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### HARVARD.

#### News Items.

The annual fair of the ladies of the Congregational society will be held in Harvard town hall, Thursday, November 4. There will be fancy, apron, flower, pitcher, children's mystery, candy and ice cream tables. In the evening at 8.30 the entertainment will be views of Harvard by Rev. H. B. Mason of lantern slides, made from photographs this year of landscapes, buildings, street views and portraits. Supper will be served at six and seven o'clock. Checks will be given for the evening to those who attend in the afternoon.

Voters of the town are reminded of the fall election by the specimen ballots in public places. Augustus D. Parker, for the third consecutive year, is a candidate for representative of the eleventh district to the legislature. Those who are acquainted with Mr. Parker know that his faithfulness to his duties for the public would certainly be highly commendable in him as a representative from this district.

Mrs. S. M. Sawyer, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Nickerson are spending a few days at their house on Oak Hill.

On Tuesday evening, November 2, the grange will confer the first and second degrees on a class of candidates. The men's second team will be usual do the work. Visiting members are cordially welcome.

On Sunday evening, October 24, the usual C. E. service in the vestry will be omitted. Rev. H. B. Mason has prepared a lecture on mission work in foreign fields, and he will deliver it Sunday evening at seven p. m. in the auditorium of the Congregational church. Mr. Mason has secured the services of a stereopticon with slides furnished by the American Missionary society, and his lecture will be illustrated with some very fine views. The public are cordially invited to attend this illustrated lecture, which promises to be highly interesting.

The King's Daughters will hold their regular meeting at the Memorial rooms on Tuesday afternoon, November 2, at 2.30 o'clock. Note the change from Thursday to Tuesday.

The school committee this year have issued an entirely new report card, to be sent to the parents once every six weeks. By this new card the parents can see just what progress each child is making and also know just what the prospect each child has for promotion.

Charles S. Ripley has sold his farm property in East Bare hill to Simon T. Lundstrom, a young married man who comes highly recommended to the citizens here. Mr. Ripley expects to move this week and is looking for a suitable location in town.

Miss E. E. Hersey is visiting this week with friends in Bristol, N. H.

N. A. Dill is trying a surface well for a supply of drinking water. His driven well is abundant in supply, but contains large deposits of iron. He hopes to be more successful in quality in his new venture.

The Warner lecture programs are out, and each family should receive one. If by some inadvertence or error anyone has been omitted, they may procure programs at the post-office.

Mrs. Marble and son Ralph of Worcester, who spend their summers here, spent the day Wednesday at the Harlow farm.

Mrs. Alice Henstiss Wilbur of Portland, Ore., well known here, has been visiting this week with Mrs. J. E. Maynard and Mrs. F. E. Hartshorn.

Notices have been sent all property owners to remove from their trees all nests of browntail moths and to destroy by creosote the nests of gypsy moths. If this could be done much expense to property owners could be saved.

NOTICE—From November 1st, 1909, to April 1st, 1910, as has been our custom for a number of years, our store will be closed every evening except Saturday evening at 6.30 o'clock. Saturday evening at nine o'clock. A. E. Lawrence & Son, Ayer, Mass.

#### About Town.

The funeral service of Dr. Eaton was held at his late residence on Saturday, October 23, Rev. F. A. Warfield officiating. Miss MacNamara of Milford sang "The beautiful land," "One sweetly solemn thought," and "Face to Face," all beautifully rendered. Post 22, G. A. R., of Milford, was represented by the commander, Henry A. Pond and six comrades conducting the service at the grave. The interment was at Bellevue cemetery. Mr. Lindley had charge of the arrangements and did great credit to himself.

From September 4 to October 10 there was a shortage of thirty-seven dollars at the postoffice. Miss Hersey, although not in charge of the office, or in any way responsible for the loss, made up the deficit from her own pocket. She also suffered a loss of over ten dollars that should have come

## Fall and Winter Suits

We have just received our first shipment of Hart, Schaffner & Marx Suits in all the latest models and colorings. Grays, Fancy Blues and Blacks. Call and see them.

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to her in box rents, making her entire loss nearly fifty dollars.

#### Still River.

There will be no services at the Baptist church, Sunday morning, but there will be services in the evening.

Misses Edna Robinson and Eleanor Haskell attended the meeting of the Massachusetts Baptist Sunday School association in Worcester, Thursday, as delegates from the Still River school.

Rev. and Mrs. L. H. Morse attended the meetings of the Baptist societies of the state, in Worcester, this week. Mrs. W. B. Haskell also attended the meetings Wednesday.

Rev. Samuel Read of Springfield was the guest of his mother and sister Tuesday.

S. B. Haynes, Chester Paine and Carlton Haskell were elected as delegates from the Still River church, to attend the meeting of the Laymen's missionary movement in Worcester, and they expect to attend on Sunday.

Mrs. A. H. Keyes and Mrs. Chester Keyes visited in Worcester, and with relatives in West Boylston, Wednesday.

Walter Haskell has caught seven foxes thus far this fall; Wendell B. Willard has caught four; and R. E. Portley one.

Mrs. Sarah Collins of Wellfleet is the guest of Mrs. Hannah D. Harrod. Miss Katherine L. Lawrence visited Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Stone of Ayer, Wednesday.

Mrs. Charles Spencer is the guest of Mrs. Hutcherson.

Miss Alice Marshall has been visiting in Fitchburg.

Your correspondent was in error when he stated last week that Miss Laura Brown had a class in drawing in Lowell. She is teaching basket-making and not drawing.

Mr. Seaver has not bought the schoolhouse of Mr. Haskell, as he has found that the cost of moving it up to his summer cottage is too great, and even if the cost was not prohibitive, it is doubtful if he could have moved it through the streets, as it would have necessitated the trimming out of the shade trees in a manner that the town tree warden would hardly have allowed.

#### SHIRLEY.

#### Bowling.

A swift game with the pins was played at the local alleys Wednesday evening between the Weavers and Shirley Independents.

The boys from the President Suspender Works were certainly on to their job, making scores that we seldom see or read about, capturing everything by handsome margins. They won out by taking three straight and the highest total pinfall, and their lowest bowler made a total of 265. In the first string they made with seven pins to spare, notwithstanding the good bowling of Day of the opposing team, who registered an even century. In the second string they made the record-breaking score of 508, against 428 for the Shirley Independents, and in the final string the Weavers won again by a majority of four pins, although the Independents on this string made a splendid attempt to win, all the team doing good work.

Harry Collyer's bowling was as usual up-to-date, scoring 93 in the first string, 110 in the second and 99 in the final, which gave him a total of 302.

Sleeper, Cotter and Burrill also kept their end up in good shape, and the fine all-round playing of the team was excellent. Their score of 508 in the second string is the highest for a string that has ever been rolled on the Shirley alleys, and their total pinfall of 1405 is also the highest ever rolled in Shirley.

Day and Cook of the losing team also did some good rolling. The summary:

WEAVERS.			
Leopold	83	100	82-265
Burrill	87	96	90-273
Sleeper	82	104	98-281
Cotter	91	98	95-287
Collyer	93	110	99-302
Totals	436	508	461-1405

SHIRLEY INDEPENDENTS.			
McGinnis	85	88	80-256
Cook	79	92	107-276
E. Gately	73	79	97-249
Day	100	88	98-284
Sibley	89	81	77-247
Totals	429	428	457-1312

#### News Item.

James Burrill, who went to a private hospital at Jamaica, L. I., a couple of weeks ago for treatment of cancer of the tongue, is very low from the effects of the operation and his chances of recovery are very remote.

Keep your thoughts pure and sweet and you need not worry about the utterances of your mouth.

#### New Advertisements.

FOR SALE AT A BARGAIN—Two Perfection Oil Heaters, nickel trimmings, one good size, other medium, both in good condition. Inquire of JAMES A. BARRY, Harvard, Mass. 717

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