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Ayer, Mass., Saturday, June 11, 1921

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The fire department was called out Monday shortly before moon on account of a fire-on the roof of the coal

ter for the locomoti**ves. Th**e firemen soon had the flam**es unde**r control. No serious damage **resulted.**

Mrs. William J. Pelletier is ill with

diphtheria.

Alexander S. Gibb, a former member of a Canadian regiment in the world war and the holder of several decorations for bravery, has returned to Ayer, where he formerly spent some months and was well known to social and fraternal circles. Mr. Gibb has been employed by the Emerson Phonograph Company as a traveling salesman, but is temporarily laid off on account of a shut-down of the company's plant.

Col. Frank L. Horn, of Northfield Vt., visited his niece, Mrs. George Knowles, East Main stret, Monday.

Albert Knowles, of Providence, R., spent Monday with his brother, ergt. George Knowles.

Webster Harrington, who has been in charge of the E. E. Gray store in Leominster, has been transferred by the company to Malden, where he will be in charge of their store in that city. This change brings Mr. Harrington a substantial increase in salary.

Among the Ayer Masons who attended the frolic and outing of Milford Council, Knights of Birmingham, at Milford, N. H., Thursday, were Dr. E. B. Butterfield, Frank A. Cash, Horatio C. Chase, Timothy Cleary, A. Paul Fillebrown, Harry H. Lynch, Kenneth M. MacLennan and Kimball W. Martin.

The attendance in the Unitarian church school last Sunday was 65%. The Beacon class had a perfect attendance

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Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Scruton
Mrs. Augusta D. Scruton, Mrs. William N. Scruton and Ruel Scruton attended the funeral of a cousin, Mrs.
Isaac Allard, in Lowell, Monday.

\$1.00, \$1.50 and \$1.75 Shirts and Drawers, Fine Balbriggan

50¢ and \$1.00 Boys' Union Suits

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The Ladies' Benevolent society of the Federated church will hold a reception to the aged and shut-ins of the parish in the vestry on Tuesday afterneon, June 14, at 2.30 o'clock. Mrs. George H. Leavitt is in charge of the avrangements. 50c, 65c, 75c and \$1.00

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The Ayer A A. crossed bats with the Whitney carriage shop ball nine Sunday at the Ayer town park, in which the latter came through with a ninth inning rally and defeated the Ayer boys, 6 to 3.

The local team started off with three runs in the first inning for a good lead and things looked easy until the carriage boys started in to wallop the ball out in the pines. The first two runs scored by Leominster were homers. Davidson and Pitroff were the battery for Leominster, while Downing and Lang held the job for Ayer. In the ninth inning Pitroff got a clean two-base hit with two men on, and both scored, and later was

scored by another two-base hit. Errors for the town nine cost them two runs.

Tom Burrill covered left field for Ayer and spoiled one nice long fly that looked like another home run, catching it right out of the trees. Smith from Camp Devens held down third base in an able manner and managed to hit the apple every time at the bat. Leominster's fielders were on the Job every minute and ruined every long hit to the field for counting up for the Ayer nine,

Another game is to be played with the Leominster team, at a date to be announced later.

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Saturday, June 11, 1921

WESTFORD

eq nis examinations which make him a junior for next year.

The following members have been chosen to serve as the calendar committee of the Tadmuck club, next year: Mrs. George F. White, Miss Ruth Tuttle, Mrs. Perley E. Wright and Mrs. L. W. Wheeler.

w. Wheeler.
Children's day will be observed at the Congregational church on Sunday unless the weather should prove too unfavorable. A large attendance is looked for as a program by the children is enjoyed by all.

A good meeting was enjoyed at the Congregational church on Wednesday evening under the leadership of Miss Loker, her subject being "Christian service." The meeting for next week will be in charge of Mrs. Charles H.

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Much credit for the success of the day is due to the various teachers who trained the pupils for their parts in the exercises, and to the public health nurse. Miss Lord, who carried out the plans of the board of health.

The posters which received the prizes or honorable mention will be on exhibition at the library for the coming week so that those who were not able to go to Forge Village will be able to get them.

About Town.

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Faward M. and John M. Abbot, who own and operate the Park Worsted mills on Meadowbrook street.

were among those in attendance at the informal reception given last Sat-urday to Luther Conant, of Acton, it his ninetleth birthday anniver-

Mrs. Charles Cushing has been at tending the commencement exercises of Lasell seminary in Auburndale. Osgood Blaney, of Boston, was a tives at the recent session, serving on the committee on railroads. Twenty years ago he was also in the legisla-ture. He has just received an imture. He has just received an important federal appointment in Boston. Dr. C. A. Blaney, of Westford, is a nephew.

Past masters' night was observed at the last meeting of the Grange. An entertainer had been engaged for the evening, but was much nissed in not making an appearance. Home talent helped supply the missing link. Amos Polly had early peas for din-ner on Wednesday, June 8. This is earlier by one week than anything before in the valley.

Center.

On Monday afternoon Miss Grace Ranny was pleasantly surprised by her friends with a miscellaneous shower given in anticipation of her approaching marriage. An entertainment of the Townsend on Wednesday.

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Hanscomb, which is a guarantee that the evening will be well cared for.

Mrs. Emma (Tower) Pickering died in Albany, N. Y., on last week Wednesday, aged seventy years. Burial was in Fairview cemetery at sunset last week Friday. Rev. William E. Anderson conducted the service at the grave. The bearers were W. J. Burbeck, F. A. Burbeck, Harry Prescott and Robert Prescott, nephews. Mrs. Pickering was one of nine daughters of the late Eli and May (Fletcher) Tower, and was born at the old Tower homestead on the Lowell road, now occupied by Frank C. Drew. She was one of the bright and genial schoolars of the old Stony Brook school and is well and pleasantly remembered by all the older scholars, who will recall her as a most genial schoolmate in those bygone days. She was active in the social life of the town and an attendant the Unitarian church. She leaves two children, Mrs. May Smith and Leon Pickering, three grandchildren and two sisters, Mrs. John Burbeck and Mrs. Noah Prescott.

ton, was present and ready with helpful suggestions to mothers for the care of their children.

In the afternoon an entertainment was given by the school children. The program was as follows: Piano solo, Maude Whitely; health exercise, first grade, Frost school; toothbrush drill second grade, Cameron school; health song, fourth and fifth grades, Sargent school; Walter Camp exercises, Parkerville school; "Passing of the littlest pageant." Cameron school. Two moving picture films on the subject of health, provided by the State Department of Health, were shown. Dr. Simpson, of Lowell, gave a short talk on health, after which the prizes for the health cartoon contest were presented by Alexander A, Cameron.

This contest has been occupying the attention of all children in the town, from the sfourth to the eighth grades for the past two weeks. To arouse interest in the subject the board of health offered ten dollars in prizes for the best health suggestions illustrated by a drawing. Under the efficient guidance of a drawing teacher, Miss Millard, the pupils made good illustrations on the methods of obtaining and preserving health. The judges were Dr. Simpson of Lowell, Miss Ashlev of Boston and Miss Martin of Lynn. The first prize of five dollars went to Ruth Swenson, age 12, grade 7, Frost school, the second to

Mrs. Owen McNiff and Russell Fur-bush have recently returned from a delightful visit spent at Alton Bay, N. H.

military Funeral.

The funeral of Private Aldat J. Langley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Langley, and a member of the 95th aero squadron, who died in France and whose body arrived here Sunday, took place from the rooms of Westford post. A. L., at the Center, Monday morning at nine octock. The flag-draped casket reposed on an army caisson from Battery B, Lowell, that was drawn by four horses in charge of World Warlong, Privates Joseph Perkins and Joseph Costello were guards of honor. The bearers representing the army were Frank Charlton, Walter Beche, John Healy and Walter Blanchard, and those representing the navy were Edward T. Hanley, James McNiff, Edward Healy and Alfred Hughes, Members of Westford post, A. L., Frank C. Johnson, commander, accompanied the body to Graniteville, where they were met by the Abbot Worsted Co. band, and continued through the principal streets of the town to St. Catherine's church in West Graniteville, where a solemn high funeral mass was celebrated by the pastor, Rev. Charles P. Heaney, with Rev. J. Emile Dupont as deacon and Rev. John J. Linehan as sub-deacon. The full choir was in attendance, under the direction of Miss Mary F. Hanley. The solos were sustained by Miss Rebecca Leduc. Every available place in the church was filled and many were unable to get inside.

After the services in the church the line of march was again formed and the long procession proceeded to St. Catherine's cemetery, where the committal service for the dead was held. R. J. McCartny, chief ranger of Court Graniteville, F. of A., headed a large delegation and read the Foresters' service for the dead was held. R. J. McCartny chief ranger of Court Graniteville, F. of A., headed a large delegation and read the Foresters' service for the dead was held. R. J. McCartny chief ranger of Court Graniteville, F. of A., headed a large delegation and read the Foresters' service for the dead with the first westfor Military Funeral.

LITTLETON

News Items.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Flagg have gone to Indiana this week to be with his sister. Mrs. Lilla Flagg Perby, who has been ill for a few weeks past.

The senior C. m. is one condition.

After June 6 the pastor will be intown for the summer.

The annual roll call of the church is slated for Wednesday, June 15. Support and cutertainment at 6.00 for lowed

of the most skiliful men and women performers, the Ringling Brothers have added, without additional charge, the most sensational of wild beast displays. Not only will you see the artists who occupy the three rings, five stages, the great hippodrome track and the aerial rigging in the tent top, but four spacious steel arenas filled with wild beasts as well.

Tigers riding peaceably on the backs of elephants, black-maned African lions springing to and from kahoping horses. great troupes of polar bears walking ropes or playing at see-saw, leopards jumping through hoops of fire—these are some of the marvelous things that these wonderful animais do. While these beautiful creatures are under absolute coatrol, they are prosented only in great arenas of steel. Elsewhere in the mant tent you will see camels performing much after the fashion of horses—an act never before presented anywhere. There are five troupes of trained scale, whole bevies of remarkable dogs, mankeys, pigs, and pigeons. Twenty-sax elephants will perform at one time. Others will do tricks at the top of high pedestals and others circle, the entire tent, kicking footballs as they go. Splendid groups of trained stallions. Shetlands and menage horses form another feature. Aside from the dume actors are fully 600 men and women stars, and nearly 100 clowns. A gorgeous tournament opens the program. The menagerie, which is entirely separate from the animals used in the encus performance, is the biggest ever traveled.

The circus will be in Lowell, Friday, June 24.

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tending to wear it out of round which causes leakage and slip or reduced efficiency. The wear on the packing of a horizontal pump is much greater than a vertical triplex pump on account of the plungers due to weight of same bearing down on the packing.

The size of the Horizontal Duplex Pump is 8 in. diameter by 18 in. stroke or 16 gallons per revolution of the crank shaft or about 45 revolutions per minute to deliver 700 gallons per minute, which is the requirement in the pump that your committee decided upon first, namely the Rumsey Triplex Vertical Pump which will run at 35 revolutions per minute which is over 20 per cent. less speed than the Blake Duplex Horizontal Pump. See that the Blake Duplex Horizontal Pump. The piston travel on the Blake Duplex Horizontal Pump.

In the Rumsey Triplex Vertical Pump which which upon investigation we think is too high. Authorities agree that piston speed is about 50 feet per minute or over 40 per cent. better than the Blake Duplex Horizontal Pump. The piston travel on the Blake Duplex Horizontal Pump was that he should have the contract to install his pump because he had the Slip Ring motor. The only point that we could find against the Squirrel Cage motor. The only point that we could find against the Squirrel Cage motor when starting must be careful in the starting. This is taken care of however, by having a bli-pass valve attached to the pump. The piston travel on that a squirrel Cage motor. We take the pump high with a greater than the Silp Ring motor and the salid of the pump men that we calked with agreed that if the operator was careful and a bl-pass valve attached to the pump. That here

A great married was choosed at the control of the c outal.

The Dean I imp is a vertical or uptable, single pear 12x12, price \$\$550.

The Runsey Pump is a two gear three yinder pump 12x12, price \$10,485.

The Demming is a two gear three yinder pump 12x12, price \$10,485.

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The Gould is a single pear three yinder pump 12x12, price \$98002.

The Gould is a single pear three yinder pump 12x12, price \$9850.

We found that the average for all the Vertical Pumps that we investigated for pumping 300,000 gallons of water in eight hours, would be about \$18 per day. Without hesitation your committee decides that jt would be Blake or two cylinder pump \$x18. mittee produced a letter from the same agent wherein he states that it would only cost \$16.80. In good plain terms

of a drawing leader, Miss Missed in the Stony Report valley general methods of admission and account of the stony of the s

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The next question that your committee considered was whether the nump should be operated by a direct connection with the motor or by a belt. After considering the matter, going to pumping station and attaining measurements your committee were unanimous in the fact that the nonly advisable thing was a direct connection between the pump and the motor.

The prices that we have set forth for the Rumsey and Demming is for a Squirrel Cage 75 h. p. motor connecting direct with the pump. The price for the Blake Duplex Horizontal Pump is for a Slip Ring Motor connecting direct with the pump. These prices do not cover the foundation in any case. The town, whatever pump is selected, must put in the foundation but the price does call for the pump installed on the town foundation. As near as we can find to put in a proper foundation for any of the pumps would coat approximately. n a proper foundation for any of the pumps would cost approximately \$200. In conclusion your committee or a majority of your committee without hesitation recommend that the town install a Rumsey Triplex Vertical Two Gear Pump contected discontinuous and the state of the content of o or a majority of your committee without hesitation recommend that the town install a Rumsey Triplex Vertical Two Gear Pump, connected direct with a 75 h. p. Squirrel Cage Motor (new) at the price given above of \$8535 with a second choice of the Demming Two Gear Triplex Vertical Pump, direct connected to 75 h. p. Squirrel Cage Motor (new) for \$10,485. Either one of these two pumps would give the town of Ayer a pumping equipment capable of pumping one million gallons of water every twenty-four hours.

We feel that the Town of Ayer need appropriate no further money unless

We feel that the Town of Ayer need appropriate no further money unless they see fit to purchase the Demming Pump above recommended as second choice, because the Water Commissioners with the \$7000 that was appropriated last year at a special town meeting should have sufficient money to install a pump suitable for the town. own. Your committee feels that they can

be of no further service to the Town of Ayer and asks that they be discharged JOHN D. CARNEY,

WALDO W. SPRAGUE, ELWIN H. LONGLEY. EDWARD O. PROCTOR, Special Committee. I concur in this report with the exception that I am in favor of a Demming Pump.

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itors and all other persons interested in the estate of EILEN R. WILLARD, late of Harvard in said County decrased, intestate.

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to EIEANOR A. MERRI-FIELD of Harvard in said County of Worcester, without giving a surety on her bond.

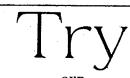
You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Worcester, in said County of Worcester on the twenty-first day of June A. D. 1921, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Harvard Hillside, a newspaper published in Ayer, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court.

Witness, William T. Forbes, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this twenty-eighth day of May in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one.

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.
To the helrs-at-law, next of kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of FRANCIS M. NASH, late of Pepperell in said County, deceased, intestate.

Whereas a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to HANNAH C. MASON of Pepperell in the County of Middlesex, without giving a surety on her bond.
You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the twentieth day of June A. D. 1921, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks. In The Pepperell Clarlon-Advertiser, a newspaper published in said County, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court.

Witness, George F. Lawton, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this first day of June in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one,

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To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interceted in the estate of Millel H. Parker, late of Shiriey in said County, deceased.

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Gourt, for probate, by FRANK A. NEWELL, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him, the executor therein named.

You are hereby clied to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge in said County of Middlesex, on the fourteenth day of June A. D. 1921, 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 cliation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Shirley Oracle, a newspaper published in said County, the last publication to be one day, at least before said Court, and by malling, post-paid, or delivering a copy of this cliation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court, Witness, George F. Lawton, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twenty-third day of May in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one.

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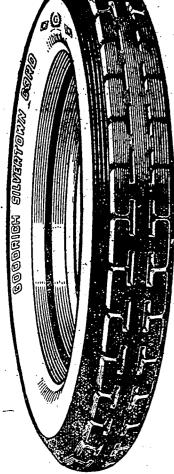
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At a meeting held in the town hall last week, comprising present and past members of the fire department, the Harvard Veteran Firemen's association was duly organized. All present and past members of the fire department are eligible to membership. It is now planned to run a series of dances to raise a fund to be used to fit up quarters in the lower town hall as a clubroom for the association. The first dance is to be given on Friday evening, June 17, with a good orchestra. The veteran firemen will be on hand to give everyone a good time.

Last week, on an order signed by Judge Smith, of Clinton. Constable William Hanna, accompanied by our nurse. Miss Lillian Frost, took Miss Lottie Ham to the hospital at Tewksbury. Commitment papers read to the Norfolk county hospital, but upon arrival there they were sent to Foxboro, and from there they were sent to Tewksbury.

The Alliance will meet with Mrs.

The Alliance will meet with Mrs. Wilfred Parkinson for an all-day meeting on Thursday, June 16. New names for membership in the Woman's club shall be in the hands of the corresponding secretary, Mrs. Carolyn Frost, on or before the second Monday of each month.

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The following books have been received at the public library: "Pilgrim trails," a Plymouth to Provincetown sketch-book; "The rising tide of color against white world supremacy," Lothrop Stoddard; "The life of Whitelaw Reid," Royal Cortissoz: "Montagu Wycherly," L. A. Parker; "The strange year," a juvenile, by E. O. White. The story-telling this week Friday was for the younger children.

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The Edward Thomas post, from their benefit dance, turned over to their sick comrade, Irving Taylor, the sum of \$150 as a token of their appreciation of his service in the world war. It was a noble idea and is certainly very commendable on the part of the boys who made this affair a success.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Avery are at Mr. and Mrs. Chester Avery are at the Avery bungalow, Bare hill pond, or the summer.

Next Saturday at town hall the feature will be Alice Brady in "The Sinner" from the great play by Oren Davis. This is a great play and Miss Brady is always goods. A health and priceless gift of health. Pathe News. Moving Pictures at Forge Village every Saturday evening at 7.45.

Shaker House Opened.

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Miss Clara Endicott Sears opened the Shaker house on last Saturday. This house, known recently as the men's shop at the Church Family at Shaker Village, but originally the office building, was purchased by Miss Sears and moved to her estate on Prospect hill, and placed near "Fruiltands." L. Kingston Savage had charge of the work. The house being located Miss Sears secured the horse block which was located at the South Family office, stone posts and flag stones were also brought from the village to enclose the lawn about the house. The stone stops which were originally placed by the Adams house at the south, and were trod many times by Mother Ann, the founder of the Shaker community, have also been transferred to this new location. The interior of the house is appropriately fitted with Shaker furniture, costumes and a splendid collection of enlarged photographs of such men as Elder Elifah, Elder John Whitely, Bro. Simon and some grand old ladies, Sister Catherine Walker, Eldress Annie, Eldress Louisa Green, Eldress Annie, Elderes There are also rooms showing the industries of the sisters and brothers.

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The Harvard Historical society, with some other special guests, were invited to this opening. Miss Sears for will probably be permanent.

met all the guests as they arrived, and after exchange of greetings were taken into a large tent where she gave a description of the house and contents. The party then went over the house and enjoyed seeing the restoration and preservation of this Shaker memorial. Refreshments were served to the party.

This visit will be long remembered by those who had the pleasure and privilege of visiting this very interesting place. It will also be an invaluable spot to the town in general.

WEST ACTON

A good time.

From the Boston Globe of June 6:
"Will you pick that mess of peas for the 17th of June?" It will be interesting to the readers to know that right here in Harvard, on the Pergolas estate, the gardener, Mr. Scott, picked a mess of peas on May 30 and again on June 7 from peas planted in the open garden, no artificial heat of any kind being used.

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News Item.

Luther Conant, Acton's oldest mainersident, today was greeted by relatives and friends in the same house in which he was born ninety years ago and where he has always resided. Most of his life has been devoted to agriculture. He was town moderator for forty years and has served as selection and on the school committee. He is in excellent health, Mr. Conant's Boston banker, who lives in Brook-limited the proposition of the father, and Mrs. Herman W. Parker of Stoneham.

Joseph Patterson.

During the recent visit of Mrs. Maria Bird in West Andover she met her three sisters, Mrs. Susan Shedd, of that town: Mrs. Rhoda Davis, of Andover, and Miss Matilda Parkhurst, ofy Pepperell. It was the first time for some years that they had all been together, and they celebrated by a fine auto ride together, and by having their pictures taken in a group. Their united ages were 205 years. Mrs. Bird, who was accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. George Maynard, returned here on Friday of last week. Edward McCord and daughter.

from Boston this week.

John Fiske, the barber has purchased the Wright cottage on High street now occupied by Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Shepardson and will occupy it as soon as possible. The tenement now occupied by the Fiskes on Cottage street is wanted by Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Dexter, and if they move from High street their tenement is wanted by Mr. and Mrs. Logan, who have been living in the cottage house of Mrs. W. A. Kemp, and this has been sold to the Shepardsons. It is something of a puzzle how all the moving is to be accomplished without inconvenience.

Brig.-Gen. Mark L. Hersey, BIR.-Gen. MARK L. Hersey, commander at Camp Devens, addressed the high schol pupils last week, speaking particularly to the boys concerning the summer training camp to be established at Camp Devens in Answer to a former classgust. Gen. Hersey is a former class-mate of Principal Whitmarsh.

Miss Clara Gill of Nashua visited in town last week at her sisters, Mrs. J. O. Bennett, and with Mrs. H. C.

A Scassic Home Floated.

An article which appeared in the Boston Sunday Globe concerning the bungalow of our summer resident, Joseph B. Henderson, will be interesting to our readers who were not fortunate enough to catch the item:

"The feat of moving a large building over the sea from Misery island in Salem bay to Riverside beach at the head of Marblehead harbor, was successfully accomplished yesterday forenoon by Frank W. Goodwin, a building mover.

"The building was started on its fourney at nine o'clock and an hour later the scow on which the building was placed was pushed ashore by a tug boat of the Ross towing line, Boston. The work of moving it from the soow to its permanent foundation on Flint street was begun at once and it will be out of the line of traffic by Sunday morning.

"The building, which is lower feet, is the property of Joseph B. Henderson of 683 Atlantic avenue, Boston. It was his former summer home when Misery island was a favoure resort. The position on which it will be located commands a fine view of Marbiehead harbor and town

Mr. and Mrs. Henderson are claimed by Pepperell as residents here at Rock Maple farm, a part of the season, and they are now in town, although present at the moving of the bungalow long enough to see it safely in Marblehead harbor.

Their home on Bancroft street commands one of the most extensive views to the west and south over Groton, Ayer and surrounding country. This was originally a part of the large estate of Joshua Bancroft, whose descendants are still residents of this town. Scaside Home Floated.

Community Church Notes.

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Sunday will be observed as children's Sunday. The church service at 10.30 in the morning will be a service of worship adapted to children. They are expected to assemble at 10.15 in the vestry, as they will march during the processional hymn to the seats in the front of the church auditorium. There will be a special choir of the older boys and girls. All children and their parents are especially urged to attend. The church decorations will be contributed by Deacon O. A. Merrill's class. Church school at noon.

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Regular motion picture service on Friday evening at eight o'clock with the following program: "Servant in the house," by an all-star cast, and Ford Educational.

Ford Educational.

At the church school session last Sunday Ellery Newhall received a gold wreath pin designating a perfect record for fifty-two consecutive Sundays. Hattle Poor and William Hampton also received gold pins for a perfect record of twenty-six consecutive Sundays. These records prove the interest and perseverance of many of the pupils in the church school and their desire to co-operate in the work for which the church stands.

The service last Sunday morning

The service last Sunday morning was enjoyed by a large congregation, and particular mention might be made of the music. The selection by the ladies' quartet, Mrs. Alice Bartlett, Miss Ruth Walker, Mrs. Florence Pike and Mrs. R. W. Drawbridge, was "If ye love me," by C. Bonner, and was exceptionally fine.

Plans for Men's Club Piente.

Mr. and Mrs. George Richards and Mr. Downs, from Arlington, recently visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Maynard.

The right of way over the land of the heirs of the late William McGrath has been closed the past week in order to comply with the law govering the holding of said land, by fencing once in a given number of years, otherwise it becomes public property. The right of way in question connects Tucker and Mill streets making a short cut.

Rainsford Deware, recently entertained three men formerly connected with the Boston American league ball team, Mr. Brown, "Tris" Speaker and Joe Wood. The two latter are now connected with Cleveland, the world's champions.

Mrs. George T. Keyes, son and daughters were completed for the annual picnic of the Men's club at a recent meeting and the following committees appointed: George B. Clarke, press; Clarence A. Cook, chairman, P. J. Hayes, Henry Warren, George H. Du Paw, Henry Gray, dinner; Thomas Halley, chairman, P. Fuller, Dana O. Merrill, Edward Gagnon, Flora Boynton, Ruth Waiker and Florence Flynn, sports. The date is set for Thursday, June 30, at Silver Lake, Hollis, and the coffee and beans will be served from the will provide themselves with box lunch, dishes, cutlery and glasses. A program of field and water sports will be arranged by the sports will be a

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Grant and the young man stated back home at seven o'clock on Monday morning.

Mrs. Ora Lawrence Swasey, formerly of this town, was a visitor here from New Haven, Conn., last week at the home of Mrs. Andrews and Miss H. L. Lawrence and others, She returned home on Saturday.

Mrs. Anna Colby, who has rented the Guerrier cottage on Townsend street for this season, is expected here from Boston this week.

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Sunday evening services will be as usual, with the Hope Circle girls' service at 6.30, an dthe preaching service at 7.30, with preaching by the

Prayer meeting on Tuesday even-ing at 7.36. On Thursday afternoon, June 16, the Ladies' Aid society will meet with Mrs. Frank Robbins on Franklin street at the usual hour. On Friday evening the Epworth league will hold a meeting in the vestry with a devotional, business and social period.

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High School Notes.

A representative from the State Board of Education visited the high school some time ago and the standing of Grade A was renewed, which entities pupils to go from this school to any normal school in the state without taking an examination upon graduating.

The high school baseball nine was victorious over the Westford academy nine last week Friday by the learning their parts for graduation, Mans score of 25 to 11. Pepperell had and some are studying in order to kins.

The boys of Rev. H. P. Taylor's class in the Sunday school were invited to a picnic at Silver lake on Monday afternoon of this week. There were ten in the party, going by the two autos of Mr. Taylor and Albert Stratton. They started at four and remained until about eight colock, after a pleasant outing with a supper cooked camp fashion. The hours at the lake were enjoyed in bathing and swimming and various games, and the return home in the carly hours of the evening was also a pleasure. On the arrival of the party and of Education visited the high school sing of Grade A was renewed, which in a few weeks.

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A representative from the State last week Friday that they would win but the team was once more changed about. The change of pitchers had a tendency to demoralize the class with good will. The high school nine was defeated stranger at second base and Anderson was over-anxious in tight spots. The battery for Pepperoll was com-posed of Anderson and Hutchinson for Groton. Manser, and Murphy for Groton, Manser and Murph Manser was replaced later by Ry

GROTON

News Items.

North Star lodge, I. O. O. F., of Townsend, will present the "traveling links" to Groton lodge on Monday evening, June 13, at 8.30, in the town hall. North Star lodge will present the four-act mystery drama. "And Billy disappeared," and all Odd Fellows and their families and all Relative and their families are invited. bekahs and their families are invited

There will be a band concert at the bandstand on Saturday evening, June 11, at 8.15.

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The Middlesex Rebekah lodge held their regular meeting on Tuesday evening and conferred the degree on four candidates. Mrs. Elsie Copp. district deputy president, of Pepperell, was present and made the lodge an official visit. She was accompanied by her marshal, Miss Essie Rugg, of Leominster, and other members of her suite. Refreshments of ice cream, cake and punch were served in the lower hall in charge of James B. Harrington and other brothers. The district deputy president and other visitors gave the officers and the degree staff great praise for their excellent work. There was a large attendance, including visitors from Ayer, Pepperell, Flichburg, Ashby and Leominster.

min the specific and the control of Mrs. H. H. Gay. Notice was given in the churches that the funeral services would be held in the Congregational church on Monday afternoon at two o'clock. There was a good representation of the citizens of the town assembled in the church at the appointed hour. The central row of pews were reserved for Sergt. Gay's family and nearest friends, his company from Boston, the four remaining members of the E. S. Clark post, G. A. R., now living here, and a delegation of ex-service men, from the U. S. contract hospital. Below and in front of the pulpit platform stood the casket, draped with the flag for which Sergt. Gay fought so bravely, and upon it was his framed picture in his uniform. A profusion of beautiful flowers, roses, liles, carnations and many others decorated the platform and surrounded the casket, among them being a handsome pillow from the Laurence W. Gay post, A. L. Above the pulpit was a beautiful golden star of calendulas, perennial, coreopsis and yellow lilies, which was placed upon the casket before it was borne to its final resting place.

Revs. A. V. Dimock, Charles B. Ames, and Sherrard Billings and Major Daniel —eedham, commander of the Laurence W. Gay post of the American Legion, occupied the platform and conducted the services. The services were opened with prayer by Rev. A. V. Dimock, Rev. C. B. Ames then read several appropriate selections of scripture, followed with prayer offered by Rev. Sherrard Billings. Rev. Arthur V. Dimock then spoke, giving briefly a sketch of Sergt. Gay's life in the army, some of the principal events mentioned being as follows:

Laurence W. Gay, of Groton, Mass, enlisted for service in the war of the United States against Germany. May 26, 1917, at Boston—quite soon, it is noted, after the declaration of war. He was later ordered to report at the Commonwealth Armory, Boston, on July 25, and left home July 24. Soon afterwards his regiment, the famous 101st Field Artillery of the 26th Division, was sent into camp at Boxford, Mass. On August 5, 1917, the regiment entra

lery and saw several months of almost constant service in this unit in 1918.

This regiment was on the Chemin des Dames sector from February 6 to March 20. Then they were moved to the Toul sector, where they remained from April 3 to May 25. They took part in the "million dollar barrage" at Apromont. Then they were moved to the Chateau Thierry sector and began service here on June 28, taking part in the second battle of the Marne, July 18, to 25. In September they started the great barrage in the St. Mihlel sector. When the armistice was signed, they were north of Verdun.

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Those attending the military whist party or last Saturday evening enloyed a pleasant social evening, and the first prizes were awarded to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Raddin. The Groton A. A. will give a dance in Odd Fellows' hall at 9.30 Saturday evening, directly after the band concert. The Middlesex Rebekah lodge held their regular meeting' on Tuesday evening and conferred the degree on four candidates. Mrs. Elsie Copp, district deputy president, of Pepperell, was present and made the lodge an official visit. She was accompanied by her marshal, Miss Essie Rugg, of Leominster, and other members of her suite. Refreshments of ice cream, cake and punch were served in the lower hall in charge of James B. Harrington and other brothers. The district deputy president and other mending."

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cake and punch were served in the lower hall in charge of James B. Harrington and other brothers. The district deputy president and other visitors gave the officers and the degree staff great praise for their excellent work. There was a large attendance, including visitors from Ayer, Pepperell, Fitchburg, Ashby and Leominster.

Miss Ellen Denahy has been ill since the first of the week, when she had one of the ill turns to which she is occasionally subject. She seems considerably improved at the time of writing.

The E. S. Clark W. R. C., observed Memorial Sunday on June 5, meeting at the cemetery gate at four o'clock in the afternoon and decorating the graves of deceased members with their usual service.

Harry R. Robblee, of Riverdale farm, placed several head of young stock in the American Guernsey Cattle club sale, held at the F. L. Ames place, North Easton, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Robblee were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Pratt in Rochester, N. H., where Mr. Robblee were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Pratt in Rochester, N. H., where Mr. Robblee were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Pratt in Rochester, N. H., where Mr. Robblee were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Pratt in Rochester, N. H., where Mr. Robblee were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Pratt in Rochester, N. H., where Mr. Robblee were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Pratt in Rochester, N. H., where Mr. Robblee were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Pratt in Rochester, N. H., where Mr. Robblee were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Pratt in Rochester, N. H., where Mr. Robblee were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Pratt in Rochester, N. H., where Mr. Robblee were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Pratt in Rochester, N. H., where Mr. Robblee were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Pratt in Rochester, N. H., where Mr. Robblee with his comrades, as once he called out, "We're winning boys."

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By invitation of the Baptist church the Odd Fellows and Rebekahs will attend memorial services at the Baptist church on Sunday, June 12. All members of other lodges and visiting brothers are also cordially invited to be present. Directly after the service the graves of deceased members will be decorated. Please be at Odd Fellows' hall not later than 10.15 and bring flowers.

Mrs. Carl Wagner and three children from Newtonville were in town on Sunday, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Trayne.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold A. Kimball and family moved on Friday, June 3, into the apartment at the corner of Elm and Main streets recently vacated by C. H. Eldredge and family.

Mrs. Jennie Hemenway spent the week-end at her home here.

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Groton Bus Line

SUMMER SCHEDULE—In Effect June 6, 1921

GROTON TO AYER

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Leave Groton				11.35	12.40	2,00	2.45			4.40	5.25	7.10	8.20	9.10	
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Leave Ayer	9.10	10.50	11.09		2.24	2.24	3.10		4.23	5.05	5.48	7.40			
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Leave Ayer	10.25	10.45	12.00		1.40	2.00	2.35	3.30	5.05		6.20	8.00	8.45	10.10	
Leave Groton Scho	ol 10.35	10.55	12.10		1.50	2.10	2.45	3.40	5.15		6.30	8.10	8.55	10.20	
Arrive Groton	10.45	11.05	12.20		2.00	2.29	2.55	3.50	5.25		6.40	8.20	9.05	10.30	

Daily includes Sunday unless excepted.

9.30

9,15 11.00

The Time in this schedule is Daylight Saving Time—the same as your watch To Arrange Special Trips telephone MR. ALLFREY, Groton 122-11

hall on the evening of Thursday, June 16, at eight o'clock. A program of unusual interest has been arranged. Especially appropriate music will be rendered by the school chorus under the direction of Mrs. Pattee. Everybody is invited to attend these exercises. Pattee. Everybody end these exercises.

Arrive West Groton

TRAINS

Leave Boston

Arrive Ayer

Invitations are out for the reception of the senior class, to be held in the town hall on Friday evening, June 17. Newell's orchestra is to furnish the music for the occasion. Final examinations are being held it the high school. They will con-inue through Monday.

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Letters of thanks have been sent by the pupils of the Tarbell school to the following people, who so kindly assisted in the transportation to the memorial exercises in Groton on May '27: Mr. Simonton, Mr. Brennan, Mr. Webber, George Bixby, Mr. Allen, Mr. Robichaud, Mr. MacNeil, Mrs. O'Neil, Mr. Thompson, Mr. Kane, Eugene Smith, Mr. Connolly, Mr. King, Mr. Cloutier, Mr. Bates, in charge of Hollingsworth & Vose Company's truck, and Mrs. Pease.

The graduation exercises of the

The graduation exercises of the Butler grammar school will be held in the town hall on Friday morning, June 17, at ten o'clock.

June 17, at ten o'clock.

The high school won their second game from Pepperell high in Pepperell on Wednesday. The game abounded in errors on both sides. At the end of the third inning the score was 9 to 1, in favor of Pepperell, and it looked like a sure victory for the home team. Groton rallied in batting, however, and scored enough runs in the fifth, seventh and eighth innings to win the game by the score of 11 to 9.

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New Hampshire and a fast game is expected. It is hoped that a large crowd will turn out to support the home team.

home team.

The next meeting of the Athletic association will be held in the lower town hall at eight o'clock Wednesday evening, June 15. The association hopes that there will be a large number in attendance. If you want to see good ball games in Groton come and join the association and give it your backing.

Church Notes.

the reasonable expenses of the concerts will be put into the much depleted general fund. It should be added that the band is considering conducting soon a public entertainment of some sort for the purpose of enlarging the general fund.

Please send contributions and checks to any of the following members of the committee:

mittee:
James P. Fitch, Chairman,
Thomas F. Donahue, Treas.,
George M. Barrows, Sec.,
Henry M. Adams,
Clarence Hemenway,
Honald V. Dimock.

9.30

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2.30 4.00

Church Notes.

The topic of the pastor's sermon on last Sunday morning at the Congregational church was "The sin of worry, or over-anxiety over the trials of life." The remedy suggested for care was prayer with faith. The man who worries today is unfit for service tomorrow, was one of the teachings of the sermon. The ladiestrio, Miss Gleason and the Misses Knapp, sang the selection, "He shall give his angels charge over thee, to keep thee in all thy ways." The retiring flower committee had an unusual profusion of flowers for decorating, which were very beautifully combined, peonles, pink and white, large branches of syringa, mountain laurel and a handsome bouquet of iris. Deacon Arthur Sargent was chosen a delegate to attend the ecclesiastical council called on June 14 to dismiss Rev. George A. Tewksbury, who has tendered his resignation to the Congregational church in Concord on account of ill health.

The topic of the men's bible class on Sunday is "How did Jesus meet life's difficulties?"

The subject of the mid-week meeting was the Book of Haggal.

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About a thousand saw the evening's performance.

Daniel W. Mason is at the Mason summer home in Center Harbor, N. H. Edward E. Puffer is substituting for him at the Boston & Maine ticket office.

The Rale-Green Mountain Potators for planting, \$1.00 bushel. Birch and Oak wood, sawed to stove length, also, a few heiters due to calve this spring. S. H. RADDIN, Groton, Mass. Tel. 70.

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date to insure them of the benefit of this service.

Richard P. Attridge died in Nashua at St. Joseph's hospital on Thursday afternoon. He had been ill since last week Friday and was taken to the hospital on Monday to be treated for gangrene. The funeral will be held this Saturday morning in Pepperell at nine o'clock. He was born in Ireland and was eighty-one years of age, He is survived by these children: Mrs. Mary Dorsheimer, of Pepperell; Thomas Attridge, of Lynn: Arthur Attridge, of California, and James D. Attridge, of California, and James D. Attridge, of Ayer. He was a member of the Knights of Columbus.

Philip A. Carleton, formerly of this town, was here on Tuesday and expects to return again on Friday from Westford, where he is making a visit. Mr. Carleton is a past master of Caleb Butler lodge of Masons and was employed by the Boston and Maine railroad as a baggagemaster on the Salem train. He is now in the chemical business in British Columbia.

The service at St. Andrew's church

The service at St. Andrew's church on Sunday will be morning prayer and segmon at 10.45. The Sunday school meets at twelve o'clock.

The General Devens Council, A. A. R. I. R., met in A. O. H. hall, Wednesday evening.

nesday evening. Mrs. Ralph Duncklee (Mildred ales) is spending a month in Harard, convalencing from her recent

Albert Johnson, who lives on Bligh street, was struck by an automobile that passed him, going in the same direction, late Wednesday afternoon, as he was riding his bicycle along Main street, near the intersection of Washington street. The machine caught the front wheel, throwing the boy to the pavement. He suffered an abrasion of the hand and a bad shaking up. He was taken to Dr. L. D. Sullivan's office to have his hand dressed. The front wheel of the bicycle was smashed.

Herbert J. Webb is to move his family to Winthrop Highlands. Mrs. Annie McMillan is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Albert H. Woodhead, in Hopedale.

Mrs. John Traquair arrives here from Chillicothe, Ohio, on Monday. Capt. and Mrs. Charles H. Crocker left Wednesday for a visit with rela-tives in Gloucester and South Wal-pole.

Mr. and Mrs. George L. Osgood and daughters, Margaret and Priscilla, went by motor to Franklin Wednesday to attend the graduation of the eldest daughter, Miss Hilda L. Osgood, at Dean academy.

The animal was making a wild dash down the street and frightening pedestrians, when the officer stood in its path and seized the reins as it bore down upon him. The horse dragged Mr. Pirone about four rods before he could stop it. The animal proved to be one belonging to Samuel Maysky and was driven by an inexperienced.

went an operation Thursday at the Groton hospital, is reported to be doing well.

Harold Murphy is employed at the shop of the Chandler Machine Co.

Rex. M. Boutwell has purchased Ford touring car. Mrs. James E. Profit of Bridgeport, onn., has been visiting her husband for a few days.

Russell Norman of Lowell is visiting his aunt. Mrs. Thomas H. Griffin. Frank E. Griffin of Framingham spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Michael J. Griffin.

Harry Davis and family of Dor-nester have been visiting at the home Mrs. Davis' parents, Mr. and Mrs. chester have be of Mrs. Davis' Byron Murphy.

Miss Clara Turcotte of Somers-worth, N. H., has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Amie E. Caron. Harbinger lodge, K. of P., met Monay night. The rank of esquire was

One week more to help in the for-

One week more to help in the for-cign relief for fatherless children. During the week beginning June 13 clothing may be left at board of health rooms in town house from 8 to 9 a.m., and 1 to 2 p. m. The local branch of the Red Cross asks you to do your bit. Warm, serviceable gar-ments; discarded or outgrown, which kept your youngster warm last winter will keep comfortable some fatherless European youngster next winter. Mrs. Franklin Lawton, who has

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Ayer Grange initiated nine candidates last Wednesday evening. Miss Susan FitzGerald, the noted suffragist and a charter member of the local Grange, spoke on the attitude of women in politics. Etta K. Green redelivery may be started about July first. All persons should have their houses properly numbered before this date to insure them of the benefit of this service.

Ayer Grange initiated nine candidates last Wednesday evening. Miss Susan FitzGerald, the noted suffragist and a charter member of the women in politics. Etta K. Green redered a plano solo. The next meeting of the Grange will be held on next Wednesday evening on account of the regular meeting date occurring on graduation night. Dancing was enjoyed until midnight.

Children's day will be observed at

A regular communication of Caleb Butler Lodge of Masons will be held in Masonic hall, bank building, on Monday evening, June 13, at seven o'clock sharp. The work will be the Fellow Craft degree

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Vivian Pelletier fell from a ledge near her home Saturday and was rendered unconscious. Dr. Herbert B. Priest attended her.

Alexander McGregor graduated Tucsday evening from the Wentworth institute, Boston, where he took the course in pattern-making. Eugene Flagg is confined to his resi-

dence by an attack of quinsy.
Charles C. Stevens is building a new residence on the Groton road. Junius M. Greenburg, who has had a position in New York, is home for a stay with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Morris Greenburg. Mr. Greenburg recently had a serious illness.

Walter B. Hayden, foreman at the American Railway Express Co.'s station in Depot square, is confined to his house on East Main street as the result of an accident in which he was struck by a 1600-pound case which he was loading. He received bruises on the hip, leg and foot.

Miss Marguerite Rand, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Rand of East Main street, underwent an operation on the eyes Tucsday morning at St. Joseph's hospital, Nushua. Dr. Nutter per-Dr. Nutter performed the operation.

The Montgomery Hardware Co. are Robert Burns lodge, I. O. O. In the postoffice. The Hardy-Russell Co. second degree.

met Tuesday évening, conferring the second degree.

The Strand this Saturday presents Conway Tearle in "Bucking the Tiger," taken from the play of the same name. All the excitement of the Klondike gold rush—the joy of those whom fortune has favored—the despair of those who failed, is shown. For originality of plot, excellence of production and calibre of cast few pictures of recent origin equal "Bucking the Tiger." Sunday, double feature bill, two Paramount pictures. Until further notice there will be no shows on Monday or Friday of each week, and no matinee on any day except Saturday and Sunday, which will be as usual. Two shows at night on Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Saturday, at 8.15 and 8:15. Sunday evening at 7.30 o'clock.

The following real estate transfers have been made recently in this vicinity: Ayer—Mary E. Barrett to J. E. O'Meara. Groton—Frank L. Blood to G. L. Priest et al.; Dunstable Icc. O. to Fresh Pond Ice Co.; Leon L. Farnham et ux. to H. P. Cavanaugh, Frances M. Guy to L. L. Farnham, John Siedliski to A. Huberski. Little-ton—Alice M. Hartwell et al. to L. Farnham, John Siedliski to A. Huberski. Little-ton—Alice M. Hartwell et al. to L. Fisher et ux. Westford—Claude L. Allen to John Richard Kerr, land on Littleton road; Joseph Sedelicki to Tony Sygla et ux. Harvard—Charlotte T. Hatch to Frederic S. Savage, Jr. Lunenburg—Henry E. Page et ux. to J. Lovell Johnson, land in westerly part; Sidney H. Francis to Chester W. Page, land on Massachusetts avenue. Capt. Walter J. Ungetheum has been transferred from Camp Devens to the transfe

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Announcements were received Monday morning by friends of Miss Evelyn M. Sanderson of her wedding Apřil 9 to Lincoln S. Hickox, Jr., of Williamstown. The ceremony took place at the First Unitarian church in Albany, N. Y. Rev. Dr. Lewis C. Carson, minister of the church officiated, using two rings. The young couple were attended by William R. Adams of Albany and Mrs. Carson. After spending a few days at Albany, Mrs. Hickox returned home.

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The groom is a native of Williamstown aid is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Lincoln S. Hickox-of that place. He was formerly a soldier at Camp Devens. He is now the proprietor of the Williamstown restaurant.

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ARTHUR E. CHILDS, President.

afternoon by motor for Williamstown, whence they will start on their honeynoon. They will be at home in Williamstown to their friends after September 1. The young couple, who are
both well-known and popular locally,
carry with them the best wishes of a
wide circle of friends.

May, 1921.

High School Pageant

ton—Alice M. Harrivell et al. of "I". Figher et us. Westford—Claude I. Alice John R. Longer and the period of the to look over local conditions. Residents will be obliged to fix numbers on their houses as the Helivery will not be starfed until this requirement has been met.

Mrs. Leo J. O'Neill opened a beauty parlor Monday in the Barry block in the rooms formerly occupied by Dr. Carolus A. Fox. The new parlor is to be known as the Mary O'Neill Beauty Shoppe. Mrs. O'Neill is a graduate of the Lamping-Nolen Training school. Boston, where she learned the Marineilo system. She will specialize on hairdressing, waving manicuring depilatory and scalp treatment.

Harold Murphy is employed.

East relief fund Sunday.

Theodore W. Barry and Rev. Frank B. Crandall motored to Hastings Saturday for a conference with officials of the Hook & Hastings Organ Co. relative to a new organ.

Sunday service at 10.45. Regular offices and sermon. Music, "One sweetly solemn thought," Ambrose: "Lead, kindly light," Bohr, Mrs. W. C. Sargent. Preacher, Rev. Frank B. Crandall, the minister; subject, "Memorial wreaths." Church school at twelve o'clock.

On Sunday Robert Burns lodge, 1. O. O. F., and Vesta Rebekah lodge will attend corporate worship. As the day is observed as the memorial day of the order the preacher will present a discourse emphasizing the privilege and duty of remembrance and indicating how remembrance and indicating how remembrance can be made practically effective.

Wedding Announced.

rice hascers apepared. Inay were reliven by these girls who were daintily costumed for their parts: winds by Pearl McMahon, Alice Mead, Carrie Prescott and Ruth-Lynch, rain by Gertrude King, Lillian Guthrie and Esther Washburn, thunder and lightning by Dorothy Stone and Gladys Pillman, the stormy sea by Helen Graydon, Gladys Proctor, Margaret Murray and Marion Wood. The spectres: famine by Hazel Miller, cold by Blanche Morse, pestilence by Elise Dickerman, the adventurous spirits by Ruth Stone, Madeline Murphy and Merle Prescott. Still other characters were Fern Moore, the angel; Eva Coughlin, spirit of brotherhood and Marguerite Rand, the goddess of liberty. In the last scene the goddess of liberty was the central figure as she stood beside the flag. All like other characters were

Roberts. Mr. Gleason, the principal of the school, is to be congratulated in this work of his school.

It was the annual public speaking of the school and in this form gave almost all the school the chance to take not any condensation. It is a school the chance to success. take part and secure the accompanying advantage.

District Court.

Wednesday evening the Ayer A. A again crossed bats with the Whitney Carriage Shop nine, and were again

Carriage Shop nine, and were again defeated in a seven-inning twillight game, this being the first twillight game of the season. Downing was in the box for Ayer and was caught by Leary from Pepperell. Two new outfielders were Smith in left field and Marlin in right. Woodsum and Sheedy held down third and first base, respectively. base, respectively.
Downing pitched good ball, but had

poor support. The visiting team scored two runs in the second and two

This is the fifth straight game that the local boys have lost, and it is hoped that they have shaken the finx for good and will be able to display their old form in the next fray.

On Sunday the Fitchburg American Legion will meet the Ayer A. A. at the town park at three o'clock. The Legion team is a fast outfit and a good game is locked for.

High School News. Last week Friday evening the high school presented, before an appreciative audience, which filled the town hall, "A pageant of Pilgrims," This was particularly appropriate in connection with the celebration this year of the tercentenary of the landing of the Pilgrims.

the Pilgrims.

Never before has the school at-

success.

The expenses of the pageant and the course in dramatic expression conducted at the high school in the spring months were met entirely by the proceeds of the annual concert and pub-

outfits, particularly for the Ayer A. A. He is now detailed on the mail boat plying between the various coast defenses of Boston harbor.

Several thousand dollars have been Several thousand dollars have been placed at the disposal of Capt. W. McK. Scott, the utilities officer, for repairing the roofs of the buildings that are being occupied. Repairs on the buildings to be used by the various national guard troops will be completed shortly, following which the carpenters and their assistants will commence work on the barracks used by the regular army soldiers. scored two runs in the second and two in the third innings, three of which were scored on errors. After the third inning Ayer tightened up and held the Whitney boys solid. Smith featured for Ayer, making a sensational catch in left field. Plouff of the visitors pitched excellent ball and was well supported.

Dailey, of Shirley, was at his old post, rendering decisions behind the plate, showing good judgment and calling decisions in a manner that was not questioned by anyone.

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face considerable of the cantonment roads.

During the absence of Capt. Roland T. Penton, commanding officer of the quartermaster detachment on a three weeks' leave, Capt. George H. Schumacher is in command of the Q. M. troops and in charge of the salvage division activities. Capt. Schumacher is being assisted by Warrant Officer Henry S. Shermerhorn, recently transferred here from New York city.

Sergel. Floyd J. Briner, regimental sergeant major of the 13th infantry.

Sergi. Floyd J. Briner, regimental sergeant major of the 13th infantry, left camp Sunday evening for New York, where he sailed Tuesday on the S.S. Cantigny for France on an indefinite leave of absence. Mrs. Bringer left Ayer two months ago to visit her home in Nantes, France, where her husband will join her after he has transacted some official business in Paris.

Major Frank T. McCabe, infantry, recently reported here for duty with the 36 infantry after serving his tour

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ALICE JOYCE in "Vice of Fools." Century Comedy, "Seeing is Believing." Ford Weekly.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 15 ETHEL CLAYTON in "The Ladder of Lies." Comedy. Pathe News.

THURSDAY, JUNE 16

JACK HOXIE in "Cyclone Bliss." Sport Pictorial. Comedy. SATURDAY, JUNE 18

EARLE WILLIAMS in "Diamonds Adrift." Comedy. Pathe News. The instructors at the camp school have been notified that in view of the limited appropriations for vocational training throughout the army for the next year their services will not be required after June 30. It is expected that a few technical instructors will be retained, however.

Q. M. Field Clerk George L. Tripp, assistant to the camp quartermaster, has received a commission as major in the quartermaster reserve corps. During the war Mr. Tripp was a major with the second division.

Col. Charles Gerhardt, commanding officer of the 36th Infantry, has been ordered to Washington in the capacity of a student at the general staff col-

Capt, Walter L. Perry of the station hospital expects to leave for Panama shortly.

Private Clarence E. Beard, Co. Private Clarence E. Beard, Co. A. 36th Infantry, was married Sunday to Miss Amy Annette Bailey of Shirley at St. Andrew's church. The vicar, Rev. Leslie F. Wallace, officiated. The couple were attended by Private Oscar Brown and Miss Alice Ardelle Hart.

Leslie Ames, regimental band musician at camp, was found guilty on a statutory charge and sentenced to three months in the house of correction in the Leominster district coure

the early part of the week. The Camp Devens postoffice recent ly was transferred under the direction of John L. Markham, after being a branch of the Fitchburg office since August, 1917. The service is nowise affected but is morely a more transferred but is morely and the service is now is a service but in more than the service is now is a service but in more than the service is now is a service but in more than the service is now in the service in the service is now in the service in the service in the service is now in the service in the service in the service is now in the service is now in the service is now in the service in the service in the service in the service is now in the service in the service in the service in the service is now in the service in the service in the service is now in the service in the service in the service is now in the service in the service in the service in the service is now in the service is now in the service in the

August, 1917. The service is nowise affected, but is merely a matter of jurisdiction.

During the height of training camp days the postoffice probably was the busiest activity in the camp. William J. Frawley of Leominster was choser chemistry and during his leave took a specialized course in this subject at a Boston laboratory.

Major Harry Peavey has left on a month's absence to visit Maine and Canada.

Private Roland Falls visited with friends in camp last Saturday and Sunday. During his stay here of several months, while a student at the camp school. Private Falls distinguished himself as an athlete, not only in camp, but playing baseball with various local and neighboring putfits, particularly for the Ayer A. from the superintendency of the

merged them into a happy, efficient crew. Many difficulties were overmerged them into a happy, efficient crew. Many difficulties were overcome, particularly concerning the item of improperly directed mail. On many days, over 10,000 pieces of matter were received, incorrectly addressed to draftees, necessitating the installation of an immense file index system containing the names and military ordering the names and military ordering. of an immense file index system containing the names and military addresses of the entire personnel at Camp Devens, which was continually milarged by incoming soldiers. A large number of soldier operators were trained by Supt. Frawley in the filing and re-addressing mail, and over 5000 letters daily were re-addressed to their proper regiment. dressed to their proper regiment. Af ter demobilization, a file index, nicely

over 1000 sacks of mail were received daily in addition to the letter mail, which in itself averaged 70,000 pieces which in itself averaged 10,000 pieces, each day. Two thousand sacks of parcel post mail were dispatched in one day and the letter mail often exceeded the daily amount of 50,000 pieces. Over 1000 pieces of special delivery mail were daily received and over 190,000 were delivered by delivery massespeers in 1918. In one day over 190,000 were delivered by delivery messengers in 1918. In one day during the movement of a division 800 suit cases were sent home by parcel post. Fifteen Y. M. C. A. and K. C. centers acted as maling stations during, the height of activities and assisted materially in relieving congestion at the main office. Oftentimes the clerks were forced to work fourteen hours a day to clean the floor of the your bit. Warm, serviceable gar, mentig, discarded or outgrown, which from and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. See the goddess of liberty was the kept your youngster warm last winter. Will keep comfortable some fatherless from the proprietor of the your dangerous condition in a very dangerous condition in a very dangerous condition in a very dangerous condition with a shock, was very low Wedness day evening, but railed again Thurshay evening, but railed again Thurshay evening, but railed again the goddes of liberty was the fold with a factories of the Age in the professor of force in goddes of liberty was the

and 12th divisions for overseas postal work and was highly complimented on the state of efficiency developed by the soldier mail clerks, many of

whom were formerly in the postoffice whom were formerly in the postomice service.

There is a large amount of equipment on hand that was used during the war, and Supt. Frawley states that in view of past experience he can handle smoothly the patronage of any number of troops that may be expected at Devens in the future.

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Birthday Club.

The Birthday club met at the home of Mrs. A. L. Struthers on Tuesday afternoon. The hostesses were Mrs. Emma Seavey. Mrs. A. L. Struthers, Mrs. Mabel Brackett and Mrs. Emma Seavey.

Emma Seavey. Mrs. A. L. Struthers, Mrs. Mabel Brackett and Mrs. Emma Spencer.

Mrs. Lilla Hayward had charge of the attenboon's program, which was a most interesting one, arranged for Flag day. It consisted of the following numbers: "Battle cry of freedom" sung by club members; flag salute by all; reading, "Birthday of the stars and stripes." by Annie Greenleaf. Mrs. Annie Bliss read a newspaper clipping of the presentation and acceptance speeches made on Memorial day, when the flag was presented to Franz Walde Miller post, the presentation speech being made by Miss Alice Day, and the acceptance by Commander John Bachelder of the F. W. Miller post, A. L. These speeches were so unusually fine that it was thought worth-while tlisten to them again at the club. The club then sang "America" and "The club then sang "

Daniel Harrington, a former resident here, has been visiting friends in town

Creater.

Next Sunday will be the Memorial Shad They will be entertained in the morning in a body of the same of the state of the state

club on Memorial night here. Auts will leave Odd Fellows' hall at 7.15 for Groton. The meeting is to be held in the Groton town hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Metcalf of Allston are visiting at the home of the Misses Eveyn and Hattle Sanders.

A regular meeting of Phobe Weston Farmer tent was held in Memorial hall on Tuesday evening. Mrs. Katherine Lavole, Mrs. Flora Walkins and Mrs. Margaret Wilson were appointed a committee to arrange a program appropriate for Flag day to be given at the next meeting. The Parent-Teacher association will hold its next meeting. Friday evening, June 17, at the high school room at the usual hour. As this is the closing business of the year and reports of others, and committees will be rendered, a resume of the sports entered into by the high school will be given by four of its members. Election of officers and any other business that may come and any other business that may come forum during which time there will be an oppon forum during which time there will be an oppon forum during which time there will be an oppon forum during which time there will be an oppon forum during which time there will be an oppon forum during which time there will follow on a poportunity to gain results from the efforts of May 10 ds intimated in program for that day.

W. C. Swinington carried an autoload of grangers to Hollis on Tuesday evening to witness the working of the fourth degree by Hollis Grange.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Allen and a good attendance is anticipated.

A change has been made in the hour of the mid-week service of the Baptist church from 7.30 to 7.45 Thursday evenings from six p. m. to seven.

In Rusk of Maine university has arrived at his home here for the summer spent the week-end with friends in the w

Lewis Damon has added a piazza to his home and made various other improvements to his property in that vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. William W. Webster from West Groton are spending a few days at their home.

The reading-room will now be opened for the remainder of the season every day in the week, but the hours for the distribution of library books will remain the same on Saturday afternoon and evenings.

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side cemetery.

The closing meeting of the season of the Ladies' Whist club was held it the reading-room on Wednesday afternoon with a good attendance. The hostess.

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Miss Margaret Bailey of Dorchester is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Oren Oliver.

Frederick Fowler will attend graduation exercises at Hopkins academy where he graduated, next week. Hopkins is the oldest continuous academy in the state.

John Brennan has moved his family from the house opposite the Cash market to Ayer, where he is employed.

Mrs. Daniel Credit is improving at the Clinton hospital.

Mrs. Dana Somes and two children

Mrs. Dana Somes and two children are at her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Allen, for the summer.

G. Scott Fowler of Newport. R. I. with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Fowler. left Friday to attend commencement exercises at Amherst college, where father and son graduated in the classes of '87 and '12 respectively. As this is the fiftieth anniversary of the first graduation there will be many especial features. Members of the dramatic society will impersonate the principal professors of that first year. Mr. Fowler, senior, has been class secretary thirty-four years.

Miss Marion Jubb has taken the class of girls formerly in charge of Miss Mary A. Park.

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class of girls formerly in charge of Miss Mary A. Park.

E. H. Longiey has put in a cement plazza for Albe Annis in place of the wooden one on the cil of his home.

Miss Gladys R. Pheips spent the week-end with her cousin. Mrs. Ed. West Groton... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 2 2 2

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family.

Mrs. A. R. Cummings. C. F. Cummings and Miss Hazel E. Cummings made an auto trup with friends to Princeton last Sunday to visit Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Brooks and family.

school where he is teaching in Harriford, Conn., next year with a raise in ford, Conn., next year with a raise in salary.

Mr. and Mrs. James Gionet and Miss Elizabeth McGray of Athol and Mrs. Elizabeth McGray of Athol and Mrs. Elizabeth McGray of Athol and Mrs. Thomas wedding.

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Seven members of Shirley auxiliary unit. A. L., attended the Middlesex County council meeting at Nantasket last Sunday afternoon. Miss Mannion of Waltham presided and interesting talk on the work of hospitalization and the welfare work of the auxiliary. He said in part that the changes being made in the hospitals were for the best pood of the men under treatment. A large number were present, the day was perfect and everyone felt it had been a help.

Dr. William S. Schley of the public day house, has been retained on the staff after being relieved of duty. A was protest was made by the ex-series and after a two-days investigation it was decided he should be retained.

The Morth Middlesex Congregational conference of Unitarian and other christian churches will be held with the Liberal Christian churches will be charged to fire the welfare work of the auxiliary. He said the living spirit at 10.30. Rev. Thomas Van Ness, of Boston, will be the speaker of the afternoon. His subject will be "The soul of America as the deven will be the speaker of the afternoon will be the speaker of the afternoon. His subject will be "The soul of America as the subject will be "The soul of America as the Holiary of Broad at the Adams' home on Center of the wee

ling left the school early in the morning without leave. He was found late in the afternoon hiding behind a bill-board on Main street waiting for a ride toward Manchester, N. H. He was held over night and returned to Chelmsford Thursday morning by Chief Sawin.

Children's day will be observed at the Universalist church next Sunday morning. Theres will be singing and morning. Theres will be singing and rectations by the children and an appropriate address by Chaplain Charles O. Purdy.

Dorothy Bosse is at the home of her mother, Mrs. Edward Pelots, for the summer,

Miss Margaret Bailey of Dorchester is a guest of Mr, and Mrs. Oren tilicar.

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with a small number.

Leonard Hooper will return to the school where he is teaching in Hartford, Conn., next year with a raise in salary.

Mr. and Mrs. James Gionet and Miss Elizabeth McGray of Athol and Mr.

Mrs. Eleanor H. Holden was con-fined to her home last week for a few days with an attack of tonsilitis.

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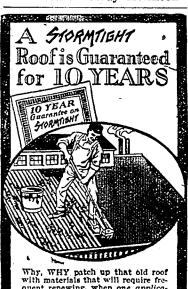
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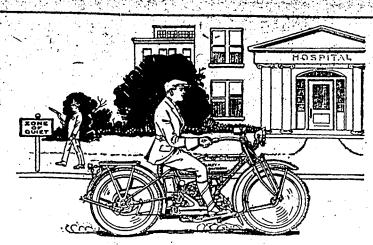
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And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Littleton Guidon, a newspaper published in said County, the last publication to be one day, at least,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

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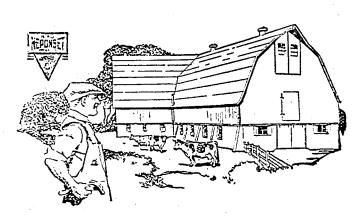
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regulate and assure proper bowel action, you should not use harsh or violently acting remedies, no matter how much has been claimed for them. You should choose some wellthem. You should choose some well-known, time tested, trial proven remedy, that has made its reputation by being used for many years, by all sorts of people, all over the world. Take Beecham's Pills for example. Beecham's is a household word, has been for many generations. Beecham's Pills is a household remedy, has been for overhalf a century. People not only take Beecham's but recommend Beecham's to their friends. not only take Beecham's but recommend Beecham's to their friends. Their use is handed down from father to son or from mother to daughter, from one generation to another. Did you ever hear any complaint or critisism of Beecham's? Isn't that a pretty powerful endorsement of their worth? Druggists are glid to sell Beecham's. are glad to sell Beecham's.

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Rev. Charles Haynes of South Merrimack supplied Sunday and preached the baccalaureate sermon to the graduating class of the high school. The class with the exception of Miss Pearl Rideout, who was ill, with other members of the high and grammar schools with their teachers attended church in a body.

at Mrs. Belle Hall's.

Wilfred Ouellette of Lowell specific week-end in town.

Mrs. Virginia Farnsworth is spening a few days with her daughter. Mr Mabil Hammond, at Groton, Mass. (Tony Ducas has puchased the Fercar owned by William Richards at a body.)

with their teachers attended church in a body.

Graduating exercises will be held in the town hall Friday evening of this week. The graduates are the Misses Pearl Rideout, Marlan Sanders, Helen Morrill and Bernice Lovejoy. The class motto, 'Backbone not wishbone.' During the evening prizes will be awarded for the two best poems written by the high school students.

It will be children's Sunday next Sunday and the usual Sunday school concert will be given. Any one who wishes to have their babies hantled wishes to have their babies hantled.

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Alwyn C. Carleton. Wednesday, June 15, at three o'clock.

At the annual meeting of the Ladles' Reading and Charitable society the following officers were elected: Mrs. R. M. French, pres.; Mrs. Daniel Emerson, vice pres.; Miss Eaton, sec, and treas.: Mrs. Jason Reed, Mrs. Charles Woodin and Mrs. Elimer Boulton. directresses. The report of the treasurer showed a good amount in the treasury and also that a number of worthy objects had been contributed too. It was voted to hold the usual entertainment and sale in August with Mrs. Frank Bell, Mrs. Daniel Emerson and Mrs. William Simonds in charge.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles J. Nichols and a party of friends numbering 15 in motored up from Rowening 15 in motored u Mr. and Mrs. Charles J. Nichols and a party of friends numbering 15 in all motored up from Roxbury and spent the day at the Nichols farm last Sat-

Alfred F. Eaton on the staff of the Manchester Mirror was a guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Eaton from Friday of last week till Sunday night. Mr. Eaton, who is an old lisherman, tried his luck at trout fishing but found the brooks lower than he had ever seen there at this time of the year and met with poor success.

Miss Grace Kingsland, secretary of the state library commission, was the guest of Miss M. Louise Stratton over the week-end and most of the library trustees and book committee had the pleasure of meeting her.

The annual meeting of the Woman's

The annual meeting of the Woman's lub will be held with Mrs. William enavan Wednesday afternoon, June 5. A full attendance is desired. Mrs. Arthur McLeod and daughter Barbara are visiting at Jason Reed's.

Mrs. Michael Grant and son Fred of Boston were in town Sunday to attend the funeral of their grandmother, Mrs. Margaret Denault. Thrgugh the inability of the party whom Edson L. Hurd sold his place beep his part of the bargain Mr. urd will stay on his place. This is disappointment to Mr. and Mrs. Hurd st they had most of their goods ready move.

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Mrs. Ellen Nichols is at Rodney T. Hardy's to assist through the summer. Funeral services were held for the late Mrs. Margaret Denault at the vestry Sunday afternoon at two o'clock, Rev. Charles Haynes of South Merrimack, officiating. Musle was furnished by the choir. The bearers were four of her grandsons, Henry Mayou, Cecil Denault, Thomas Charait and David Charait. Mrs. Denault was born in Canada seevnty-three years ago and had been a resident of Hollis for thirty years. Of a quiet, retiring disposition she was loved and esteemed by all who knew her. She is survived by seven children, Mrs. Loslet Locke and Alec Denault of Hollis, Joseph, Moses and Noah Denault of Pepperell, twenty-seven grandchildren and three great grandchildren. Burial was in the East cemetery.

grandchildren. Burial was in the East cemetery.

At the regular meeting of the grange held in the town hall Tuesday night the fourth degree was worked on a class of five. The work was very well done, the beautiful tableaux adding much to the work. Mr. Sawyer, overseer of the state Grange, gave an unusally fine address on "Over production: song, Mrs. Evelyn Parker: violin solo, Miss Hazel Lovejoy, accompanied by Raymond Lovejoy on the piano. It was Good Health night and a paper was read by Rev. R. M. French on this topic and a reading by Mrs. M. J. Powers was also on the line of good health. There were visitors from Miford, Brookline, Nasshua and Pepperell. A bountiful harvest feast was served.

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Powers and Lieut.

served.

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Powers and Lieut.
and Mrs. Harvey M. Powers motored
to Stoneham Sunday, when Mr. Powers
received a radium treatment at the
hospital, where he had been for treatment. Dr. Parks considers Mr. Powers
is gaining and doing well.

Lawrence Reed's broken arm is knit-ting well and he hopes soon to be al

Mrs. Joseph Mayou has been spend ng the week with her daughter. Mrs Michael Grant, and family, in Bostor Worcester Family Reunion

Joseph Worcester of Waltham, Mass. was elected president at the annua meeting of the Worcester family held June 4 in the old Worcester homested first occupied by Rev. Francis Worcester 1750 was elected president at the annual meeting of the Worcester family held June 4 in the old Worcester homestead first occupied by Rev. Francis Worcester in 1750. William W. Worcester of Hollis was elected vice president and Miss Bertha Worcester of Hollis and Malden, Mass., secretary. About thirty-five of the descendants of Rev. Francis Worcester gathered for the annual reunion which included a basket lunch with coffee and ice cream in the vestry of the Congregational church, at which historical sketches were read including a sketch of the old homestead written by Miss Bertha Worcester of Boston, and an article on recently collected facts concerning the early ancestors by Dr. Alfred Worcester of Waltham was read by Edward Worcester of Hudson, Mass.

A collection of paintings and potraits of New England Worcesters was on exhibition.

The Worcester homestead, which is one of the oldest buildings in Hollis, was built by Capt. Benjamin Farley, who was one of the original settlers of the direct frame dwellings which supersedd the log cabins of the early settlers, It was here the first town meeting was held. It was purchased by Mey. Francis Worcester in 1750 and the original building charged by him. The massive hewn timbers remain in good condition today after nearly two centuries. The place is now owned by Miss Bertha G. Worcester of Hollis and Maden, who in the last two years has made extensive repairs on the place.

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Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. James Worcester, Waltham, Mass.: Mrs. Henry and Miss Bertha Worcester, Maiden, Mass.: Mr. and Mrs. Edward Worcester, Hudson, Mass.: Mr. and Mrs. Paul Worcester, Auburndale, Mass.: Dr. and Mrs. John Dike, son Samuel and dauhter Mary, Melrose, Mass.: Mrs. Joseph Worcester, Miss Ruth Worcester, Waltham, Mass.: Mr. and Mrs. Ranson Adams and Miss Jane Worcester, Townsend: Judge and Mrs. George Worcester, Milford; Mr. and Mrs. William W. Worcester and sons. Warren and Russell, Miss Mary E. Read, Mrs. Samuel Worcester, Mrs. C. Fred Worcester, Franklin Worcester, Hollis: Hon, Frederick Hubbard, Greenwich, Conn.

At the close of the meeting all present joined hands and sang "Coronation."

BROOKLINE, N. H.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Burton and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Burton of Temple were Sunday guests of Mrs. C. A. Holcomb. The children's concert will be held on Sunday at five p. m. at the Con-gregational church. William Hamolisky has gone to Pea-ody, Mass., to work.

body, Mass., to work.

George Taylor, Mr., and Mrs. Edward
Taylor and daughter, Miss Madeline
and Miss Georgianna Taylor from Dover, Mass., have been recent guests of
Frank and Edwin Taylor.

Miss Grace Kinsley of the Concord
state library visited the library here
on Monday, giving many helping suggestions.

gestions.

Mrs. Norman Dodge, who has been resting at George Dodge's, has returned to her home in Ayer.

Miss' Frances Farnsworth has returned from her visit to the home of Will Shattuck at Cheimsford, Mass.

Miss Belle Andrews of Somerville has been visiting her parents, Capt. and Mrs. John Andeaws.

Mrs. Julia Barnaby has been spending a few days with he mother at Littleton.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Wallace, Miss Lizzle Whitcomb and Walter Rock-wood of Townsend were Sunday guests at Mrs. Belle Hall's. Walfred Ouellette of Lowell spent the week-end in town.

MASON, N. H.

with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Reynolds and family of Lowell.

The officers of the Parent-Teacher association met on Monday evening with Mrs. Harriet Whittaker and the following committees were appointed to serve for the coming year: Program—Miss Myrtle B. Adams, Mrs. Gertrude Wilson, Mrs. Alice Wright; entertainment—Mrs. Poris Flagg, Mrs. Jessic Warren, Ms. Della Washburn, Mrs. Jennie Chesbrough; refreshment—Mrs. Minnie Whittaker, Mrs. Jennie C. Gailey, Mrs. Bessie Barnes; education—members of the school board and teachers.

Mr. and Mrs. Alexander McLean have removed to their summer home.

The boys' and giris' poultry and canning club met Monday afternoon and organized under the direction of John E. Miltmore, county club leader. Clyde Eaton was elected pres: Archie Eaton, vice pres: Marion Barnes, sec.

parents.

The next meeting of Fruitdale Grange will be held June 14 in the evening. It will be observed as children's night in charge of teachers. Refreshments of ice cream and cake will be served. Songs to be selected by gatekeeper.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Warren have added a new porch to their house which addes greatly to the appearance and are to add another in the near future.

Miss Priscilla Drew is at home from

Miss Priscilla Drew is at home from her studies at the Framingham Normal school for a few days.

Fred Smith of Fitchburg is working for his uncle, Charles E. Emerson. Several from this town attended the Pomona Grange meeting in Hancock Tuesday and took the fifth degree. Tuesday and took the fifth degree.
Visitors in town Sunday—Mr. and
Mrs. John Robichaud and family of
West Groton, Mr. and Mrs. Frank II.
Reynolds and family of Lowell, Clarence Reynolds and mother of Townsend, Mr. and Mrs. Parker of Lowell at
Gailey farm: at Adams' farm, Russell
Hayward, Herman Lawrence, Lawrence Welch and Mrs. Clarence Reynolds of Townsend, Mr. and Mrs. Karl
Pillsbury of Lunenburg and Daniel
Harrington of Concord, formerly of
Townsend: at Emerson farm, Mr. and
Ms. Gerald Emerson of Whalom; at
Barnes farm, Myes Nelson Goldsmith
of Wilton.
Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Bewley of

of Witton.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Bewley of High Bridge were at their summer home Sunday.

Miss Harriet Kaiser has finished her course at Burbank hespital and is at home for a month's rest. Beginning July 1 she will act as charge nurse of the woman's ward of Burbank hospital.

New Advertisements FOR SALE,—Good Work Horse, weight about 1500 lbs. CHARLES E. WHITCOMB. Lake Nagog. Littleton. P. O. Address, Concord Junction. 3441* FOR EXCHANGE—An upright plane as good as new for a Ford light truck Apply at Public Spirit Office, Ayer. FOUND IN WHALOM — Thursday June 2, ladies' gold watch. Inquire of EVA GIONET, 56 Maig Street, Shirley.

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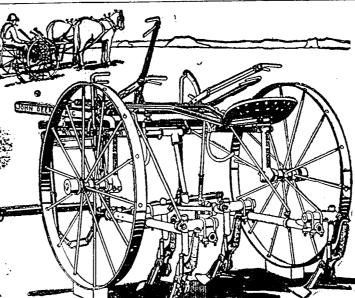
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PEPPERELL

Miss Harriet Keay from Cambridge is stopping with the Misses Tucker at Heald's pond for a short rest.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kennedy went to New York on Thursday morning for

ten days.

Lambert Sullivan has gone with four other students from Lowell Textile school to the Hameteton woolen mills in Southbridge to assist in putting up new machinery for the experience. He will play ball there. Mr. Sullivan was elected captain of the Lowell Textile ball team for next year and also held the batting record of the Twillight league in Lowell before he left the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur W. Lawson of Hartford, Conn., are receiving con-gratulations on the birth of a daugh-ter, Alma Elizabeth, May 19.

Mrs. L. S. Gilson, has been closed dining-rooms being required.

Mrs. F. S. Bancroft has been in town and assisted the large, inner and smaller enclosed dining-rooms being required.

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at the May term of court. She has received permission, also, to resume her former name, Brainerd.

Roger Ryan is said to be on the after a serious trouble necessitating an operation for incrowing

Joseph's hospital on Monday Miss Ida Shattuck recently returned

to her home at the Shattuck home-stead. West street. E. E. Shattuck came up with her from Charlestown to open the house.

In a recent announcement made b county club agent, Robert Trask, of the agricultural bureau, Hattie Kirk-wood of this town has been awarded second prize in this county for gar-ment-making. The champion gar-ment-maker is Ruth Marden of Hud-son.

The annual meeting of the Mission-ry society wif be held with Mrs. Otls lerrill on Wednesday afternoon,

Miss Molly Frazer, from the Cam-pridge hospital where she is taking surse training, was recently at her tome with the Misses Tuckers.

Mrs. W. H. Edwards has returned ome from St. Joseph's hospital and ome from s improved.

Mrs. Jean G. Moore and two children have returned to their cottage on the Bancroft place, Townsend street, coming from Newton by auto on Monday. Reports from the Malden hospital f the condition of Miss Josephine lowers show some improvement.

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Ensign Lloyd Tower of the U. S. S.
Toucey was recently in town at the home of his parents for a flying visit, reaching Pepperell at 1.30 Sunday morning and leaving for St. Johnsbury; Vt., at eight the same morning. He only had a two-days' furlough to divide between Pepperell and St. Johnsbury, before joining his ship at Newport, R. I.

Announcement has been received of the birth of a daughter, Margaret Frances, to Mr. and Mrs. Charles B. King of Rochester, N, Y. The date

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Newell from Berlin, this state, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Merrill last week.

George Lakin, who has had a serious stomach trouble, went to the Massachusetts General hospital on Monday for observation and treatment.

W. S. Blen, one of the workmen on repairs at the papermill, with his wife, went to Gardiner, Me., on Saturday, amd from there will visit relatives in Dresden and Wiscasset.

Mrs. L. E. Starr is restricted to her home by an attack of erysipelas, one limb being badly affected.

A banquet was held at Villa Lorraine on Thursday of the state of the former club, and one which will long be remembered by the one in whose honor it was given.

Other Pepperell matter or negative will be remembered by the one in whose honor it was given.

be held at the same place on Wednesday afternoon, June 15.

The Misses Ruth and Florence Ames, from Brockton, were at the home of their mother, Mrs. Frank Ames, Shirley street, recently; also, Mrs. Dallas Monk and Mrs. Carson, with their husbands, from Braintree, A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Chester A. Mills at St. Joseph's hospital on Friday, June 3.

Miss Effle Winship went to Gorham, N. H., last week, to be employed at a hotel during the season.

At the meeting of the Girl Scouts

The notice of his marriage, dated June 7, from Portsmouth, N. H., is as

At the meeting of the Girl Scouts on last week Friday evening a hike was proposed for Saturday, June 18, and further arrangements will be announced at the meeting of this week Friday. There was also a discussion of the first of the Girl Scout laws, "Girl Scouts' honor is to be trusted," under the direction of Mrs. Woodward. Several of the Pepperell scouts are planning to go to the summer camp near Massapoag lake in July, and have already sent in their applications.

Notification was sent to Mrs. Leora Shattuck, of Nashua, N. H., that she lad been granted her bill of divorce from Otto K. Shattuck, of this town, at the May term of court. She has the May term of court. She has also secretary of the New Hampshire bought of the season. The notice of his marriage, dated June 7, from Portsmouth, N. H., is as foldows:

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"Announcement of the marriage of Dr. Martha I Boger, physician here, to Lieut. Gerald A. Shattuck, U. S. N., is goin to the Carrell Was proprise when it became generally known. The cerewish of Dr. Boger is the daughter of Dr. Boger of Farkersburg, West Virginia, and has been practicing here for four years. She is a graduate of Boston university and the medical school there. She belongs to the Delta Delta Delta Sorority of the American Institute of Homeopathy and the International West Perceived negative proprietations. She has also secretary of the New Hampshire resume Homeopathic Medical society and a

com the Cincinnati ponce to the cos-on force announce that Arthur M. dorrison, late of Pepperell, and want-d in both Boston and Nashua, for in both Boston and Nashua, for forging and uttering checks, has given himself up to the police in the south-

The annual meeting of the Missionary society wif be held with Mrs. Oits Merrill on Wednesday afternoon, June 15.

Mr, and Mrs. Edwin Colburn have moved to their Ayer farm, purchased some time ago, where they and their daughter, Edith, will take up small gardening. Their place on West street is occupied by Mr. and Mrs. J. Ypya and family of seven children from Flichburg.

Mr, and Mrs. C. A. McGraw, with Mrs. S. Keaton Brown and two sons from McGraw, N. Y., motored to Ocean Park, Me., on Saturday of last week, where they are to occupy the bungalow of Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Parker.

Mrs. Anna L. Bancroft entertained, Mr. and Mrs. Edmunds from Cametric Mr. Morrison as a criminal of twenty-three years' standing.

The account, published in the Bostolows: "Arthur M. Morrison of Paragarally."

Altroff. He said that he was wanted for passing two checks, one of \$140 in Boston, and one of \$120 in Nashua, and that in order to return home he is willing to face the charges. He told Dectective Chief Kirgan that he came to Cincinnati six weeks ago, but cannot find work, and that he was down and out and want to get back home. He said 'I decided to walk but changed my mind when I thought of the distance. Then I made up my mind to give myself up."

Chief Kirgan wired the Boston police as to what disposition to make of the man.

of Kentucky.

Mr. Tucker was formerly at the head of our manual training class here in town, having held similar positions previously west and south. He resigned his position here last winter to go to Hindman, Kentucky, and likes there so well that he is returning there soon, as the work goes on there during the summer, although the regular term closed in May, and will not be resumed until September. Many of the students stay the year around, and this year an experiment is to be made in road building, in which the boys of the school will participate.

The school has about thirty teachers, most of whom come from the north and east. There are about 100 students who board in the buildings, with an average of about 300 students, boys and girls. Although it is called the Hindman Settlement school the students come from well-to-do families, who have settled among the Kentucky Highlands, their ancestors coming from Pennsylvania and the Virginias. They are not to be confused with the proverbial "poor whites" of the southern states. Their intonation is more like the northern people, and they are very bright and intelligent.

Mr. Tucker has charge of the mechanical work, particularly, and of the electric plant connected with the school. There are many other departments, and a farm some miles away is carried on by the same students; also, several acres of garden at the settlement, which is under the care of the boys and their instructors. The school is built in one of the numerous valleys, surrounded by the smaller mountains of the range, which rise from 450 to 500 feet on all sides. It is sixteen miles from a railroad, but only about six miles distant by following in the usual line of travel along by the creek. Most of the so-called "roads" are in the bed of some creek, where the water is from six to eighteen inches deep. A few horses are used for riding, but the usual way of travel and transportation is by mules.

The climate Mr. Tucker finds agreeable, although the winters are bleak and chill, like our month of Novembe

chairman, Mrs. W. C. Lang, Wist. J. E.
Dunn, Mrs. W. H. Deware and Mrs.
Little Miss Mildred Tilton, the
twolve-year-old grandaughter of
Mrs. P. J. Davas took a trip by Service and the home on Thursday morning, with
a home on Thursday morning, with
prought a fine birthday cake to Mrs.
Davis as a remembrance of her birth
Davis as a remembrance of her bir

phonograph of Mr. Blake added to the program for all. Blakesmere was at its best, amid Blakesmere and flowers, and the

June day was an ideal one for gatherings of a social nature on the broad

LITTLETON

News Items. The ladies of the Baptist church

hope for a large patronage at their food sale this afternoon.

The King's Daughters closed the season with a very pleasant outing at the home of Mrs. H. F. Hume. Tuesday. The attractive house and the shady grove furnished an ideal place for such an occasion, and host and hostess left nothing to be desired for the comfort and happiness of their guests. Forty-five members and friends of the circle were present. Tables were placed beneath the large plue tree near the house and a boun-

or the places of the found of the program for all.

In a fresh foliage and flowers, and the former resident of Littleton, and now former resident of Littleton, and now prominent in Boston, was expected to address the society at this meeting, but asked to be excused until the Labor day meeting, as his daughter's graduation from college takes place June 17. All friends interested in the trip next Friday to the old line kiln near Judge Sanderson's residence and other nearby places will be welcome.

The ladies of the Eaptist church hope for a large patronage at their food sale this afternoon.

The shed on the Conant & Houghton boarding house has been torn down preparatory to improvements.

G. A. Barber, with his force of men, is going ahead rapidly with the erection of the ice cream parlor on the Andrew Johnson place, recently purchased.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Carter have gone to Hartford, Conn., to the aviation meet, and visit the Leonard Traceys.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Hill and three daughters, from Marblehead, spent Sunday with friends at the West End.

Percy Crane and Alton Hunt have bought land of E. N. Robinson on Great road, not far from Rupert San.

Homeopathy and the International West End.

Percy Crane and Alton Hunt have lought land of E. N. Robinson on Daughter of the Revolution.

"Lieut. Shattuck was a graduate of Dartmouth '17, and soon after the outbreak of the war he took his examination for the pay corps and got his commission. At present he is dishursing officer of the supply department at the navy yard.

"Lieut, and Mrs. Shattuck will reside at 145 Middle street, Portsmouth, and the bride will continue her practice."

Tidiugs of Arthur M. Morrison.

Under date of June 8 despatches from the Cincinnati police to the Boston force announce that Arthur M. Morrison, late of Tepperell, and wanted in both Roston and Nashna, for

A Pleasant Shower.

A complete surprise in the form of a miscellaneous shower was given Miss Vera Willard by the teachers on Monday afternoon when she attended what was represented to be a teachers' meeting in the Union school building.

some time ago, where they and their daughter. Edith, will take up small gardening. Their place on West street for the place on West street for its occupied by Mr. and Mrs. J. Ypya and family of seven children from Mr. and Mrs. C. A. McGraw, Mr. Morrison as a criminal from Hrighton Mrs. A. F. Mrs. Anna L. Bancroft entertained Mr. and Mrs. Edmunds from Cambridge recently.

Area and Mrs. E. S. Greenleaf, who were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Greenleaf recently, and later of George Greenleaf at Shirley, went to New York by auto last week.

home here for the summer.

The young people of the church cleared up about for

dollars on their play given last week Friday evening. The young people Friday evening. The young peopl all did themselves credit for their in dividual work, to most of them their first appearance behind the foot Mr. and Mrs. Willard Bagster ar

rived Thursday afternoon for a with their parents here in town. Irving Taylor, veteran of the world war and a member of the American Legion, died this week Friday morn-ing of lung trouble that developed from his service overseas

Still River.

Sincere appreciation is expressed by the Still River members of the Harvard Historical society for the kindness of Miss Clara Endicott Sears in inviting them to the open-ing of the renovated Shaker house. ing of the renovated Shaker house. All who were privileged to attend felt that it was for the good of the town to have so thrifty and worthy a sect kept in the thoughts of the coming generations, who may well pattern after some of their virtues. May the Historical society do something along the same line.

A halv how were there were the society of the same line.

A baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Barker last week Friday, and a girl to Mr. and Mrs. Gorham at the Clinton hospital on Tuesday. Mrs William Currie, formerly Mrs Edward P. Atherton, was a guest of her sister, Mrs. Adeliza Turner, Me-morial day

morial day Miss Vera Willard spent Tuesday and Wednesday in Greenville, N. H., where she was maid of henor at the marriage of her friend and former room-mate, Marian Hardy, of that town, to Earl K. Jackman, of Waltham, Wednesday.

Mr. Hutcherson took a load in his auto to the Unitarian conference in Sterling on Thursday. Mrs. Jennie Willard attended a pageant given by the school at Lit-tleton, where her daughter Ruth teaches, Thursday.

Mrs. Eleanor Merrifield returned ome from her visit in Winchester on last Saturday.

Mrs. Thomas Higgs is quite ill. Last Sunday Lester Keyes and family came up from Providence in his auto and took his mother, Mrs. Julia L. Keyes, back with them for a visit.

Mrs. Tenney is visiting in Bostor Morrill Sprague is at home for the vacation from Amherst Agricultural college.

Mrs. Alice Habkell, Mrs. Mary Haskell and Mrs. Haynes attended a union meeting of the King's Daugh-ters at the Baptist church in Clinton on Thursday. Mrs. Heeley spent the week-end with her son, Fred Heeley, and fam-ly, of Somerville.

ily, of Somerville.

'Fred Bateman and sister Eliza attended the commencement exercises at Worcester Polytechnie, going on

Thursday to attend a banquet to the members of the class of fifty years ago, the first class to graduate from this school, of which Mr. Bateman is one of the surviving members.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Weare, jr., for the summer.

Albert LaPage has moved his household goods to Manchester, N. H.

Mr. and Mrs. Stevens of Lynn were

A children's day concert will be given by the Sunday school in the Baptist church on Sunday evening at seven clock Mrs. Fretch, of Boston, is caring for the Gorham home during the ab-sence of Mrs. Gorham at the hospital.

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fective June eighth.

News Items.

The next meeting of the grange, which was to be Children's night, and was postponed till Saturday evening, has now been indefinitely postponed on account of the prevalence of measles among the children.

Mr. and Mrs. Wolds, Liverment

Mr. and Mrs. Waldo Livermore a fored to Somerville on Sunday to v relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Liv more accompanied them as far as i lerica, where they stopped to visi sister. Mrs. Livermore's sister fr Belmont returned with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dodge of Nor-Lexington showed their continued in terest in the library here by recent donating four volumes of Edgar Guest's poems. Mrs. Mary A. Pratt of South Ac as spent the week with relatives lown. The appearance of measles several families has stopped the learness for graduation exercises he town hall and probably there we no public entertainment.

Albert Walker is visiting in Swan

At the special town meeting last Saturday dening the town voted \$500 to be raised for the purpose of putting the hall in condition to conform to the laws regarding fire precautions. This sum is to be used at the discretion of the selectmen.

Mrs. S. P. Dodge and her daughter, frs. B. C. Steele, spent the week-and with the Frank Dodge family at North exhiption s Mary E. Hager is visiting her ers' family in Clinton.

TOWNSEND

Harbor. Mr. and Mrs. Earl Wallace who attended the funeral of Mr. Wallace's father on last week, have returned home. Mr. and Mrs. Wallace have the sympathy of their many friends and neighbors.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Quimby of Whalom, with their two little bo visited at Mrs. Anson Spaulding's

Mrs. Minnie Knight, Mrs. Florence Conant and Mrs. Hester Proctor at-tended the Pomona Grange in Little-ton on Thursday. One day last week as Frank Conant

One day last week as Frank Conant was working on his farm his attention was called to the nearby woods by a movement in the undergrowth. Investigation revealed a baby deer which had evidently been deserted by its mother, as the little animal was in a weakened condition. Mr. Conant was accompanied by his little gmndson, Frankle Richards, who had a bottle of milk which he generously shared with the small orphan. The fawn was taken to the house and the proper authorities notified, with the result that the deer has found a permanent home at Whalom park. Miss Mary Adams has also rescued a baby wild animal.

SHIRLEY

Yews Items. Miss Ruth S. Knowles attended the ecception and dance at the Worcester Polytechnic given by the senior Delta raternity last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Knowles entertained Mrs. Knowles' brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Simpson, of Providence, R. I., last week. They also entertained their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Johnson of Boston.

Mrs. Walter Knowles, who has been

confined at home this week with sick-ness, is again able to be up.

Mr. and Mrs. William Wilbur of Gardner spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Lawrence.

Mr. and Mrs. Stevens of Lynn were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. David Lash. Mrs. Stevens remained. Mr. Lash took his family and guests over the Mohawk trail on Sunday.

The Samson Cordage Works ball team won from Lunenburg A. A. lust Saturday afternoon 10 to 9 in a ten inning game. Wednesday evening a return game was played in Lunen-burg when Lunenburg again lost.

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FORES OF LAMB 15c lb. 16c lb. BEST CREAM CHEESE CREAMERY BUTTER POTATOES 20c peck FRESH SHOULDERS GOOD ROAST PORK GOOD RIB ROAST BOTTOM ROUND LEGS AND LOINS OF LAMB 30c lb. LAMB CHOPS . CORNED BEEF, all solid meat, 15c lb. BACON GOOD ROAST BEEF

PURE and COMPOUND LARD 12c and 14c lb. PEACHES, large cans

TOMATOES, large can CONDENSED MILK 18c, can SNYDER'S LARGE TOMATO SOUP

12c can