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### HARVARD.

#### News Items.

Mrs. Frank Blair, with her little  
son and daughter, from Hudson,  
visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hor-  
ace Pattee last week.

Mr. and Mrs. David Shattuck, who  
has been living in Mrs. Clara Davis'  
tenement, old mill district, have mov-  
ed into Mrs. Horace Pattee's tenement,  
John Stone, from Northamp-  
ton, N. H., brother of Mrs. Davis, is  
to occupy the tenement vacated by  
Mr. Shattuck.

For other Harvard news see page  
six.

#### Choral Union.

The Choral Union met at the town  
hall on Thursday evening, twenty-  
four members being out to this first  
rehearsal. The officers of the union,  
consulting with A. E. French who was  
present and who has been engaged to  
direct the meetings for this season,  
have decided to begin preparations for  
two concerts, one to be given in Jan-  
uary and later on a second one. The  
next rehearsal is to be held on Mon-  
day evening, November 3. The com-  
mittee in charge want all interested  
in this union to express themselves in  
a substantial way. Those with voices  
are wanted in the chorus. Those who  
for any reason do not feel like tak-  
ing an active part are wanted as  
members, as financial assistance is  
just as necessary as the voices in the  
chorus. The payment of one dollar  
entitles any to become either active or  
associate members and the union  
wants to feel that they have the good  
will and hearty co-operation of all  
the people of the town.

#### Still River.

On Monday evening the Cox cot-  
tage at Bare hill pond took fire and  
was burned to the ground. This was  
one of the best of the cottages owned  
by William Cox, of Clinton. How the  
cottage got on fire is unknown, but

as there was no one in it and it was  
during a heavy rain storm, it would  
seem that it must have been set by  
some one.

W. W. Viles is very sick with the  
shingles and his daughter, Mrs. C.  
H. Haskell, is looking after the store  
and postoffice during his absence.

Miss Edna Robinson returned to  
her Still River home on Friday after  
a year's absence in California.

Miss Marion Clark, of Hudson, is  
the guest of her uncle, A. W. Robin-  
son.

Mrs. Adeliza Turner is visiting Mr.  
and Mrs. Herbert Atherton at Hol-  
yoke.

Mrs. Carl Haskell and two children  
are visiting relatives in Worcester.

Wednesday evening quite a num-  
ber from Still River attended the con-  
cert given by Mrs. McDowell, of Pet-  
erboro, N. H., at the town hall in  
Lancaster.

Miss Eleanor Haskell was initiated  
into the Eastern Star lodge at Ayer  
on Wednesday evening.

The quarterly union temperance  
meeting will be held in the Still River  
church on Sunday evening. Warren  
P. Landers, secretary of the Massa-  
chusetts Total Abstinence society, will  
deliver the address.

Fred Joyce is having his house wir-  
ed for electric lights and the work is  
being done by Robt. Murphy's Sons  
Co., of Ayer.

### SHIRLEY.

#### Altrurian.

The Altrurians held their first regu-  
lar meeting at the club room on  
Thursday afternoon. The meetings  
have commenced with a great deal  
of enthusiasm. Two new members  
were admitted to the club mem-  
bership, three other names remaining on  
the waiting list. Notices were read  
of the Massachusetts State Federation  
meetings, the autumn meeting to be

THERE'S one announcement that comes out pretty regularly twice a year, that ought to give the greatest  
satisfaction to every man who reads it. This is it:

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