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HARVARD.

News Items.

The Unitarian ladies have arranged to hold their annual sale in the town hall on Thursday afternoon, October 30.

Mr. Davis, milliner, of Ayer, has secured the services of a New York trimmer. See notice of opening in another column.

"High Hills," the summer home of Dr. and Mrs. Paul Thorndike, closed this week for the season, the family going to their winter home, Marlborough street, Boston.

Older residents of this town received calls this week from a former townsman, Loring Reding, gone from here about thirty years, now a prosperous business man of Los Angeles, Cal. While here he was the guest of W. H. Fairbank, his former employer while a young man here.

Leon E. Dadmun, with his wife and daughter, Blanche Dadmun, returned on Thursday from an auto trip to New York city and return. They have been gone nearly a week and report a very pleasant trip.

Miss Nell T. Hartshorn is to open a dancing class next Tuesday afternoon at 3.15 o'clock.

Miss Ruth Head, a student at Bromfield, has given up her school work and gone to live with Mr. and Mrs. George F. Cobb at their winter residence, Boston.

Miss Josephine Baker resumes her vocal studies with C. LeRoy Lyon at Clinton, beginning this Saturday.

Those who heard Rev. C. S. Bodwell at the Unitarian church on Sunday will be gratified to know that he is to preach again on Sunday. Mr. Bodwell is a young man with ex-

tremely pleasing ways both in and out of the pulpit. The ladies' double quartet will furnish the music. Service at 10.45.

Miss Edith E. Hapgood spent last Sunday with her parents here in town. Miss Hapgood is associated in the publication of "Happyland," a magazine for children and published in Boston. It certainly is very bright and catchy with the children and Miss Hapgood is worthily proud of her work in this direction. She is particularly interested in the children of Harvard and has sent several copies of her paper here for distribution.

Mrs. William Robinson, of Somerville, visited a few days this week with Mrs. A. M. Harrod.

Stanley B. Hildreth, of Cambridge, was in town on Thursday. Mr. Hildreth, who with his wife and daughter has been abroad all summer, returns with best accounts of his splendid trip in foreign countries, but glad to back among old friends again.

Lumber for the new house to be erected by H. A. Skillings has arrived and work is to begin at once. I. E. Morse will have charge of the work.

Thirty-two members of Harvard Grange have engaged seats with Mr. Reed for the trip to Sterling on Thursday evening, October 16. Other members are planning to use their own autos so that probably upwards of fifty members will go to Sterling Grange for their neighbors' night meeting. Bolton is also to send a delegation and the two granges will furnish the entertainment. Refreshments will be served by Sterling members.

Solon F. Whitney, of Watertown, spent part of this week here with his brother James H. Whitney, who is at present in rather feeble health.

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

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Choral Union Meeting.

The annual meeting of the Harvard Choral union was held at the Memorial rooms on Monday evening. The regular business of the evening was to elect the following officers: Arthur T. West, pres.; Gustaf B. Schultz, v. p.; Helen Stone, sec.; Lillian Cleaves, treas. It was also voted to hold the next meeting at the town hall on Tuesday evening, October 14, at eight o'clock. At this meeting Arthur E. French will meet the union and discuss plans for rehearsals and concerts for the coming season. Not only members of the union but all interested, either in the welfare of the union or in their work, are invited to be present.

The union needs the good voices for their successful work. It is also needs the support both moral and financial of all those who believe such an organization among the young people of the town is a benefit to the whole community. All who took part in the last concert please bring the music used at that time as a part of the evening is to be devoted to singing with a view of testing the vocal strength of the union. Will all not only be present but bring along friends.

H. W. C.

On Monday, October 6, at the I. O. O. F. hall the Harvard Woman's club was formally launched. It begins its career with a charter membership of twenty and fifteen applicants for admission to the club. The inaugural program consisted of a piano duet by the Misses Cleaves and Stone, after which the president, Mrs. Alice F. S. Bigelow, introduced as the speaker of the afternoon, Mrs. Clair H. Gurney of Wollaston, a vice-president of the Massachusetts State Federation of Women's clubs.

Mrs. Gurney is an enthusiast upon the subject of women's clubs and spoke in a most entertaining and instructive manner upon the relation of the club to individuals, to the community and to the federation. Listening to her as she touched upon the great possibilities of the woman's club, whose aim it is to do away with individualism and to bring its members together upon a common ground for mutual help and the promotion of the welfare of all, it really seemed that the 60,000 club women in Massachusetts might and ought to wield a power for good which should be felt along many lines.

The coming into touch with the great movements of the world can but quicken one's sympathy and broaden one's mind.

At the close of Mrs. Gurney's spirited address she recited an original poem, "The potent germ," which portrayed the origin of the club in a witty manner and left the audience in great good humor.

An informal reception and the serving of tea, under the direction of the hospitality committee, closed a very happy afternoon.

Still River.

Miss Laura A. Brown of West Acton has been the guest of Mrs. Josephine Whitney a few days this week.

Miss Alice Marshall started for Drumbo, Ont., Wednesday and from there will probably go further west. She is planning to be gone about six weeks and during her absence her cousin, Mrs. Morrill, is looking after the house.

F. W. Bateman and sister returned from their vacation at East Jaffery, N. H., Monday.

Mrs. Burton Stone and two children of Enosburg Falls, Vt., are the guests of her mother, Mrs. Abbie Dadmun.

Mrs. Carrie Nourse has been on a visit to her daughter in Hudson this week.

Rev. and Mrs. L. H. Morse, Mr. and Mrs. Edward E. Hallowell and Mrs. W. B. Haskell attended the Wachusett Baptist association at Gardner on Tuesday.

H. D. Stone is making alterations to his house and has removed one ell and put down a hardwood floor in the sitting room, as part of the changes.

Monday evening F. W. Bateman, Miss Eliza Bateman and Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Haynes attended the lecture, given under the Weeks lecture course at town hall, Clinton, going in Mr. Bateman's auto.

John Sprague of Shirley was the guest of his son, Frank Sprague, a couple of days this week.

MAKING THINGS WORSE.
The sanitary inspector was shocked when he saw O'Pat's pigsty built within a yard of the back door.

"You must move the sty from there at once," he said firmly.

"As yer honor please," said Pat readily.

A few weeks later the inspector returned and saw that the pig and sty had both vanished.

"So you've given up keeping a pig," said the inspector. "I am afraid you misunderstood me, Pat. You could have rebuilt the sty at the far end of the garden."

"Shure thin, Oi did mistook yer honor," said Pat. "Oi thought you objected to the sty, so I pulled it down an' sowed the stones and brought the pig inside the house."

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