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News Items

Rev. and Mrs. R. W. Drawbridge, Mrs. H. N. Tower, George H. Shattuck and Mrs. W. F. Dennen attended the Association of Congregational Churches held in South Acton on Wednesday. Mrs. A. S. Woodward was in town last week from a winter's stay with her son and family in Geneva, N. Y. She only remained over one day, having been in Ayer with relatives, and going from here to visit in Nashua for a short time before coming here to open her house for the summer. It is understood that Harold Winn, one of the heirs of the Hovey estate,

is to undertake the renovation of the house. Miss Winn will have rooms at the home of Mrs. Henry Woodworth for the present, and possibly through the summer.

Miss Mary Lynch, from Worcester, formerly employed in the home of Rev. William J. Barry, was in town over the holiday.

Misses Kitty and Theresa Tully, from Beachmont, visited their sister, Mrs. Margaret Davis, over the weekend and the holiday.

The regular meeting of the East Village Social club will be held with Mrs. H. L. Nutting on Wednesday, April 28. Guests with Mrs. H. N. Tower over the holiday were Mrs. Fannie Tower

Everts and little daughter, from Brighton; Sydney Tower, from Boston; Miss Claire Linscott, from Berwick, Me. Mr. Everts spent Sunday here with his family, going from here to New York on a business trip.

Prescott hall was filled on the evening of April 19 to celebrate the occasion by a dance, under the auspices of Frank West post, A. L. Some of the officers were unavoidably absent, but the post was well represented, and there were many guests present from surrounding towns. Two guests of honor, whose appearance at the gathering in uniform of the Grand Army, was appreciated, were M. Luther Boynton and H. P. Humes. Good music was furnished by Mack's or-

chestra, of Leominster, and the affair was a social and financial success.

Miss Vida Patch attended the Hurst Shattuck wedding reception on Wednesday morning, 10.30, the ceremony being performed at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ansel Shattuck. The bride, Miss Jessie Shattuck, is a grandchild of Mrs. Sarah Patch.

Mrs. Mary Galney was the winner of the barrel of flour offered by the Frank West post to the one having the ticket with the lucky number. Francis Atkinson, from Boston University, has been the guest of Mrs. Saunders over the holiday, attending the Legion dance on Monday evening.

The regular meeting of the women's club will be held at Grange hall on Monday evening, April 26. Elmer E. Shattuck, warden at the Charlestown prison, will deliver a suggestive lecture on incidents along the line of his work, both at Concord and at Charlestown. The address will be well worth hearing and those who are absent will miss a treat.

Women's Club Notes

At the meeting of the Woman's club on Monday evening there was a short business session before the children's day program at four o'clock. The committee arranging for the club play in May have decided to change the date from May 28 to one week earlier, May 21, in order not to conflict with the program of other organizations previously arranged. Mr. Drawbridge has kindly consented to coach the plays to be given. Mack's orchestra has been secured.

As Rev. William Parsons, of Nashua, has been secured to give one of his fine talks on "Current events" at the next regular meeting of the club, it has been decided to hold the meeting in the evening instead of the afternoon in order that the gentlemen may attend. Each member of the club is entitled to a ticket for her escort, which may be secured at the cost of Mrs. Shepardson. This is not to be confused with the former Guest night.

The program arranged for the children for this special day met with approval of the large crowd of children who gathered in Prescott hall, about four o'clock, judging by their expressions of interest in the program. The entertainer, C. Everett Wallace, gave many examples of his powers of ventriloquism and also sang several songs in a very pleasing manner, enjoying himself on the banjo. He was heard with much appreciation by his large audience.

Special Town Meeting

The special town meeting called for April 20 was duly held at the town hall, the meeting being called to order at 7.30 by the town clerk and was read by him. After several unsuccessful attempts to procure a moderator who was willing to serve, the office was taken over by the town clerk.

There were over a hundred present, who were plainly there for business and not, as in the previous meeting, to see the orchestra.

The principal matter of interest, contained in article two, in regard to reconstruction of Main street, was passed over and later in the evening and article three was taken up in regard to raising money for snow paths. It was voted to appropriate \$3100 for that purpose.

On article four, concerning the naming of the Main street school building, the sentiment of the meeting was strongly in favor of the vote which was made to name the school the Clara M. Shattuck school, in honor of the principal of the building and in recognition of her many years of efficient service in our public schools. The town is indebted to the Woman's club for the formation of article.

Art. 5, regarding the laying out of a town way from Tucker street to the house of Constant Jagiellosky, was voted yes.

Art. 6, to make appropriation for lighting the streets called out considerable controversy. A report of the present company, called the Pepperell Electric Lighting and Power Company, in regard to expenses and increased cost, was read. Rainsford Dewar talked at some length, calling attention to the fact that the present rates were double the original contract price for lighting in other towns and that the rate of \$18.50 per light for all-night service, per month, was not in excess, and hardly up to the cost in some towns, where it was given. It was finally voted to accept the proposition of the company for street lighting at the above rate.

Art. 7, to see if the town would return to its former method of holding the annual election of town officers and the annual meeting for town business on the same day, which should be set on the fourth Monday of February, the article was strongly voted against.

Art. 8, to see what action the town would take about setting a bill for damages brought against the town by out of town parties, the claim being a small one, was voted to be left with the selectmen to adjust.

Art. 9, to see if the town would vote to accept the acts of legislature allowing games of ball, etc., on Sunday afternoons, from two to six o'clock, received a strong vote in the affirmative.

Art. 2, in regard to the matter of repairs on Main street was again taken up and report made by the secretary, C. G. Heald, for the committee appointed at the February meeting, consisting of E. D. Walker, Harry K. White, C. G. Heald, J. A. Saunders and C. H. Miller. The report was substantially as follows, the letters from the state officials being given, also:

The committee met March 14, this being the first opportunity that was available because of the large amount of snow which prevented an examination of Main street's condition, and voted to communicate with the state highway and county commissioners regarding best methods of repairing the street.

In response to letters on this subject the two letters following, from both bodies, were received:

The letter from the secretary of the department of public works, division of highways, to the committee, is as follows:

Your letter of March 18 received, in which you ask for engineering advice in connection with the reconstruction or repair of Main street. Your letter has been presented to the commissioners and they have voted to grant your request. The matter has been referred to the chief engineer, who will give it his immediate attention.

The communication from the Middlesex county commissioners was as follows:

We have your letter of the 16th inst., as to the repairs on Main street. At present we cannot state whether or not the county may aid in this matter, as the only way by which such aid can be granted is after a petition under the statute and a hearing, as prescribed in the law. We enclose a form of petition in case you wish to take the matter up in this way.

On March 27 an engineer of the state commission met the committee and a few days later sent men to town, who

in conjunction with our highway surveyor made test pits the entire length of the street. On April 19 the recommendations of the commissioners, based on these tests, was received by the committee. These recommendations, from the state highway department, were in substance as follows:

In accordance with your letter of March 23 I have taken up the matter of giving advice to the special road committee of Pepperell concerning construction of Main street. I have had Mr. Sabin go there, and he has made an investigation from which, together with certain knowledge I have of the road, beg to suggest that the following advice be given the committee:

This road has a water-bound macadam surface built over 22 years ago by the town under the direction of the state. We have previously advised them about taking care of the surface, which is nearly worn out, there being no place with more than 3 inches of stone, many places no stone at all. The total length is about 6200 feet, 300 feet of which is a bridge over the Nashua river, leaving 5900 feet of road surface, while at the easterly end about 775 feet is subject to fairly heavy traffic between the mills from the freight yards to storerooms on one side.

Town officials wish to make this a good road at the least possible expense and have suggested scarifying lightly and recharging with gravel on the best sections and fill with about 12 inches of gravel where frost action is bad. This would not be wise, as gravel would carry the traffic. I would advise putting on a bituminous macadam surface as thin as possible where there is no frost action, and where there is, which altogether is for a distance of about 1200 feet, putting in an entirely new road with a good founda-

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The committee recommended that the street from the town hall to Saunders' corner be scarified and rolled, the cost not to exceed \$1000 and to be done by the road surveyor. The report of the town committee was accepted.



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Center. Among the holiday visitors in town were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Davis and daughter Dorothy, of Arlington, at M. Davis'; Mr. and Mrs. Parke Struthers and baby Jane, of Brookline, N. Y., at Rev. A. L. Struthers'; Mrs. Edith Dodge and son Robert and Mrs. F. Upham, of Malden, at G. Upham's; Mr. and Mrs. Herman L. Haynes and daughter Florence, of Medford, at their bungalow home on Wallace hill; Miss Harriet Miller and Miss Nellie Barker, of Attleboro, at H. Miller's; Mr. and Mrs. T. McGuire and daughter Beesse, of Medford, at M. Doherty's; Mrs. Ernest Hill and two children, of Framingham, at L. Morse's; Mrs. Gertrude LeClair and Louise Arling, of Leominster, at J. Arlin's; Miss Catherine O'Brien, of Lawrence, at Mrs. W. O'Brien's.

At the Congregational church on Sunday morning Rev. L. Stentz gave a sermon, subject will be "Beacon Lights." It is expected that a student from Boston university will occupy the Methodist pulpit at the Sunday morning and evening services.

Capt. and William Leddick are at present with relatives in Fitchburg. Mrs. Henry B. Hathaway is caring for two of her grandchildren from Ashby as their parents and two of the children are very ill. She has two and two trained nurses are in attendance.

Among the guests in town for the holiday were Mrs. S. E. Watto, of Waltham, with Mrs. George Seaver; the Mrs. William W. Webster, Carrie Kaddy and children, West Groton, at their home; Miss Agnes Thompson, Fitchburg, and Miss Mabel Thompson, West Groton with their mother, Susie Patch; Richard and Esther McMilligan and friend, Boston, at their summer home at the McMilligan place, West Groton, at their home here.

Abbott Hodgman spent the holidays with relatives in Portland, Me. Mr. and Mrs. Edwards, from Worcester, are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Elliott.

Miss Ella Farley, from Hollis, was a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Farnsworth, last week Thursday.

The meeting at the Seminary hall on last week Thursday afternoon in the interest of the welfare of the children of the public schools was well attended. The president, Mrs. Lilla Hayward, presided, and Mrs. Litch served as secretary, pro tem in the absence of Edgar Wilson.

Warrants have been posted for the presidential primary on Tuesday, April 27. The polls will be open from eleven o'clock in the morning until four o'clock in the afternoon.

At the Grange meeting on Monday evening, April 26, for the election of officers, will be conferred upon a class of candidates. The ladies' degree team, with Mrs. Victoria Swicker as master, will work the third degree. Deputy Frank L. Howes, of Dennis, is to present and inspect the Grange work.

Delegates and other members represented the Congregational church on Wednesday in South Acton. Mr. and Mrs. F. Ernest Soper and baby son Willis, of Everett, have been visiting Mrs. Soper's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Swinington.

Miss Alice Seaver visited in Ayer on Tuesday. Among the recent guests registered at the Squannicook Inn are W. G. Cook and family, H. Welby and family, M. O. Nutter and Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Boynton, of Boston; Mr. and Mrs. Fairfield, Miss Taintor and Miss Emerson, from Newtonville; Winfield Rowe, E. E. Smart and W. R. Greene, of Waltham; Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Wilson, from North Star lodge, I. O. F.; Gladys Westgate, Mr. and Mrs. Wheelock and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Vaughn, of Fitchburg.

The School Economics club held their regular meeting at the school room on Thursday and were inspected by the state inspector, Mrs. Waterhouse, from Waterbury.

Rev. and Mrs. B. A. Willmont, of Roxbury, and Rev. and Mrs. Henry L. Wriston, of Boston, were at their respective summer homes on Townsend hill the first of the week.

Wiley Swinington, George Wilder, Joseph French, Carl Mudgett and Gilbert Estes, members of North Star lodge, I. O. F., attended the exemplification of the "Traveling Links" at the Gardner lodge on Tuesday evening. The Athol lodge presented the chain of links to the Gardner lodge. The chain has been traveling for fifteen years among forty-three lodges and originated with the Haverhill lodge. At the present time the chain is nine feet in length and as it is presented to the lodges in the chain three links with a gold heart, the chain having as a radiating center the emblem of the Haverhill lodge.

Phoebe Weston Farmer tent, D. of V. held their regular meeting on Tuesday evening. Readings appropriate for the 18th of April were given by Mrs. Hattie O'Brien, Mrs. Ella Wilson, Nellie Bywater, and Miss Memorial day and committees appointed by the president, Mrs. Mary MacMaster.

Miss Hazel Ballou, of Manchester, N. H., spent the week-end and the

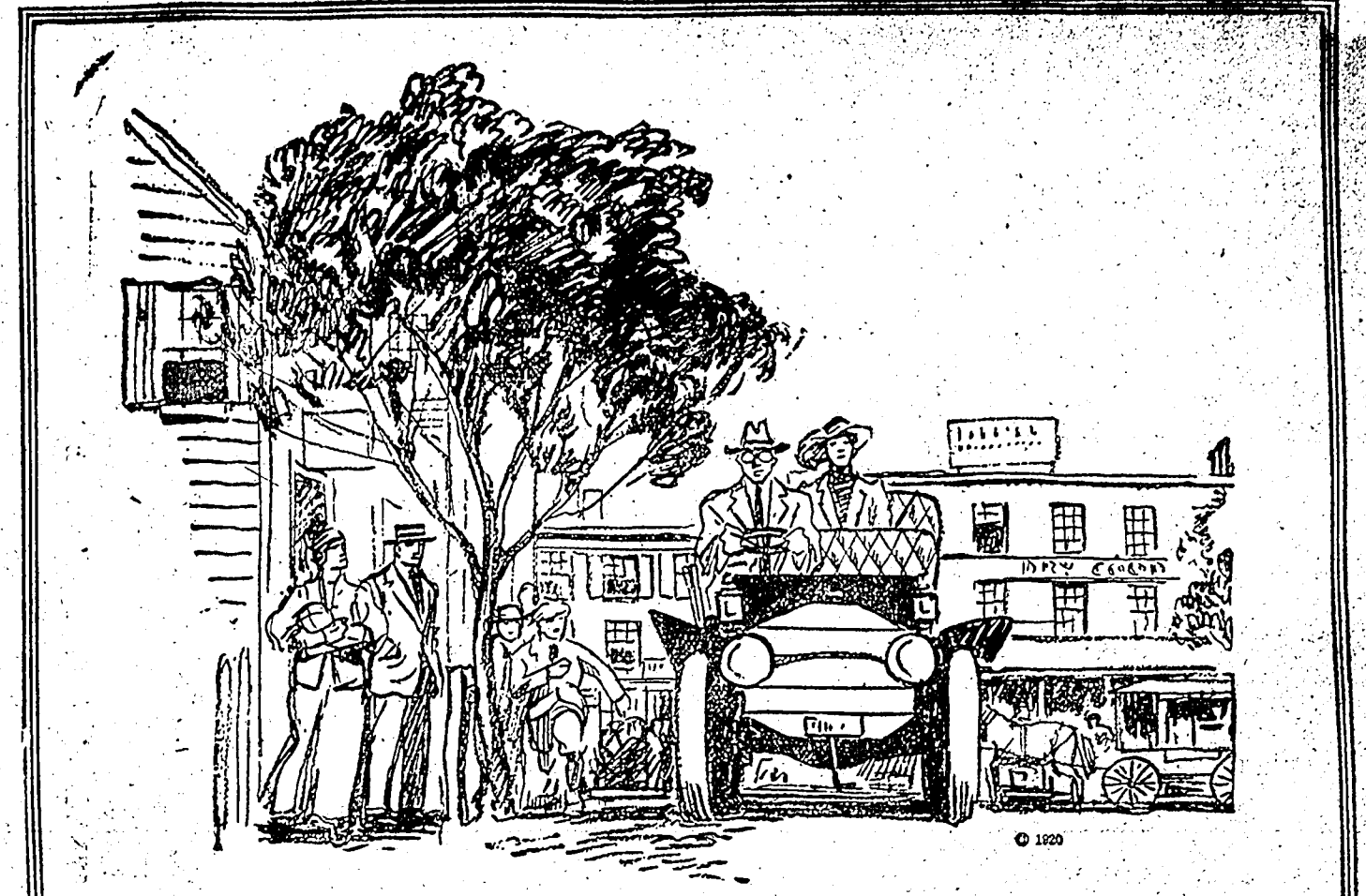
the week-end at the L. F. Wood place.

Ms. Clara Perkins, who with her sister, Mrs. Lizzie Glazier, has been spending the winter in Fitchburg, has recovered sufficiently from her severe illness to be discharged from the hospital, and she will be under treatment for several weeks, and has returned to her home for the summer.

Mrs. Sara Waters and Miss Callier, from Melrose, are stopping for the present at the Squannicook Inn.

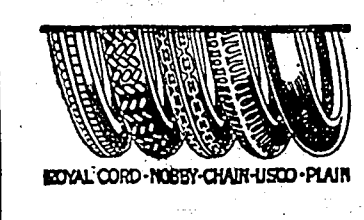
The teachers of the public schools spent the holiday at their homes—Mrs. Marie Lewis in West Berlin, Miss Haili Nyblykhan in Fitchburg, and Miss Georgiana Maynard in Pepperell.

Mrs. and Mrs. George Upton have been entertaining friends from Jamaica Plain.



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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS, Middlesex ss. Probate Court. To all persons interested in the estate of LEVI W. LITTLE, of said County, deceased, notice is hereby given that certain instruments purporting to be his will, and one codicil, of said deceased have been presented to said Court, for Probate by L. A. LAWE, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to her, the executor therein named, with giving a surety on her official bond.

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS, Middlesex ss. Probate Court. To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of BYRON H. LAWS late of Townsend in said County, deceased, notice is hereby given that a certain instrument purporting to be his last will and testament, and the executor therein named, with giving a surety on his official bond, have been presented to said Court, for Probate by CHARLES A. LAWE, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named, with giving a surety on his official bond. You are hereby cited to appear in said Court on the third day of May A. D. 1920, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

Saturday, April 24, 1920

Owing to the lack of space our correspondents will find some of their copy unavoidably omitted from this issue.

GROTON

Miss Dorothy Richardson spent the week-end with her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Crowley. The alarm for box 23, which was sounded on Monday, was sent in from a lookout station and the fire company did not locate any fire on their arrival. The Book and Thrift club met last week Friday afternoon with Mrs. Herbert Rockwood and discussed the question as to what the home of today need to know to fit them for the future. The next meeting will be held with Mrs. Marcella W. Parkhurst on Friday afternoon, April 30, topic, "Gen. Leonard Wood."

attendance, though a few were kept away for another meeting falling on this date. The members brought their own sewing and had a merry social in cutting out from Mrs. Sherwin, and some of the oldest class have helped us greatly by teaching. Without the good work Mrs. Sherwin and the interest and co-operation of the teachers the sewing school would be impossible, and we are very grateful for all they have done for us, and especially happy that they show such enthusiasm and appreciation. The following honor roll gives the names of those who were not present more than once from the school sessions: Amy Wright, Helen Moison, Elizabeth Miller, Helen Palmer, Elsie Cunningham, Alberta McCarthy, Helen Lawrence, Katherine Denby, Barbara Hadden, Gertrude Moison, Marie Frazee, Josephine Majenski, Ruth Bennett, Dorothy Stevens, Beatrice Palmer.

donations, were about \$15. The young people greatly appreciated the generous patronage of the citizens of the town who made the play financially successful. Miss Martin, assistant health officer of the Wachusett district, was present at the child welfare meeting on Wednesday. West Groton. Rev. Mr. Woodwell of West Medway supplied at the union church Sunday morning the evening services. He gave an address in the evening on the League of Nations from a moral and spiritual standpoint. Mr. Woodwell passed the last two winters in Washington, D. C., where he listened to many debates upon the subject. Charles Balcom has five foxes and 13 muskrats to his credit during the winter and spring. Little illness has been ill with bronchitis during the past week. Mrs. Charles Lawrence went to Alton, N. H., on Tuesday for a few days. Miss Emma Hall of Salem, N. H., is spending a week with her friend, Mrs. Woodwell.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Adams attended the wedding of Otis Clark, Mrs. Adams' brother, in Worcester Tuesday. Quite a delegation went over to Groton last week Friday night to attend the high school play, "Bachelor Hall," given by the senior class. Everyone agreed that it was one of the best plays ever given in Groton. Mrs. Harold Durant of Pepperell visited her sister, Mrs. Charles Balcom, on Tuesday. Rev. William Ganley spent Sunday in New Hampshire. Miss Hazel Bates visited in Boston on Saturday. Rev. William Ganley, Mrs. G. H. Bixby, and Mrs. N. H. Nutt attended the conference of Congregational churches in West Acton Wednesday. George Curdury of Dorchester visited at Dr. Samuel Dorchester's on Monday. Norman Dodge and Vera Donovan were week-end guests at the home of Mrs. D. F. Donovan in Gardner. Mr. and Mrs. Webster and Mrs. Carl Kaddy and two children spent the holiday in "Down's."

Guests in town over Sunday and the holiday were: Henry Lindall of Rosindale at C. E. E. Blood's; Kirkwood Lawrence, Mrs. William Atchley and Florence MacTier of Wollaston at Charles Lawrence's; Mrs. M. J. Shepley and the Misses Lorraine and Marjorie Stone of Waltham at Mrs. George E. Wood's; Mrs. May Hood of Lowell at Mrs. B. H. Burgess'; A. F. Cottrell of South Manchester, Conn., at Mrs. A. J. Harrington's; Thomas Doyon of Greenfield at Mrs. W. G. Bixby's; Mrs. Florence Briggs of Dover at E. K. Harrington's; Gregory Smith of Tufts college at P. E. Smith's; Robert Bates of Andover at Mrs. W. G. Bixby's; Bixby of West Lynn at W. V. Bixby's; Miss Edith Wright of Maynard, Miss Marian Mollish of Aliston and Edward Lawrence of West Acton at Mrs. E. W. Edwars' Mollish's; Mrs. Sullivan and little daughter of Ayer at Mrs. Daniel Sherwin's; Chester Hill of Fitchburg at Mrs. Mary Parkman's; Mrs. W. G. Bixby and Ruth Kane of Boston at P. W. Kane's; Clarence Small and Doris Humiston of Brookville and Mrs. Helen Ellison of Greenville at Mrs. K. A. Barbel's; Mrs. Hobart of Nashua spent Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Phineas Parker. Little Julia Robichaud is visiting at the home of Mrs. Y. H. Blood. Mrs. Hartwell plans to move from the cottage on Pepperell road, where she has lived for several years, to the house on Main street, which is soon to be vacated by Elliot Blood and his family. AYER News Items. The woman's club observed its Neighborhood Improvement society of the Groton, Shirley and Groton were present. The heavy rain of the day prevented the usual program of other clubs from being present. The speaker was Barton Pogue, subject, "The Cur of the Mouth and its Relation to Health." Miss Schmidt followed Mr. Griswold and gave a clear and instructive talk on the teeth and their relation to health, which were sufficiently humorous to amuse as well as instruct. She spoke of the structure of the teeth, the great importance of their proper care, the decay and the proper foods to nourish the body and produce good teeth. The teeth, she said, were to form our faces, help us to eat and speak, and she told the story of the toothbrush in a most convincing way and was warmly applauded. Miss Cullen announced that the next speaker's address would be on "Methicraft," and expressed her willingness to teach a class of girls on this subject if they would give their names to their teachers, who would then refer them to Miss Miss Dickinson, founder of the Girls' Health league, then gave a most instructive talk on the work of this league and described the pictures of the children in the class. Mrs. Richardson and Mrs. Peabody, who were present, were given a course of twelve lessons and after they have attended three of them are given a button to wear. She also had charge of the Japanese, Alaskan and Indian children caring for babies, and other pictures of the class-rooms and playgrounds where girls are instructed in motherly duties and how to be of great help in their homes after being taught the proper way to care for babies. Miss Dickinson asked how many girls present would like to have a sewing class and a number volunteered who will form a class under Miss Cullen's charge. In the course of this interesting talk of the service in the chapel at reception was held at the residence of Rev. and Mrs. Peabody in the group of school buildings. Mr. Davidson and his bride will marry at home in New York. The bride, who is the youngest daughter of Rev. and Mrs. Peabody, has another sister who is married; Mrs. William B. Parks, Jr., of New York. The bridegroom, Mr. Davidson, who left his course unfinished at college to enter war service, organized the United States navy. He was severely injured as the result of a fall from a scapline at Huntington, L. I., and became disabled for continued war service. He was later awarded the navy war cross. Following his naval service Mr. Davidson took up the study of law at Columbia university law school. His father is a member of the New York firm of J. P. Morgan & Co. The family has a summer estate at Locust Valley, L. I.

On last Saturday afternoon the sewing school held its annual picnic at the home of the senior's work. A number of the mothers and friends of the children came to see the finished work of the school and to see the report of the school year, which was read by Mrs. John Lawrence, as follows: "The work of the sewing school this winter has been much hampered by the weather, which has interfered seriously with the attendance, and by the fact that a good many girls have been sick with heavy colds. In spite of these handicaps our attendance record has been 48 3/10. The largest attendance any one day was 60. Eighty-eight pieces of work have been finished, and for the first time pieces turned in. In the last three years we have sent many garments to the children of Belgium and France and this year the children of Poland, who are suffering from the war in which the

years ago, it was found that the pine boards of which it was made showed decay, but when the boards were taken out and the water rushing through during the long term of service. George Sullivan has imported a lot of Belgian hares, and a pair of pigs and pigs from New York. Miss Isabel Ewens of the North Reading State Normal is visiting at Mrs. M. E. Baldwin's. "Be glad" and meet Mary Pickford in "Pollyanna" at the Strand, Ayer, Tuesday, April 27. Accident. Harold F. Gray, who on the battle fields of France had many a hair breadth escape, never had a narrower one than on last Tuesday afternoon in East Pepperell when the truck he was driving was struck by a south bound train from Groton. Mr. Gray is one of the company operating the Brookside laundry and drives the truck collecting and delivering. Before reaching the Pleasant street crossing, where the accident occurred, the engine of the train struck the truck near the front end and knocked it into a ditch, then the drive shaft of the engine struck the truck and turned it turtle. When the truck stopped it was 10 feet from where it was first struck. From beneath the mass of wreckage Mr. Gray, after partially regaining consciousness, worked his way out. The steering wheel behind which he had been sitting was broken and its post drove into the seat, the gasoline tank had been under the seat was ten degrees tilted when the truck was struck, who saw the accident and a physician was soon in attendance. After an examination by the doctor found no bones broken, he took his patient in his car and brought him to the home of his partner, Mrs. M. E. Baldwin, in Groton. The doctor Mr. Gray was able to get into the house. Although on account of the accident he was confined to the bed, his physician is looking for a speedy recovery. It was a year and three months ago that Mrs. Gray returned from overseas. The truck is a ruin, the only parts unbroken are its wheels. SHIRLEY News Items. Mrs. C. W. Marshall, who has been seriously ill the past winter, is now slowly recovering and her many friends who have not fully recognized the seriousness of her illness will be pleased to know that she is now able to sit up a little each day and receive her friends for a while. Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Weeks of Boston have been staying at their home here in Groton since their return from Europe. Mr. and Mrs. Peter Pierce and son Roger left Thursday to visit relatives in Ludlow, Vt. "Be glad" and meet Mary Pickford in "Pollyanna" at the Strand, Ayer, Tuesday, April 27. Center. Robin Mackaye, of Harvard university, is spending a week's vacation in Groton. Robert H. J. Holden went to Nashua on Wednesday evening with a party from Ayer and attended the banquet and meeting of the Mountain Rites Masonic bodies on that evening. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Dodge and family were in town spending the winter holidays. They are moving back to their home here this week, and expect to be shortly settled by the end of the week. The Burnhams of Revere are spending a few days at their summer home at Westville. The many friends of Rev. Arthur L. Bumpus, of Hewlett, N. Y., who spends his summer here, and who was formerly vicar at St. Andrew's church in Ayer, will be sorry to hear of the death of their friend, which occurred at Groton, Quincy, Thursday. The funeral services will be held on Saturday afternoon from Christ Episcopal church in Quincy. LITTLETON News Items. Miss Henrietta Pratt, of Waltham, was holiday guest of Miss M. H. Kimball. Mr. and Mrs. Perley McGregor and son Robert, from Medford Hillside, have visited the George Cash and Ivo Russell families this week. "Be glad" and meet Mary Pickford in "Pollyanna" at the Strand, Ayer, Tuesday, April 27. Mr. Thomas N. Ayers underwent a successful operation for gall stones at St. Joseph's hospital, Nashua, Monday, and at present is doing well. Sixty cartons of crushed stone for the new bed on Great road, near North Littleton station, and a gang of Italian workmen are busy on the job on Thursday of this week. F. H. Hill is at home for his vacation of two weeks. Miss Mabel Dewey lacerated her hand badly in a window at the factory and had to call in the doctor to care for her wound, which required several stitches. Mark Soley called the doctor on Wednesday night to a thumb which he nearly cut off. Samuel Oddy has been very sick with an infection from which he has not yet recovered. The Grange meeting on Wednesday evening was largely attended. The speaker was the Rev. Mr. Woodwell, who was not present, but a good program was given and well received. Mrs. Thomas A. Oddy of Groton, who has been reading Miss Nellie Calahan read a chapter of the Grange paper which she had written. The Grange will meet on Wednesday at Groton Grange to neighbor with Littleton Grange. Mrs. M. E. Donald was reported sick and Mrs. Donald was reported at St. Joseph's hospital in Nashua. The remainder of the evening was spent in a social way. HARVARD News Items. The feature picture at the motion picture show this Saturday evening will be "The quickening flame." What was the quickening flame? Who felt the soul-stirring touch? These questions are answered in the new World pictures bearing the unusual title "The quickening flame." Two famous and immensely popular stars are seen in big roles in this picture. They are Montagu Love and June Eldrige. You'll like this picture and you'll like the roles enacted by these stars. New Advertisements SHEPHERD PUPS FOR SALE—Good watchdogs, intelligent, companionable. H. H. STORER, Jr., Groton, Mass. Telephone 14-2. DAHLIA BULBS FOR SALE—\$1 per dozen—all colors. "MINNIE M. BARTON," West Groton, Mass. 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Saturday, April 24, 1920

AYER

News Items

Frank H. Butterfield is engaged in installing an electro-dramatic plant in Nashua, N. H., for the General Electric Company of Boston.

John Traquair left Wednesday noon for Chillicothe, Ohio, for an indefinite stay on business.

Miss Evelyn Sanderson left last Saturday for a short visit with friends in Williamstown. She returned home on Wednesday.

At the Baptist church—Preaching at 10.45 a. m. subject "Why save the Lord's day?"

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District Court. Elwin F. Kemp, of Groton, was before the court on Wednesday morning.

Mary Pickford. 'You'll learn the glad game too.' 'POLLYANNA' in her latest picture of sunshine and charm.

Board of Trade on Wednesday evening. Hazel Miller, Phyllis Brown and Pearl O'Mara have already decided to join the canning club.

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New Items. The Brotherhood of the Congregational church will hold its regular meeting in evening on Monday evening, April 26th.

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of the secretary and treasurer were read and accepted, the business of the meeting—the election of officers, and arrangements for Memorial day work were taken up.

Enjoyable Social. The third and last number of the community socials was held in the town hall on Monday evening and was attended and enjoyed by an audience which filled every available seat in the hall.

New Advertisements. FOR SALE—A Russian Brass Plate Harness, Sully and Top; also, Hildebrandt, D.H.C. FOX, AYER, Telephone 209-3.

LUNENBURG. Several of our patriots attended the demonstrations in Fitchburg on Patriots' day and several more attended their daily exercises.

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school team. William Blood featured in the afternoon play by a three base hit...

Pomona Grange Meeting. The Middlesex-Worcester Pomona Grange met with Prescott Grange on Thursday of last week with a large attendance...

At noon a bountiful grange dinner was served under the direction of Mrs. Mary Grace Brock of Groton...

Church Notes. On Sunday the opening service at the Community church school will be held...

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At the Methodist church on Sunday morning the usual services were held...

An excellent audience enjoyed the stereopticon lecture given by the pastor at the church on last Sunday evening...

Announcement has been received of the marriage of Herbert W. Lynch, formerly of this town...

WEST ACTON. Misses Edith and Grace Winslow, of Waltham, and W. A. Seaverns, of Scituate, were married on Sunday...

Baseball Notes. The game between the Tigers and high school freshmen was played on Wednesday...

On Friday of last week the game was between the two junior teams of the Groton and Grotton schools...

Harvard. Beginning on Sunday the new day-light saving will be in order. Churches will begin at 10:45 new time.

The Harvard Canning and Evaporating club gave a farewell dance party on Saturday evening...

Miss Edna Robinson visited relatives in Hudson on Sunday and Monday.

Miss Annie Haskell visited relatives in Nashua last week Friday.

Mrs. Richard Sheafe, of New Corners, Ohio, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Sheafe...

Mrs. Ruth and Vera Willard spent the holiday with relatives in Winchester.

Miss Lena A. Brown, of Boxborough, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Jennie Willard...

Mrs. Clark and daughter Esther, of Ayer, and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Stone, of Waltham, were at Mr. Stone's summer home...

Melvin Cobleigh of Boston with two friends spent the holiday with Nelson Cobleigh...

Miss Marjorie Proctor of Littleton was a holiday guest at the Polands.

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Miss Gladys Williams was at her home in town over the holiday, entertaining Mr. McDonald of Fitchburg...

Mr. and Mrs. Loran Sanford returned to their home in Beverly on last week Friday...

Miss Margaret Boynton spent Sunday and the holiday with her mother, Mrs. Ida Boynton...

Rev. D. R. Child and family were in town the first of the week, leaving the oldest son, Master Donald, on Wednesday afternoon...

Miss Mary Schaff returned to her home in New Haven, Conn., last Saturday, after a week spent with friends here and in Townsend...

Miss Madeline Murray and friend, Miss Madeline Marden, from Boston, spent the week-end and holiday at the Murray home on River street...

The Ready Workers circle of Acoma Rebekah lodge met with Mrs. E. J. Davis on Thursday of last week...

Miss Irene Saiter took in the performance of "The Girl in the Sun" at the motion picture show at the Colonial theatre in Nashua last week...

Mr. and Mrs. George Allen, of Worcester, and Misses Florence Nevens and Mabel Conn, of Lowell, were here guests at the home of Mrs. W. W. Gillespie...

suffering from rheumatism. Her mother, Mrs. Williams, is ill with bronchitis in Boston...

Mr. and Mrs. C. Fred March, from Springfield, were guests with Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Maul over Sunday and the holiday...

Guy Rouse, from Leominster, spent the week-end at his old home in town. Mrs. Erbert Williams returned last week Friday from Hanover...

Mr. and Mrs. George T. Greenhugh and Mr. and Mrs. George Page, who have been in the Page farm the latter part of last week, returned to Pawtucket, R. I., by auto, Sunday morning...

J. B. Henderson was at his summer place over the week-end from Boston. Mr. and Mrs. Simonds and Miss Alice, from Winter Hill, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. George W. S. Adams over Sunday...

Mr. and Mrs. Nell McWilliams were at their home on Franklin street over the week-end and holiday, returning to Lawrence on Monday afternoon...

Miss H. Elizabeth Shattuck came from Bristol, N. H., where she is teaching, to pass the week-end with her parents at Brookdale farm, Nashua street...

The Winch place on Main street, near the Fitchburg station, has been sold by the owner, William N. Maul, to William Ruppender of West Groton...

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Blenn, from Gardner, Me., came Monday afternoon to make their home with their daughter, Mrs. E. B. Patterson and family, and intend to settle here if they find a small place to suit them...

farm. It is anticipated that there will be "something doing" in the line of gardening and poultry raising at that time...

Mrs. Roswell Lawson is recovering from a nasal operation performed by Dr. Kittredge at Nashua hospital on Wednesday morning...

The household goods of Wisner Partridge from Concord on Tuesday by auto truck and Mrs. Park and child are now occupying the rooms fitted up for them by Mrs. J. A. Donnelly at her large residence on Main street...

The Elijah Reed place on Mr. Lebanon has been bought by Edwin H. Walker, son of E. D. Walker, who has a home in the same locality. Young Mr. Walker intends to make it into a fruit farm and is planning for a thousand apple trees...

Mrs. Chester Mills, who spent a part of last week at her home on Pleasant street, returned here on last Saturday permanently...

Mrs. B. K. Humphrey and son Ames, from Haverhill, visited at the home of Mrs. William Sweet, Pleasant street, over the holiday...

The Oak Hill society are planning to hold a social on Friday, April 23, at 7 o'clock on Thursday evening, April 22. The committee are Carl Lawrence, chairman, Emma Thompson, secretary, and the following: Mrs. Parker, Mrs. Blood, Mrs. Atkinson, Mrs. Atkinson, Mrs. Atkinson...

Soldiers' Day. Soldiers' day was fittingly observed by the D. A. R. on Monday afternoon, April 19, at the home of Mrs. Tower, who with Mrs. Barrett, was hostess for the occasion...

Delicious refreshments of college loaves and cake were served, Miss Doyle assisting the hostess. The program opened by the singing of the hymn and closed with the "Battle hymn of the republic." The vice regent, Mrs. L. A. Boynton, presided.