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### LITTLETON.

Woman's Club Meeting.

The Woman's club held its third

The Woman's club held its third meeting of the season on Monday afternoon. A hundred persons, including members and guests, were present and enjoyed the exceedingly good program. The recording secretary read her reports of the last two meetings and several matters of business were considered briefly. Misses Anna Woodbine and A. May Bowley were voted into membership and the names of Mrs. George W. Canney, Mrs. W. H. Brown and Mrs. Frank H. Hill were proposed.

Notice was read of the State Conference of clubs to be held in Newburyport on November 20, and the Art Conference slated for December 6, to be held in the lecture room of the Museum of Fine Arts in Boston. Announcement was also made of the domestic science and pure food exhibition in charge of the Middlesst, Woman's club in Lowell, State Armory hall, beginning December 14, and an invitation to the Littleton club members was read. A letter was read from the Massachusetts Audubon soand an invitation to the Littleton club members was read. A letter was read from the Massachusetts Audubon so-

from the Massachusetts Audubon so-ciety expressing a desire to organize a local branch in this town. There were also several letters from clubs of neighboring towns acknowl-edging the invitation to Littleton on presidents' day and letters of grate-ful recognition of the entertainment received on that occasion. The program of the afternoon open-ed with two appropriate songs by

The second social of the new year in the Congregational society took place on Wednesday evening. Although the constantly threatening heavens produced a "gully-washer," by the time scheduled for the entertainment, the vestry contained but few empty seats, and if one may judge from the enthusiasm of the audience no one regretted the effort

received on that occasion.

The program of the afternoon opendwith two appropriate songs by 
Mrs. Mattle K. Priest, Miss Emma E. 
Tenney accompanying at the plano. 
Mrs. Florence B. Wilcox, the president, then introduced the speaker, 
paying a very high tribute to her 
former teacher, Mrs. Clara Bancroft 
Beatley, of Boston.

Mrs. Beatley spoke on "Our girls 
and boys in the home," and presented 
her subject easily and masterly. "The 
protection of childhood," she said, 
"seems to be of divino order." As 
all people touch child life the lecture 
is for every woman present.

Of certain laws that all parents and 
teachers need she spoke at length. 
Certain native tendencies in the child, 
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The enthusiagn of the Teachers' association, slated for Thursday afternoon of this week, was postponed on 
account of the rain storm.

The Backlog club will hold the annual Thanksgiving ball in town hall 
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The new Fitchburg orchestra of six 
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and Mrs. James D. Christie. The contributions consisted of many articles of interest in serious and humorous vein, poems, recipes in cooking and doctoring, funny sayings of the little folk, amusing home-made advertigements, etc., all of which were received with repeated applause.

By no means the least enjoyed part of the entertainment was the singing by the male quartet, comprising Fg. H. Hill, G. A. Cook, William Dodds and Mr. Whitney. They rendered several selections and were called back each time to respond to encores. Altogether the program was considered one of the best ever given by local talent. Goldsmith H. Connant, president of the Congregational club, presided, and Josiah P. Thacher was chairman of the entertainment committee. committee.

News Items.

At the Massachusetts Fruit show held in Horticultural hall, Boston, last week, W. A. Munson won \$170 in money: First prize on entire product of a single tree twenty years old, \$100; second prize on entire product of a singel tree between eight and twelve years old, \$20; first prize on best ten boxes of apples in the exhibition, \$50.

A few days ago, Supt. Frank H. Hill distributed eight dollars among the successful school children of Littleton who exhibited their products in the North Middlesex fair in Chelmsford this fall.

Mumps and vaccination are still accountable for many absences from school. Fourteen pupils have been absent from Miss Woodbine's room and eleven from Miss Davis' room this week.

James Crowley has moved to Ansonia, Conn.. to work in the webbing factory of that town, and Clarence Crosby has moved into the house he vacated on Great road.

Henry Dodge, who has worked in the webbing factory, and lived at the Common the last year and a half, has moved to Lowell this week to engage in similar work there.

Dr. James D. Christie has recently purchased a 1912 Buick roadster. Mrs. Paul L. Brown was very pleasantly entertained on last Saturday by her aunt in Medford, who gave a turkey dinner in honor of Mrs. Brown's birthday. Later, Mr. and Mrs. Brown enjoyed an evening at the theatre.

The Littleton Teachers' association held its monthly meeting in the West grammar room on Thursday, and the different teachers discussed psychological subjects and the modern

Mrs. Clara Bancroft Beatley's sisters—Mrs. Kate E. Hazen and Mrs. Mary J. Tucker, attended the Littleton Woman's club on Monday afternoon, and with Mrs. Beatley, were very pleasantly entertained afterwards by Mrs. Florence B. Wilcox, at her home on King street.

Friends and frequent inquirers for Olive Flagg will be pleased to learn that she has escaped having pneu-

cases of children's tendencies that need very careful management. Of the older sons and daughters in the home their needs and the best way to meet them she spoke at length, and then returning to consideration of the younger children she spoke of being interested and considerate in demands relative to play. is in progress. It is expected that an allotment by county commissioners will be made for the purpose of containing the same over King street from its junction with Lactart road to the end of the present macadam road near Westlawn cemetery, and that the road bed will be completed next soring. next spring.

An oyster supper and entertainment are announced for next week Thurs-day evening at the Baptist vestry. Supper from 6.30 to eight o'clock. Supper from 6.30 to eight o'clock and a good entertainment following

The Littleton Woman's club will present the drama, "The little rebel," on the evenings of December 11 and 12. On account of the above dates the Congregational church fair will be held on December 4, a week earlier than was originally planned.

Mrs. William Channing Brown's Sunday school class held a very suc Sunday school class held a very successful entertainment and sale of fancy articles and food in the Unitarian vestry on Thursday afternoon. The girls gave the play of "Cinderella" and produced a very creditable performance. Seventeen dollars was netted and the same will be used to supply the church with flowers during the winter months. ply the church withe winter months.

Mrs. A. M. Parker, delegate, Miss Miriam Conant, Mrs. H. L. Packard and Mrs. W. E. Conant attended the Woman's Board of Missions meeting in Andover this week.

was given to appreciation and reward and gave the victory to the amema-which Mrs. Beatley would spell with capital lefters, particularly in cases where reform in the child's actions where reform in the child's actions is sought. Much was said regarding authority well directed, and special edited by Mrs. Goldsmith H. Conant winter in Mrs. Moore's residence.



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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the subscriber has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of ELIZA J. GREENE, late of Townsend, in the County of Middlesex, deceased, intestate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bond, as the law distate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bond, as the law distate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bond, as the law distate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bond, as the law distate of exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to said deceased are required to exhibit the same; and all persons to make payment to GEORGE A. WILDER, Adm.

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And the petitioner is hereby directed to exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to said deceased are required to make payment to the probable of the sai

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### WESTFORD.

A second son has been born to Mr. and Mrs. Frank A. Wright at their home in Lowell. Both Mr. and Mrs. Wright were former residents here.

Mr. and Mrs. William A. Woodward were guests last week of Mr. and Mrs. J. Herbert Fletcher. Mr. Woodward and Mr. Fletcher enjoyed some good

hunting.

The New England Apple magazine for October speaks highly of an article in the 1912 report of the Massachusetts State Board of Agriculture on Fruit Growing by George A. Drew. Mr. Drew is a Westford boy and an authority on apple culture.

Burton Streeter, who has been employed by J. C. Abbot for the last two years, has left town and he will be missed in many of the social and athletic activities of the village.

The next meeting of the Tadmuck

The next meeting of the Tadmuck club, November 19, will begin at 2.30, instead of at three o'clock, owing to the lessened daylight. This will be Thanksgiving afternoon with the children as guests. Hostess, Miss Clara A. Smith.

Paul Symmes is the new owner of a Reo auto truck of one ton capacity, which he intends to use carrying produce to the Boston and Lowell mar-

Mrs. Homer M. Seavey and Mrs. H. V. Hildreth were invited guests at the Littleton Woman's club on last Monday afternoon and heard the excelent lecture on "Our boys and girls." Mrs. Alma M. Richardson and Miss Emily F. Fletcher attended the chrysanthemum show in Boston; also, the apple exhibit and report it well worth

making an effort to see.

The election of Mr. Taylor of Westford as a representative pleased everyone immensely. Mr. Taylor is known as the wit of the countryside, and every granger who has heard him speak will be glad to know that he is to make things "hum" in the house this year. The legislature has several good, hearty laughs ahead of it for the Westford man is some humorist.—Lowell Sunday Telegram, November 10.

Lecture.

The Westford Board of Trade held of free illustrated lecture on "Good roads," by Paul D. Sargent, assistant director of the office of public works of the U. S. Department of Agriculture. Invitations were extended to neighboring Boards of Trade and road superintedents as well as to the public generally. Response was such as to secure a good attendance of people who closely followed the same men with which it began works, and third, when you get a good man, keep him.

He said that the Massachusetts have been roads are the best in the country, highly complimenting our State Highway Commission was recognized man, keep him.

He said that the Massachusetts have been roads are who left no doubt in his hearers' minds as to what were his points. Those were three, First, keep politics out of road supervision, second, have trained men to supervise, and third, when you get a good man, keep him.

He said that the Massachusetts in the country and the trip by automobile.

Fairview cemetery.

Forge Village.

The Ladles' Sewing Circle held a most successful supper and social in Recreation hall on last week there is good things were soon put out of sight. After supper, a lecture, libed and a choice assortment of good things were soon put out of sight. After supper, a lecture, libed and a choice assortment of good things were soon put out of sight. After supper, a lecture, libed and a choice assortment of good things were soon put out of sight. After supper, a lecture, libed and a choice assortment of good things were soon put out of sight. After supper, a lecture, libed and a choice assortment of good things were soon put out of sight. After supper, a lecture, libed and a choice assortment of good things were soon put out of sight. After supper, a lecture, libed and a choice assortment of good things were soon put out of sight. After supper, a lecture, libed and a choice assortment of good things were soon put out of sight. After supper, a lecture, libed and a choice assortment of good things were soon put out of sight

this sum to over \$8,000,000 as against \$1,000,000 spent by the Highway Commission. The expenditure of such sums he contended, should be in experienced hands and only the hest man who could be found should be used. If an experienced man is not at hand, take one who can be built on, a man of good education, a good mechanic and of some training or ability in engineering. Ruinous results of poor engineering were shown in some of the pictures thrown on the screen. Excellent lantern slides were clearly shown, illustrating the differences between good roads in their appearance, and in their availability. For instance, a team having a hard time hauling one bale of cotton, later hauled ten bales over the same road when reconstructed.

Altogether, it was a lecture well worth listening to, and was highly appreciated by those present. A special car before and after the lecture carried those who wished between the Center and Brookside.

About Town.

ONE DOLLAR AND FIFTY CENTS Bicknell, citizen number two, living on the Carlisle road, has secured a position at the Massachusetts Genral hospital in Boston.

eral hospital in Boston.

The next meeting of the grange will be held next Thursday evening. The lecturer's hour will be devoted to an evening with the poets. The contemplation of these inspired heights will be led by Mrs. L. W. Wheeler, Mrs. Perley E. Wright and Mrs. O. A. Nelson. As everyone was storm bound at the last meeting, let everyone spur a little to greet the poets.

poets.

Arthur Mallalieu, a former resident of West Chelmsford, and active in the social life of the village and Brookside, has been elected a member of the New Hampshire house of representatives from Milford, as "I had rather be defeated with Taft, than win with—" you can guess who. He is a bright, clear, keen thinker, and is not to be tossed about by every wind of doctrine.

Miss Luanna Decatur was home

Miss Luanna Decatur was home over the Saturday and Sunday rest days. As teacher, her efficiency has secured her promotion to the staff at the Salem Normal school.

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There was a large attendance and bountiful youthful merriment and bountiful youthful merriment and bountiful supper at the sociable of the Village church, West Chelmsford, on Wednesday evening. The entertainment tuned up along the lines of instrumental music by Mrs. Grace Naylor and Miss Beatrice Naylor, followed by the fifteen minute comedy "Interviewing a granger" by S. L. and W. R. Taylor. The supper was in charge of Mrs. Toye. It was a toy that pleased everybody and many were reluctant to part with it. The entertainment was promulgated and set to music by Mrs. Johnson. Westford Center was looking in by Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Wheeler and Miss Edith Wright, who are good promoters of healthy sociability.

The "open season" of the Fortstein.

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The "open season" of the Fortnightly club will commence on Friday evening, November 22, with music, instrumental and mouth, readings, long and short, humorous and tearful, and the farce, "Interviewing a grange."

The following is a complete re-

	Taylor	Tuttle	Carney
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Acton	162	134	7.5
Ayer · · · · · · · ·		126	215
Carlisle	46	24	32
Chelmsford .	291	218	193
Littleton		74	40
Westford	173	54	123
Totals	897	630	678
Taylor's	plurality,	219.	

W. C. T. U. Sunday.

The second Sunday in November, specially set apart in the churches by the W. C. T. U., was appropriately observed at the Congregational church on last Sunday evening. Mrs. Brigham, of Maiden, secretary of Middlesex County Union, was the speaker of the evening and was closely followed as she presented the phases of the work, and the things for which the organization works, namely: The protection of the home, the abolition of the liquor traffic, and the work-out of the golden rule. The ladies' choir had charge of the music. Mrs. Janet Wright, president of the local union, presided. Mrs. Wallace gave the scripture lesson and Mr. Wallace of served appreciation. Other musical features were the singing of a duet by Pauline Wallace and Rachael Kimbali, and a solo by Althea Symmes.

Death.

Charles Standish died suddenly Tues of the residence of this daughter, Mrs. William Butter, and met with an accident on October 31, when she fell and broke her hip. She was taken to the hospital, but he in his usual good health in the morning, but shortly after was found dead in the dooryard by his daughter from Condined to his home for the past two condined to his home for the past two weeks, is now able to resume his work.

William Burnett, who has been confined to his home for the past two weeks, is now able to resume his work.

Graniteville.

The members of St. Catherine's termion at two o'clock. Rev. David alook place from the residence of his form out of town, and all had a very successful dancing party in Abbot hall, Forge Village, on last week Friday form and a solo by Althea Symmes.

Lecture.

Forge Village.



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for them in their advanced age and have disposed of their goods. Mrs. Reed, who is eighty-three years old, is a fine old lady, and her gardens in which she took great interest, were always quite an attraction to her many friends and neighbors. She has gone to live at North Westford with her granddaughter, Mrs. Harry Ingalls. Mrs. Drake will spend the winter with her niece in Shrewsbury. Both ladies will be greatly missed by their many friends.

Word has been received that Mrs.

Word has been received that Mrs. Blaisdell, of Wamesit, grandmother of Miss Abbie Blaisdell, the popular teacher of the second primary grades of Cameron school, is lying dangerously ill at the Lowell hospital. Mrs. Blaisdell is a lady of advanced age, and met with an accident on October 31, when she fell and broke her hip. She was taken to the hospital, but

engineering department for its present four district engineers are the same men with which it began work inneteen years ago, and each man has the same district with which he began so that he is familiar with the needs of the district and with the materials on hand with which to work. He said that plan had worked well and believed that the cities and towns should follow the example instead of the constant political shifting as frequently seen.

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There will be a special town meeting in the town hall, Westford Center, on next Wednesday evening for the purpose of seeing what action the town will take about maintaining the branch line of the Lowell and Fitchburg Street Railway for the transporting of children to the Frost school in Westford. The warrants have been posted and the statement and purpose of the meeting appear to be plain enough, but it is the general opinion that there is a great deal more to this question, and no doubt many arguments will be brought forward at this special meeting, and it tendance. ward at this special meeting, and it goes without saying that it will be largely attended.

Alvin S. Bennett, who has been visiting at Worcester, has returned. His interests in the Bay State Stamping Company of that city have demanded his almost daily presence.

Rev. Lyman B. Weeks will take for his subject "The kingdom of God discovered and located at last."

Two of our Westford residents will become laborers in the industrial vineyards of other places. John Martin and family, living on the Company shortly.

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Fred Naylor and family have moved into one of Abbot & Company's new cottages on Pine street. The house being built for Charles Baton of Graniteville, will be ready for occupancy shortly.

Mr. Bennett, who has been largely attended.

Funeral.

The funeral of Alfred Langlois, who died here on Thursday, November 7, as a result of a fall at the mills of the Abbot Worsted Company in Forge Village on the same date, took place from his late home in this village on last Sunday at twelve o'clock and was very largely attended.

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lilies and galax leaves from the Ab-bot Worsted Company, and a broken sickle and wreath of carnations and chrysanthemums from friends from Forgo Village.

The bearers were Henry Hormidas and Adelord Cate, Oscar Milot, Raoul and Philip Langlois, brothers of the deceased. Burial was in St. Cather-

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News Items.

Mrs. Nellie W. Holbrook and Miss Mary A. Park spent last Saturday and Sunday at the home of their niece, Mrs. William Adriance, at Winchester. Miss Bertha McMurray, of Lake George, N. B., arrived on last Satur-day at the home of her sister, Miss Inez McMurray, for a two-weeks' visit.

Abel Loomer spent last Saturday and Sunday at the home of his sister in Framingham. Miss Lena Gateley spent the week-end with relatives in Boston.

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duet, Gladys Annis and Sarah Stevenson; reading, Mildred Evans; debate, "Should we continue the use of
primaries." Thomas Evans, Margaret
Longley, affirmative; John Logue, Edward Lilly, negative. No decision was
given.

The Shakespeare club held its first regular meeting on Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Edwin H. Conant. The teacher, Mrs. Andrew H. Pratt, of Fitchburg, was present and the play "Macbeth" was studied with interest and pleasure from two until four o'clock. All the entire fifteen members were present.

Samuel B. Scott, of Chapel street, who has been very critically ill, has had a decided change for the better. Mrs. Edmund B. Winterbottom, who has been on the sick list, is im-

proving nicely. A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. John Cormier last week.

Henry Goss, of Worcester, spent the week-end in town at the home of his

Lucien Trudel, of Athol, visited with friends in town last Sunday. The Ladies' Aid society of the Baptist church will serve a supper in their vestry on Tuesday evening, November 19, from six to 7.30 o'clock. The menu will consist of an old-fashioned boiled dinner, beans, and cold meats with the usual large variety of pies, cake, etc. No entertainment

Ayer Congregational church, will oc-cupy the pulpit of the Shirley Con-gregational church in exchange with Rev. A. A. Bronsdon on Sunday morning at 10.45 o'clock.

Mrs. Fannie McClellan was operated upon at the Ellot hospital, Boston, on Tuesday by Dr. Mixter, and is getting along as well as can be

Mrs. Allen A. Bronsdon left town today for the home of her parents in Keene, N. H., to remain until after Thanksgiving.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Universalist church held its regular monthly supper and entertainment in the church vestry on Wednesday in the church vestry on Wednesday evening. The supper was served from six to 7.30 under the direction of Mrs. Mary M. Nickless, Mrs. Lizzie Smith, Mrs. Charles Ford, Mrs. George Knox and Mrs. G. M. Ballou. About fifty sat down to supper. The entertainment followed the supper under the supervision of Mrs. Thomas L. Hazen and consisted of the following: Piano solo, Miss Hazel Ballou; harmonica solo, J. Albert Dearden; vocal solo, George E. Byram; reading, Miss Lena Fuller; vocal solo, Miss Ruby E, Felch; piano solo, Miss Margreta S. Hastings.

John Dinsmore, of Presque Isle,

John Dinsmore, of Presque Isle, Me., with wife and two small chil-dren, have arrived at the home of his father, George Dinsmore, and has accepted a position in the finishing room of the C. A. Edgarton Co.

Edward E. Edgarton is on the sick list, having considerable trouble with his heart action.

his heart action.

Miss Edith Chesbrough, employed in the weaving department of the C. A. Edgarton Company, has resigned her position to take effect the latter part of this week, and on November 27, will be united in marriage to Clarence Lohmes, employed in the weaving department of the same company. The ceremony will be performed at Ayer. The bride will be attended by her friend, Miss Jessie Love, and Reed Chesbrough, brother of the bride, will act as best man.

The Sunday school of the Congre-

of the bride, will act as best man.

The Sunday school of the Congregational church will hold a social in the church vestry on Monday evening. November 18, commencing at 7.30 o'clock. The affair of the evening is under the direction of the young ladies taught by Mrs. Alice L. Wright, generally known as the "Pansy class." The evening promises to be one of real pleasure for all who attend. Music, games and refreshments are some of the features provided for entertainment, and a little surprise is being planned by Elmer H. Alien, superintendent, for junior members of Graves, for a few days.

Mrs. Bedell has returned to the home of Miss Elsie Kirby for a short stay after spending a few days with friends in Lowell.

J. Robert Evans, who spent several days last week with his mother, Mrs. J. W. Evans, has returned to Bowdon college to resume his studies.

Smith & Little's grocery store is being fitted out with a new steel celling this week. The store has also been painted recently and presents a greatly improved appearance.

Mrs. Ruth A. Graves is a guest at the home of her son, Norman R. Graves, for a few days.

the Sunday school who have been cor the Sunday school who have been constant attendants at the regular church service in the auditorium every Sunday morning during the past year. This social is only for members and attendants of the Sunday school and those connected in a general way with the church work.

Saturday, November 9, the Shirley high school football team was defeated at the hands of an Ayer team by a score of 21 to 0. For the Shirley boys, Capt. Evans, H. Emerson and Wheeler displayed fine football. The lineup was as follows: G. Stanley Wells, le.; J. Peneseau, Ig.; R. Harris, it.; W. Weeks, c.; H. Emerson, rg.; W. Badstübner, rt.; L. Wells, re.; T. Evans, fb.; G. Emerson, lhb.; W. Wheeler, rhb.; K. Horton, qb.

### Pleasant Evening Planned.

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Ralph Sargent and Chester Hooper gave a good report on last Sunday at the session of the Congregational Sunday school conference held in Fitchburg on November 1, 2 and 3.

The members of Fredonian lodge, I. O. O. F., are planning a grand ball to be held in the near future.

Harriman Longley, with son Wadeleft Shirley again last week for Washington, D. C., where they will again take up their duties in the agricultural department.

Mrs. Alice L. Wright left town on last week Friday for a visit with relatives in Brattleboro, Vt., returning home on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Bonney, of North Shirley, have occupied the cottage house on Munson avenue, next to the residence of Mrs. Kate E.

The Shakespeare club held its first

Brotherhood Meeting.

The Brotherhood of the Congregational church held its regular monthly meeting on Tuesday evening in the church vestry, the president, Mr. Fowler, presiding. An oyster suppersupport was served at 6.30 o'clock under the direction of Oliver W. Balcom, chair man, William Cram, Frank Park, and Kenneth Horton. Mrs. Balcom, Mrs. Park and Miss Blood assisted in the preparation of the supper. Following the festive hour was an address by Frederick W. Krit, of Fitchburg, on the subject, "My trip to Panama and the West Indies." Mr. Krit started his address with his departure from New York city, and for nearly two hours interested his hearers admirably with his adventures Mr. Krit also exhibited among the members of some samples of sugar cane which he brought home with him from the Indies. The meeting was most enjoyable contenting and a very enjoyable evening was spent during the social part. Cocoa, fudge and light refreshments were served.

Charles Stickney, of West Townsend, Silas Nokes and W. Kemp, of Pepperell, have gone on a hunting trip to Pittsburg. N. H., which is nearly up to the Connecticut lakes. They are to stay about a week.

The high school will present the play, "Red Acre Farm," at Memorial hall on Thanksgiving night with the following cast of characters: Josiah Armstrong. Claude Hartford Col. Barnaby Strutt. Claude Fessenden Jonah Jones. Tom Rogers Squire Harcourt. Fred Stuart Dick Randail. Harcold Gray Amanda Armstrong. Mable Bliss Nelie Armstrong. Clarke Junior. Edna Temple Junior. Edna Temple Junior. Edna Temple Tom Busby Charles Howard Brotherhood Meeting.

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Invitations are out announcing the wedding of Miss Ruby Etta Felch, to Edwin Roy Smith, of Plainfield, N. J. The ceremony will be performed at the Felch homestead on Harvard road on Thursday evening, (Thanksgiving), November 28, by Rev. C. A. Knickerbocker, pastor of the Universalist church. A reception from eight to ten o'clock will follow the titying of the nuptial knot at 7.30.

The whist party held in St. Anthony's church was a splendid success, a goodly number beling present. The sum of \$35.45 was netted for the church. The following were the winners of prizes: Mrs. Phileas Bolger, Mrs. Everett Eisner, Mirs. Charles Glonet, Miss Mabel Pelote, Charles Chaisson.

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Gionet, Miss Mabel Pelote, Charles Chaisson, Alex Gionet, Alphy Heroux and Charles Chaisson.

The Altrurian club will hold its regular meeting on next Thursday afternoon at its clubrooms, the topic for the meeting being "Resources and government," by Mrs. Myra E. Ely and Mrs. Florence M. Ballou.

There will be a union Thanksgiving service in the Baptist church on Sunday evening, November 24, at 5.30 o'clock.

Rev. John Whitley, pastor of the Ayer Congregational church, will oc-

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Center, Mr. and Mrs. Rupert Graves, Manson

Miss Grace Carey, of Fitchburg, has been spending a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Merrick W.

Eight members of Shirley grange attended the meeting of Ayer grange on last week Thursday evening. They were Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Adams, Mr. and Mrs. George Buxton, Walter Woods, Norman R. Graves, Earl Graves and Ralph Graves.

Miss Hazel Storer, of Nashua, was a guest of Mrs. Homer P. Holden over Sunday.

Miss Hazel Cummings, of Fitchburg high school, spent Saturday and Sun-day with her parents, Mr. and Mrs Arthur R. Cummings.

The next meeting of the Girls' Sewing Guild of Trinity chapel will be held on Saturday afternoon, November 16, at the home of Mrs. M. W. Longley.

Rev. A. J. Rich, of Belmont, conducted the services at the First Parish church on Sunday morning.

Mrs. Bedell has returned to the home of Miss Elsle Kirby for a short

### TOWNSEND.

Miss Lizzie Whitcomb is visiting with her brother, Will Whitcomb, at Newtonville.

Three high school boys from Townsend entered the running race at the Interscholastic meet which was held at Worcester on last Saturday—Claude Hartford, James Keene and Franz Miller. About sixty or more participated in the races.

participated in the races.

The body of Mrs. George Battles was brought here for burial on last week Friday from Jamaica, Vt. Funeral services were also held at the Congregational church, Rev. A. L. Struthers officiating. Mrs. Mabel Brackett and Mrs. Annie Greenleaf sang "Nearer my God to thee," and "Abide with me." Mrs. Battles was formerly a resident of Townsend, the daughter of Henry Wyman. She leaves a husband and three children by a former marriage—George, Walter and Ella Jennerson.

Mrs. Melvin Davis enjoyed a visit

Mrs. Melvin Davis enjoyed a visit to Nashua, N. H., this week, where she was the guest of her brother, Henry Going.

Mrs. Jennie Wallace visited her aunt, Mrs. Wallace Smith, at Brookline, N. H., this week.

Mrs. A. W. Stickney is quite ill and as been seriously threatened with pneumonia.

Nillo Woods is able to be out once more after an attack of pneumonia.

Mrs. Ed. Hall, of Milford, N. H.,
was a recent guest at W. F. Rockwood's.

Miss Bessie McGuire, of Boston, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. McGuire.

Mrs. John Sears, of Rockport, was a guest at W. L. Bruce's this week. The E. A. Spaulding Rebekah lodge members had the Philharmonic orchestra at their meeting on last week Friday evening and a very enjoyable evening was spent during the social part. Cocoa, fudge and light refreshments were served.

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Whereas, a petition has been presented to said Court by Jennie A. Mr. and Mrs. Rupert Graves, Manson Graves, Mrs. Letitia Illsley and Mrs. Ruth A. Graves, of Boston, were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Norman R. Graves over Sunday.

Sented to said Court by Jennie A. Winch, of said Pepperell, to register and confirm her title in the following described land:

A certain parcel of land with the

A certain parcel of land with the buildings thereon, situate in said Pep perell, bounded southerly by Main Street and there measuring fifty one and two one hundredths (51.02) feet easterly by land of Mary J. Malt and there measuring one hundred sixty twenty two one hundredths (160.22) feet; northerly by land of James Dunn and there measuring eighty two and twenty six one hundredths (82.26) feet; westerly by land of James Dunn and Moses P. Palme and there measuring one hundred sixty five and twenty five one hundredths (165.25) feet.

The above described land is shown on a plan filed with said petition, and all boundary lines are claimed to be Miss Merle Crockett spent the all boundary lines are claimed to be week-end in Brookline at the home of located on the ground as shown on Rev. and Mrs. Howard A. Bridgman. said plan.

You are hereby-cited to appear at the Land Court to be held at Boston, in the County of Suffolk, on the sec ond day of December A. D. 1912, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the prayer of said petition should not be granted. And unless you appear a said Court at the time and place aforesaid your default will be recorded, and said petition will be taken as confessed, and you will be forever barred from contesting said petition or any decree entered thereon. Witness, Charles Thornton Davis

Esquire, Judge of said Court, this fifth day of November in the year nineteen hundred and twelve. Attest with Seal of said Court.

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Saturday, November 16, 1912.

### GROTON.

Although a veterinary was called, Frank D. Lewis' best horse died in great suffering Wednesday night. The animal was in use as usual Tuesday, but was taken sick suddenly. The doctor, who came several times, said he had two others ill the same way. The horse was worth three hundred dollars.

William T. Taylor and family are occupying their new house, sleeping there for the first time last Saturday night. His son, Herbert W. Taylor, and family have moved from Ayer and are living in the house vacated by his father's family.

Frank H. Palmer trapped a fine fox one day last week. He has also gotten a number of skunks, the skins now bringing high prices.

Miss Alice H. Ames is at Mrs. E. P. Leonard's on Main street for two or more weeks.

Rev. H. L. Packard of Littleton preached to an appreciative audience at the Congregational church last

The Boy Scouts met weekly for instruction. This week they met to learn from Mr. Clark, one afternoon, about flag signaling.

The Groton Improvement society met with Mrs. W. A. Brown on last Monday afternoon. Some reports were read and there was a large at-tendance of members at the pleasant

There is to be a union Thanksgiving service of the Unitarian, Congregational and Baptist churches on Sunday evening, November 24, at the Congregational church. Rev. P. H. Cressey, of the First Parish Unitarian will deliver the address. The choirs of the three churches will sing selections under the direction of Miss S. P. Hill.

The Village Improvement society meets next month with Miss Rich-ards.

P. J. Benedict is moving into the Dr. H. B. Priest house.

Miss Susan P. Hill will, by request, sing "A dream of paradise," at the Baptist church on Sunday.

The E. S. Clark Corps sent a box of fancy articles to the department fair held in Lorimer hall, Tremont Temple, Boston, during the present

week.

Dr. Samuel A. Green, librarian of the Massachusetts Historical society went to New York on Monday to attend the meeting of the Peabody Educational Fund, of which Dr. Green has long been a trustee. Dr. Green has been associated with the fund for about fifty years. He was accomfor about fifty years. He was accom-panied by his nurse, who has cared for him several months. Dr. Green has almost entirely recovered from

the accident of late last winter. Harry E. Nutting, who has his land under the name of Nutting Brothers, invites all deer hunters to hunt deer on any land signed by him during the week of November 18-23, and if the weather is dry to be careful

Born on Thursday, November 7, twin children, a son and a daughter, to Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Knights, of North Groton.

The Boy Scouts are not yet organized into a band, but have now twenty-six boys from twelve to sixteen years deeply interested in the movement and meeting weekly for talk and instruction as to requirements with Mr. Clark, of Lawrence academy.

John Lawrence, while cranking his automobile on last Saturday, broke a bone in the wrist of his right arm. The Book and Thimble club met on last week Friday afternoon with Mrs. Belcher. The next fortnightly meet-ing will be with Mrs. E. A. Barrows. Mrs. John Lawrence is in San Fran-

On last Saturday, Mrs. Ellen M. Needham closed her house and went to Groton Inn for the winter.

Mrs. M. J. Warner, who is accustomed to spend her winters at Groton Inn, begins her stay there on Thurs-day for the coming winter.

Miss Harriet Freeman, of Boston, who is well-known here, came to town recently and was a guest at Groton

Mrs. George Chase is at the Grotor hospital, going there for rest and care for a long or short stay, as may be

decided. Fred W. Partridge, expressman, of Marlboro, was one of those injured in the wreck at West Cambridge on the wreck at West Cambridge on Monday evening, when the Mariboro express plunged into a freight train, injuring twenty-three persons. F. W. Partridge had his side hurt and two ribs broken, besides being badly shaken up. He is the husband of Mrs. Nellio Trayne Partridge, formerly of Groton, and a frequent visitor here.

Albert P. Warren was operated on for appendicitis at the Groton hospital on Tuesday, and as far as we have heard, is doing well.

The two children of F. Winthrop Chase have the whooping cough.

Both Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Chase are experiencing illness from severe colds. The members of the Sacred Heart entertainment.

C. S. Griswold, of Groton School, was operated on Wednesday morning ing will follow. Music, Thayer's orat Groton hospital by Dr. Mixter, of Chestra. Ice cream and cake will be Boston, assisted by Dr. Kilbourn. It is reported a clear case of appendicities.

nervous trouble.

Everett C. Williams is having another of the painful attacks which have frequently given him trouble. Though not confined to his bed or room he is under the care of Dr. Kilbourn.

In a hard fought game of football on Tuesday afternoon at Newton,
Lawrence academy played a tie game,
6 to 6, with Allen school. Lane and
Achorn, the old Wakefield high stars;
Phil McInnis, formerly of Malden
high, and Berkemayer played best for
Lawrence academy.

Mrs. William Clark returned home this week from the Groton hospital and not at time previously reported.

### Folk Dancing.

Folk Dancing.

The boys and girls of the public school are looking forward with pleasant anticipations to the folk dancing which is thought of for their recreation and benefit. This folk dancing is much the vogue now and has been put into practice in many schools in the state. Exhibits of it have been given at educational institutions. It is said to be more of a physical culture exercise than dancing, and that it is not necessary to understand dancing to engage in this. Benjamin Lovett, who is known here, where in previous years he has had

learn from Mr. Clark, one afternoon, about flag signaling.

Miss Annie P. Riley was in town from Boston the other day. So far she is pleased with her work. She is located at the Hale house, so named from the late Rev. E. E. Hale. Miss Riley has in her room the desk which was Dr. Hale's.

There is to be no moving picture show next week on account of the Mose accoun

gathering was the presence of a new neighbor, Mrs. Cyrus Roberts, who was welcomed as a new member of the Brown Loaf club. It will be remembered that Mr. and Mrs. Roberts, coming from Portsmouth, N. H., bought the Olson place on the Boston road. They are pleased with their new home and the town. The next meeting of the club will be with Mrs. H. H. Gay in December.

Alliance Sociable.

The heavy downpour of rain on last week Thursday evening lessened by considerable the attendance at the Ladies' Alliance sociable. The tables were tastefully decorated with centerpieces of small yellow pumpkins on leaves of Swiss-chard and with apples and ears of corn made a very attractive color scheme of yellow, green and red. Ears of corn were also hung on the walls, giving further an autumnal look to the room. The entertainment was very good. The Misses Mary and Geraldine Lawrence, with their cousin, Miss Helen Peabody, as pianist, gave fine musical selections. Mrs. Shaw read pleasingly from the writings of her mother, Mrs. Laura E. Richards, and the farce was presented very successfully. Except for the weather conditions all was entirely satisfactory to the committees in the tharge and those who were present.

Obituary.

After five weeks' illness Miss Nellie

### Obituary.

The funeral services were held from the Sacred Heart church, Groton, Monday morning, November 11. Interment was in St. Mary's cemetery, Ayer. The bearers were John McCarthy, Andrew Kelly, Michael Denahy and William Denahy. She is survived by three brothers and one sister—John and Henry Fitzgerald of Groton and James Fitzgerald of Boston and Mrs. James Dunphy of Groton. She will be widely missed by all her friends and relatives. Her age was 56 years and 2 months. She was the daughter of the late James and Mary Fitzgerald, and was a native of Groton.

Groton.
The beautiful floral offerings were: The beautiful floral offerings were: Wreath of roses, violet ferns and galax leaves, John Fitzgerald; pillow, lilies-of-the-valley, Easter lilies and daistes, inscribed "Sister," Henry Fitzgerald; cross and crown of Easter lilles, roses, palms and carnations, studded with azalias, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Denhaby, sr., and family; spray of carnations and ferns, Mrs. C. A. Shaw; spray of yellow chrysanthemums and ferns, Mrs. E. G. Low; spray of yellow chrysanthemums and ferns, Miss Hannah Hallisey; spray of white carnations, violets and

### West Groton.

Mrs. Griswold and little daughter, of Bennington, N. H., have been quests this week of Mrs. E. P.

Mrs. C. R. Dudley entertained her mother, Mrs. C. L. Elliott, of Dan-vers, from Saturday until Wednesday; also, her sister, Mrs. J. A. Perry, who was accompanied by a little niece. Mr. Perry was an over Sunday guest.

George Gay was thrown from his sore wagon one day recently by the sudden place. Starting of the horse. His physician The was called, but his injuries have not evening een reported as serious.

A young man by the name of Noo nan sustained quite a severe injury by having his fingers caught in the ditter machines at the paper mill re-His wounds were dressed at Groton hospital.

A very interesting event which should have been chronicled last week, was unintentionally omitted. Young Robert Bixby had a birthday, better still, a party, to which his Sabbath school teacher and his class-mates and a number of other young friends were invited. Among the friends were invited. Among the guests was a lad, Provost Thompson, who also had a birthday, making the occasion doubly interesting. Among the gifts, Robert found a birthday cake with "Robert" inscribed upon its snow white surface. Various games were played, dainty refreshments were served, and altogether, a very enjoyable time was passed by the young host and his guests.

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ls reported a clear case of appendicitis.

The report that William P. Wharton had bought the Amory A. Lawrence place is now verified. The sale of the Amory A. Lawrence woodlot down by Nashua river, to Lawrence Brooks, is also a fact, papers having been passed in both sales.

Last Sunday a woman from Harvard, said to be one of Miss C. E. Sears' maids, was brought to Groton hospital. She is suffering from a nervous trouble.

In spite of the pouring rain sixteen were present. Mrs. Parker was welcomed to active membership. Miss Susie Hill favored the company with several songs which were greatly appreciated. Preparations are being made for a fair to be held on December 11 and 12. The next regular meeting will be held on Thursday, December 5, with Mrs. G. H. Bixby.

West Groton invalids are reported

West Groton invalids are reported as on the road to recovery. A six section henhouse is being erected on his premises by H. Spauld-

Mission Week Services.

The work of straightening the road on Harwood avenue a few rods from the Harwood barn toward Newtown has been given to Clarence Jackson. The Choral society met this week Friday to discuss work for the winter and to choose a leader.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard T. Barrows

were guests of Acton grange on Tuesday evening. tle dealers attended the auction sale of cattle by Benjamin Derby at Con-cord Junction on Monday.

Mrs. Grace E. Lawrence and Mrs. Annie C. Smith have been spending a few days in Boston this week.

Supt. Frank H. Hill and Charles A Kimball attended the Masonic ban-quet of Caleb Butler lodge in Ayer on Monday evening and report an excellent supper and good speaking by Herbert Fletcher, Rev. G. M. Howe and Samuel L. Taylor.

Charles Gallagher is attending the Commercial college in Waltham, and goes back and forth daily on the Alonzo V. Moore is visiting his

brother in Somerville.

Mrs. George Gardner and daughter, Mary V., of New Bedford, and Miss Mary Fletcher, of Newton, have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. Hart-well Whitcomb the last week. Miss Chapin, of Northampton, has been visiting Miss Lucy Houghton.

Mrs. Herbert L. Caulkins is entertaining her sister, Mrs. Christie, of Presque Isle, Me.

### About Town.

Mrs. Janet Jacobs is stopping ir omerville with her daughter, Mrs Frank Hartwell.

On last week Thursday, Mrs. Fair-field was scheduled to speak before the Woman's Alliance in Lexington, but on account of a cold and severe throat, Mr. Fairfield took her

The topic for the Guild on Sunday evening at 6.30 o'clock at the Uni-tarian church is "The life of St. Franthe leader will be Miss

be turned on by the first of next week. A service for the installation of the lights is being planned, probably for a vesper service on the first Sunday in December. Little Roger Woodbury is conva-

lescent and on pleasant days out-of-doors. He has been confined to the house for many weeks, and experienced a very serious illness.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Smith, in Hillsboro, N. H., on Tuesday afternoon, November 12.

### HARVARD.

News Items.

F. P. Abbot, with his sisters, who The members of the Sacred Heart church will hold an entertainment in town hall on Thursday evening, No-bers of Groton grange, under the ausvember 21. A dance will follow the pices of Squannacook lodge, I. O. O. entertainment.

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John Lee has purchased the so-called Addison Fairbanks farm of W. A. Fuller and will take possession at

Henry Dickson, with Miss N. H. Brooke, and Edwin W. Savage with Miss Evelyn Farnsworth, take an auto trip this Saturday to Cambridge to witness the Harvard-Dartmouth football game.

The Harvard male quartet, Messrs. Thayer, Cleaves, West and Turner, furnish part of the entertainment at Bolton on November 19, given by the local order of the W. C. T. U.

Waiter Archer stopped for a few minutes to speak to his friends on Tuesday. He was driving through with a limousine car owned by Boston parties, for whom he is working as chauffeur. He has a fine position and likes his place very much.

Mrs. Harriet Emma Whitney has a Japanese quince bush on her front lawn in partial bloom.

Mission Week Services.

The services of Home Mission week, referred to in the last issue of this paper, are as follows:
Sunday, November 17. Sermon in the morning by the pastor. Subject, of Our country's debt to Christ." At seven o'clock in the evening, "Units in making our country," conducted by the young people of the church.
Tuesday evening at 7.45. "The frontier and the island possessions": Alaska, Mrs. Isabel H. Wiggin; Hawaii, Mrs. Hezzie Spaulding; Porto Rico, Miss Ruth Lawrence; Panama, A. W. Lamb.
Wednesday evening at 7.45 o'clock. "The immigrants": Elilis Island, Mrs. Farnsworth on Thursday, November 21. At this meeting with Mrs. S. M. Farnsworth on Thursday, November 25. At this meeting reports will be handed in from the various church committees, including the annual fair.

Mrs. Abbie C. Sawyer suffered a severe shock on last Saturday evening at about eight o'clock. She is being cared for by a trained nurse and is improving every day. Unless new developments set in Mrs. Sawyer will be about in a few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren H. Fairbank at biographical sketch, Miss Ruth E. Bixby.

started on last Tuesday for a week's visit with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Barry at the Mohawk club at Schenectady, N. Y.

During the month of October our R. F. D. carrier, F. M. Hynes, carried out and in 14,450 pieces of mail, the total weight of which was 1845 pounds.

At the last meeting of Harvard chemical company, the committees for the annual ball and concert to for the annual ball and concert to be given on Thanksgiving night, reported for a concert to be given by the Salem Cadet orchestra, Jean Missud, leader. Among other numbers Nelson T. Bernier will give a cornet solo. A full report will be billed later. Dancing from nine to one o'clock. Make your plans to attend this affair and assist the firemen in making their annual concert and ball a success.

The lecture given Thursday evening by Reno Welbourn will be remembered by those who had the pleasure of hearing him as one of the very best that has ben given in the Warner that has ben given in the Warner course. Mr. Welbourn was highly in-teresting in his experiments and his manner of presenting his subject. The next lecture will be a reading, "The Merchant of Venice," by Marshall Darrach, November 29.

James Lee is working on apples up through New Hampshire for Harry F. Whitney, who has bought large lots there.

Work on the state road near the depot is progressing slowly. It looks now as though it would be well into the winter and possibly spring before it will be completed.

Harvard grange will have a cornexhibit at the next meeting November 19. Discussion: "Corn growing in Massachusetts." Judging the cornand awarding premiums. A full attendance is desired and patrons are requested to bring in their corn. Ten ears constitutes an exhibit.

Miss Hartshorn will hold a danc ing class at 7.30, followed by a dance ing class at 7.30, followed by a dance at 8.30 at the town hall on Thursday evening, November 21. Music, Miss Mildred Brennon of Lowell, violinist, and Miss Ethel Reid, pianist.

Congregational Notes.

Miss Annie Reed, chairman of the social committee of the Y. P. S. C. E. of the Congregational church, announces that plans are completed for a supper and entertainment at the town hall on the evening of Friday, November 22. Supper will be served in the lower hall at six and seven o'clock. The entertainment will consist in part of three short farces by A large number of Newtown catle dealers attended the auction sale
of cattle by Benjamin Derby at Conord Junction on Monday.

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other entertainment. Regular attendants at the Congregational Sunday school are familiar with the custom of annually remem-hering the Home for Little Wanderers in Boston at Thanksgiving time by guests for gifts of fruit, vegetables and money. This matter will be taken up at the sessions of the school on Sunday, Nowith as those interested will remember the present. those interested will remember the good work as usual, even if not able to be present at the Sunday school sessions. Any contribution of articles mentioned above, or clothing suitable for the children at the institution, if left with the pastor on or before Monday, November 25, will be forwarded at the proper time. at the proper time.

The Willing Workers of the Congregational Sunday school will meet in the church parlors on Saturday afternoon, November 16, at 2.30 o'clock. It is hoped that there will be a large number of the children present to take part in the work and

njoy the fun. Thanks to continued interest in the electric lighting proposition and gen-erous gifts to match that interest, it is now possible to announce that the wiring has been going on this week at the Congregational vestry, and is probably completed before this is in print. We feel sure there will be an extra large number in attendance on the first Sunday evening after the cur-rent is turned on.

The subject of the pastor's sermon at the Congregational church on Sun-day morning is to be "Concentric circles in christian interest and ser-Rachel Ireland.

The Unitarian church is being home elsewhere is cordially invited wired for electric lighting and it is to attend the morning service here as hoped that the lights will be ready to well as the Sunday school, which neets directly afterwards

The Y. P. S. C. E. hold their meeting at seven o'clock during the winter months.

### Still River.

Mrs. Fannie Haskell is at the Clinton hospital, where she underwent an operation on last week Friday. She doing as well as can be expected. Mrs. Carl Haskell and two children nade a few days' visit with her broth-

of the Ornithological society in Shrewsbury on last Saturday after-

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### BOXBOROUGH.

Rev. and Mrs. F. S. Viets went to Providence on last Saturday to see Miss Waterman. They found her comfortable, but will have to stay at the hospital for several weeks. Mrs. Viets attended the meeting of the Woman's Board of Missions at Andover

this week. On November 14, the roses are still On November 14, the roses are star blooming and pear trees blossoming. Mrs. Walker and Mrs. Rice are giving Gen. Jacks to their friends from their gardens. C. B. Robbins picked pink roses and the children found violets on the hillsides.

Grange.

On last week Friday evening the ladies of the grange gave the first of the competitive entertainments be-Mrs. Carl Haskell and two children made a few days' visit with her brother recently.

Where are the electric lights that were to be here long ago?

Warren Harrod attended a meeting of the Ornithological society in Shrewsbury on last Saturday afternoon.

Watch out for Mrs. Adeliza Turner's Christmas sale of fancy work on or about December 10-12.

Helen Stone and Eleanor Haskell were guests of Mrs. Rachel McMullen in Worcester a couple of days this week.

Wednesday, the King's Daughters, of Harvard and Still River, were the guests for the day of Mrs. Howard D. Stone, Much work was accomplished and business transacted. Mrs. Stone, with assistants, served a bountiful lunch to the nineteen members present.

Bertha Richardson; Marion Viets gave a monologue in five acts, entitled "The elixir of life," which was fine and called forth much applause. The ertainment concluded with the farce "Zerubbabel's second wife," given by Mrs. Cunningham, Mrs. Robbins and to the next mace now looking forward to the next meeting, when the gentlemen will have an opportunity to air their many accomplishments.

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News Items.

At the meeting of the West Acton Woman's club on Monday afternoon, Mrs. E. C. Page, of South Acton, read a very interesting paper on her work among the negroes in the south. Before her marriage Mrs. Page was a teacher in the model school at Hampton university. Music was furnished by the club choir.

Mrs. Willis Gooch and two daughters are visiting in Assinippl.

Charles Dudley has sold his farm to a Mr. Willis from Springfield. Mr. Dudley will live in the house which he recently bought in West Acton.

Augustine Wetherbee is out again after an enforced vacation of four weeks. He suffered from blood poisoning, resulting from brown-tails and ivy, the combination causing a serious condition and great discomfort.

Rev. and Mrs. F. S. Viets went to Providence on last Saturday to see Disease Germs Traced.

### Harvard, who handled the cases so successfully. HOLLIS, N. H.

Current Events.

John McGuire, who drives the Cassidy meat cart from Milford, was on the route again Thursday. He and a friend left about a month ago for Tampa, Fla., to spend the winter, but they did not like the climate and board, and returned home as soon as they could. Mr. McGuire says that clothing taken off at night, if left near a window, is so damp that it is not a window, is so damp that it is not comfortable to put on in the morning. He says the days are very warm there and real damp nights, and also reports that the water does not seem as good as it does in these parts.

William W. Worcester and Harold E. Hardy were in Portland this week attending a fruit show where some of Charles E. Hardy's apples were on exhibition.

Have you seen the rugs in M. L. Richards' windows? They are surely Richards' windows? They are surely worth the price and many of them have found places in Hollis homes ONE DOLLAR AND FIFTY CENTS PER YEAR IN ADVANCE

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### AYER.

### News Items.

Georgianna, youngest daughter of Carl Girard, was operated up for appendicitis on Tuesday night at the home of her parents in Centralville by Drs. Priest, Hopkins and Bulkeley. She is doing nicely in the care of an excellent nurse.

Mrs. Frank Whitcher and Miss Pearl Carley attended the chrysan-themum show at Hortfcultural hall, Boston, on last week Friday, and were much pleased with the floral display. A regular convocation of Bancroft Royal Arch chapter will be held on

Tuesday evening, November 19. Work

—Past Master and Most Excellent
Master degrees. Mrs. Maria N. Bruce, sister of the Misses Tuten, died on November 3, at the home of her son, John A. Bruce, Milford, N. H. Mrs. Bruce will be pleasantly remembered by the ac-quaintances she made when visiting in Ayer during the past few years.

There will be a union Thanksgiving meeting in the M. E. church on Sunday evening, November 24. Rev. John Whitley, of the Congregational church, will preach. Arrangements are being made for special music for the occasion.

Those who have occasion to the highway between Ayer and Shirthe highway between Ayer and Shir-ley are patiently awaiting the con-struction of the new bridge at Mitch-ellville, for which the abutments were prepared some time ago. The delay is caused by the non-arrival of the steel bridge which has been ordered several weeks ago.

several weeks ago.

On Monday evening, Herbert E. Fletcher of Westford, district deputy grand master of the twelfth Masonic district, and suite, made a visit of inspection to Caleb Butler lodge, at which about seventy-five brothers were present. The supper preceded the lodge exercises and was provided by Caterer Bigelow. The deputy was accompanied as members of his suite by Wm. Jones as marshal, Lawrence Morgan as grand warden, Geo. F. Howes as grand treasurer and Dexter G. Morrill as grand secretary. Brothers were also present from Concord, Fitchburg and Lowell. At this meeting the present master, Warren L. Preble, was presented with a past master's diploma for meritorious services during the term of his office.

At the Baptist church on Sunday morning at 10.45, the pastor will preach on "God's cure for the blues." Sunday school at twelve. Song service at seven in the evening with a short Howard Pillman moved into his new quarters last Saturday, formerly

it of Mr. Stone some time ago.

Rev. A. A. Bronsdon, or the Congregational church, Shirley will exchange with Rev. John Whitley, of the Congregational church here, on Sunday morning, November 17. Services at 10.45

Feathered game are plenty this season, especially pheasants. On Tuesday of this week, a beautiful pheasant was seen about the highways and in the yards of some of the houses on upper Washington street.

Bot Homony is laid up and up

very much. A recount of the votes for councillor in the sixth district, state treasurer, auditor and attorney general at the recent election was held in the the recent election was held in the selectmen's room by the board of registrars of voters on Monday evening. The only difference was in the votes for Sevens and data for state for Stevens, candidate for state treasurer, and Hunter the progres-sive candidate for councillor, both of whom gained one.

A regular communication of St. Paul lodge will be held on Monday afternoon. November 18, at one o'clock, at which time dinner will be served in the banquet hall. Herbert E. Fletcher, of Westford, district deputy grand master for the twelfth Masonic district, with his suite, will make his official visitation. Work—Master Mason degree.

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Master Mason degree.

Fred Partridge, a former employee of the National Express Company here and now running as an express messenger between Mariboro and Boston, was injured in the wreck at West Cambridge on Monday night. His injuries are not serious. Herbert J. Bowers, of Mariboro, was the conductor of the wrecked train and escaped injury. Mr. Bowers is very well-known here, especially among railroad men, and is a brother of our former townsman. George G. Bowers, who has been for many years a conductor on the Worcester, Nashua and Portland division. Portland division.

Superintendent of moths and tree warden, D. W. Mason, reports an immense number of gypsy moth nests in the Sandy pond district and Pingreyville. There are comparatively few nests found in the thickly settled part of the town.

The Taylor house has been leased to Frank Ford, formerly of Pepperell, who expects to take possession in the

The Taylor nouse has been leased to Frank Ford, formerly of Pepperell, who expects to take possession in the near future.

A change for the better is being made at the town park under the direction of the park commissioners. A number of dead trees have been cut down on the south and west sides of the park has been widened. The farge tree in the center of the park has been widened. The former being at the entrance has been removed. The flarge tree in the center of the park has been cut away, which was convenient for teams and evhicles to get in and out withmake it more convenient for teams and evhicles to get in and out withmake it more convenient for teams and the playground larger than formerly.

And the car examined. An outside tire was found, but Mr. Proctor could into was found, but Mr. Proctor could the was found, but Mr. Proctor could fine was found, but Mr. Proctor could the was found, but Mr. Proctor could the was found, but Mr. Proctor could fine was found, but Mr. D

A sale, supper and dance under the auspices of Ida McKinley chapter, O. E. S. will be held in Page hall on Tuesday afternoon and evening, November 19. Doors open at four o'clock. Afternoon admission free. Supper on European plan from 5.30 to seven.

The next meeting of the Ayer Wo-man's club on Wednesday afternoon. November 20, will be in charge of Mrs. Mary L. Hutchins, chairman of the civics department. At 3.30 Guy Ayrault of the Groton School will speak on "The civic work in the Phil-ippines." The meeting will be open to the public. to the public.

The Helping Hand of the M. E. church will serve a baked bean supper in the church vestry Wednesday evening, November 20, from six to eight o'clock.

At the Y. P. R. U. meeting next Sunday evening at six the leader will be Miss Margaret Hume and the pro-

gram will be a musicale. Mrs. Susan M. Barker attended a meeting of the Education committee of the State Federation in Boston on Thursday morning.

The Unitarian Social Gathering served a fine supper Tuesday night in the church vestry. The committee in charge was Mrs. Lois E. Porter, Mrs. Albert C. Perkins, Mrs. E. G. Duncklee and Miss Hattie Whitcomb.

.The seventh lecture in the course by Dr. Evangeline Young was held Thursday evening and was very well

attended.

At the meeting of the Y. P. R. U. last Sunday evening Miss Rebecca. Pierce was leader and Miss Mona Kittendge planist. The program was given by the Woman's Alliance and included a selection by the quartet, Mrs. Carrie Bigelow, Mrs. Clara Burns, Mrs. Nellie Kittredge and Mrs. Arthur Fenner, with Mrs. Avis Fisher accompanist, a vocal solo by Mrs. Daisy Blokford and a paper, "The work of the Alliance," by Mrs. Alice Butterfield.

These members of the Woman's club attended the meeting of the State Federation at Warren on Monday: Mrs. Clara F. Hill, Mrs. Nina H. Beverly and Mrs. Susan M. Barker. The afternoon speaker was Woods-Hutchinson. Another attraction was the exhibit of the apparatus used in the Montessori system of child training.

Montessori system of child training.

The concert given Monday night in Page hall by the Barleben trio was well attended by an interested and delighted audience. The program opened and closed with selections by the trio—Karl Barleben, violinist; Johannes Warnke, violoncellist; J. Albert Baumgartner, pianist. There were solos by the violinist and violoncellist, and the instrumental part was very acceptably varied with songs by

at seven in the evening with a short sermon on "Which kind of religion?"

Howard Pillman moved into his new quarters last Saturday, formerly the home of Silas N. Stone. He purchased it of E. J. Vladish, who bought it of Mr. Stone some time ago.

Those interested in the lectures of Dr. Evangeline Young will note the change of time for the last lecture, which will begin on Wednesday evening, November 20, at 7.30 in the Congregational vestry.

to of Mr. Stone some time ago.

The members of Robert Burns lodge, I. O. O. F., are invited to visit Apollo lodge, of Fitchburg, on Wednesday evening, November 20. The other lodges invited are Groton lodge, of Groton, Beacon lodge, of Pepperell, and Fredonian lodge, of Shirley. A special train will be run from Pepperell to Ayer, and from Ayer to Fitchburg, and will return with the visiting members after the entertainment of the evening. It is anticipated that a number from the lodge here will attend.

Rev. A. A. Bronsdon, of the Congregational church, Shirley will exchange with Rey Lohn Whitley of the Sons of Veterans. Both speakers with Rey Lohn Whitley of the Sons of Veterans. Both speakers held the close attention of the close attention at the close attention at the close attention at the c

Bert Hemenway is laid up and unable to perform his duties at the office of the National Express Company blood poison in his knee.

James J. O'Brien attended a meeting of the cattle inspectors of this district at the Bay State hotel, Wordstrict at the Bay State hotel, Wordstrict and Wadnesday.

India, November 23, at three o clock. The twenty-fifth anniversary of the institution of Easter lodge, N. E. O. P., was observed at the regular meeting on Tuesday evening. A supper was served which was followed by an enjoyable literary and musical entertailment. One candidate was initiated.

cester, on Wednesday.

Dr. William N. Cowles, who left here last May for Cataumet, was in the siderably damaged and a freight car town last Saturday and was greeted tipped over in the railroad yard on by his many friends. The doctor looks well and says he likes his new home very much.

A locomotive was derailed and considerably damaged and a freight car tipped over in the railroad yard on last Saturday night as a result of the well and says he likes his new home candidate was initiated. cal wrecking crew was busy for several hours clearing the tracks.

Herbert G. Taylor, who has been a resident of Ayer for a couple of years, has moved to Groton.

Ten of the local Greeks left last Saturday to join the Greek army in its war against the Turks.

John F. Curran, the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Curran, died on Wednesday of meningitis, aged 10 months and 11 days. The funeral

The carriage shed near the Union house is being enlarged to give more room for the teams of George S. Poulius & Co., who leases the build-

Ayer A. A. casily defeated the Shirley high school football team at the town park on last Saturday afternoon by a score of 28 to 0. The feature of the game, outside of Joseph Hurley's playing for Ayer A. A., was the case with which the local team made their score.

on the head and an injury to the hip. He was laid up for a few days.

The marriage of Miss Elizabeth Susan Webber, daughter of Mrs. Rebecca Webber, of Ayer, and Joseph Ezra Sargent, took place in Providence, R. I., on Thursday, November 7. The ceremony was performed, by Rev. J. F. Visher, pastor of the First Baptist church of that city. Miss Sadie Herrick, of Waltham, an intimate friend of the bride, was bridesmaid, and Milton Depois, of Providence, was groomsman. The bride is a well-known young lady of this town. The groom and his mother, Mrs. Olive Sargent, spent the summer months at the Bishop farm here. Mr. and Mrs. Sargent will make their home in Providence.

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Charles W. Kinney, son of C. H. Kinney, station agent, left on Friday night of this week for Alberta, Canada, where he intends to remain per-

Ayer grange will neighbor with Wachusett grange, Leominster Center, 22-1424 avaning. November 22. on Friday evening, November 22. Shirley and Ayer granges are to supply the entertainment for the evening. If enough members from the evening. If enough members from here show their willingness to attend, it is the plan of Mr. Robbins, master of Ayer grange, to arrange to have a special car for transportation.

The foundation was put in on Wednesday for the new transformers at the Ayer electric light plant.

There will be an entertainment and social in aid of St. Mary's parish in Page hall on Thursday evening. November 21. Letters remaining uncalled for at the Ayer postoffice for the week ending November 11: Fred A. Beals, Mrs. An-drew McGovern, H. E. Works.

Captured.

After the arrest of the woman, the

from Mr. Proctor's garage. The other was found later. Capt. Sullivan, of Police Station 2. Hurley's playing for Ayer A. A., was made their score.

The Chandler Planer Company shipped one planer last week and have orders for two more to be delivered by January 1.

The ladies of the Sandy Pond School association served another of their splendid suppers at the school building at the Willows on Thursday evening. The very stormy weather kept many away who otherwise would have been there.

John F. McDevitt, clerk at the railroad station, leaves here on Friday. November 29, for Washington, D. C., where he has secured a position in the government service.

Mrs. William U. Sherwin under-

former well-known resident of Ayer, was in town on Friday.

Rev. Paul M. Hillman, pastor of the M. E. church, who underwent an operation for appendicitis at the Deaconess hospital, Boston, a short time ago, has so far recovered as to leave the hospital and is now staying at the flow of an aunt in Dorchester. Mr. Hillman expects to resume his duties here about December I.

Andrew Burke, son of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Burke, was taken to the Emergency hospital, Nashua, N. H., by Dr. Sullivan on Thursday, where he was operated upon for appendicitis.

James Ryan, an employee in the upper railroad yard, was struck with great force by a locomotive near the engine house early Thursday morning and thrown to one side of the track. Strange to say he was only slightly injured. Dr. Sullivan attended him.

Paul Hamel, a brakeman in the realroad yard, fell from a car on last Saturday night and sustained a cut on the head and an injury to the hip. Sunan Webber, daughter of Mrs. Rev. Susan Weber, daughter of Mrs. Rev. Susan We

cent raid and at other times occupied a conspicuous place on the witness stand and some of the witnesse readily qualified as judges of the various samples placed before them.

The evident rejuctance of the witnesses to give testimony prolonged the case to a greater extent than usual, the cases taking up nearly all the forenoon session. After the evidence had been given and the coursel beard. the cases taking up nearly all the forenoon session. After the evidence had been given and the counsel heard, Judge Atwood gave a summary of the evidence, concluding by finding Shattuck not guilty of the offense alleged against him. The case against Munroe was placed on file.

John M. Maloney ably handled the case for the town of Groton, and Francis G. Hayes, of Pepperell, for the defendants.

Louis R. Miller of Greton, approach

Miss Carley, of Chelsea, is again the very acceptable singer at the moving picture entertainment in Page hall on Saturday evening. The films for this night's moving pictures have been selected and will be equal to any heretofore given.

Seven more Greeks left on the Bar Harbor train Thursday night for New York, where they take a steamer for Athens, and will there leave for the seat of war. This makes nearly forty who have left here and some of those who have left heretofore are in the front ranks fighting the Turks.

George Poulius & Company have just received another carload of White Mountain Maine potatoes. This enterprising firm have thus far secured nearly 4000 bushels, for which they find there is a great demand for them.

Charles W Kinney con of C. H.

Louis R. Miller, of Groton, appearance on Tuesday morning on a charge of Tuesday morning on a charg

Marcus H. Kimball, of Townsend, pleaded not guilty to a complaint of assault with intent to commit a serious offense. He was found guilty of the charge on Wednesday morning and sentenced to the house of correction at East Cambridge for two years.

mently.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Leavitt, Mrs.
Lois Leavitt and Mrs. William Brown attended the funeral of Leonard Leavitt at Acton on this week Friday afternoon. The deceased was a nephew of Mr. Leavitt and formerly lived in Ayer. He had been in poor health for a long time before his death.

The two-story house of Fred W. Hosmer on the corner of High street and Norwood avenue, is nearly all boarded in and he expects to have it completed before the new year, or soon after, if he gets a move on. It is in an elevated position and the surroundings are truly rural.

Ayer grange will neighbor with Wachusett grange, Leominster Center, on Friday evening. November 22.

James D. Ady, of Holyoke, pleaded not guilty to a charge of vagrancy on Friday morning. He told a good story about himself and was found not guilty and discharged.

A Rare Find.

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On Friday, November 8, George R. Downing, while removing some top soil at Pine Meadow farm, found a large Indian arrow head, or as it is called by some, a small spear head. It is made from flint and is about three inches in length and one and one-quarter inches at its greatest width. Later in the day, Edward A. Richardson, in looking over the nearby ground, found in the bank another smaller arrow head chipped out of quartz.

In the arrest of Richard Gaskell, alias John Richards, fifty-seven years of age, at Boston this week, the police of that city and Chief Beatty, of Ayer, believe that one of the greatest criminal captures in many years has been made. On the night of Novem-

Ayer was long a part.

After the arrest of the woman, the officer went to her room to see if he could find any other stolen property there, and in so doing, found one of the Swinehart tires that was taken from Mr. Proctor's garage. The other was found later.

Capt. Sullivan, of Police Station 2. Boston, called up Mr. Proctor by telephone and told him of the find. As a result, Mf. Proctor and Chief Beatty went to Boston on Wednesday.

Gas-

George H. Newton, of Beverly, a former well-known resident of Ayer, was in town on Friday.

Rev. Paul M. Hillman, pastor of the M. E. church, who underwent an operation for appendicitis at the Deaconess hospital, Boston, a short time ago, has so far recovered as to leave the hospital and is now staying at the former of the liquor law, and Edward evening.

Age of the reading by singing a beautiful song repeating the story.

The capture of Gaskell was a high-ly creditable piece of work in which was the presence of Mrs. A. O. Brown, who added much to the enjoyment of the social hour by a talk on the German methods of protecting the birds. Refreshments were served and tion of the liquor law, and Edward evening.

List of Flowers. Below is a list of the flowers at the funeral of the late Capt. George V.

funeral of the late Capt. George V. Barrett:

Maltese cross, Jerusalem Commandery; wreath of red roses, Boston Customs Inspection association; wreath, ship news reporters of the Boston newspapers; pillow, Robert Burns lodge; wreath, violets and roses, G. A. Longley and sisters; wreath, C. E. Morrison; sprays of white chrysanthemums, Mr. and Mrs. William H. White; Mrs. John Olmstead; Mrs. Francis A. White; Mrs. George G. Osgood, George L. Osgood and Mrs. Eugene Barry; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Keith; Rev. and Mrs. E. H. Brenan; sprays of red roses, Edmund Longley; Miss Mary B. Johnson; sprays of pink carnations, Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Dickerman and family; Mrs. E. W. Whitaker and family; sprays of pink chrysanthemums. Sons of Veterans; Mrs. Helen E. Hartwell; Mrs. E. O. Harlow and sons; Mrs. Clark S. Symonds, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Spencer and Mrs. George J. Ewing; violets, Mr. and Mrs. George J. Ewing; violets, Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Murphy; sprays of yellow roses and white pinks, Mr. and Mrs. Burdett and Miss Clough, Mrs. Burdett and Miss Abble C. Johnson; spray of snapdragons and violets, Mrs. George H. Hill; spray of white pinks and heliotrope, E. D. Stone and family.

St. Andrew's Notes.

The annual meeting of St. Andrew's parish in Ayer and Groton was held at Mr. Gardner's Pleasure Dome at at Mr. Gardner's Pleasure Dome at the Groton School on last week Friday evening. A service at the chapel preceded the meeting. These officers and delegates were chosen: George A. Sanderson, Ayer, s. w.; E. H. Higley, Groton, j. w.; Berton Williams, Ayer, treas.; C. S. Griswold, Groton, clerk; vestry men, W. A. Gardner, Groton, D. C. Parsons, Shirley, William Burnett, Westford, G. A. Cook, Littleton, Austin Peters, Harvard; Messrs. Higley, Sanderson and Gardner, delegates to diocesan convention; Miles Collins, of Littleton, Hugh Ferguson, of Westford and Edward James, of Ayer, ford and Edward James, of Ayer, delegates to arch deaconry. After the meeting refreshments were served by Mesdames Peabody, Griswold and Kearney.

St. Andrew's Guild will meet in the parish rooms on next Tuesday afternoon at three o'clock.

At St. Andrew's church on Sunday, the Sunday school will be held at ten o'clock in the morning. The regular service with sermon will commence at 10.45.

### TOWNSEND.

Center. Center.

Musical night was observed at the grange this week Monday evening and the affair was in charge of Prof. A. G. Seaver, who had a very pleasing program prepared which was as follows: Song, grange; harmonica solo, Frank Woods; song, Mrs. Mabel Brackett; current events, W. H. Scales; song, Mrs. Annie Greenleaf; plano solo, A. G. Seaver; quartet, Mrs. Mabel Brackett, Mrs. Margaret Higgins, Mrs. Annie Greenleaf and Mrs. Clara Heselton; remarks upon the gins, Mrs. Annie Greeniear and Mrs. Clara Heselton; remarks upon the election at New York, T. E. Flarity. At the next meeting the first and second degrees will be conferred upon candidates.

Mrs. Daniel Spofford recently visited Fred Ross and family at Attleboro.
Gliman Conant and N. G. Proctor spent the week-end with friends in Framingham.

Mrs. Farnham has moved to the Harbor, where she will make it her home with her daughter, Mrs. Hager. After a two weeks' visit at this village Thomas Foley has returned to Revere.

Mr. and Mrs. Mann were recent guests at Mr. Hager's.

I lice of that city and Chief Beatity of Ayer, believe that one of the greatest criminal captures in many years has been made. On the night of November 5, the garage of E. O. Proctor in this town was entered and fount automobile tires and several inner tubes and a quantity of gasolene were taken. Mr. Proctor, as soon as he discovered his loss, reported the matter to Chief Beatty, who at once notified the police departments of various out for the third was the first of the firm in Boston for the number of the tires and this means of identification of the missing property was erfectively used when the tires were found, among the police departments notified was the one in Boston, and the state police were also assigned to the case.

The arrest of Gaskell, the suspect, came about in an unusual way. A woman, who gave her name as Mary with Gaskell, who is supposed to be her confederate in her thieving adventures.

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### Items of Interest.

At Wellington, a little town of seven thousand inhabitants in the west of England, over five thousand tramps had to be accommodated last

The railroads of India have recently adopted a standard time, which is five and a half hours ahead of Greenwich.

A London cabman has provided against possible accidents by inventing an automobile that can be used as such or drawn by a horse.

Only about one pineapple in every twenty thousand has seeds in it and it is from these seeds that new varieties are produced. Five hundred thousand persons are employed in basket making in Germany, the wages ranging from four dollars to ten dollars weekly for

skilled persons. Lake Morat, Switzerland, has the curious property of turning red every tenth year, owing to the presence of certain water plants, which are not found in any other lake in the world.

AUCTIONS.

Otis H. Forbush, auctioneer will sell by public auction, seventy-five head of choice milch cows and close springers, yearling heifers, bulls, etc., belonging to James B. Johnson, Southboro. The sale will be held on Monday morning, November 18, at ten o'clock.

There will be an administrator's sale of personal property in Brookline, N. H., Saturday, November 16, at one o'clock p. m., at the residence of the late John W. Porter. O. D. Fessenden, auctioneer. AUCTIONS.

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### HOLLIS, N. H.

C. Fred Mead, who resided in this C. Fred Mead, who resided in this town a few years ago, has received a promotion on the Changuinola railroad. Changuinola is in the Republic of Panama. Mr. Mead takes charge of all engines and enginemen, there being 170 of them. He examines and promotes all engineers and firemen, instructs what repairs are to be made, sees to all water tanks and engines. sees to all water tanks and engines, is assistant superintendent of motor power. He is supplied with a motor car to carry him to different places on the road. This promotion which he has received, also increases his salary

Miss Elizabeth Dudley, of Reed's Ferry, was a guest of Miss Ruth Haz-ard last week, and attended the high school entertainment.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter A. Lund left town on Saturday for Nashua, where they will spend the winter. Miss Lena Ladd spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George A. Ladd.

Matthew Jameson was confined to the house all last week with an at-tack of lumbago. He is now on the gain and able to be about more.

George and Emma Van Dyke left town on last week Friday. They are to spend a short time visiting relatives and then will start for Florida to spend the winter. Mr. and Mrs. Al-bert Wetmore will take care of the Van Dyke farm while they are away. Herman Stickney has a new wood-

week
F. A. Jones and family, of Chelsea,
Mass., were in town on last Sunday in
an auto.

None of Christ. All
Fred Farnsworth is shipping a large lot of cranberries to the city
markets.

George Documents

Men are at work cutting out heads

Men are at work cutting out needs at Worcester Bros.' saw mill.

The W. R. C. held their regular meeting at Grange hall on Tuesday afternoon. It was voted by the ladies present to omit the next meeting. which comes the Tuesday before Thanksgiving. The ladies are gen-erally so busy at that time that it was probable there would not be a

George Van Dyke and his sister Miss Emma Van Dyke, left town last week Friday to start for Florida for their winter sojourn. They spent Fri-day with friends in Manchester and commenced their journey south Sat-

Rev. Mr. Dyke, formerly of New York, occupied the pulpit on last Sunday forenoon and evening. Mr. Dyke is recovering from a nervous breakdown of two years, Only recently he resumed preaching. He is located in Newtonville, Mass., at present.

The High school gave a supper and short entertainment, followed by a dance Friday evening in the town hall. There was a goodly number present and all had a very enjoyable time. The supper was all that could be desired.

Mrs. Walter Parker and Miss Eliza Jane Parker have closed their sum-mer home. "Four Pines," and return-ed to Lowell for the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Swett, from Dedham, Mass., are the guests of Mrs. Nellie Swett.

Mrs. George Cady was a visitor in Boston on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Lawrence have closed their summer home, "Hill-crest," and returned to Boston.

Miss Exzilda Quilette has gone to spend the winter with Mrs. Walter Parker at Lowell. Mr. and Mrs. Horace Nichols, from

Brookline, Mass., have been in town for a few days.

Mrs. John Hardy has gone to Low-ell for the winter.

### BROOKLINE, N. H.

Current Events.

Fred Wadleigh, George Worcester, Charles Emerson and Mr. Mallalieu, of Milford, and George Blood, of Pepperell, were guests in town this week.

Herbert French, of Milford, George Hobart, of Manchester, Frank Jen-ness, of Boston, and Thomas Story, of Harvard, Mass, were at home to vote on election day.

The two-act drama, "Mr. Bob," was given at Tarbell's hall on last week Whitney at the town farm caused Friday evening and attracted quite some excitement at the railroad sta-Friday evening an a good attendance.

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It is quite unusual for Brookline to furnish a hospital with three patients at one time. There are at present three at St. Joseph's hospital, Nashua—Mrs. James Hill, Mrs. Joseph Dodge and Master Wilfred Oulette. Mrs. Elia Rockwood is with Mrs. Susic Truell on Townsend hill for a

Mrs. Lucilia Peabody and Mrs. Belle Fessenden have been on the

Forace Hall, who is laid up with a broken leg, is gaining.

It was currently reported that Brookline had voted for license last week, but the rumor was unfounded, as the vote was: No 54, Yes 42.

The check list contained 132 vot-

Wilfred Bouchard, James Hill and Mrs. Edward Farnsworth were at Nashua on last Saturday.

The Loyal Workers met on Wed nesday afternoon of last week with Miss Josephine Seaver and Mrs. Hattie Stiles. Sixteen were present and a pleasant meeting was enjoyed.

The Ladies' Ald society met on Wednesday at the Congregational church parlors. An all-day session sewing for the little children whose mothers are at the hospital was entered.

John Kline and brother, Morton Kline, of Fitchburg, have been recent

George Dodge recently visited his daughter Mildred, who is at Keene, attending school. She was also remembered by Brookline friends with a shower of postcards on her birthday anniversary.

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Quite a number of people are gathering laurel and making wreaths for the holidays.

Little Esther Martin celebrated her

### TOWNSEND.

West.

Andrew Cavanaugh and Miss Roxy Bennett, from Worcester, enjoyed an auto trip to the home of Miss Ben-nett's brother, Walter Bennett, last Sunday.

Mrs. G. E. Walker and little daugh-ter Una have returned from a few days' visit to relatives in Waltham.

A series of dances will be given in Seminary hall, commencing on Friday evening. Music will be furnished by Robinson's orchestra, of Fitchburg.

burg.

A series of volumes of literature for young people has been added to the shelves of the reading-room for distribution under the regular rules. They comprise ten volumes under the following subjects: Folk stories and fables, poems and rhythms, myths from many lands, stories from the classics, legendary heroes, stories and poems, stories from modern writers, the out-of-door book and adventures and achievements.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard, of Melrose, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles R. Morgan over Sunday. Frank Cover and an automobile party from Lowell visited relatives

here on Sunday. \*Miss Lena Thompson, of Fitchburg, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Thompson.

Mrs. Bishop, of Reedsboro, Vt., is at the home of Rev. and Mrs. R. S. Cook for the present, owing to the severe illness of Mr. Cook.

Mrs. G. A. Seaver returned on Thursday evening of last week from a week's visit to relatives in Dorchester.

Ivers P. Sherwin has returned from his hunting trip to Maine, having shot a couple of deer.

Mr. Dwinell, who has been spending a few weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Reed, has returned to his home in Lyndonville, Vt.

Fred Smith has been confined to his home for the past week by illness, but at last reports was much im-

some excitement at the railroad station on last Saturday morning by taking a sudden start for home while Mr. Whitney was loading the milk onto the platform. The occupant of the buggy, Frank Martin, from the farm, was thrown out but not injured. After a run around the nearby cooper shop the horse cleared himself from the buggy and ran as far as the corner at the stores, where he was captured and returned to his owner. No one was hurt, but the buggy was badly damaged.

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lew Hampshire. Mrs. Luther Blood has closed her Mrs. Luther Blood has closed her tenement in the Manning house and is in Boston for a few weeks, having been called to Charlestown to attend the funeral of her nephew. Warren

Hand Horses

Mrs. Neals, from Derry, N. H., made a brief visit to relatives in the village this week.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Leroy Shapleigh, from Cambridge, with their infant daughter Clara, were in town a few days the last of the week.

Brotherhood Banquet.

a pleasant meeting was enjoyed.
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Nathaniel Hobart, aged ninety years, and his brother, George W. L. Hobart, eighty-eight years, were among those who cast their votes last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Lawrence, among those who cast their votes last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Lawrence, Mrs. Eliza J. Parker and Mrs. Walter Parker closed their summer homes here and have returned to their city homes.

The Loyal Workers wish to express their appreciation to Mrs. George Brackett and daughter Adelaide Weil, of Townsend, for their able assistance: the decorators who did such fine work at the hall, and to everyone who assisted in any way at the fair held on November 1.

R, J. Wolcott, the district superintendent of the New Hampshire Conference, preached at the Methodist church on last Sunday morning and evening. Communion services were held directly after the morning service. Miss J. Seaver and Mrs. Hattie Stiles entertained Mr. Wolcott and Rev. Norton Beard over Sunday.

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ua on last Saturday.

Mrs. George W. Hardy entertained her aunt, Mrs. Augustus Wheeler, of Nashua, this week.

Miss Mary B. Cleasby visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Cleasby; from Monday until Thursday of last week

Miss Fred Farnsworth is shipping.

The success of the occasion.

The Knights of the White Shield held a social meeting at the reading-room on Tuesday evening under the charge of Carl B. Willard. About fourteen were present and the evening on the character of Christ. All games and sports.

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Miss Emma Adams is visiting her sister, Mrs. E. R. Brayton, of Providence, R. I., this week.

The L. B. B. S. held their annual fair and entertainment at Seminary hall on Wednesday, and in spite of the severe rain storm, nearly one hundred were in attendance and a very successful affair was the result. The Thanksgiving. The ladies are generally so busy at that time that it was probable there would not be a good attendance.

News Items.

The Hollis Auxiliary to the Woman's Board of Missions held its annual meeting last week Thursday in connection with the Ladies' Reading and Charltable society. No one was found willing to serve as president, so the election of that officer was postponed until we have a pastor's wife, hoping the need would be filled then.

George Van Dyke and his sister.

Little Esther Martin celebrated her sixth birthday anniversary on Monday of last week with a party to her little school hard to her little school hard to her little school hard to the number of four-teen. Many pretty gifts were presented the little lady in remembrance of the day. At about four o'clock a fine supper was served of sandwiches, cakes, pies, cocoa, ice cream and fruit. In a conspicuous place on the table with candles and other ornaments. Miss Ethel Taylor assisted in waiting upon the happy children; also, assisting them in the games of the afternoon. Benjamin Hodgman and Mrs. Charles Hodgman; Miss Penelope Shadrack, a young old maid aunt, as which Mrs. R. S. Ely did remarkably good work in carrying two parts, and Marcus Dill. a wealthy bachelor friend of Archibald, well impersonated by William Mills, while the part of the housekeeper, Mrs. Bunn, was taken by Mrs. Fred A. Patch, with her usual wit and ability. The parts were all well taken and received favorable comment from all the hearers.

The salestables were well patronized and Mr. Drake, of the Center, served ice cream, assisted by F. A. Patch, while Mrs. Patch and Mrs. Benjamin Hodgman presided over the cake.

cake.

The candy booth was very attractive with its decorations of white crepe paper and tinsel ropes, and the attendants, Mrs. S. D. Ringrose and Miss Gladys Rawson, disposed of their entire stock early in the evening.

One of the most attractive and artistic booths in the room was the vegetable booth arranged and arceid. ream. Massachusetts won by a score of 20 to 3. Several Hollis friends attended the game. Daniel Goodwin came home from the game and returned to college Monday.

George A. Ladd left home Tuesday for a trip to Lakeport and the Wiers, where he will visit a few days.

The Hollis Woman's club met with Mrs. Ellien H. Lovejoy Wednesday afternoon. Voted to appropriate fifty dollars of the monor raised by the mile of pennies plan for immediate use in the library. Each member to express a preference for the books she desires. Roll call was responded to by members present. Miss Clara Smith gave an interesting paper of The call of Joan of Are and her saving France." This was followed by a reading by Miss L. M. Stratton on "Her trial and punishment." Dainty refreshments were served.

Mrs. Jennie Wallace, from Townsend, is the guest of Mrs. Amount Smith.

their congratulations.

Mrs. Albert Wilson, of Bayberry hill, was called to Mason, N. H., to attend the funeral of her step-mother who passed away on last Saturday.

Arthur Smith, who has been at the home of his sister, Mrs. P. W. Sawtelle, for the past six months, employed as an optician and jeweler, left on Wednesday for Waltham, where he will resume his work in the Waltham watch factory for the winter, expecting to return to his business here in the spring.

Sumner Lawrence, of Concord, N. H., was at the home of his mother. Mrs. Oren Lawrence, last week.

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An auction sale of forty-five head of registered and grade Holstein cattle at the place known as the Parker Farm. South Framingham, on the trolley line from Framingham to Saxon-ville, Will be held on Saturday, November 22, at 10,30 a.m., belonging to J. H. D. Whitcemb, Littleton. Otis H. Forbush, auctioneer.

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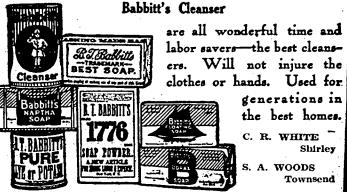
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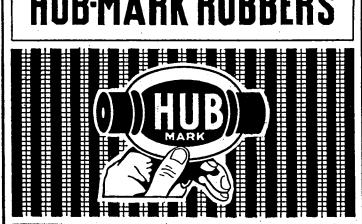
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Brooklyn, N. Y. Nov. 3. - The Brooklyn Academy of Music was crowded to the limit today to hear Pastor Russell's discourse on the "Battle of Armageddon." His text was: "He gathered them together unto a placed called in the Hebrew tongue

Armageddon."

(Revelation xvi, 16.) The speaker said: Armageddon in the Hebrew signifies the "Hill of Megiddo," or Mount of Destruction. It was famous as a battlefield in Old Testament times.

The Lord has seen fit to associate the Tea and Coffee name Armageddon, with the great controversy between Truth and Error, right and wrong, God and Mammon, with which this Age will close, perish, and the New Age of Messiah's glory be ushered in. He has purposely used highly symbolical figures of speech in the last book of the Bible, evidently with a view to hiding certain important truths until the due time for their revealment. But even in the due time, the Bible assures us, "None of the wicked shall understand" (Daniel xii, 9, 10)-none who are out of heart harmony with God-but only the wise of His people-the "wise virgin" class of the Master's parable.

I have long avoided presentation of my understanding of our text and its context. I take it up now by request and because I believe it is due time to be understood. I disclaim any special aspiration. In some particulars my riews agree with those of other Bible students, and in other respects they lisagree. Each bearer must use his wn judgment, do his own Bible study, and reach his own conclusions.

Kindly remember that I am not responsible for the figures of speech used by the Lord. My interpretations do infeed constitute a terrible arraignment of institutions which we have all reverenced and which embrace good people, of good words and good works. God's saintly people in these various institutions, being comparatively few, are gnored when systems as a whole are least with in prophecy.

The Dragon, Beast, False Prophet. Our context tells us that three imoure spirits (teachings) will go forth from the mouths of the Dragon, the Beast and the False Prophet, and these three will be in accord, and symbolicaly the doctrines are represented by 'frogs." These three doctrines are to save a mighty influence throughout the rivilized earth. They are to gather the kings and their armies to the great Battle of Armageddon.

The ecclesiastical kings and princes and their retinues of clergy and faith-'ul adherents, will be gathered in solid phalanx—Protestant and Catholic. The tings and captains of industry, and as nany as can be influenced by them. will be gathered to the same side. The political kings and princes, with all heir henchmen and retainers, will folow in line on the same side. The inancial kings and merchant princes, ind all whom they can influence by the nost gigantic power ever yet exercised in the world, will foin the same

ilde, according to this prophecy. These "doctrines of demons," represented by the "frogs," will lead many able people in this great army to assume an attitude quite contrary to their preference. For a time the wheels of liberty and progress will be turned backward and medieval restraints will be considered necessary for self-preservation-for the maintenance of the present order of things.

In giving this interpretation, it is secessary for us to indicate what is symbolized by the Dragon, the Beast, and the False Prophet. Bible students of nearly all denominations agree with s that the "Dragon" of Revelation epresents the purely Civil Power. Protestant interpreters generally agree that the "Beast like a leopard" (Reveation xiii. 2) represents the Papacy. But fewer still, we fear, will be ready lo support our view that Protestantism B the "Image of the Beast" (Revelation till, 15) in our context given another came, "the False Prophet." We urge 20 one to accept our interpretation, por shall we think hard of any who efuse it. We will neither slander nor therwise injure them now, nor threatthem with eternal torture. They save the same right to their views that FOR SALE—Fifty White Wyandotte Hens and Pullets: also Eleven Pigs. CHAS. T. WETHERBEE, Walnut Farm, them known to others. And I, for Boxborough, Mass. one, will be very glad to consider anything which opponents may set forth

is their interpretations of our text. "Unclean Spirits Like Frogs." The symbolisms of Scripture, righty understood, are always forceful. When the Holy Spirit used a "frog" symbolically represent certain

doctrines or teachings, we may be sure the true application will fit well. A frog has a sage look, a wise look. It swells itself up in an apparent endcavor to impress the beholder. Its great mouth well represents its chief. power, used to croak.

Applying these symbols, we learn that an evil spirit, influence, teaching, will come from the Protestant churches federated, from the Church of Rome, and from the Civil authorities, all in full agreement. The spirit of all will be boastful; an air of superior wisdom and knowledge will be proudly assumed-all will croak in harmony. All will tell of dire results that would follow. involving the interests of both the present and the future life, if their counsel be not followed. However con-Civil Powers of Earth Are About to | flicting the creeds, the differences will Unite in Common Cause-Powerful be ignored in the general proposition influence Preparing For the Battle that nothing ancient must be disturb-

The Divine authority of the Church. and the Divine right of kings, aside from the Church, will not be allowed to conflict. Any persons or teachings in conflict with these boastful and unscriptural claims will be branded as everything vile, at the mouths of these "frogs" speaking from pulpits and platforms and through the religious and secular press. The nobler sentiments of some will be strangled by the philosophy of the same evil spirit which spoke through Caiaphas, the high priest, respecting Jesus. As Caia-phas declared it expedient to commit a crime in violation of justice, human and Divine, to be rid of Jesus and His teachings, so this "frog" spirit will approve of every violation of principle

necessary to their self-protection. The croaking of these "frog" spirits or doctrines will gather the kings and princes, financial, political, religious and industrial into one great army. The spirit of fear, inspired by the croakings of these "frogs," will scourge the passions of otherwise good and reasonable men to fury, desperation. In their blind following of these evil spirits, evil doctrines, they will be ready to sacrifice life and everything on the altar of what they mistakenly suppose is justice, truth and righteousness, under a Divine arrangement.

For a brief time, as we understand the Scriptures, these combined forces of Armageddon will triumph. Free speech, free mails, and other liberties which have come to be the very breath of the masses in our day, will be ruthlessly shut off under the plea of necessity, the glory of God, the commands of the Church, etc. All will seem to be serene, until the great social explosion in our context described as the "great Earthquake." An "earthquake," symbolic language, signifies social revolution, and the declaration of the context is that none like unto it ever before occurred. (Revelation xvi, 18, 19.) Jesus described it as a time of trouble such as never was since there was a nation.-Matthew xxiv, 21.

The Lord Will Gather Them.

The false, frog-like teachings will gather together into one host the great, the rich, the wise, the learned and the kings of the earth, to battle. At this juncture Divine Power will step forward, and our text tells us that HE shall gather the marshaled hosts to Armageddon-to the Mountain of Destruction. The very thing which they sought to avert by their union, federation, etc., will be the very thing they will hasten. Other Scriptures tell us that God will be represented by the Great Messiah, and that He will be on the side of the masses. Thus we read in Daniel xii, 1: "At that time shall forces have been mustering for both take possession of His Kingdom in a manner little looked for by many of those who erroneously have been claiming that they were His Kingdom, and authorized by Him to reign in His name and in His stead.

Jesus declared, "His servants ye are unto whom ye render service." Some may be rendering service to Satan and to error, who claim to be rendering service to God and to righteousness; and some of these may be serving ignorantly, as did Saul of Tarsus, who "verily thought that he did God a service" in persecuting the Church. The same principle holds true reversely. As an earthly king does not hold himself responsible for the moral character of each soldier who fights in his battles, so the Lord does not youch for the moral character of all who will enlist and fight on His side of any question. "His servants they are to whom they render service." whatever the motive or object prompting them.

The same principles will apply in the coming Battle of Armageddon. God's side of that battle will be the people's side, and the very nondescript host, the people, will be pitted at the beginning of the battle. Anarchists, Socialsts, and hot-headed radicals of every school of reason and unreason, will be in the forefront of that battle. The majority of the poor and the middle tlass prefer peace at almost any price. A comparatively small number, God's ronsecrated people, will at heart be longing for Messiah's Kingdom. These will bide the Lord's time and wait patiently for it; they will be of good courage, knowing the outcome outlined in the "more sure word of prophecy." to which they have done well to take heed, "as unto a light shining in a dark place until the Day dawn."-II

The masses will be restless of their kings and princes, financial, religious and political, which will then hold sway. Besides, the masses have no sympathy with anarchy. They realize truly that the worst form of government is better than none. The masses peaceful re-adjustment of earth's af- ful but invisible, will begin to roll tairs for the elimination of evil, for tway the curse and to lift up mankind.

the placing of monopolies and utilities and the supplies of nature in the hands of the people for the public good. The crisis will be reached when the hither-

to upholders of law shall become vio lators of the law and resisters of the will of the majority as expressed by the ballot. Fear for the future will lead the well-meaning masses to desperation; and anarchy will result when Socialism falls.

The Cloud's Silver Lining. Horrible would be this outlook for the future did we not have the infallible Word of God assuring us of a glorious outcome! Divine Wisdom has withheld until our day the great knowledge and skill which is at the same time breeding millionaires and discontents. Had God lifted the veil a thousand years sooner, the world would have lined up for its Armageddon a thousand years sooner. But that would have been too soon for the Divine purpose, because Messiah's Kingdom is to be the great Thousand Year-Sabbath of the world's history. God in kindness veiled our eyes until News Items.

"strong delusion," and let them believe the lie which they preferred, and let them suffer for missing the Truth which they did not love. Thus they will be in the condemned host, "fighting against God," because of their lack

of love for the Truth. It is sad to say that we all as Christians have been laboring under a thorough delusion respecting God's Plan. We have claimed that Christ set up His Church in Kingdom power, and that the Church has been reigning on the earth as His representative. On the strength of this delusion, Jews and heretics have been persecuted to death as opponents to Christ's Kingdom. All the while we thoughtlessly repeated the Lord's prayer: "Thy Kingdom come; Thy will be done on earth, as in Heaven." We knew that the Redeemer said that He would come again to make us His Bride and joint-heirs; but we ignored the Scriptures. We were drunk, as the Scriptures symbolically say, "all nations were drunk" with the false doctrine. It is this false doctrine that will constitute the "frog" spirit which soon will begin to croak and to

prepare for Armageddon. The Bible presentation is that the world is a section of the universe in rebellion against Divine authority, under the captaincy of Satan and his associated fallen angels. By Divine grace Jesus has already "tasted death for svery man," and the merit of that sacrifice must, eventually, grant Adam and his posterity a full, fair opportunity for the attainment of everlasting life. All who thus see the Divine program and are walking in the light may know something at least respecting the "times and seasons." These brethren "are not in darkness, that that day [and that battle of Armageddon] should overtake" them "as a thief" - un-

awares.

Armageddon Not Yet but Soon. For forty years the Armageddon Michael [the Godlike One-Messiah] sides of the conflict. Strikes, lockouts stand up"-assume authority. He will and riots, great and small, have been merely incidental skirmishes as the belligerent parties crossed each other's paths. Court and Army scandals in Europe, Insurance, Trust and Court scandals in America, have shaken public confidence. Dynamite plots, charged by turns on employees and on em ployers, have further shaken confilence and tended to make each distrustful of the other. Bitter and angry feelings on both sides are more and more manifest. The lines of battle are faily becoming more distinctly marked. Nevertheless Armageddon cannot yet be fought. Other matters intervene, according to prophecy.

Gentile times have still two years to run. The "Image of the Beast" of our context must yet receive life-power. The Image must be transformed from a mere mechanism to a living force. Protestant Federation realizes that its organization will still be futile unless It receive vitalization—unless its clergy directly or indirectly shall be recognized as possessed of apostolic ordination and authority to teach. This the prophecy indicates will come from the two horned beast, which, we believe, symbolically represents the Church of England. High-handed activities of Protestantism and Catholicism, operating in conjunction for the suppression of human liberties, await this vivifying of the Image. This may come soon ut Armageddon cannot precede it, but must follow-perhaps a year after it. iccording to our view of the Prophecy.

Still another thing intervenes: Although the Jews are gradually flowing nto Palestine, gradually obtaining control of the land of Canaan, and although reports say that already nineteen millionaires are there, nevertheless prophecy requires an evidently larger number of wealthy Hebrews to be there before the Armageddon crisis be reached. Indeed we understand restraints, but will be conscious of that "Jacob's trouble" in the Holy their own weakness as compared to the Land will come at the very close of Armageddon. Then Messiah's Kingiom will begin to be manifested. Thenceforth Israel in the land of promse will gradually rise from the ashes of the past to the grandeur of prophkcy. Through its Divinely appointed will seek relief through the ballot and princes Messiah's Kingdom, all-power-

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"Send Them Strong Delusions."

St. Paul wrote prophetically of our time, that it would be one of serious trial and testing to many professing to be Christians. The reason for this he states—they received not the Truth in the love of it. (II Thessalonians ii, 10, 11.) They preferred their own erroneous theories, the Apostie explains, and therefore God will give them over to a "strong delusion." and let them believe

News Items.

Under the auspices of the grange, Miss Harriet Stimson, of Fitchburg, Susyant, and save very interesting account of her travels through Italy, Switzerland, England and Scotland in the town hall on Wednesday evening. The lecture was illustrated, giving many fine views of the scenery through which she passed, and among which she spent four and one-half months of travel and sight-seeing. She was in England six weeks and said it rained every day while there. The worst seasickness she ever had was upon the English channel. In spite of the very rainy day and evening there was a large audience who showed their appreciation of the speaker and her illustrations by hearty applause.

A fine large buck deer with a mag-

A fine large buck deer with a magnificent pair of antiers passed through the center of the town on Wednesday afternoon, going so near some of the buildings as to pass between C. B. Longley's house and barn. Two or three dogs were in pursuit of him.

The frame for Ralph Bickford's new house on Massachusetts avenue, near Robert Harley's, is well up and partly boarded in; also, the fire engine house is up, boarded in, and the roof nearly slated.

There will be a meeting of the Old Home Week association on Saturday evening, November 16. It is hoped that there will be a large attendance of the citizens of the town, as several reports are to be given.

The laurel men are again in town gathering their annual harvest of Christmas greenery. So many woodlots have been cut off that it has seriously affected the laurel, both in quantity and quality, and is more spotted where it grows in the open.

Albert L. Fiske has sold the building and twelve acres of land from the Carte place, so-called, where he has been living in the south part of the town. On the thirty-eight acres which he retained he is building a new house near that of Frank A. Willard iew noi Willard. GREAT BUILDING FALLS

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eased.
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you have, why the same should not be allowed.

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### Saturday, November 16, 1912. PEPPERELL.

Current Events.

J. M. McMurray, the new superintendent at the Nashua River Paper corporation, is moving from his Groton home to the corporation house,

rents.

Acoma lodge very pleasantly entertained the past noble grands of the order on Tuesday evening. Mrs. Jennie McCullough Hazen from Fitchburg and Mrs. A. A. Blood from Gardner were present from out of town. A short entertainment was given and John H. Berry, a form

opened a paint shop in that city, ans. Berry passed away a few weeks ago of heart disease and complications of asthma and dropsy. Mr. Berry seemed in good health and prosperity and the nine years in his Maine home dealt lightly with him.

Mrs. A. H. Harris entertained her uncle. Alden Youngman, of South Merrimac, N. H., this week.

Frank Messer was brought back to his home from St. Joseph's hospital Dr. Lovejov Friday afternoon of last week, having been there just three weeks. He is sufficiently con-valescent to walk out on sunny days.

Mrs. Frank Robbins was called to Townsend this week by the news of the illness of her sister, Mrs. A. W. Stickney, who was threatened with

C. M. Bolles, the painter, was confined to his home on Nashua street for a few days this week by an attack of lumbago. This was the result, apof lumbago. This was the result, apparently, of a strain from lifting a heavy ladder.

Quite a number from Pepperell at-tended the Pomona grange meeting held at Groton on Thursday of last Among others were Mrs. Sumweek. Among others were Mrs. Sum-ner Shattuck. Mr. and Mrs. Winslow Parker, Mrs. F. B. Simmons and Miss Ada Whitney. Rev. R. W. Draw-bridge spoke on "Economics," in place of Rev. Mr. Wheeleck, who was present, but unavoidexpected to be present, ably detained at home.

Mr. and Mrs. William Oulton came here from Augusta, Me., on Tuesday with the body of their little son, Wilwith the body of their little son, William Frederic, aged one year and six months, who died Sunday of congestion of the lungs, after a few days illness. Mrs. C. F. McCormack, the grandmother of the child, came from Fitchburg to attend the burlal. She was accompanied by her son, John McCormack, her daughter, Mrs. May Forrester, her grandfaughter. Bea-

a party of four hunters from Townsend started on a hunting trip Saturday of last week. Their objective held in the Congregational church, point is the region about Connecticut lake in Northern New Hampshire.

accident on Friday of last week. While unloading coal he was struck just above the eye with a sharp lump, cutting a severe gash which necessitated several stitches by a physician. He is more comfortable at time of writing.

Miss Mary Parker, who has been acting as housekeeper.

The hydrant at Nashua and Mill streets, which was broken by an automobile some weeks ago, has been re-

next week, commencing at three o'clock each afternoon. There will be the usual assortment of articles in charge of the following ladies: Mrs. John R. Shattuck, Mrs. F. B. Simmons and Mrs. Chas. Marshall, apron table; Mrs. Grant Heckle and Mrs. N. M. Gutterson, fancy work; Mrs. P. R. Stratton, Christmas and souvenir cards; Mrs. E. E. Handley and Mrs. Wallace Smalley, candy and cake

The been given to members of the have been given to members of the ladies' lodge and their husbands, and also to the district officers. The initial also to Wallace Smalley, candy and cake table. An attractive feature will be the "Chinese laundry," conducted by the young people on "Chinese" prin-

Forrester, her granddaughter, Beatrice Hagar, and Mrs. George McCormack. Interment was in the McCormack family lot at Woodlawn cemetery.

At the regular meeting of the grange on Friday of last week the ladies' degree team worked the third degree and the fourth degree was worked by the regular officers.

Miss Cast of characters: The minister, Forrest Andrews; minister's wife, Miss H. L. Cormack family lot at Woodlawn cemetery.

Andrews; president of aid society, Mrs. Geo. Pierce; members of aid society, Mrs. Weston and Mrs. Stratton; Sally, the hired girl, Miss Susie Andrews.

Center.

The annual concert and Mrs. The Mrs. T

Miss Carrie Sylvester made a weekend visit at Waltham, returning to her
duties at D. W. Fletcher's office MonThe annual concert and oan given
by the Beacon lodge, L. O. O. F., was
held on Friday evening, November 15.
The floor was under the direction of Twins, a boy and girl, weighing eight and nine pounds, were born to Mrs. Forrest Knights last week. Mr. and Mrs. Knight reside in Groton, but just beyond our town line.

W. A. Kemp and S. M. Nokes with a party of four hunters from Town-

Miss Ethel Kemp, of Boston, spent Sunday at her home on Pleasant

J. F. Salter, engineer at the Nashua River Paper Corporation mill, was injured while at work at the trestle coal dump last Saturday afternoon. He was attended at his home by Drs.

several stitches by a physician. He is more comfortable at time of writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Bartlett and child from Dorchester came last week to visit Mrs. Chas. Bemis on River street, Mr. Bartlett returned to his work Monday, but Mrs. Bartlett will her home at Lancaster to care for her tained the past noble grands of the order on Tuesday evening. Mrs. Harris Tarbell from Wellesley. Mrs. Jenine McCullough Hazen from Pitchiurs and Mrs. A. A. Blood from Gardner were present from out of town. A short entertainment was given and refreshments served.

John H. Berry, a former well-known painter and upholsterer, came, out from Boston Monday to look upold friends. He moved from here to Bath, Me., about nine years ago and opened a paint shop in that city. Mrs. Berry passed away a few weeks ago of bear disease and compilications of Saturday to Wednesday.

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mobile some weeks ago, has been replaced by a new one. The water placed by a new one. The water commissioners estimate there was a loss of seventy-five thousand gallons of water at the time, before it could be shut off.

Church Falr.

The annual sale of the Ladies' Aid society will be held in the Methodist vestries Wednesday and Thursday of next week, commencing at three of clock each afternoon. There will be the usual assortment of articles in the commencian of articles in called for at seven o'clock the commission of the Loyal Nashobah lodge, I. O. O. F., M. U., will be observed on Saturday evening. November 23, when seven candidates will be admitted to the lodge room for the text of the lodge will be admitted to the lodge room for the lo The seventh aniversary of the Loya

Frank G. Willis, of Springfield, has

at the recent election won on the recount held this week by forty votes.

The original count gave Barlow, his republican opponent, a lead of eight votes. The recount, however, overcame this and added thirty-two more troom of the recount of the re the district, and his friends regardless of party, feel pleased at his election to the upper branch of the state legislature. Mr. Draper is a resident of

wellesley, attended the past grands' reception on Tuesday evening of this week.

Mrs. Harris Tarbell, of Wellesley, attended the past grands' reception in town on Tuesday evening, returning home on Wednesday!

Mr. Humphrey, engineer at the Champion card shop, has moved his family from Auburn into the Emerson house on Main street.

Mr. and Mrs. Paull spent Satura and Sunday with their

success of this meeting was such that it was hoped that others might fol-low

Methodist Notes.

Services will be held at the Methodist church on Sunday will be held both morning and evening. "The faithful saying," will be the subject at 10.45 in the morning, and "Standing in the narrow places" will be the topic at seven in the evening.

The union Thanksgiving service will be held at the Methodist church this year on Sunday evening, November 24.

Florida As We Find It.

On Monday, October 14, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Greenleaf, of Hollis, N. H., met Mr. and Mrs. James Starr. Mr. and Mrs. Edwin P. Harmon and Miss Bertha M. Farnsworth at the East Pepperell railroad station to take the noon train en route to spending a winter in Florida as pioneers on ing a winter in Florida as pioneers or land, expecting to go to Fernandina first and then to Green Cove Springs, the route to be decided on at Washington, D. C.

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tertainment, including vocal and whistling solos by Mrs. John Keith, from South Royalston, Mass.

Rev. E. M. Slocombe, of Worcester, will preach in the Unitarian church on Sunday in exchange with Rev. D. R. Child.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Nelson Tower, announce the engagement of their daughter Fannie, to Albert Paine Everts, of Roxbury.

Little Katherine Maltman, living at Charles Jewett's, was operated on for Little Katherine Maltman, living at Charles Jewett's, was operated on for a swollen gland at the Emergency hospital at Nashua on last Saturday night.

Mrs. M. M. Richards and Mrs. R. Deware returned on Tucsday from a pleasure trip from Dr. C. A. Weaver's and B. W. Richard's, New Boston, N. H.

The next meeting of the Pepperell Woman's club will be at Saunders' banquet hall on November 19. It will be in charge of the legislative man, has engaged Miss Mabel Gilles-

Mr. Durant, employed at the champion card shop, has moved on the content street from Aupurn.

Attridge Bros., grocers, have, for the last week had a very novel electrical display in their show window.

The electric moved figures of persons go in the ideal grocery store and then out the other door carrying La Touraine coffee, which is the advertiser ment shown.

Miss Ethel Kemp, of Boston spent.

were plenty in yellow, blue purple and white, but they were all new to me. We reached Jacksonville over an hour late, but the Tampa train was being held for us, taking on the baggage and then backing up for us "northerners." Every seat was taken, but we sandwiched in the best we could. I sat down with a "Palatka Cracker." By the way, I understand they are called crackers because they drive yokes of several pair of mules on long hauls, and a good Cracker can crack his whip and take a fly off of the head mule's ear if he wants to, so sure is his throw like the cowboy's lasso.

miles to the west, mistaking the location.

That night we slept well, except the one that is noted for breaking down beds, and that one clung to the side rail all night. The next day we paid \$2.50 for a horse to take us elders out to the plantation. Now, as \$16.00 a day for our crowd was more than our bank could stand, Mrs. Graenless and I concluded to be prop-Greenleaf and I concluded to be proper housewives and lessen the expenses as we found we could get rooms at \$2.50. "seeing it was out of season." \tag{7.70} 30' W 236 feet to a sone bridge

eyes, but he did say that he heard bugs, felt bugs, that the wild hogs rooted him up and the wild cattle danced a highland fling near his head. The next night he hung a new hammock in the house and settled down. I could not walk so far morning and night, so we settled over at our friends, the Stewarts, and Mr. and Mrs. Greenleaf went to Fernandina and Jacksonville, waiting for their goods to come. We then ordered our lumber for our new quarters and conwaiting for their e then ordered our solidated.

The cat was very much worried at first, but later on has taken kindly to the country. We had our rooms with a couple that the husband last year at Washington, D. C.

Several friends were at the station from Townsend and Hollis. In addition to the regular baggage were a large Maltese cat and a bird cage with seven chickens, and lunches for seven for two full days, Wesley Crowe going with us to his home at Bryn Mawr. At Worcester we found that the baggage was all on board. Mr. and Mrs. Harmon caught an express The already buried himself in your flesh and he will stay till he makes a sore kerosene. All became acquainted with the red bugs, but they are found un-der old trees and in all old wood. Mr. Greenleaf has radishes, onlons,

The next meeting of Shirley grange will be held on Tuesday evening, November 19. It is expected that a short farce, called "The difference in clocks" will be presented during the clocks," will be presented during the lecturer's hour by Miss Margaret Evans and Harry N. Brown. This farce is being prepared for presentation at Wachusett grange, Leominster

### Corn Fodder For Sale

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East Pepperell Mass.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.
To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of GEORGE V. BARRETT late of Ayer in said County, deceased.

Whereas, certain instruments purporting to be the last will and testament—and one codicil—of said deceased have been presented to said Court, for Probate, by MARY B. JOHNSON who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to her, the executrix therein named, without giving a surety on her official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the tenth day of December A. D. 1912, 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 Turner's Public Spirit, a newspaper published in Ayer, 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 all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First ludge of said Court, this thir-

Court.
Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire.
First Judge of said Court, this thirteenth day of November in the year
one thousand nine hundred and twelve.
3110 W. E. ROGERS, Register.

# Auction

By virtue and in pursuance of the authority contained in an order and decree of the Supreme Judicial Court, sitting in equity for the County of Worcester, upon the petition of Joseph Holden et als., which decree was filed March 17, 1906, will be sold at public auction on Monday, the second day of December, 1912, at one o'clock P. M., at the District Court Room in Ayer, Mass., the following described tracts of land:

First, a certain tract of land with buildings thereon situate in the northerly part of Harvard and southerly part of Ayer and is bounded: Beginning at the Southwest corner

of the premises at a White Oak Tree at the edge of the meadow by land of the Harvard Shakers thence by said Shakers land N 35° E 93 feet to the end of a wall; thence by said Shaker's land as the wall now stands N 54° E 73 feet to an angle in the wall; thence by said Shakers land as the wall now stands N 39° 30' E to an angle in the wall; thence by said Shakers land as the wall now stands N 48° E 50 feet to the road from Harvard Shakers to Ayer; thence crossing said Ayer road and by land of said Shakers S 88° E 145 feet to a stake and stones in a Cart Path; thence by said Shakers land N 30° 15' E 472 feet to a stake and stones at a private way; thence by the south boundary of said private way N 80° 20' W 170 feet; thence by said south boundary of said private way N 79° \$2.50, "seeing it was out of season," and get our meals for a reasonable price two houses below.

The house that we had been waiting to get a good title to had changed hands and we were very undecided about matters for a few days. Then like the sun breaking through the clouds, the Greenleafs decided to take a nearly new house that we had wanted and we commenced life as south boundary line of said Ayer road N 70° 30′ W 236 feet to a stone bridge at a brook; thence by said Shakers land S 23° W 105 feet to a stake; thence by said Shaker land s 12° W 205 feet to a stake in the meadow; thence S 8° E 490 feet by said Shaker land to the point of beginning. Containing 6% Acres more or less.

a nearly new house that we had wanted and we commenced life as pioneers. The house on our land was not fit for a stable for white folks, but hot water and soap will render any old place sweet, and a shelter was a thing to be desired on the land we were to live on.

Mr. Burnell had brought his tent and was used to the ways of the wild west, so the first night at Green Cove he camped under his tent. Now he did not say that he did not shut his eyes, but he did say that he heard white pine; thence Southerly about 85 rods to a corner thence westerly about 60 rods to the point of beginning. Containing 45 acres more

> Terms: \$25.00 at time of sale, balince on delivery of deeds. For further particulars inquire of subscribers or D. C. Parsons, Ayer,

JOSEPH HOLDEN, JOSEPHINE C. JILSON, All of the Trustees of the United Societies of Harvard and Shirley.

Boston via Tewksbury and Reading to Sullivan Square Terminal. Charlestown—6.45 a. m. and every 30 mins. until 9.45 p. m. Sundays—Same as week days. Return—Leave Sullivan Square—6.45 a. m. and every 30 mins. until 9.45 p. m. Sundays—7.15 a. m. and every 30 mins. until 9.45 p. m. Sundays—7.15 a. m. and every 30 mins. until 9.45 p. m. Boston via North Billerica, Billerica Center, Burlington, Woburn, Winchester and Medford to Sullivan Square Terminal, Charlestown—5.25 a. m. and every 60 mins. until 9.25 p. m. (Saturdays every 30 mins. from 12.25 p. m. until 9.55 p. m.) 10.25 p. m. to Woburn only. Sundays—6.55 a. m. and every 30 mins. until 9.55 p. m. (Saturdays every 30 mins. from 12.25 p. m. to Woburn only. Return—Leave Sullivan Square Terminal—6.32 a. m. and every 60 minutes until 9.32 p. m. (Saturdays every 30 mins. from 11.32 a. m. until 9.32 p. m.) Sundays—7.32 a. m. and every 30 mins. until 9.32 p. m. (Saturdays every 30 mins. until 9.32 p. m. Tyngsboro via Middlesex Street—5.18, 6.00, 6.55, 7.18 a. m. and every 30 mins. until 10.33 p. m. Sundays—9.03 a. m., and every 30 mins. until 10.33 p. m. Sundays—9.03 a. m., and every 30 mins. until 10.33 p. m. North Chelmsford—via Middlesex Street—5.18, 6.00, 6.50, 7.57, 7.03 a. m. and every 15 mins. until 10.33 p. m. Sundays—7.33, 8.03 a. m., and every 15 mins. until 11.03 p. m. Return—Leave North Chelmsford—5.30, 5.55, 6.30, 6.57, 7.18 a. m., and every 15 mins. until 11.03 p. m. Leavere—5.15, 6.15, 6.40 a. m. and every 30 mins. until 11.040 p. m. Sundays—8.03 a. m., and every 30 mins. until 10.40 p. m. Sundays—8.03 a. m., and every 30 mins. until 10.40 p. m. Sundays—8.03 a. m., and every 30 mins. until 10.40 p. m. Sundays—8.03 a. m., and every 30 mins. until 10.40 p. m. Sundays—8.03 a. m., and every 30 mins. until 10.40 p. m. Sundays—8.03 a. m., and every 30 mins. until 10.40 p. m. Sundays—8.03 a. m., and every 30 mins. until 10.40 p. m. Sundays—8.03 a. m., and every 30 mins. until 10.40 p. m. Sundays—8.03 a. m., and every 30 mins. until 10.40 p. m. Sundays—8.03 a. m