the system. Begin treatment today and eliminate the cause of irritableness. 25c. Richard D. Field has resigned as clerk of the board of selectmen and Edwin C. Smith was elected in his place at the meeting of the selectmen last Saturday evening. Hereafter the records of the selectmen's meetings

invitation from Mrs. George T. Green-wood to hold a social meeting at her pleasant bungalow on the ear line on the road to Whalom on Friday afternoon, September 24, from two to four o'clock. Should that day prove to be stormy the invitation expects to the next day. Saturday, for the same

Leon D. Page has least the tener LOWELL & FITCHBURG ST. ment over the store of Warren Lewis & Co., and expects to take possession on October 1.

On last Saturday the schoolhouse known as No. 8, or of late years as the South schoolhouse, near Lanenburg depot, was sold at public auction by vote of the town. There were not enough children in the district to make it advisable to hire a teacher make it advisable to hire a teacher and keep up a school there. It was thought a better plan to transport the children to other districts on the car line and self the school building, which was done last Saturday afternoon. W. L. Russell, living nearby, was the highest bidder at the auction and became the possessor of the build and became the possessor of the build-ing for \$101, and for the land, con-taining eighty-nine square rods. The house can easily be remodeled into a very pretty cottage and there is land enough for a garden.

The Military band gave the last open-air concert of the season on last week Thursday evening. It was really the most confortable evening for open-air entertainment of the summer and a larger audience was in attend

Many of the farmers in this vicinity stany of the farmers in this vicinity are cutting their first and second crop of hav all together. The first crop or what should have been the first, was not thought heavy enough to be worth catting at the time, so was left uncut, then the rain came and a new growth started by only property. started up and now a heavy crop of very good hay is being garnered in for winter use.

Mr. and Mrs. George I. Gilchrest, o thitsburg, Pa., are spending a part of their vacation with his parents, Mr and Mrs. James S. Gilchrest.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Lewis and Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Snow returned from a very nice outing and fishing trip at Lake Sunapee on Tuesday evening. They have been gone a week. James S. and George I. Gilchrest. Oliver Smart. Howard Frye and Vic-tor Powell took a trip to Boston on Monday and went on the deep sea shing excursion, bringing home them seven large fish as trophies of their skill in the piscatorial art.

Misfortune visited the Ellis family twice last week in the form of The infant daughter of Luthe dents. The infant daughter of Luther Ellis met with a very peculiar and serious accident while rocking in her cradle. She rolled out and in the fall caught her tongue between her teeth, almost severing it. Dr. Woods was called and he immediately conveyed the behy to Purkerk heavitel. the baby to Burbank hospital, wher she was treated and made as comfortable as possible, and though badly swollen is doing as well as could be expected. Mrs. Harry Ellis had the misfortune to tip over a pot of hot tea on one of her feet, scalding it so badly that when the stone and strekting was that when the shoe and stocking were removed the skin came with it mak ing a bad and very painful sore. Shis able to get about a little now of

Frank W. Hall, from Winthrop, has been spending a few days with his sister, Mrs. W. S. Parker, at A. J

BOXBOROUGH

News Items

Miss Ethel K. Bruce will return from New York the last of this week and will be at her millinery rooms n Ayer after September 20.

Miss Annie MacKay, from Newark, N. J., has been visiting Mrs. S. P. Dodge and Mrs. B. O. Hager. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lawrence,

Silver Hill, with their three little daughters have spent Mr. Lawrence's vacation visiting with the Nelsons and Burroughs families Mrs. Lewis Richardson returned

from a five-weeks' visit among relatives in New Hampshire last week Thursday. She was three days coming home as Mr. Richardson-drove his cattle down from pasture at the same time. same time.

Arthur Goodearl, who has been canvassing in Vermont during the sum-mer, is at home for a few days be-

did what was possible for the boy, who was weak from the loss of blood. Lakeville, N. S.

With the unfortunate youth the doctor was taken in Supt. Campbell's auto to the Shirley railroad station, where they boarded the eleven o'clock express for Boston, and upon its arrival there the boy was taken to the Marsachusetts General hospital. The bay's home is in Lynn.

Vote for Messer for Sheriff.

Maurice Cutler left for Lowell, this deek Friday evening to observe the Jewish fast day. His store will be closed until five o'clock Saturday of termon.

Miss Marsacret J. McMillan has been presented with a wedding sife of two sterling silver spoons by her former pupils in the public schools of Snirley.

A new detour from the state road and back to the fields from Lakevine place of the detour through Horselph of the detour through Horselph of the detour through Horselph of the detour driving has some placed from Hardon's Corscingly and the columns.

Mrs. A low may be place of the detour through Horselph of the detour through Horselph of the detour driving the summer at the home of his mem, is at home for a few days before taking up his work at Clark college.

The new pupils to go to Concord high school from here are Elinor Policy. In the new pupils to go to Concord high school from here are Elinor Policy. In the new pupils to go to Concord high school from here are Elinor Policy. In the new pupils and, Charles Waitt, Edward Mchand, Ch

friends from Framinghom, were at the Littlefield farm last Sunday. They came by auto and on their return trip lengthened their drive to take in several interesting places.

A. A. Wetherbee has returned to E. L. Batteau's after a long stay in War-her, N. H.

Henry Wheeler, of Concord, was recent guest of his sister, Mrs. Norman Wetherhee. Mr. Wheeler has old his farm and intends to his future home in Oregon, where has a brother.

Mrs. Mary Pratt. of South Acton. is isiting at Walnut farm. Mrs. E. L. Barteau and mother disited relatives in Chelmsford last

Daniel Wetherliee, of Worcester vas at his home here over Sunday. Mrs. Livermore entertained the La Sunday afternoon. Rev. Francis E. Webster, rector of Christ church. Waltham, will conduct the service at the chapel on Sunday afternoon at 3.15.

The extreme heat kept some away, but those who went found the lawn delightfully cool and shady, and the ice cream and other refreshments very welcome additions.

On last week Friday evening at the Grange Prof. Howe, of Framingham Normal school, gave an interesting alk on household economics Vote for Messer for Sheriff. The first blue goose ever caught in

Maine, so far as is known, was re-cently taken at Isle au Haut by J. F. Conley, of York Island. The blue goose ordinarily breeds in the Hudson goose ordinarily breeds in the Hudson Bay territory and winters on the Californian coast. Mothers-Watch Irritable Children!

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By virtue and in execmortgage deed given by A Hunkins to Sylvia Lawre July 16, 1909, and recorded with Middlesex South District De-455, page 387, will be sold 100000 auction on the promises for the purbreach of the conditions thereof. Monday, the eleventh day of October, 1915, at ten o'clock in the torenoon, all and singular, the premiss conveyed by said mortgage deed, ".z.:

A certain piece or parcel of head with the buildings thereon sprated in and think that a firm who has the Westerly part of Groton on the from Groton Center to West Groten for and bounded as follows, viz.:

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I. C. B. Willard Cashier of the beyontamed bank, do solemnly swear and the above statement is true to the est of my knowledge and belief.

B. WILLARD, Cashier. Subscribed and sworn to before melis tenth day of September, 1915. T. James Harvey, Notary Public.

Directors

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.
To the heirs at law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of HENRY LETENDER late of Pepperell in said County, deceased.
Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Count, for Probate, by MARY ELIZABETH LETENDER who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to her, the executrix therein named.

prays that letters testamentary may be issued to her, the executrix therein named.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge in said County of Middlesex, on the fifth day of October A. D. 1915, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Pepperell Clarion-Advertiser, a newspaper published in said County, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing, post-paid, or delivering a copy of this citation to alk known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court. ate, seven days at least before said

Court., Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this fifteenth day of September in the year one thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

3t2 W. E. ROGERS, Register.

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Whereas, ALBERT L. MERRILL and CLARENCE N. MERRILL appointed executions of the will of said deceased, by the Probate Court for the County of Grafton in the State of New Hampshire, have presented to said Court their petition representing that as such executors they are entitled to certain personal property situated in said commonwealth, to with Deposit in North Middlesex Savings Institution at Ayer in said County of Middlesex represented by Deposit Book 4251, and praying that they may be licensed to receive or to sell by public or private sale on such terms and to such person or persons as they shall think fit—or otherwise to dispose of, and to transfer and

ie on such terms and to such person or roots as they shall think fit.—or otherse to dispose of, and to transfer and nivey such shares and estate. You are hereby cited to appear at a obate Court to be held at Cambridge, said County of Middlesex, on the tenty-fourth day of September A. D. D. I., at nine o'clock in the forenon, show course, if any you have, why e same should not be granted. And said bettrieness are ordered to rive this citation by publishing the me of the Cambridge of the such servers. Turner's Public servers and the transfer of the members Public. this criation by publishing the one is cach week for three suc-tives it. Timer's Public theorems in the control of the contro

is the J. McLettre, Esquire is and Court, this twenty was tin the year on a bondred and fifteen. Vol. Rougers, Register. FAMOUS BUSINESS SCHOOL

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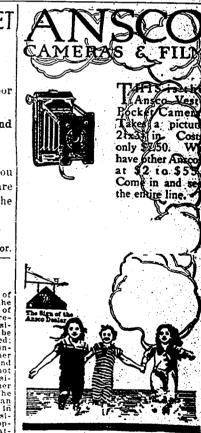
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GROTON

The September meeting of the Bird The September meeting of the Bird club will be held on Monday even-ing at eight o'clock in the lower town hall. Prizes for contests among the Juniors at the annual picnic will be distributed. Those Juniors who have built nesting boxes for prizes are re-quested to bring them to this meet-

Lewis M. Knapp returned to Am herst college on Wednesday morning, entering on his senior year. The thermometers went up into the ninety degrees on Tuesday.

The children of the Boutwell school are complaining that their new quarters are exceedingly hot, but they must remember that it has been unsual weather for September and they would probably be uncomfortable in any schoolroom.

Mrs. George Parker, of the mill road, was home from Roxbury, where she has been working the past year, from Saturday until Monday morning.

neighbor with Hollis Grange on Oc-

Baddacook has been generously patronized by men and boys seeking relief from the extreme heat of this week, while the newspapers tell of a now storm out west.

Beatrice Murphy is a victim of the

H. A. Miles, with his wife and son, of West Baldwin, Me., who had been at Northfield, came on Monday to Groton to see Mrs. Jane Clark and took dinner with her. Then all, including Mrs. Clark, motored to Manchester, N. H., to visit Gardner Simonds and sister, Mrs. Leora Dill. On Tuesday Mr. Miles and family went home to West Baldwin.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Gates, visited.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Gates visited last week Friday with his aunt, Mrs. George Auger, in Brockton.

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At the Clinton fair on Wednesday George S. Knapp was awarded thirteen first prizes and five second prizes on fruit. There were twenty-five over from Groton, but the general attendance was not so large as usual, probably because of its being the first day, and especially because it was such extremely hot weather.

Mrs. Eldredge Smith is making as good recovery as can be expected after her operation.

The Wharton family hear from Cali-fornia that Mrs. Constance Wharton Smith is out of danger and making good recovery.

Mrs. George Parker, of the mill road, was home from Roxbury, where she has been working the past year, from Saturday until Monday morning. The school garden children are getting ready their exhibits for the Clinton fair, and the North Middlesex fair in Dracut.

Frank A. Woods returned to Amherst Agricultural college on Monday, going for his second year.

Laurence Gay left for Amherst Agricultural college Monday, entering on his freshman year.

The Book and Thimble club metthis week Friday afternoon with Mrs. G. H. McKee, who especially invited the members to meet her sister from St. Louis, Mo., who has been visiting her.

Dea James Rowe has hired a room of Miss Clara Hatchins. Pleasant street.

The next meeting of E. S. Clark W. R. C. will be held in their new quarters in Odd Fellows' hall on Tuesday afternoon. September 21, at 2.39. A good attendance is requested.

Appleton H. Torrey, drawn as juror on the U. S. grand jury of the district.

for best average attendance at the Pomona meetings from April to April and needs to keep up the good attendance heretofore attained.

One new feature at the Groton fair on Sentember 30 is to be a real baby

Miss Edith Wright, of the grammar school, boards with Mrs. Charles Bixby.

An auto party of Grangers, consisting of Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Bixby, Mrs. C. T. Spaulding and H. C. Porter, with L. G. Strand, Jr., as chauffeur, enjoyed a trip to Westford on Thursday evening and spent a pleasant evening as visiting partons of Westford as visiting patrons of Westford Grange. Raymond Sleeper also at-tended, going by motorcycle—nine-

teen Groton patrons were present. We learn, from seemingly good authority, that the leatherboard mill be practically completed by November 1 and ready for the installation of machinery.

The report that Matthew Robinson would move his family to Fitchburg by October 1 is premature, as Mr. Robinson will not leave town until later, if at all. The Fitchburg workers feel that business in that city is not sufficiently brisk to warrant haste in the removal of their families.

Twelve pupils from West Groton all boys, two from the high school the others from the grammar and in the others from the grammar and in-termediate grades, started at five o'clock on Wednesday morning for Clinton fair. They were in charge of Mrs. George Blood, of Groton, and carried their garden products for ex-hibition. It is known that they re-ceived prizes, but a definite report has not as yet been received.

Mrs. Rebecca Webber, of Ayer, spent last Sunday at the home of her son, G. S. Webber, her first visit since recovery from her recent attack

F. E. Harrington has received his appointments as janitor and truant of-ficer of Tarbell school for the ensu-

Vote for Messer for Sheriff. Miss Mary Clark has returned to er studies at Fitchburg Normal

W. F. Lane has charge of the conveyance of the West Groton high school pupils. Several at present use their wheels. We understand that eighteen from this village have re-

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Der hesser.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Toemey and little daughter of Marihoro were over Sunday visites at the home of their parents. Mr and Mrs. Dennis Toomey.

Members of Groton Grange are planning to attend the Middlesex-Worcester Pomona at Ashby on September 23. Groton Grange has good prospects of winning the prize offered for best average attendance at the Pomona meetings from April to April and needs to keep up the good at the post of the Middlesex Carlos and needs to keep up the good at the pomona meetings from April to April months.

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One new feature at the Groton fair on September 30 is to be a real baby show, the babies to be two years old and under. Any purchaser of a ticket to this show will be entitled to a vote. The Ladies All society will meet on Therebaby receiving the largest number of votes will receive a prize age of dishes now on exhibit at Moorés Store Co. Bables admitted from Groton and towns in vicinity.

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ence Furbish, on her return to town on Wednesday of last week, and spent the day and night at C. R. Dudley's, where Miss Furbish boards during the school year.

Miss Edith Wright, of the grammar December 18, 1777.

William Tarbell, son of Benjamin William Tarbell, son of Benjamin Tarbell and Azubak, and cousin of both Col. and Asa Tarbell, of West Groton, was born on October 12, 1764, At the age of sixteen he enlisted as a soldier for three years' service. I quote from "Massachusetts Soldiers and Sallors of the War of the Revolu-

quote from "Massachusetts Soldiers and Sailors of the War of the Revolution":

"William Tarbell, 5ft. 6in.; complexion, light; eyes, light; hair, light; occupation, laborer talso given farmer!, birthplace. Groton; residence, Groton; enlisted for town of Groton; enlisted March 20, 1781; enlistment, three years; also a private. 4th company, Lieut, Col. Brooks' (7th) regiment; inspection return for May, 1782, and an account of clothing received between November 1, 1781, and May 31, 1782; also, Nathaniel C. Allen's (18th) Company 4th, Massachusetts regiment; muster rolls for May-September, 1783; balance of term of enlistment unexpired, five months.

"Tarbell, William, receipt dated Groton, April 23, 1781, for bounty paid said Tarbell by Class No. 12, of the town of Groton, to serve in the continental army for the term of three years; also list of man tried by courts martial subsequent to January, 1781. Capt. Thorpe's company, Col. Brooks' (7th) regiment, said Tarbell tried October 5, 1781, by regiment court martial, Capt. Lincoln, president, on charge of stealing fowl and cabbage, or suffering it to be done when on guard; reported acquitted."

Mr. Tarbell was assigned to the headquarters of Gen. Washington and served there during his term of service. Muster rolls, private, Capt. Eliphalet Thorp's Company (17th), regiment, May, 1781, dated Phillipsborough; August and September, 1781, was sworn to at Peekskill under guard in 1781, muster roll for October. November, December, 1781; January, 1782, dated York Hutts, sworn to at West Point.

The grandparents of William married, first, Polly Symonds, April 24, 1823; third, Mrs. Sarah (Wetherbee) Blood, May 12, 1440. Mr. Tarbell's mother died on March 14, 1838, aged

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HARVARD

Carmers

are at work in the vesered oak floor in place of set which has done service

cises were very interesting, both af-ternoon and evening.

A. F. Leonard has taken the posi-tion of principal of the high school in Oak Bluffs and has nine teachers un-der his guidance.

Kent Royal returned from Smith-field, Me., Thursday evening. Mr. Egerton has purchased the re-maining building lots on the sid

above Mrs. Fairbank's house Mrs. Charles Sawyer has offered the Kendall Willard place for sale; a most desirable location and inter-

esting old house Miss Josephine Baker returned from Boston Friday, not fully recov-

ered, but improving On Wednesday afternoon the Equal Suffrage league gave a tea at the home of the president, Miss Helen Hildreth. Forty were present to listen to the very instructive talk by Miss Hazel Mackaye, of Washington, D. C. She is a writer of note with a very pleasing personality and a charming speaker. A social hour followed over the tea cups. Mrs. Digelow and Mrs. Sprague poured. The next meeting of the league will be on September 22, at Hapgood Memorial at 2.30. Mrs. Maud W. Parks is expected to speak at the town hall at an early date. On Wednesday afternoon the Equal

The sewing class met last Saturday with twelve members. The next meeting will be held on September 18 and everyone interested is invited to join.

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Still River.

On last week Friday afternoon Miss Graham gave a demonstration to the ladies of Still River in the vestry of her work in teaching methods of phyical exercises which was greatly Joyed. She is in hopes that a class may be formed later. She has this week given demonstrations in Har-vard and hopes to form a class there

Lewis H. Bradford leaves on Sat-urday for a short trip through the White Mountains. On his return he will be accompanied by his sister. Miss Vera Bradford, who has been spending the summer at the Profile house, White Mountains.

Rev. Everett S. Burkett, pastor of the Baptist church, closes his work in Shirley on October 1. He is to en-gage in deputation work among the Baptist churches of Boston and vi-cinity on behalf of the Foreign Missionary society. He completes his theological studies at Newton this



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meeting will probably be held at the home of Mrs. N. R. Graves.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Goodspeed and family have closed their summer home on Center road and returned to Wollaston on Wednesday.

Edward G. Adams of West Den

Edward G. Adams, of West Rox-bury, is visiting this week at the home of his father, Albert Adams.

The state road detour has again been changed, this time extending from Woodsville toward West Groton, and going around the extreme north of the town. The work on the road is rapidly nearing completion and it will soon be open to travel.

John W. Farrar, of Pomfret, Vt., formerly postmaster and proprietor of the Center store, has purchased of Henry Ware, the Marsh place on Hazen road, and expects to return soon to Shirley to live. Mr. and Mrs. Farrar are in town this week, making the final arrangements.

This week has been a busy one for the carmers who own siles. Howard the farmers who own siles the farmers who own siles the farmers who own siles. Howard the farmers who own siles the farmer who is the farmer who own siles the farmer who are the farmer who is the farmer who are the farmer who ar

orated with many specimens of same, a vocal selection by Mrs. Bishop and Mrs. Woolley, a paper on "Flowers outdoor and in" by Mrs. L. E. Starr of Pepperell, and a paper on "Corn" by Lee Bixby of West Groton. The Grange accepted an invitation to Grange accepted with many specimens of same, and the first same of the council June 29, dreth who the children Edwin and Lucreia amount allowed in council June 29, dreth who the children Edwin and Lucreia amount allowed in council June 29, dreth who the children Edwin and Lucreia amount allowed in council June 29, dreth who the children Edwin and Lucreia amount allowed in council June 29, dreth who the children Edwin and Lucreia amount allowed in council June 29, dreth who the children Edwin and Lucreia amount allowed in council June 29, dreth who the children Edwin and Lucreia amount allowed in council June 29, dreth who the children Edwin and Lucreia amount allowed in council June 29, dreth who the children Edwin and Lucreia amount allowed in council June 29, dreth who the children Edwin and Lucreia amount allowed in council June 29, dreth who the children Edwin and Lucreia amount allowed in council June 29, dreth who the children Edwin and Lucreia amount allowed in council June 29, dreth who the children Edwin and Lucreia amount allowed in council June 29, dreth who the children Edwin and Lucreia amount allowed in council June 29, dreth who the children Edwin and Lucreia amount allowed in council June 29, dreth who the children Edwin and Lucreia amount allowed in council June 29, dreth who the children Edwin and Lucreia amount allowed in council June 29, dreth who the children Edwin and Lucreia amount allowed in council June 29, dreth who the children Edwin and Lucreia amount allowed in council June 29, dreth who the children Edwin and Lucreia amount allowed in council June 29, dreth who the children Edwin and the First Parish church on Sunday and the First Parish Currei

News Items.

Asa P. Thayer, aged forty-eight, died Thursday evening at Barnet, Vt., of tuberculosis. He went there a month or more ago with his wife who was caring for him. He was an engineer on the Boston and Maine railroad. He was a member of Harbinger lodge. on the Boston and Maine railroad. He was a 'member of Harbinger lodge, Knights of Pythlas, and a delegation consisting of James King. J. W. R. Seaborne, O. Hartwell Kidder and Chester P. Perrin will leave here Saturday evening to attend the funeral at Barnet, Vt., which will be held on Sunday afternoon at two o'clock unday afternoon at two o'clock.

Herbert L. Farnsworth of Pleasant street, who has been ill for a fortnight, is better and he and Mrs. Farnsworth started for Bethlehem, N. H., Thursstarted for Bethlehem, N. H., day for a stay of a fortnight.

The schools have opened with very full attendance in all grades. Grade eight, Miss Alma Gray, teacher, has 46; grade seven, Miss Elizabeth White-hill has 42; grade six, Miss Abbie Robinson: has 43; grade Six Miss Abbie Robinson: has 42; grade Six Miss Abbie Robinson: has 43; grade Six Miss min nas 42; grade six, Miss Abbie Rob-inson, has 43; grade five, Miss May Dooling, has 23; grade four, Miss Car-oline Brown, has 40; grade three, Miss Agnes McCarthy, has 47; the primar-ies: Washington street, Miss Gene-vieve Neylan, has 55; Shirley street, Miss Annie Thompson, has 30; East Main street, Miss Winifred Cochrane, has 37.

Charles Thourn, who works in the upper yard for Mr. Luddington, was overcome by the severe heat on Wed-hesday and lay in an unconscious condition from ten in the morning until tains and expect to return on Monday.

He is getting along nicely.

A regular convocation of Bancroft Royal Arch chapter will be held on Tuesday evening. September 21. Business, election of officers.

A man, giving his name as Davis, was in town on Thursday and called upon George L. Osgood. After chatting with Mr. Osgood in a very friendly way and claimed to be a college friend he presented a check for him to cash, but Davis evidently called upon the wrong man to accommodate him. Davis next saw Guy Remick, but it was no go. Officer Beatty was close on his heels, but as he did not succeed. was no go. Officer Beatty was close on his heels, but as he did not succeed on ms needs, but as ne did not succeed in raising the money no charge could have been brought against him so that he could have been held. As he took the train for Boston Office Beatty was close upon him and-Mr. Beatty said he never new recommendations.

westford Grange Thursday evening and report a pleasant meeting.

Walter Winslow went to Winchester Thursday on the occasion of the wedding of Mrs. Winslow's prother, Kenneth Armstrong. He returned in the evening accompanied by his wife and little daughter, who have been visiting relatives for some time.

Miss Elizabeth M. Wyman died at her home Thursday morning after a service in presence of her nearest relatives and friends was held at four o'clock Friday afternoon here and the funeral service at her girthood home in Sebec, Me., on this Saturday morning, where she was taken Friday evening, accompanied by her brothers and sisters, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Barry, Mrs. Helen Freese, Edward Wyman and nephews, Frederick, Theodore W. and Eugene S. Barry. Miss Myman was one of the fine New England women, intelligent, of great business ability, devoted to her family and friends. She was a member of the Unitarian Alliance and of the Woman's club. She was a member of the Unitarian Alliance and of the Woman's club. She was a member of the Unitarian Alliance and of the Woman's club. She was a member of the Unitarian Alliance and of the Woman's club. She was a member of the Unitarian Alliance and of the Woman's club. She was a member of the Unitarian Alliance and of the Woman's club. She was a member of the Unitarian Alliance and of the Woman's club. She was a member of the Unitarian Alliance and of the Woman's club. She was a member of the Unitarian Alliance and of the Woman's club. She was a member of the Unitarian Alliance and of the Woman's club. She was a member of the Unitarian Alliance and of the Woman's club. She was a member of the Unitarian Alliance and of the Woman's club. She was a member of the Unitarian Alliance and of the Woman's club. She was a member of the Unitarian Alliance and of the Woman's club. She was a member of the Unitarian Alliance and of the Woman's club. She was a member of the Unitarian Alliance and of the Woman's club. She was a member of the Unitarian Alliance and of the Woman's club. She was a

of Massachusetts a chance to vote on a woman suffrage amendment. The speaker said "Knowing John D. Long as I did I think that the greatest monument that can be erected to his memory—the one that would please him the most if he were asked what kind of monument he would like best—will be a roughty majority for the woman. of monument he would like best—will be a rousing majority for the women of Massachusetts on November 2. John D. Long will not be here to vote for himself but every good voter who reveres the memory of John D. Long can vote for the women of Massachusetts on November 2 and do his memory the greatest honor."

Philip and Althea Andrew, children of Mr. and Mrs. George Andrew, who spent the summer in Springfield, Me., spent the summer in Springileid, Me, with relatives, came home by auto last week Friday night with their uncle, their mother's sister's husband. Dr. B. G. Jewett, who will remain for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Andrew.

Three people in town have been suffering from "shingles," Geo. H. Hill, Levi W. Phelps and Mrs. Albert Perkins.

Mrs. Lois E. Porter is suffering from to Montreal, Canada a fall which caused a severe bruise on her knee.

Flora McDonald, daughter of John

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""Tis to the Pen and Press we mortals we know."

Saturday, September 18, 1915.

AYER

Flora McDonald, daughter of John A. McDonald, Park street, was bitten by a dog on the upper lip Thursday light. She was treated by Dr. Bulkeley.

At the meeting of the Knights of Columbus on Tuesday evening the following officers were elected: John H. Hooley, K. k.; Joseph M. Markham, d. d. k.; David H. Walsh, chan; William J. Donlon, treas; M. H. O'Neill, f. s.; J. Joseph Donahue, w.; John H. Mullin, rec.; Hugh McDonald, adv.; A. H. McDonald, trustee; John F. Ryan, i. g.; Frank J. Hooley, o. g. Peter F. Ward, district deputy, of Fitchburg, visited the council on the same evening.

Rev. Warren P. Landers secretary

Rev. Warren P. Landers, secretary of the Massachusetts Total Abstinence society, will spend Sunday in Ayer, speaking in the interest of temperance in the different churches. The meetings and subjects will be as follows: At ten o'clock in the morning at the M. E. Sunday school, "Drink and success"; 10.45, at the Congregational church, "Preventing the prodigal"; 12.15 at the Episcopal Sunday school, "Drink in action and reaction"; six in the evening, young people's union Drink in action and reaction"; six in the evening, young people's union meeting at the Congregational vestry, "Equipping for the new crusade"; seven, union meeting at the Congregational church, "Light on the tragedy of peace." A general invitation is extended to the public to be present at the union meeting in the evening at the union meeting in the evening

Ralph H. Brown left last Monday to attend his first year at the Massa-chusetts Agricultural college in Amherst.

A baby boy was born on Wednesday, September 15, to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Mullin, of East Main street. Frank E. Brown leaves on September 24 to commence his third year at the University of Pennsylvania.

The public schools closed Thursday afternoon on account of the extreme

Mrs. Charles Z. Southard of Groton is to have built a cottage at Sandy pond on the east shore, known as Wachusett avenue, recently laid out by Frank S. Pierce. Lester Adams of Groton is to commence work to build it right away.

Charles Thourn, who works in the upper yard for Mr. Luddington, was overcome by the severe heat on Wad.

Dr. and Mrs. Disconting took place in Harvard at the Congregational parsonage on Friday evening, September 10 when Miss Lucy May McMahon, daughter of Mr. adm Ars. James A. McMahon, of this town, was married to Charles Russell Miner, of Harvard. A full report is in the Harvard column of news items. Rev. H. E. Mason officiated.

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dition from ten in the morning until 7.30 in the evening. He was attended by Dr. Sullivan and his chances for recovery are doubtful. He belongs in Shirley and had made arrangements the day he was stricken to move to Ayer. Word was received Thirsday night that he was resting comfortabry.

Albert Saboll was found on Tuesday afternoon, near Davis crossing, socialled, in a helpless condition by some of the railroad men in the upper variation the railroad men in the upper variation of the railroad men in the upper variation of the railroad men in the upper variation of the the line is absoluted the baggage room, where Dr. Sullivan was called to attend him and on examination he found his right leg broken between the ankle and knee. The accident was caused, so Mr. Saboll says, by stepping in a hole and falling over causing the compound fracture. He is getting along nicely.

A regular convocation of Bancroft.

F. W. Walker, of Wortester, forms.

large, yellow Elbertas are now ripen ing and price low.

Virginia, daughter of Mrs. Annie Dudley, had her tonsils and adenoids removed by Dr. T. J. Shanahan, of Boston, assisted by Dr. Sullivan, on

James McMahon is confined to his home with a lame foot, caused by stepping on a rusty nail. Dr. Sulli-van is attending him. Reginald MacDonnell left Tuesday

for Orono, Me., and is to be a student at the University of Maine in that place.

Putnam Tarbell, of Manchester, N. H., spent last Monday with his father, Peter Tarbell.

Mrs. John Fuzzard and daughter, Miss Eliza Fuzzard, are at Scituate for a month's stay. Miss Gladys Briggs, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Briggs, entered

the Waltham Business college last Tuesday, Harold Felch, of Syracuse, N. Y., is spending his vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George E. Felch, K. of P.

official visitation for the preceding lodge year. Work-Master Mason deree, election of officers for the year 15-16 and election of an associate ember of the Board of Masonic Re-1915-16 and election

Miss Ethel K. Bruce will return from New York the last of this week and will be at her millinery rooms in Ayer after September 20.

Vote for Messer for Sheriff. The regular meeting of Ida McKinley chapter, O. E. S., will be held on Wednesday evening. September 22. After the business meeting there will be a reception in honor of Mrs. Eileen Gray Sawyer, deputy grand matron of the grand chapter and her deputy grand marshal, Mrs. Mary A. Lawrence, followed by an entertainment

Bennett Sanderson, Thomas Fisher of Leominster and Webster Blanchard of West Acton left on Friday morning, September 17, in Mr. Sanderson's auto for Kennebunkport, Me., where they expect to remain until Monday.

While in Lowell last Sunday Mrs. John Sherman of this town was taken suddenly ill with pleurisy and was taken to St. John's hospital in that city and returned home Tuesday afte: noon.

who has been visiting her cousin. Miss Marion Proctor, at Sandy pond for the past ten days, returned to her home on Wednesday evening.

Miss Gertrude 1. Carrigan, a gradnate of Fitchburg Normal school '15.

left last week Thursday to take up her duties as teacher of the seventh and eighth grades in Langdon, N. H. The excessive heat of Wednesday must have affected the electric curtent of the Ayer Electric Light Company, for on Thursday motning no current for power or lights was to be found on the circuit.

Ralph P. Kellogg, who learned the printer's trade in the Public Spirit office some years ago, is the owner with a partner of one of the best equipped and is doing an excellent business.

Lester Carew, of Roxbury, has bought out the barber shop of J. A. Tellier on Railroad row and takes pos-

The following letters remained un-called for at the Ayer postoffice for the week ending September 13: F. DeMarch, George N. Kesson, Exilia O. King, Mrs. Mary E. Lilly, Edith M. Moffatt, John Schoonmaker, Benjamin A. Wall

Another Concord Fight.

Lyman K. Clark was the prime mover in a vigorous attempt to belit-tle the prestige of the ancient town of Concord before the public service

the commission will announce its nation of edecision later, and in the meantime the minuteman is very uneasy on his pedestal for who can tell when the next attack will be made on the privileges of the sacred and historic town in these irreverent times?

Grove street.

Mrs. James McMahon and daughter Lillian, of Church street, left last Monday for Malone, N. Y., on a visit to relatives. From there they will go

s from to Montreal, Canada pected to return hon in a couple of weeks.

John Bitten Mr. and Mrs. Rich Eastman, or Richmond, Va., who here visit is confined to his hone with lines of the current of their head of Theoday is followed by morthing for hone with lines. Thmothy Weddon. Sensiting his sisters, How were trunced to their head of Theoday is confined to his hone with lines. Through the confined to his hone with lines street is confined to his hone with lines. Through the confined to his hone with lines the street is confined to his hone with lines. Through the confined to his hone with lines the street is confined to his hone with lines. Through the confined to his hone with lines the street is confined to his hone with lines. Through the confined to his hone with lines the street is confined to his hone with lines. Through the confined to his hone with lines the street is confined to his hone with lines. Through the confined to his hone with lines the street is confined to his hone with lines. The chase of the Unitarian Sunday Charles we will be an early service of Holy Communion at St. Andrews there is an early service of the confined to his confined to his confined to his hone with lines the lines of the confined to accommodate the promotions made and the drill capitaln in the lines of the confined to his hone with lines. Three will be an early service of lines the lines of the confined to his confined to his hone with lines the lines of the Unitarian Sunday school are the winder and many to such a well deserved standard of the confined of the confin

departed for their homes well pleased with their evening's enlessment.

The team was composed of the following members of Alpane lodge of Fitchburg: Harvey E. Enterfield. c. s. c.; Carl Vanderford, v. e. Edwin H. Griggs, p.; William Berieshaw, mon.; Leon S. Field, Pythagoras, George H. White, king; F. D. Hall J. H. Foss. Ambrose Deuhivest, R. A. Ball, Leon A. Litchfield, David W. Tinsley, Ernest A. Smith, John E. L. John Butterfield, William Dolbis, senators; John Doby, her; Percy Balley, m. at a.; Edward Griffith, i. g., E. H. Henke, Fred Follymore, George Collier, Harvey Smith, attendants; George H. Dalsey and Thomas Lawen, executioners. The orchestra was composed of Harry Butterfield, plane; William Newell, violin; Eugene Williard, flute; Ned Cleveland, drums. Ned Cleveland, drums.

Moving Pictures, The headliner for Saturday night's

moving picture show will be "Light o' love," a Selig drama in two parts. Another feature will be "The blue blood and yellow," in three parts, the seventh of the twelve vital questions of life in "Who pays?" series, "An innocent thief," another drama, and "Hushing the lunch counter," "The trouble maker" and "Doctor Monko," three good comedies, will complete the bill. There will be a special show every Monday night, producing five-act melodramas, featuring the cream of the moving picture 'players. Last Monday's feature, "Lola," made a great impression on those that witnessed the production. Monday's featurenessed the production. Monday's featurenessed the production. moving picture show will be nessed the production. Monday's feature will be "Old Dutch," the well-known play staged in Boston theattes and considered one of Lew Field's and considered one of Lew Field's greatest stage successes, in five acts; also a Pathe News and others will be shown. The pictures for Wednesday evening will be "In the days of famine." in three parts"; "The wireless detective." in two parts, being one of the episodes of "The romance of Elaine." The show will be completed by "The first piano in camp" and "Ham, the detective," two farce-comedies; also, Pathe News, showing the up-to-date current events of the wide world.

days of wood burners and who was known as the "satisfied commuter" in said days of yore.

The chorus of praise for the oldine service contrasted so sharply with biting denunciations of the present themselves for this office. Mr. Hayden's honorable career is widely known, and others should be officials who had to listen to them.
Concord was well represented by Chairman Ballou of its selectmen, Messrs, Hoar, Parker and Wheeler and others who were all persuaded that without Concord's patronage the railroad never could have lasted so long as it has. They were somewhat surprised to learn that Ayer contributes more to the railroad revenues than Concord.

The commission will announce its decision later, and in the meantime the minutement is not the minutement in the meantime to the minutement is not the polis and vote for the renomination of County Treasurer Joseph Hayer.

O. Hayden.

Hon. Edward Glines,
Ex-Mayor of Somerville,
Hon. Charles A. Grimmons,
Ex-Mayor of Somerville,
Hon. George O. Proctor,
Ex-Mayor of Somerville,
Hon. Walter S. Glidden,
Former State Councillor,
William H. Doblen,
Former Representative,
Sidney B. Keene,
Former Representative,
Ray R. Rideout,
Former Representative,

Powers was born in Springfield, January 15, 1837. His father was Geo. W. Powers.

W. Powers.
In 1850 Mr. Powers went into the employ of Marshall Bessey, who ran a newsroom under the old Massasoit house, and his employer made him train newsboy on the Worcester-Pittsfield route. Mr. Powers continued on this train for four years, and was then taken into Mr. Bessey's office. He eventually became owner of the business, to which he added stationery to his stock. This was the beginning of his career in the paper trade.

Mr. Powers organized the Powers Paper company, one of the largest

District Court.

Fred Melanson of Peppereil was before the court on Saturday, September 11, charged with larceny. After hearing was found not guilty and discharged.

Monday, September 12, Samuel Slavsky of Ayer, keeping unlicensed dog found guilty and fined live dollars.

Amos Bourgeois of Shirley, unlawful sale of intoxicating liquor, was found not guilty.

Frank Cifrino of Shirley on complaint charging him with maintaining a common nuisance, was found guilty and fined one hundred dollars and fined one hundred

Frank Cifrino of Shirley on complaint charging him with maintaining a common nuisance, was found guitty and fined one hundred dollars and three months sentence. He appealed and was held in \$200 for superior court. Angelo Seretto of Fitchburg surety. On complaint charging him with illegal sale of intoxicating liquor court found him guilty and imposed a fine of fifty dollars. He appealed. The case of exposing and keeping for sale intoxicating liquor the court took case under advisement.

Alt. Fowers was fing in the Masonic order. He was the only member in his city of the national organization, the Bibliophile society. He was president of the old Springfield club and a member of the Nayasset club and married December 25, 1855, to Marriage he leaves four sons: Frank Bangs, daughter of Freeman Bangs, daughter of Freeman Bangs. She died in 1911. By this marriage he leaves four sons: Frank Case under advisement.

Mrs. Goodsole (after feeding tramp)

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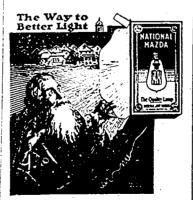
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TOWNSEND

On last week Friday evening en to the Center station was

chines were somewhat demolished and the change taken. The office door was also splintered around the lock. Nothing else was disturbed. Last Saturday afternoon a number from here attended the Westford-Graniteville game in Westford.

Swicker and Green, from the Towns-end nine, assisted the Greenvilles last Saturday, playing against the Milfords

in Milford.

Last Sunday evening a good audience was present at the photo-drama "The creation," given in Memorial hall by the Worcester branch of the Bible Students' association. The lecture part was given from records of the talking machine. It will be announced later if the second and third parts will be continued other Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Cartland re turned to town last Saturday evening from a delightful summer trip and home visit spent in Coleman, P. E. L.

Mrs. James Miller, of Quincy, a former resident, was in town this week, calling on old friends and acquaintances.

Mrs. Sylvester P. Robertson, of Plainfield, is the week-end and over Sunday guest of Mrs. Annie Dow.

Mrs. Addie Lutz, of Cambridge, who has been visiting her son, Oscia Mudgett, in West Townsend, was Ptown this week, calling on old friend and acquaintances.

The Townsend Hill Improvement society announce a fair and sale to be held on September 28 at their class the former brick schoolheuse room, the former brick schoolhouse on the hill. There will be a fancy table, appen and candy table, mystery booth and a bountiful supply of fruit, vegetables and the noted Townsend hill peaches for sale. In the evening an entertainment, consisting of a musical and literary program, will be give?

Vote for Messer for Sheriff.

The Townsend Anti-Suffrage league The Townsend Anti-Suffrage league will hold an open meeting in Memorial hall on Monday evening. September 20, at eight o'clock. The speaker of the evening will be Mrs. Al. J. George, of Brookline. All persons interested in this important subject are heartly invited to attend. Free transportation will be provided from West Townsend and the Harbor for those not having means of conveyance. Autos will leave postoffice square at West Townsend and from the postoffice at the Harbor at 7.30 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cook, from Herkimer, N. Y., are visiting at the home of Mr. Cook's father, Mr. Cook, of Elm street, and Mrs. Cook's son, Herman Clarke from Worcester, has also been a recent guest, and while here wired the Quincy Adams house on Elm street, new the property of W. A. Boutwell, for electricity.

Mr. and Mrs. William Mills of Josselynville, spent the week-red of the camp in Ashburnham.

Mrs. Hattie Blood has closed her tenement on Bridge street for a few weeks as d is visiting in Ashburth or Rev. Joseph MacKean attended the ministers' meeting in Fitchburg of

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Wedding.

A very quiet left pretty wedding commonly was observed at the Consistential parsonage on Friday execute. September 10. Miss Lacy May McMahao was unred in marriage to Charles Russ II Miner, both well-known tening people of this town, is a timery of Ayer and Shirley respectively. Her H. B. Mason official of the single firm service was said. The cide was very attractively and in a blue crebe de con-

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the special report of the day sold treating with each of the charge and a part of the special speakers. Any men of core town taken at once to the Chintor hospital, where an examination showed that no bones were broken and only a small artery severed. Though weak from loss of blood he is not in a serious condition and will be count again in a few days.

The Harvard Social cible is to give a dance in the town hall on Saturday evening. September 18.

Arrangements for the poultry and fruit fair to be product of the control of the

There will be a special sermon at the Unitarian church on Sunday morning. September 26, the occasion being a farewell to Mr. Bodwell ami family. The Unitarian Men's club are Invited to attend in a body. Rev. James C. Duncan, of Clinton, secretary of the Worcester Unitarian Conference, will preach, and from all accounts is well worth coming out to hear.

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Miss Mand Hodson, of Reading, has featured to the home of Mr. and Mrs.

Mrs. Butter and son. from Marboro, former residents here, are visiting at the home of ther brother; Edward Walker, on the Fitchburg road.

Dr. H. B. Boynton and auto party endoyed a trip to Cambble Lake, where they spent Sanday with relatives.

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ment overseas, which taxed a colony having na voice whatever in that government. Miss Shaw must know and undoubtedly does know that there is no connection between the franchise and taxation. The property quality

mer at Oakledge, East Marpswell, Me. They have been greatly missed in the church and social life of the village and their many friends are glad to welcome them back.

George Ellis, of Boston, spent the speakers in particular, At they were firm to meeting in general control of the strength of the village and their many friends are glad to welcome them back.

A large number of auto particular of The born of a nation at Cuminast theatre in Pitchburg last week.

Carl B. Willard and his mother Mrs. Annalized The born for a nation at Cuminast the first more active work along the nombs to come. At a meeting of the W. B. S. hell last week Friday from Lity to Boston fax week Friday from a visit with relatives in Dorchester.

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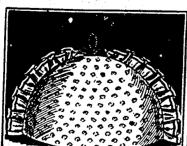
which show when the wearer moves. For dressy toilets mousseline and silk voile are used, combined with bands of satin or taffeta. Satin gives a pretty reflection under light mousseline. Fine gaberdine is a favorite wool material, but is prettiest when 10c. lb. trimmed with silk.

There are very full skirts all covered with large plaits, which part and fly about, stretching out like butterflies. Other skirts have so many godets that they give the appearance of a bell. Some skirts made of silk have a little hoop at the base to prevent the falling in of the fullness, so that the skirt, while clinging to the

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lining should be selected to suit the tea or breakfast service the cozy is used with.

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News Items. William Verder, or been spending a remother and brother homestead. He tell Wednesday morning,

Mr. and Mrs. Heer comed a daughter on temper 13. Miss Kate the care of Mrs. 10. 1

Mrs. Emery Kine, who spent a few vise with her mother Mrs. At mosts. Flowers, has returned to her home. Wellingford, Conn.

Miss Mildred French returned on Wednesday to Wheaton edlege.

Miss Clara Smith and Mrs. George Hardy spent a week at Hampton each, returning last week Friday Mrs. Jesse Munsell, of East Song

Meadow, Mass. has been visiting her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Tenney. Mr. and Mrs. Cote, of Winchester, Mass., have been staying at Marcel-lus J. Powers'.

Miss Catherine Runnells, of Nash-ua, has been visiting at Fred Muz-

Ralph Lovejoy has gone to Dur-am, where he will take up chemical engineering. Frank Lovejoy celebrated his fifty-fecond birthday by a visit to Hamp-ton Beach, accompanied by his son

Raymond.

The Holiis fair, under the auspices of the Grange, will take place on Tuesday, September 21. The townspeople are asked to contribute fruit, vegetables, fancy work, food, poultry, cattle and horses, Mogs, sheep, etc., for the exhibit, At nine o'clock in the morning the procession, led by Walter Hayden and the band, will proceed to the place decided for the ploughing. They will then return to the common and watch the horses and oven pull. From 19.30 to 11.30 is the baby show. Dinner is in charge of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Spaniding. In the afternoon the usual sports will take place. There will be a concert and dance in the evening.

Louisa H. J. Hardy returned to Amherst college last week to resume her work as domestic teacher.

Shown Here; It May Be Carried Out in Cloth, Serge, Gaberdine or Woollen Cord. Desirable Fullness is Given to the Skiet by Two Flat Plaite That of their friends who came to their home to seremade them. Mr. and Mr. Worcester made their appearance at orew and passed out cigers and candy Miss Chara Smith and Mrs. Flora Hardy spent a few dies last week at Hardy spent a few dies last week at Hardyton Beach. Miss Injoithy Par-iley kept house for Miss Smith while she was away.

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Mrs. Buth (Powers) Kline, from temperaturit, was a recent visitor at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Powers, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Johnson and His-

Miss Gertride Hessien, teacher in the grammar school, spent the week-end at her home in Lowell.

Miss Talt, from Hoston, spent the week-end with her sister Mrs. Laur., Clarke, and her niece, Ellen Clarke, at their nome on the Hollis depot road.

The primary school has at present forty-four scholars; eighteen of these have just entered this year. Silas S. Whitcomb was a recent isitor at the home of his daughter.

Mrs. George A. Ladd. Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Spalding have charge of the dinner on fair day. September 21. It is expected that there will be a fine dinner and plenty of it, as those in charge are well experienced along this line.

BROOKLINE, N. H.

News Items.

There are plenty of places in town where fruit may be had for a small sum, and sometimes for nothing. So hope don't steal it. It isn't worth the loss of your reputation.

Mrs. Mary Cox entertained her daughter, Mrs. Fannie Evans, of Boston, over the holiday.

on, ever the noneay.

Mrs. Ellen Swett left the middle of last week for a three-weeks' visit with friends and relatives in Beverly, Linden, Dedham and Newtonville, Mass. Mr. and Mrs. Alpha Hall went to Worcester last week Wednesday and attended the New England fair.

Fred French is in town, making ex-tensive repairs on his father's house on Mason street. He reports his fath-er, William French, as being very comfortable.

Nellie Worth and Miss Madolin Kemp. of Hyde Park, Mass.

Miss Thelma Shattuck spent th week-end in Shirley, Mass. Miss Edna Whitcomb left last Sa mday for Deering Junction, Me., the present for the opening of West brook seminary, which she is to at

At a meeting of the Grange of tember 8 it was proposed that the had members make a quilt for the commu-fair, October 5, each lady to make on square, measuring twelve in choosing her own pattern, tog-evening, to be announced later. Mis and Mrs. 72. whose Mollowze will meet at the hall and and tambly are spending a short time with Mrs. M. J. Powers.

Mrs. Francis K. Sweetser has sumed for duties as portent in the school at Augurn, Me.

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Miss. Miss. Maintenance will be seen and the school at Augurn, Me. Harley lege, gave some interestraterning the work there. sell, lecturer, read a essay on "Success, the There were plano solo Whitcomb, harmonica s cis Farnsworth and a re-

Matilla Betterley is specifing a few weeks at the home of her prother. Percy Betterley, of Weisself, Mass.

Wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Campbell went
to Groton, Vt., last were Wednesday
to be present at the wedding of his
brother. Fred Campbell, and Miss
Bertha Mabel Page, which took place brother. Fred Campbell, and Miss Bertha Mabel Page, which took place on September 9 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alexander J. Force parents of the bride. The bride was given away in marriage by her grandfather. Hosea Welch, who is ninely one years of age. Guests were present from Boston and Malden, Mass. Manchester and reason other place. ter and many other places. The new-ly-married couple left on Friday morning for this town, where they are being entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Campbe. They are to live in Townsend. Fired Campbell to hve in Townsend. Free Campbell has been the Sunday paper man between Pepperell and this town for a number of years and his many patrons as well as his friends extend their congratulations and good wishes to him and his bride. They, Frank Lewis, of Grain performed the of Groton, performed the ceremony

A Clogged System Needs Attention

Are you billous, dizzy and listless of King's New Life Pills taken at one c. Nigs Saw Life Phis taken at of c-Zes upon constipation and starts; owels moving naturally and easi foreover it acts without griping. Need of a clorged system often leads tost serious complications. If you wo wake up tomorrow morning hap it mind and entire of satisfied, starting the constitutions of the constitution of the constituti to wake up tomorrow morning happin mind and entire of satisfied, star your treatment tonight. 25c. a bottle

New Advertisements.

Townsend, Mass., Sept. 11, 1915. To the Middlesex County Commis sioners:

Respectfully represent the under signed, inhabitants of the town of Townsend, in said County, that the Fitchturg Road in Townsend, which runs from Townsend Center to th Lunenturg Town line, should be altered and specifically required, par

cond: from the Funaicle House to the town line between Townsend and Lunenburg.

Wherefore, we pray that you will the marginter, from Nashim, were Suns after and direct specific repairs of day callers at Mr. and Mrs. William said road.

ALEXANDER REED, WILLIAM W. COPELAND.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts Middlesex se

At a meeting of the County Com George H. B. Turner and family, of sex, at Cambridge, in said County, on Ayer, were in town on Monday after- the first Tuesday of June, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hun dred and fifteen, to wit, by adjournment at said Cambridge on the thir teenth day of September A. D. 1915

On the foregoing petition, Ordered, that the Sherift of said County, or his

hearing the parties at the Town Hall in Townsend, in said County, on Wednesday, the twentieth day October next, at ten of the clock in the forenoon, by serving the Clerk of the Town of Townsend with a copy of said petition and of this order thereon, thirty days at least before said view. and by publishing the same in Tur-ner's Public Spirit, a newspaper printhips, stands out well from the limbs.

The trimmings are little plaitings and ruchings laid in scallops at the base and half way up the skirt.

Loss of your reputation.

Mrs. Mary Gerrish was the guest led at Ayer, three weeks successively. The last publication to be fourteen and Mrs. George Falconer at their home in Milford.

Are the last publication to be fourteen days at least before said view, and also by posting the same in two publications. Dr. Holcombe and his family went to Mariboro on Labor day to attend the picnic of the Robinson cousins. Dr. Holcombe has been the president of the association since its organization, five or six years ago.

Mrs. Mary, Crys contestioned her view and hearing.

ROGER H. HURD. Asst. Clerk.

Copy of petition and order thereon Attest

ROGER H. HURD.

A true copy Attest ALBERT A. FILLEBROWN. Deputy Sheriff

om Masom street. He reports his father's house of the company of t

SUMMER CARE FOR THE CALF

Unless Young Animals Are Kept Growing During First Year Final Development is Retarded.

(By R. M. WASHRURN Minnesota Ex-The first year of a caif's life is the most important with respect to its Unless animals are kept growth. growing during this period their final development will be much retarded. and the chances are they never will reach the scale which their inheritance would give them.

On the best regulated dairy farms calves are born in the autumn and early winter, and they should receive skim milk in moderate quantities through much, or all, of the summer following birth. On farms having hand separators there is no difficulty in providing the sweet milk for calves, morning and evening; but farmers who patronize whole-milk creameries or who still skim by hand should re member that after the first few weeks milk for calves should either be thoroughly sweet or fully sour, that the most dangerous condition is the halfsour stage. If milk is fed to calves when it is in this changing condition it is almost certain to cause indiges tion. It should not be half sour, nor sour one day and sweet the next, but always one or the other.

Clean feeding pails must be used, otherwise the germs of fermentation and diarrhea will be brought to the infant cow from the slime of the dirty drinking dish, and with young calves it is important that the temperature at which the milk is fed be nearly that of the body. Older animals may receive milk of the temperature of the milk-holding tank.

While it is very important that heifers should have free access to pasture during the second summer, to develop strong bodies, the calf need not have pasture the first summer. In fact, for calves born after the first of the year, pasturing may be a disadvantage. Most young calves in this country are better off chewing tender hay in the quiet and half-dark stable than fighting flies, panting from the heat, and cropping tough grass in the pasture.

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Regular Cans Found More Handy Than Shallow Pans-"Shotgun" Type is Easily Covered.

Milk and cream from even a few cows can be much more conveniently handled in regular milk cans than in the shallow pans and wide-mouth buckets commonly used. Fig. 1 shows a



Fig. 1-Milk Can. Fig. 2-- "Shotgun"

Can. convenient can for collecting the milk at the barn and transferring it to the

house. These cans may be bought in various sizes. For handling cream and skim milk where separators are used, or even where cream is set to sour for buttermaking, the "shotgun can," shown in Fig. 2, is very convenient It can be easily covered and set in water and is convenient to handle.

Blood in Milk

Blood in milk is caused by ruptures of the small blood vessels in the udder allowing blood to flow into the milk Nothing can be done to prevent it. Its appearance is not a sign of disease. Frequently the ruptures are caused by the cow striking her udder against something.

Avoid Objectionable Traits.

It is bost to keep the cows from developing objectionable traits. This will sometimes happen, but the right kind of handling is usually the best preventive.

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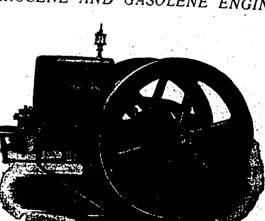
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Saturday, September 18, 1915.

PEPPERELL

About Town.

Edward P. McCord came from Bos ton to spend Sunday with his family on Oak hill.

Miss Helen Robbins spent the week-end with her friend, Mrs. Edward Duffey, at Putnam, Conn.

The young grandson of Mr. and Mrs. John McGrail, Master Franklin Cone, returned to his kindergarten at Nashua, N. H., after a two months visit

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Blood with ir. and Mrs. F. B. Simmons and Mr. and Mrs. John Fredericks, spent the week-end at their summer camp on the shores of Lake Massapoag.

Mrs. Julia Robbins was brought back to the home of her daughter.
Mrs. L. M. Davis, on Friday afternoon
of last week from the hospital in
Nashua. She seems to be improv-

Archibald G. Pike, is taking a vaca-Archinaid G. Pike, is taking a vacu-tion from his duties as clerk in the office of the Pepperell Card and Paper Company, and with Mrs. Pike, started Saturday for a two-weeks' motor trip. They will visit relatives at different points in Connecticut, proceed to New York and into New Jersey to visit Mr.

and Mrs. Harry Shellington. the statement that he finished harvesting his first crop of hay on September 8 and commenced to cut the turned last week following the races second crop on September 9 on anim Athol in which he drove E. S. other section of his farm, and that the second crop was better that the second crop of the second c One farmer in this vicinity makes second crop on September 9 on an-other section of his farm, and that the second crop was better than the first "Phile marking and that the first "Phile marking and the second first seco first. This continuous hay crop business is something new in this vicinity.

on High street with his family over Sunday, having been recently employed in Milford, N. H.

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(Hart). Maybew at the Nashua hospital where she is recovering from the operation. She has many account above in town, as she lived here solved years before her marriage and obsequent removal to Wilton N. H. where she now resides with here assented and four children.

visiting his son.

Miss Mabel Gavin, from the Dea-coness Home, Boston, and Miss Re-becca Bowman, assistant superintendent of the Deaconess hospital, are the of their friend, Mrs. W. H. guests of their friend, Mrs. W. H. Beers, at the Methodist parsonage. They came from Atlantic City, N. J., where they had spent a part of their vacation, on Friday of last week.

Miss L. D. Swinerton, who is physical culture teacher at the Perkins' Incal culture teacher at the Perkins' In-stitute for the Blind, Boston, spent the end with her sister. Miss Martha Swinerton, at the Spaulding camp in Townsend.

Miss Hope Davison, who has been occupying her quaint little house ter, Miss Edith Taylor and Master which she remodeled for her use on Townsend street, has returned to Boston to resume her duties as kinder-garten teacher. She will return here for the week-ends and holidays prob-

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Mr. and Mrs. William Eliott, who had been stopping at Mr. and Mrs. Paul Maxwell's for the past ten days, returned to their home in Worcester on Monday.

B. K. Humphrey was called to Bos ton on Monday by the news of the serious illness of his sister.

Mr. and Mrs. Addison Woodward started Thursday to visit their son started Thursday to visit their son Roscoe, who is superintendent of the Asbestos Shingle company at Chicago, Ill. They intend to be gone several weeks; as on their way back they will visit Mr. and Mrs. John Parker at Kalamazoo, Mich., former residents in town, also at Geneva, N. Y., with Mrs. Woodward's sister, Mrs. Albion New-

Mrs. Percy Wicksell, who has spen the summer with Mrs. A. H. Phelps; returned to her home at Roslindale on Sunday with Mr. Wicksell, who came for her by auto.

Dana Merrill returned to Amherst last week Saturday to resume his studies at the Massachusetts Agricultural college.

Miss Marguerite Carter left town Monday for Tilton, N. H., where she is to attend the academy the coming year.

Miss Gertrude Dane returned to duties as teacher at Lowell on Saturday.

Francis Lawrence came from Bridgeport, Conn., or Wednesday to remain here with his family until Friday. He is at work in a carridge fac-tory just outside the city and work is rushing there.

Vote for Messer for Sheriff.

Mrs. Walter Teele, from Los Angeles, Cal., and her mother, Mrs. Hoyt, from Methuen, are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Prescott, coming on Wednesday.

rst. This continuous hay crop busi-less is something new in this vicinity.

W. A. Shephardson was at his home

Or, and Mrs. F. A. Davis entertain-ed their relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Rich-ardson and children, last week from

The meeting of the East Village So ed in Milford, N. H.

Frank Greenough, the twenty-year-held at Mrs. A. H. Raymond's on old son of Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Wednesday, was postponed on account of this town, went last count of the heat and will be held week from West Groton, where he at the same place on the afternoon buring the summer Rev. J. B. Lew-new of Figh street, this week.

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hospital in Fitchburg. His case was to the Shirley Electric Light Company thought to be appendicitis, and on the fiday an examination was more by Sapply on Thursday, both as to street N-ray. His physicians decided to the carte and this was successfully accomplished on Monday of this week. His symptoms have been favorable probably about the commercial lines. Author Tower will return to Italy.

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several years before her marriage and collected from the constant of Mrs. Handy

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The variety store, spoken of last week morning.

A little daughter was born to Mr.

Mrs. Anna Shattuck, who has been occupying the Woodworth cottage at Hovey's Corner with her three grandsons, returned to their home in Melrose last week.

Charles Robinson, of New York, is a guest at Blakesmere with Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Appleton, coming from Newport, R. I., where he has been yistling his son.

Sidering the temperature. The supper was an appetizing one and inely served, the committee heing Mrs. Kimball and Mrs. Mortin, assisted by many others. With better weather the vestry would no doubt have been well filled at the low price set for the supper.

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Forrest Andrews and wife, from Nashua, N. H., were guests at his old home over Sunday.

Frank Marston and family are cupying the Mention place on Oak hill, moving in last Saturday from Melrose.

John McDonald and wife, from Clinton, were the guests of his broth-er, P. J. McDonald, Nashua street,

Another patient in the LaBean family, who are still in quarantine from diphtheria, died on Friday of last week. Nettic, a five-year-old daughter, who had been afflicted with days of the week to witness the play. "The birth of a nation."

Thomas Murray is at home from Middleboro with a throat trouble. His brother Ray went down to take his place

Ada Spaulding came from Worcester to spend the week-end with her mother, Mrs. Lucretia Spaulding. George Glenn of Boston spent the week-end with his friend. Miss Annie Hatherly, at the home of W. D. With-

Acceptance of the control of the con take back all the milk available, as the dealer claimed he had costumers he had not been able to supply for three days.

Pauline Jay and her brothers. George and Oakley, from Chftondale, are visiting their aunt, Mrs. P. J. Mc-Donald.

George E. Shattuck with his wife and her sister, Mrs. M. M. Richards, returned on Monday from an auto trip of about four hundred miles. Starting from here on Wednesday of last week they went to Revere and followed along the north shore beachfollowed along the north shore beaches to Beverly Farms, a distance of about eighty-live miles for a first day journey. The next day they went to Hampton beach, where Carnival week was at its height and passed on to Portsmouth, stopping at Rye beach over night. Proceeding along the coast of Maine they next stopped at old Orchard. Their return was more direct. They report good state roads all along the route, even after reaching "rock-bound" Maine. They returned with a good record of not a ins rock-bound" Maine. They re-turned with a good record of not a puncture or accident.

There is to be a Junior League par ty at the Methodist parsonage on Saturday afternoon, September 18, from three to four o'clock. All the little ones who have ever belonged and all the children who would like to join are cordially invited to come.

James W. Tabor of Derry, N. H., visited his brother-in-law, I. J. Rowell, on Wednesday.

tell, on Wednesd cy.

There were several prostrations from the heat both on Thursday and Friday of last week and on Tuesday and Wednesday of this week. Carpenters who were shingling on Harmon Williams' house at North Pepperell were obliged to leave off work and go home. Saveral korses were perell were obliged to leave off work and go home. Several horses were also made ill by the extreme heat. Tuesday is regarded by many as the worst day of the summer and in some localities thermometers recorded a higher temperature, 94°.

The L. S. C. Branch Alliance of the Unitarian society will serve a Har-vest supper at Central hali, Thurs-day, October 7.

Mildred Sartelle returned to her studies at the Normal Art school, Bos-ton, on Friday.

Lawrence, of High street, this week, During the sammer Rev. J. B. Lewis arranged for a series of stereoptised lectures to be given once a month during the fall and winter in the Congregational church. The first bettere will be given next Sanday evening at seven o'clock. "Every day life in Japan" is the subject and there will be seventy-three colored slides. The feeture premises to be instructive and entertaining.

entertaining. Miss Bessie Farley went to Newton Senter Monday to enter a millinery

there were eleven present. The org was held out-of-doors and was no program. Cool refresh-swete served. At a recent meet-of the club at the home of Mrs. or. Blood, "Mother's day" was yed. There were about twentyshe has been end which would show their appression of the death of her brother Herrican Blood, "Mother's day" was made in the bound of her brother Herrican Blood, "Mother's day" was made in the beautiful has been the death of her brother Herrican Gold assisted the hostess. The street of her services were the form her tresplet to the death of her brother Herrican Gold assisted the hostess. The street of her services were from her tresplet to the death of her brother Herrican Gold assisted the hostess. The street of the Misses Flynn. Pelicions the death of her brother Herrican Gold assisted the hostess. The continuous ard songs under the distribution and has been to the very against the Workester has the form her treatment to the different manner at the Workester has the first of the manner at the Workester has the following the filling gave many home of his daugitor. Miss F. E. Tanner, at Somery end advantage was in the family be a Lawrence. The home of his daugitor was accessed to the hostess. The continuous ard songs under the distribution of the Misses Flynn. Delicions the work were the first of the hostess on departs and a services were the first of the hostess. The continuous ard songs under the distribution of the Misses Flynn. Delicions the day were served on the manner at the children gave many home of his daugitor. Miss F. E. Indian and the children gave many access in town, as she level.

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pital.

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> Ray Willoughby from Boston spen unday at his old home in town. Mrs F, A. Lawrence visited her sis-er, Mrs. Flora Wheeler, at Nashua

was a very pleasant social occasion

Wednesday. Frank Farley is serving on the jury t Lowell, his place in J. A. Saun-ers' store being taken by Guy Rouse John O'Connell and his son Howard working in the sash and blind

factory at Nashua. Mrs. Fred Bancroft has been enter taining Mrs. Geo. B. Haskell of Boston the past week, who formerly resided in town on the South road.

Mrs. J. M. Graham returned from Derry, N. H., on Saturday last, leaving her grandson much improved.

L. S. C. Experience Money.

The ladies of the L. S. C. who have been carning their dollar of experience money in various ways not at the all-day session held with Mrs. N. W. Appleton on Fraday of last week to relate their experiences. There to relate their experiences. There was a large attendence, the spacious rooms and wide prizzes of the hospitable homestead being well filled, especially in the afternoon. The manner of earning the dollar was given by most of those assembled in "rhymes, gymes and jingles," creating much merriment by their wit. There was a fine amount turned over to the treasurer as a rosult and there

ing much merriment by their will. There was a fine amount turned over to the treasurer as a result, and there will be more yet, as some of the mean-bers had not yet earned the sum. A business session followed lanch.

On Tuesday afternoon three ladies of the L. S. C., who had not succeeded in earning their experience money, combined to give a social afternoon at the home of Mrs. Mary Maltman. Mrs. C. M. Gage and Mrs. Maltman served ice cream and sherbert, which found ready customers with the thermometer at ninety degrees. Tables were also provided for any devotees of whist. Mrs. Whitmarsh, the other member of the trioleasily secured her dollar by placing on exhibition her fine collection of mounted butterlies and moths. This unique collection is very beautiful and shows great skill and patience on the part of Mrs. Withmarsh, who has collected from the part of Mrs. Withmarsh, who has collected from the part of Mrs. Withmarsh, who has collected from the part of Mrs. Withmarsh, who has collected from the part of Mrs. Withmarsh, who has collected from the part of Mrs. Withmarsh, who has collected from the part of Mrs. Withmarsh, who has collected from the part of Mrs. Withmarsh, who has collected from the part of Mrs. Withmarsh, who has collected from the part of Mrs. Withmarsh, who has collected from the part of Mrs. Withmarsh, who has collected from the part of Mrs. Withmarsh, who has collected from the part of Mrs. Withmarsh, who has collected from the part of Mrs. Withmarsh, who has collected from the part of the market of the part of the means of the part of the p shows great skill and patience on the part of Mrs. Whitmarsh, who has collected, mounted and classified

eally valuable exhibit. Church Federation Service.

The Church Federation service held In the Church Federation service held in the Methodist church on Sunday evening was attended by a very larg congregation, nearly every seat in the auditorium being taken. The pulpit was occupied by President Muriin of Boston university with Rev. John B. Lewis of the Congregational church Rev. Dudley R. Child of the Unitarian church and Rev. William H. Beers, the pastor. The voluntary by the organist, Mrs. O. M. Nash, with violing solo by Miss Helen, Lovejoy was a solo by Miss Helet, Lovejoy was a Worces fitting preface to the character of the Grange music of the evening. Prayer was of About fered by Rev. Mr. Lewis, the response, tendant "Sweet Sabbath (v)," being rendered gave a by a male quarter, composed of esting. Messrs, Tower, Nash, Drury and Shattuck. tuck.

A scripture selection was given by Rev. Mr. Child, followed by the an-them by Shelley, "Hark, hark my soul," rendered by the fine chorus choir from all the churches with Mrs. Copp as contralto soloist and the soprano obligato given by Miss Alice

Marshall.

The pastor gave a scripture reading and the church announcements for the week, following which a duet, "In the cross of Christ I glory," Ed- the Hollis Drum cor wards, was rendered by O. M. Nash ted a few years ago.

and Reginald Tower, and a soprano solo, "The voice of Jesus," by Mrs. E. H. Bliss.

The music was exceptionally fine. both the vocal and instrumental, every selection a masterpiece rendered with expression. The universal opinion from all was that no finer musical program, even by the united choirs, had ever been listened to in this auditorium.

Preceding his address Dr. Murlin requested choir and congregation to join in "All hall the power," which was done with powerful effect and great volume. In his address, which was addressed particularly to the server solume. In his address, which was addressed particularly to the day and come and young people, although adaptable for, all, Dr. Marlin gave his heavers a fine discourse, every part being well worth historing to the something to head something to head marketing peachistening to the something to head on account of the damage disc there where addrence cold well feel is neutred by heing present to listen to a sermon of

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friend, Mrs. Florence Mention. few days. McPartlan left Monday morning for Worcester, where he ha cepted a position in a hospital.

The L. B. S. of the Congregational church will hold a supper Thursday evening. September 23, at 6.30. The regular meeting will be held the same

HOLLIS, N. H.

About Town.

Miss Mabel Lund, who has been employed at the home of Mrs. Fred G. Muzzey during the summer mosths, has returned to her home in Danstable.
Mrs. Tilea Britton is to have an

auction at her home on the Nishua road on Saturday, September 18, at which time she will sell several farming implements and some household goods,

The regular meeting of the John H. Worcester W. R. C. was held in Grange half on Tuesday afternoon. About the usual number were in attendance. Mass Emma L. Van Dyke tendance. Miss Emma L. Van Dyke, gave a reading which was very inter-

The schools did not keep on Thurs-day afternoon on account of the intense heat.

Henry Wilson has purchised a second-hand Ford truck and is taking instructions in driving from Eugene The W. C. T. U. meeting, which was

to have been held on Thursday after-noon at Mrs. Nellie Hardy's, was not held on account of the heat. Efforts are being made to reorganize the Hollis Drum corps which disband-

Many of the young people have en-joyed their bathing at Silver Lake the past week as much as they have any-time during the summer.

Robert W. Leslie has been nursing a sore hand the past week, which was caused from a horse fly bite. His hand became infected by the bite and was very painful, but is much better now.

Mrs. Walter Hayden has charge of Mrs. Waiter Hayden has charge of the Baby show which will be held on Fair day in Grange hall from 10.30 antil twelve o'clock and hopes that all the mathers who have babes un-der two years old will take pair in this feature of the day and come and tring the babies.

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Matilde veded."

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Campbell have returned from their wedding trip, dellightfully spent in New York, Southern Pennsylvania and Baltimore, and will be at home to their many friends at Mountain View farm. Townsend The hill

The T. H. I. S. fair to be held o September 28, afternoon and evening should be well patronized by the resiforms of this village, as it is the first fair of the season and the display of handlwork and farm products will be well worth the seeing and the buying. Conceyance will run to and from the

At the Congregational church At the Congregational church on Hostesses are Mrs. Louisa of Julia P. Hobart. Mrs. Besten and Mrs. Elizabeth A. C. cheests invited.

The congregational church of Sunday morning Rev. A. L. Struthers's sermon subject will be "Personal magnetism." C. E. evening topic, "World ideals and how foreign missions will promote them." Leader, Mrs. Clement. The annual roll call and church home day will be held on Thursday, September 30. Business meeting at ten in the morning, dinner, and the sunday to the morning at the sunday at two levels and the sunday at two levels and the sunday are two levels and the sunday will be a sunday morning Rev. A. L. Struthers' sermon subject will be "Personal magnetism." C. E. evening topic and the sunday morning Rev. A. L. Struthers' sermon subject will be "Personal magnetism." C. E. evening topic and the sunday morning Rev. A. L. Struthers' sermon subject will be "Personal magnetism." C. E. evening topic and the sunday morning Rev. A. L. Struthers' sermon subject will be "Personal magnetism." C. E. evening topic and the sunday magnetism." C. E. evening topic and the sunday magnetism." C. E. evening topic and the sunday and the sunday magnetism." C. E. evening topic and the sunday magnetism. C. E. evening topic and the sunday magnetism.

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Dr. Chariton's topic will be "The law of love." The evening service will be horse became frightened, kne ay mornb has acltai.

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One of the telephone men met with ill luck early in the week when his horse became frightened. knocking the first of a series of monthly Sunday down the railing along an embank-

evening Brotherhood rallies. The pastor will have charge.

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High School Notes.

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may the sympathy of the community in their sudden bereavement.

The funeral was held from her late home on Friday afternoon at two of clock, Rev. A. L. Struthers, pastor of the Congregational church, officiating. Miss Stella Farrar sang very sweetly "Face to face" and of the Congregational church, officiating with you."

Gertrade Sanderson the guest of Miss Annie Bragdon, of Warren street, has returned to Revere, where she holds a good position as principal of one of the Revere grade schools.

Miss' Aria Stone has returned to Boston university and Miss' Kimhall - William Congression and Miss' Aria Stone has returned to Boston university and Miss' Kimhall - William Congression and Miss' Aria Stone has returned to Boston university and Miss' Aria Stone has returned to Bost sweetly "Face to face" and "God be with you." The hearers were Charles Wilson, Samuel Woods, George Tousignant and Wilbur Bruce. Interment at the Center cemetery.

Harbor.

on Thursday.

The peach season is nearly over.

Frank B. Priest expects to sell the last of his uncle. Andrew Brean, in Effections.

Miss Mary E. Adams is visiting with Fitchburg.

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On account of the extremely hot weather the Harbor school has not been keeping full time this week. William Robinett spent Tuesday in

On last Tuesday Harold Gray left for Amherst to be enrolled as a stu-dent in the Massachusetts Agricultural college Carl Newhall, as a sophomore, re-sumed his studies at Boston university

The parties who broke into the Harbor station last week Thursday night obtained but little money and left several clues. The social dance at the parish build-

ing last week Friday evening was an entovable affair. The Monday club this week no Proceed? with Mrs. Charence Josseiyn as hostess.

A. Dudley Bagley will in the near future bring his automobile from Boson to his home in this village. Early in the week an auto party including Mr. and Mrs. Fred Palfrey man, Frank Conant and Galen Proc-

genuine acrobatic feats none can ex-cell the three pigs belonging to the owner of Maplewood cottage. No pen, seemingly, is high enough or strong enough to hold them. They make their escape several times a day and the services of the passenzers of passing auton obles are some-times called into requisition to round up the recalcitrants.

sains reser normet is having her garage remodeled. Frank Brown and Harry Atwood are superimending the work.

Amos Proctor, who left Pinchurst Annes Process, who lead Themars hast week Wednesday for his horne in Hillshore, N. H., received injuries on the train and was taken to St. Joseph's hospital, Nashua. He has sufficiently recovered to be able to walk

Miss Leona Anderson and her broth-Clarence were recent guests of their father Stillman Anderson, at Edge-The filling of the silo at Harbor

farm was completed on last week Fri

John Dwyer, nine years old, while walking on the shore of the river last Saturday, stubbed his toe and in falling struck a stone that cut a deep, jagged gash under his chin, necessitating the services of a physician and several stitches. However, but a day or two of school was lost on account

of the accident. Stillman Anderson, accompanied by his son and daughter, and Gliman Co-nant, a short time ago visited the Shirley Industrial school, the guests of the superintendent, who is a cousin of

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the Congregational church
Saturday afternoon, SepBoard meeting at 2.30.
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ing Tuesday morning

September 30, Business playing with the Westford team
nor at twelve, roll call at 2.30, afternoon address to be given by Rev.
George H. Gutterson, of Boston; his
subject, "The 20th century church."
On Tuesday evening the Town
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Brotherh seventh inning Knight took his place at the bat. The shortstop threw the ball (Knight thinking it was in the hands of the catcher) at the catcher, the force of which was received full in the face by Knight, blackening both types and breaking his nose. Although serious, Mr. Knight will prob-

Stillman Anderson and Gliman Co-nant were over Sunday guests at Mr.

ment, breaking the buggy, spilling out telephones and making things

charlestown, a fireman on the Boston and Maine railroad, Fitchburg division; a daughter Letitia and a younger son Cassius, the latter born since their coming to town. Miss Letitia and Cassius resided with their parents. Mrs. Van Etten is also survived by three sisters, Mrs. Elizabeth Dominick. Mrs. William Hempstead and Miss Emma Hoff, who reside in Waterford, N. Y., and a brother, Cassius Hoff, of Palmer Falls, N. Y. One of the last acts of Mrs. Van Etten, which seems very touching, was the sending of flowers by her to her sister in New York, to be placed on the grave of her father, who passed away a few months ago. Before the flowers reached the sister word was seen over the wire that the sender had passed into the beyond. The family have the sympathy of the community street, has returned to Revere, where

and Edwin Esten will resume their studies next week at M. I. T., Dartmouth and Tufts, respectively.

From the foundations of the Russian empire at Moscow, about 1500, says Dr. Nansen in his recent book, entitled "Through Siberia, the land of the future," Russia has grown at the average rate of lifty-five square miles average rate of fitty-five square miles a year—a territorial increase that is almost without parallel. During the first three centuries of Russian control of Siberia, Dr. Nansen observes, only 3,000,000 immigrants went to Siberia from Russia; but the great empire has at last awakened to a knowledge of the riches of its immense Asiatic possessions and firm mense Asiatic possessions, and from 1905 to 1911 as many immigrants settled in Siberia as during the entire 390 years preceding.

New Advertisements.

Rowen Dr. Durgin, president of Walden university, left for his field of labor at Nashville, Tenn., on last Monday,

on the Gen. Bancroft Farm, so-called, located in Groton.

There is a fine second crop and we will sell it in lots to suit buyers. If you can use some Rowen, tele-

Kemp & Bennett

EAST PEPPERELL, MASS.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION of the First National Bank of Pepperell, at East Pepperell, in the State of Massa-chusetts, at the close of business, September 2, 1915.

Loats and discounts Overdrafts, unsecured U. S. Bonds deposited to cure circulation (par ue) . \$119.755.73 10.79 \$0,000.00 Bonds other than U. bonds other than U.
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of Federal serve Bank ners of passing auton oblies are some-imes called into requisition to round up the recalcitrants.

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For amount due from Fed-1,639,51

14,772.91 Fractional currency, nickels, and cents
Notes of other national banks money reserve in

Total \$359,467.29 Liabilities penses, Interest, and taxes paid. 4,341.61

days 76,027.44 155,723.51 de deposits-(payable after 30 days, or subject to 30 days or more Time

notice); Other time deposits \$4,000.00 Total \$359.467.29 State of Massachusetts, County of Mid-

dlesex, ss.

I. H. F. Tarbell, Cashler of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

bank:
Total coin and certificates
Legal-tender notes
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Redemption fund with U. S.
Treasurer (not more than
5 percent on glieulation)
Total 2.500.00

H. F. TARBELL, Cashler. Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th day of September, 1915. George G. Tarbell, Notary Public.

George G. An.
Correct—Attest:
T. F. Graham,
Arthur P. Wright,
I. J. Rowell.
Directors.