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Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Cobb are heard

from in Cushing, Me., having started for that place Saturday noon last, accompanied by Mrs. James Dunn, and

Mr. and Mrs. John Foster and

daughter have been staying at the Boynton place on Elm street, although Mr. Foster, who has been making some

repairs about the house, was obliged to return to his business in Somerville

Miss Lena McGrath, who has bee

assisting at the Lowthrope school in Groton, spent her week's vacation at her home in town, last week. On Sun-

day she went to visit her sister, Mrs. Gertrude Coppinger, at Needham Neights.

Mrs. Florence Willoughby is at the

turn here for the week-end.

Lake Winnipesaukee, N. H.

Ancient Paper.

Monday morning, expecting to re

Yews Items.

road street.

used as a tenement house for some years following the death of the original owner, Elliah Butterfield, who lived there for some years with his aged mother, and the papers in the attic had apparently never been ter of regret that more were not sav-ed, as the ancient document quoted below is of considerable historic value. The paper is headed "Regidisturbed for years. It is now a mat below is of considerable historic value. The paper is headed "Regimental Orders. A minutes notice.

Lt. William Hulbert:—You are hereby ordered to meet at Blanch.

ard's Tavern in Lowell, on the 25th inst., at six o'clock, A; M., uniformed armed and equipped as the law di rects for escort and military duty and there abide until further order By order of Nahum Harwood, Col. of 2nd Regt., 2nd Brigade, 3rd Division. Signed, L. S. Bancroft, Popperell, June 24, 1833. Postscript:—White

It is assumed by some that this lassachusetts General hospital for postscript may have been the counter observation and a possible operation, going on Wednesday. sign or password, and not have ap-plied to any particular style of attire On the outside of the folded paper Mrs. E. Edward Butler and Miss Mary are spending a short time at it is addressed to Lt. William Hul-bert, Militia on the double quick

While the name of Hulbert seems to be strange to many, even of the older citizens, the name of L. S. Ban-An ancient scrap of paper, yellowed with age, has recently come to our notice, through the kindness of Mrs. croft, or Luther S. Bancroft, is well known, and as he was prominent in military affairs in the early days of the fown, it is promine that the signature on the order is his.

Nahum Harwood, the colonel name it is evidently not a Pepperell man. notice, through the kindness of Mrs. Thomas Kennedy, in whose home on River street the paper was found amongst many other old-time receipts, bills and memorandums, nearly a barrel full, in all, this being about all the one preserved. The house, which the Kennedy family have renovated and now occupy, was originally called the "Butterfield house." It was

ed, is evidently not a Pepperell man, as his name is not recalled in connection with any of the historical events of early history of Pepperell. as far as we have been able to learn

Grange Notes.

At the regular meeting of Presco At the regular meeting of vening, "young people's night" was observed with a very large attendance of these and more or less of the regular attendants and patrons. The program was in charge of Mrs. Hattie Stewart and the Missag Flynn and Burkin. and the Misses Flynn and Burkin-shaw, and was opened with singing by all of "Star Spangled Banner," folwed by a flag salute. A reading was given by Gledys Green and re-tation by Margaret P. Olsen. A vio-lin solo by Philip Blood was a most creditable part of the program, this being Master Blood's first appearpeing Master Blood's first appearance with the instrument in public, and as he has only been instructed for a short time. Recitations followed by Anita Marston and Phebe Blood, and Rachel Gagnon gave a pleasing little song. In conclusion readings were given by Misses Kath readings were given by Misses Rathi-erine Blood and Florence Flynn, and all Joined in singing "America." The company of young people enjoyed games, and refreshments were served to all, the evening's entertainment reflecting much credit on the commit tee in charge as well as the children

The next meeting will be held or August 22, the program in charge of Miss Sarah Tucker.

Annual D. A. R. Plenie, As one of the preliminary items of preparation for the annual day of outing of the members of Prudence outing of the members of Fruences Wright chapter, D. A. R., the large flag of the host was unfurled across the entrance to Woodside early on Thursday morning, July 24. Later, a large flag belonging to the regent of the chapter, Mrs. Cushing, was used in decorating the piazza, and numerous other smaller flags gave a signifious other smaller flags gave a signifi cant tone to the decorations of the

grounds.

Mrs. George V. Herrig, of Somerville, with Mrs. Laura Herrig Kelley, of Lexington, both members of the local chapter, and Mrs. George Pierce of Woodside, were the hostesses of the of Woodside, were the Insucess of co-occasion, being assisted by two mem-bers of the outing committee of the chapter, Mrs. Thomas F. Graham and Miss A. M. Jordan.

Guests commenced to arrive in the

Guests commenced to arrive in the morning. Mrs. Margaret Sutton. "relative of Mrs. Pierce, coming from Boston by auto, accompanied by Mrs and Miss Wood, from Kokomo, Ind. with their grandson, Franklin Woodvisiting them from his home in Ter nessee: also, Mrs. G. F. Jones and daughter, from West Medford, on Mrs. William Canavan, of Hollis: N. H. Members of the Milford (N. H. chapter, expected to be present, wer unable to attend.

Other guests of members from tow: were also present, making a pleas-ant gathering of thirty-five or more to enjoy at one o'clock the lunch rendered doubly attractive by being served out under the tall chestnu

trees in the grove near by. The early part of the afternoon was devoted to the regular session of Mrs. Cushing. A brief talk was given by Mrs. Sutton, secretary of the John by Mrs. Sutton, secretary of the Paul Jones chapter, D. A. R., of Bos ton. She was followed by Mrs. Wil Canavan, vice regent of the An

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... that city.

During the afternoon the program K. Co. Powers chapter, of Hollis, H, who gave an able talk on the which was taken up by Miss Prentice Blood at the close, me account of her work among begin born population of New ode, which has come closely ber personal observation dur-

was happily varied by an announce-ment formally given by the secretary of the local chapter of the engagement of Miss Mary Adele Boynton, a young member of the chapter, to Fay Bailey Williams, of Boston.

Music by Mrs. Laura Herrig Kel-ley on her violin, with Mrs. Sutton acting as planist, afforded a rare treat to music lovers, and those who cool breezes.

always have enjoyed the execution of this young lady on the violin. from the early days of her childhood, her ability and the pleasure of her friends increasing with her years.

The day throughout was one of much pleasure, the guests from the city particularly enjoying the grove and the delightful walk to the rustic seats on the bank of the river for

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WESTFORD

Mrs. J. R. Draper, of Auburndale has been the guest of Mrs. L. H and of Mrs. H. V. Hildreth this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Preston H. Skidmore are at their Westford home for the remainder of the summer. They have recently exchanged automobiles and

are driving a new Hudson closed car. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Whiting were at Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Knight's over Sunday; also, the latter's grandson, Oscar Campbell, of Nashua, N. H.

Mr. and Mrs. William C. Rouden hush entertained this week an auto party of old friends from their former home in Rochester, N. Y. Their friends were driving through to Maine to spend the month of August and were Mrs. Mary E. Chapman and son Robert, and Miss Emma Corson, of land, Me. Rochester, and Miss Doris Cater, of Palmyra, N. Y.

Mrs. Annie Hamlin and daughter Edna are spending a vacation with Mr. and Mrs. Bert Walker in Marblehead.

Two additional circuits, one through Lowell and one through Ayer, have change to take care of the increased

Some spirited games of tennis are enjoyed at the tennis court at Whit-ney playground these summer days.

The Congregational church closed last Sunday for the summer vacation through the month of August, but there will be an evening service each Sunday. Mr. Brownsey, who has been in Boston during the week, will be at the parsonage over Sunday and will kindly give this Sunday evening of his vacation and conduct the meeting. His subject will be "Looking forward and backward." The first of the week he joins Mrs. Brownsey in Dunbarton N. H.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold W. Hildreth absent on a vacation trip to Maine.

At the local telephone exchange a trather unusual pet cat named hief." He is all white and has one eye that is very blue and the other eye of an entirely different color -a sort of gray color.

Mr. and Mrs. Perley J. Buchanan, of North Weymouth, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. George F. White last Saturday and Sunday.

Alfred Tuttle, while driving his Ford, collided with a swift coming motorcycle at Minot's corner one day this week. He gave the motorcycle all the room possible, but it was going at such a rate of speed could not out enough to avoid colliding. The passenger riding in the sidecar of the uncorrevele was thrown out, and while there was a general shaking up no serio is results were reported,

Mr. and Mrs. William H. Carver enjoyed a week-etal motor trip to Maine this last week.

J. Herbert Fletcher, Dr. C. A. Blaney and John B. Gray go the last of this week for a two-weeks' whention in Maine.

We note in a recent number of the U. Leavitt to Harvard church, Brook-line, fron. Fertland. Dr. Leavitt is a Ruth Whitaker returned home on Yale in Apriliv man and the record Monday from the Clinton hospital. Rev. B. F. Leavitt, appendicitis.

It Baker Memorial, East Fred Sawyer has left his work at Boston, and the family done time the President Suspender Company Eved in Westford, occupying the and will leave shortly for Providence, house now owned by Charles H. Bick-

Forge Village,

their wives of the Abbot Worsted Co. are to be the guests of the members of the firm Saturday. The outing will be held at Hampton Beach. The trip will be made by autos, leaving here at eleven o'clock. Dinner will be served at 2.30. The large party is composed of the overseers of this village, Graniteville and the Brookside mills and ty will proceed to Salisbury beach, where the remainder of the day will spent. About eighty expect to be present.

The large strip of land between the railroad crossing and canal has been graded and is being laid out by a land-scape artist. When completed it will be an attractive cool spot.

The large block opposite the mill is to be torn down to make room for a group of buildings that will take care of the office force and provide a suitable place for the nurse, who looks after the welfare of the employees of the Abbot Worsted Co. The tenants are moving out this week into the modern houses just completed for the employees.

The Graniteville A. C. wan the fourth game of the series from the F. V. A. C. Wednesday evening before one of the largest crowds ever on the field. The score now is even, each side having won two games. The fifth game will be played next week.

The F. V. A. C. defeated the Town-Independents on the home of 7 to 3. They will play a return game in Townsend Saturday.

Mrs. A. H. Comey and two daughters, Blanche and Irene, have seturn ed from their vacation spent at Nan-

Miss Eva F. Pyne and William ushing were married July 24 by Rev. Charles P. Heaney at his residence in North Chelmsford. Mr. Cushing re-

cently returned from overseas. Elizabeth Palermo, the young ceived a deep cut across the chin, which caused much pain. Miss Agnes Weir, the public health nurse, is attending her.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Keefe and

Mr. and Mrs. Albert E. Jones and two children and Miss Ethel Jones, of Worcester, are visiting Mrs. William Blodgett of the Ridges They spent Sunday before the highest controlled in question and took the matter under Sunday here visiting their grandpar-eats, Mr. and Mrs. William Burnett.

Graniteville,

Owing to the cancellation of the game by the Townsend A. A., the Ab Worsted Co. team did not play ast Saturday, which proved a great dicappointment to the many fans here Next Saturday the strong Saco-Lowell club will visit here for a game with the Abbot Worsted Co, team and a the Abbot Worsted Co, team and a good game is expected. The local club will present its regular lineup. It is expected that Merritt, who had a try out with the Lowell N. E. league team, will twirl for the Saco-Lowel

Carl Doneghy, who has been tele graph operator here at the Boston and Maine station for the past few years, has recently accepted a positio in Marlboro and will move his family to that city in a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Fred Wall of Detroit, Mich., who have been visiting relatives here for the past ten day left for their western home last Mon-

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Dion with theh son John of Lowell have been recent

eason and the local pickers are reapng a harvest. Mrs Le Lorenzo who has been vis

iting with her son Edward here for the past few weeks, left for her home n New Jersey last Saturday. Alfred Prinn, has been spending the past few days with relatives in Port-

Edward Defoe injured his leg while helping to unload machinery

here a few days ago, and will be laid up for awhile, The Graniteville A. C. played a twilight game in Forge Village Wednes-day at 6.15 p. m.

SHIRLEY

Samuel E. Mayrand, of North Rochester, N. H., and Miss Mayis L. Page, of Milton, N. H., were united in Mayrand, of North marriage on Tuesday at the Congregational parsonage by Rev. S. F. Goodheart. The bride is a former parishioner of Mr. Goodheart.

Joseph Thomas has purchased the block and pool room at the corner of Mill and Fredonian streets from the Polander.

Miss Inez Brown spent the week end at Nantasket.

Mrs. Fred McGrath is visiting with relatives in Waterbury, Conn. Charles Trembley, of Lynn, was visitor in town last Saturday.

Mrs. Harold W. French and daugh ter Marion, of North Leominster. have been visitors at the home of he parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Knowles for a few days.

Michael Gionet, Osais Chaisson and Mrs. Elina Gionet left this week for a 'ew weeks' vacation at Caraquet, N. B.

Miss Elizabeth Moore was a recent guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Holden. Mrs. George Greenleaf, accompanied

by Asa Shepherd, spent two days this week at Nantasket. Mrs. Lester G. Holden is visiting at Oak Bluffs for four weeks.

Lester Holden spent the first of the week in Nashua. George Morin, employed as meat cutter at the Shirley Cash Market he-fore going in the army, returned from

overseas last Monday, Miss Doris White is substituting at the Ayer telephone exchange. Mrs. William Perkins, of Nashua

and Miss Daisy Chase, of Boston, were guests last Monday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Walker, Mr. and Mrs. James Gately left for

given in his chosen work is a fine one, where she underwent an operation for

Company

The Congregational church has riell.

closed for the annual vacation assessor and will reopen on Sunday, September 7. The paster and family the superirterdents, oversees and leave this week for a few weeks' well carned rest in Vermont.

Dr. and Mrs. Thomas E. Lilly and family spent Sunday and Monday on an auto trip through New Hampshire. Rev. S. F. Goodheart, who has charge of the Protestant services at the Industrial school, baptized six of the boys at the regular service last Sunday morning. Mr. Goodheart also delivered an address on Sunday afternoon to all the boys at the school, who number about 200. Mr. Goodheart is doing splendid work at the school and his efforts are being crowned with success.

Mrs. Ione C. Giffen, of Boston, has A Narrow Escape. been elected by the school committee to teach the seventh and eighth grades in the grammar school. Giffen has had a number of years' experience in the west and has taught in Needham and West Brookfield during the past two years. She comes to knowledge.

Hearing.

A hearing was held on Wednesday J. Holden: E. R. White, of the side, week committee: Arthur G. Dunr. town clerk and Messrs. Hersom.

The Forum.

Reefe, of Townsend, were the guests last Saturday of Mr. and Mrs. John exhibiting a Boston and Maine rail-carmichael. tree was out of the line of the in question and took the matter under consideration.

> hearing was the question of repairs to the main roads about town. Selectman Robert H. J. Holden told of the At the close of the entertainment road and what would be needed to remedy it. Selectman Charles H. It is expec Weare, Jr., also brought to the attention of the commission the bad condition of Main street, near the in a few weeks. Mitchelville bridge, in the spring of the year.

The meeting then adjourned and the commission inspected Lancaster road which is now under construction, and also Center road where repairs are

Center.

Mr. and Mrs. N. R. Graves and famly spent Sunday in Nashua and l'el-

nam, N. H., visiting friends. Rev. Francis E. Webster of Wal-tham will preach at Trinity chapel on Sunday afternoon at 3.15:

Miss Vera Bradford attended the wedding of a friend, Miss Helen Reed, at West Acton last Thursday. One match of the doubles tennis tournament has been played off. Miss

Miriam Goodspeed and Forrest B.
Wing defeating Stanwood K. Bolton and C. E. Goodspeed. A large number from the Center

and North attended the combined Old Home day and Welcome Home day at Lunenburg on Wednesday. Miss Vera Bradford is spending two weeks with friends in Bath, Me., where

she formerly taught school. The Center baseball team has arranged two games with the Lunenburg A. A., one on August 9 at Lunen-burg and the other on August 16 at the Center.

Miss Sara A. Dunn leaves town next Monday for a two weeks' stay in the Berkshires and New York city. Gertrude and Fannie Thompso at the North are spending a few days

with relatives in Pepperell. Clarence Clark of Springfield spent he week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. N. R. Graves.

Miss Dorothy Q. Adams and Edward Adams, who have been visiting at the home of their grandfather, Albert Adams, have returned to their home in West Roxbury.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Goodspeen visited friends in Jaffrey, N. H., on Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Ira Rines and family

have returned to their home at the North after an auto trip to Canada asting several weeks. Mr. and Mrs. Hills and family, who

ecently bought the Perry place at he North, have moved in. Miss Margaret Longley of Boston spent the week-end with her mother

irs. Abbie Longley. Gilson Blake of Harvard University spent the week-end at the home of Mrs. Anna F. Dakin.

Nomination papers are out for seven members of the republican town committee as follows: Harry O. Bangs, Henry W. Brockelman, Arthur G. Dunn, Earl. A. Graves, Frederick W. Holden, Robert H. J. Holden and Frank H. Wheeler, Nomination papers are also being circulated for Frank H. Wheeler for delegate to the republican state convention. Shirley being entitled to only one delegate

Mrs. Anna F. Dakin is having her home at the common painted and other repairs made. The work is being done by parties from Lunenburg. A National touring car loaded with met with a mishap on last week Friday afternoon at the corner of Parker road and Little Turnpike, near the home, of W. A. Ladd. This corner is a blind one and as the Naanurouched it on Par another machine was approaching it on Little Turnpike. The soldiers turned out to avoid a collissen and struck a mail bex and telephone pole located on the corner, breaking both off. The machine came to a stop with the telephone pole leaning against it

Fortunately nebody was hurt. The rext meeting of the Grange will be held on Tuesday evening Augus; 5. A surprise program will be given under the management of the stewards.

The Center baseball team has rerelyed no answers as yet to its chal-enge for Saturday afternoon games and is beginning to feel that the teams in neighboring towns must be afraic

who has been visiting Miss Helen M. Winslow at "Elmhurst," has returned to her home. Her son, George Hitchcock, of New York, married Alison Winslow some years ago. Mr. and Mrs. Hitchcock, with their little son, are expected for a brief visit in early September.

What came very close to being a serious accident occurred last Saturday afternoon at Woodsville on the who will discuss in up-to-date man-corner near the home of Frank E. Kemp. An Oldsmobile, containing hibition movement. The evening two women, while going west, skidded on the wet road at the corner, side-Shirley with the best of recommenda-stiped another car and came to a the vacation period. The young peo-tions as to ability and teaching stop on the edge of the bank of Mulpus brook. The brook at this point is program have not failed to fill any close to the road and stone walls of the evenings with pleasing exereight feet or more in height form the morning by the county commissioners | machine went over the wall, while in regard to the relocation of Main the rear wheels stayed on the bank, roads about town. The hearing was edge. Both of the occupants of the mato be held at the depot, but after it chine escaped without a scratch. There had been called it was adjourned to have been an unusually large numthe new town office building. There her of accidents at this corner this were present the county commission-year, there having been three within ers, Erson B. Barlow, Walter controlled the last two weeks, in addition to grounds Saturday afternoon by a score of 7 to 3. They will play a return county engineer, Mr. Kendall; the count of the numerous accidents here highway commission's engineer, Mr. and elsewhere along the road it is Sabine: Selectmen Charles H. Weare, stated that a motorcycle officer is to the annual Littleton service, making a Jr., Thomas E. Lilly and Robert H. be put on this road with a run be-most fitting occasion for the expres-

The first matter taken up was the Two excellent one-act plays were question of relocating Main street given in the town hall last week Frinear the Phoenix crossing, in order to day evening to an unusually large settle the dispute which has arisen in audience, the entertainment being for the proposed construction of a co- the benefit of the Shirley Forum. The July 26 daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Paler, ment sidewalk there. It had been first play was "Joint owners in spania, mo, was kicked in the face by one of their horses last week Thursday. Her jaw bone was fractured and she reson property in order to make Anna F. Dakin, Mrs. Almond Wing, law bone was fractured and she reson objected to its removal. One pure Longley. The scene was laid in an objected to its removal. ment sidewalk there. It had been tirst play was "Joint owners in Spain," pose of this hearing was to definitely old ladles' home. The second play locate the bounds of the road so as to was "Food," and was given by the determine whether the tree was on younger element, those taking part three weeks. Their children have private property or not. Selectman being Miss Elizabeth Carter, Forrest stayed at C. L. Smith's, King street, Weare and C. R. White explained the B. Wing and Glison Blake. The actuary wednesday. little daughter June, and Mrs. Michael situation to the commissioners and tion in this play was supposed to take Wednesday.

place in 1962, when Hoover was at the head of the League of Nations, and food was very high. No one participant in the two plays can be picked for special praise, as all of took their parts in an excellent and finished manner, doing credit to the efforts of their coach, Miss Vera Brad-The other matter taken up at the ford. Rev. Howard A. Bridgman

condition of Center road in the spring dancing was enjoyed, with Mrs. Gerof the year, and Mr. Sabine of the trude Farnsworth and Mrs. Roy C. highway commission gave a brief Cool at the plane. Over thirty doldescription of the condition of the lars was cleared for the benefit of the

It is expected that this entertain-

Rev. John W. Ross of Boston addressed a good audience Sunday evening at the third meeting of the Forum, taking as his subject "Is America in danger of Bolshevism." In a very interesting speech Mr. Ross gave his audience an idea of what Bolshevism is and how it arose and told why he did not believe that America was in danger from it. Mr. Ross' excellent address on this subject of present day interest made an impression on his audience as was shown by the many questions which were asked at the close. Rev. Howard A. Bridgman presided over the meeting and introduced the speaker.

At the next meeting of the Forum on next Sunday evening at 7.30, Roy C. Cool, a well-known summer resident of the Center, will address the meeting on "Capital and labor." It is hoped to have a delegation from some labor organization present to set forth their side of the question. The Forum committee is pleased to see the interest which is being taken in the Forum by residents of neighboring towns as well as the people of Shirley. The Forum is non-sectarian and non-sectarian and non-partisan, and all who are interested are welcome. No admission is charged and no collection is taken.

BROOKLINE, N. H.

News Items.

Mrs. Belle Hall remains about the same, being still confined to her bed. Miss Ella Woods is visiting her unt, Mrs. Edith Wright, in New Ips-Mrs Deno, from Hollis, has been

he guest of Miss Mayo. Mrs. Pearl Elliott, from Leominster. Mass., was the week-end guest of Mrs. Eva Elliott.

Miss Annie Worden, from Pepperell, spent the week-end at her home Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Wallace, from Townsend, and Mrs. Kitty Tarbell and son Roger, from Pepperell, were the guests of Mrs. Belle Hall on last Sun-

day. Bennett and family, from Leominster, Mass., were at their sum mer home on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Kecy and baby, from Lowell, Mass., are visiting Mr. Kecy's mother.

Florence Bennett, from Worcester Mass., has been a guest at Frank Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Jenness are enjoying a three-weeks' trip to Nova

Scotia. The plans for the 150th anniversary are being carried on at a rapid pace. The event will take place on August

Miss Mabel Popple and Andrew Marshall have completed their work at Fessenden's store. Mrs. Mary Gerrish is in Nashua for

Robert Taylor is driving a team for Harry Williams. Mrs. Maude Greeley, Miss Velmar Taylor and Albert, Mayo attended the

dance at Oak hill on Monday night Mr. Lover and family have moved Miss Josie Bowers, from Pepperell, has been a recent visitor of Miss

Louise Peeper Mrs. Harriet Hall and son Rose from Nashua, have been recent guests of Mrs. Belle Hall,

Ernest Nye and family, from Sanlown, have been guests of Mr. and Mrs George Nye. Mrs. Mina Chick, from Lowell,

Mass., has been the guest of Mrs. Addison Gilson. Rev. Arthur Kelly, from Auburndale. Mass., is expected to occupy the on Sunday. Furing the months of August and September the services will be held at the Congregational

hurch. guest at the home of Walter Corey. Dr. Ethel Rockwood, of Worcester, and Miss. Gertrude Rockwood ie Physical Theraphy Clinic Lakewood, N. J., called on friends in own this week,

LITTLETON

News Items.

Ali the services of the Baptist church will be resumed on Sunday. The speaker at the morning service will be Orville S. Poland, of Boston, attorney of the Anti-Saloon league who will discuss in up-to-date hibition movement. The evening song service and neighborhood meeting has been well sustained during of the evenings with pleasing exer-cises. Last Sunday Mrs. Kelley, Rev. cises. Last Sunday Mrs. Kelley, Rev. Mr. Lambertson and George A. Cook rendered vocal selections, Miss Tenney accompanist. The short talk on Sunday evening will be given by Private C. Whitney Caulkins, experiences in a soldier's life. The service begins at 7.30. Resolutions were adopted at the an-

morning in the Congregational church when by a happy coincidence Rev. O. J. Fairfield's last Sunday in his Littleton pastorate occurred on the day of don of the community's appreciation of these nme years of Mr. Fairfield's levoted service.

Friends in town have received cards from Telton, N. H., announcing the arrival of Nettle Irene, daughter of Mr. and Mrs George Fullerton, on The ladies of the Alliance cleared

Mrs. C. H. Hildreth arrived home the first of this week. Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Smith have been to Nova Scotia on a vacation of three weeks. Their children have during that time, and went home last

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FORD SERVICE STATION The Misses Miles, of Chelsea, are pending two weeks at Miss Marshall's.

Garage, 39-3

Miss Belle Miles was a former teach er in the Union school building. The Unitarian church will be closed for the annual August vacation. Malcolm Wakefield has returned to

his home in Boston after spending two weeks with his cousin, Robert Brad-Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Smith. of

King street, announce the engagement of their daughter, Dorothy J., to Harry D. Allen, of Whitinsville. M. W. Leahy has a new truck which is run by his son "Teddy."

Guy Green's little girl is reported very sick with pneumonia. kept in a tent and is cared for by Mrs. Beach, of Shirley. Miss Marjorie Proctor started Mon-day afternoon for Presque Isle, Me.,

and will visit relatives in that town for a few weeks. Mr. and Mrs. Stacy C. Bates have motoring among the White been Mountains this week.

from overseas duties. Friends of Miss Jennie Sawyer

death occurred on Tuesday morning, following a sickness of several weeks. Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Brown and daughter and Miss Virginia Drew, of Springfield, visited the W. H. Browns ast week and the first of this, return ing to Springfield on Wednesday.

telegraph operator, sympathize with her in the loss of her father, whose

H., has recently visited the H. F. Proctor family, Mill road. Miss Augusta Roberts, of King treet, left home Tuesday for a vacation of three weeks in Hanover, N. H. Bradley Patterson was a Sunday

Mrs. A. W. Turner, of Milford, N

guest at the Ledges. Carl Wesley came home last week Thursday, having received his honorable discharge following his return about \$17 at their food sale last week rom overseas.

Several of the younger social set ttended the dance in Harvard on Thursday night.

Auto thieves visited F. S. Kimball's home last week Thursday night, and without leave or license carried off tires, inner tubes, sides, cushions and

There was a good attendance at th union service in the Congregational church last Sunday. The three Protestant ministers each had a part in the service, Rev. O. J. Fairfield preaching an impressive sermon. Miss Katherine Kimball accompanied the organist with her violin, J. W. Dodds

Residence, 39-2

The senior scouts; under the leader-ship of Rev. F. W. Lambertson, are now in camp at Spectacle pond. Rev. and Mrs. O. J. Fairfield lefin their car on Tuesday for their long trip across the continent, which will Ralph H. Wylie

be taken leisurely, and with som-

sang a solo and Mr. Dodds and Miss

Florence Hunt sang a duet.

stops in the middle west. Resigned.

A very unpleasant and most unwelcome feature of the morning at the Congregational church was the pre-sentation of Rev. L. W. Lambertson's resignation, after a year of most satis factory and universally appreciated service as pastor of the church. Mr Lambertson leaves the first nied of Miss Eleanor L. Hill, of Little-ton, and Leonard F. Tracy, of Wal-tham. Miss Hill is the daughter of Supt. and Mrs. F. H. Hill, of Little-ton. Mr. Tracy has fecently returned too alluring to be declined by any ambitious and progressive young min-ister and student of theology. It is with the sincerest regrets that Mr Lombertson's church people consider his dismissal from the Littleton church, for church and pastor were united and worked together harmoni-ously. Mr. Lambertson has done a splendid service in the church and its various organizations, he has shown deep interest in the town and society generally; but his greatest efforts out-side his professional service has been with the Boy Scouts, of whom he has been master, and with whom his name

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pairs.
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that the Sheriff of said County, or his Deputy give notice to all persons and corporations interested therein, that said Commissioners will meet for the purpose of viewing the premises and hearing the parties at the Commissioners' Office, Court House, East Camoridge in said County of Middlesex, on 5 gallons \$4 Tuesday, the second day of September 5 gallons \$3.25 A. D. 1919, at ten o'clock in the fore-noon, by serving the Clerk of the town of Townsend with a copy of said petition and of this order thereon, thirty days at least before said view, and by publishing the same in Turner's Public Spirit, a newspaper printed at Ayer, three weeks successively, the last publication to be fourteen days at least before said view, and also by posting the same in two public places in the said Town of Townsend ourteen days before said view; and that he make return of his doings herein, to said Commissioners, at the time and place fixed for said view and

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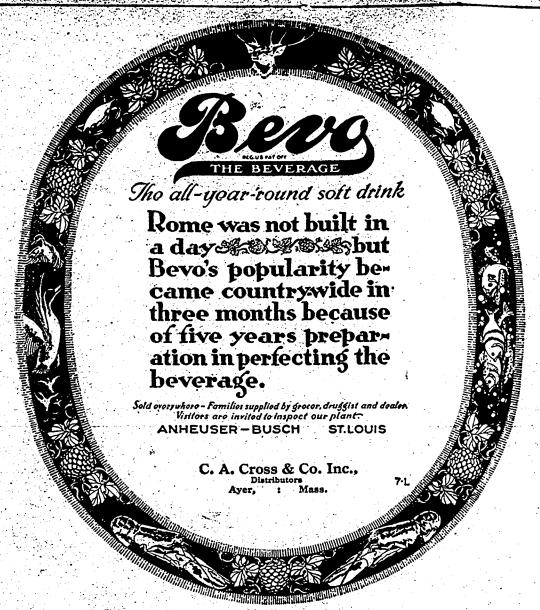
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weigh.

Still loss should we allow any feeling for or against President Wilson to affect our judgment. We may or may not approve his methods and acts in all respects, but he is the President of the United States charged with the duty of negotiating this treaty, and his countrymen should support him unless there are controlling reasons against their so doing.

Moreover we must remember that the President did not make this treaty, but it is made by the leaders of all nations concerned after months of all nations concerned after months of deliberation. Their interests have been in many respects conflicting, and any treaty must be the result of compromise, not satisfactory to everybody but necessary to an agreement. If this treaty were rejected and new negotiations begun, what reason is there to believe that they would result in anything better?

Bearing these considerations in mind, the question for us to decide is what we wished to secure by the negotiations in Paris, and how nearly the treaty secures our objects.

the treaty secures our objects.

First. We wished peace. No one can for a moment doubt the imporcan for a moment doubt the importance of restoring normal relations between the countries lately at war, and enabling the people of each to resume their usual labors. The expense of maintaining the existing armaments, the crying need for food and other necessaries of life all over the disturbed countries, the revolutionary movements which existing conditions foster, unite to make peace on some terms absolutely necessary,

to compete with a Germany which has taken her raw materials, her many taken her raw materials, her many of her chierry, her coal and so many of her people; that unhappy Belgium should so far as possible be restored to prosperity, and that they who have caused the immeasurable loss and suffering which the world has suffering which the world has suffered, and not their victims, should pay the cost.

These three objects, peace, the fettering of Germany and reparation are

These three objects, peace, the lettering of Germany and reparation are secured by the treaty. The reparation may not be complete, but it is all that it seems humanly possible for Germany to make, and while anyone may suggest changes and what voters in future, if not immediate, he may think improvements, no two persons would probably agree upon them, and only a very reckless man would suggest rejecting the treaty in order to secure them.

The civilized world demanded of

the Peace Conference one other thing, security against future war, and all agreed that this could be oband all agreed that this could be obtained only by a league of nations. Upon the importance of preventing any more wars, which, waged with modern engines of destruction, might well mean almost the extermination of the combatants, and preparation which would mean almost universal bankruptcy, there was no dispute.

All leaders of public opinion agreed that the prevention of war could only be secured by a combination of na-

tions against it. The present treaty framed by the ablest statesmen of the European countries most vitally concerned, in collaboration with the representatives of this country, not the work of any one man or the representative of any one country, but the result of the united and long continued labors of all, secures a league of nations. It is possible to imagine all sorts of is possible to imagine all sorts of difficulties and dangers as likely to come from it, as it is possible to imagine disastrous consequences from any step which we take in life, from marriage to crossing a crowded city street, and whatever form the treaty took imagination could still suggest objections.

It is a step in the right direction.
If it proves objectionable, we can withdraw after giving it a fair trial. It commits us to no important step without our consent. It can be amended, and it is well to remember that to our own Constitution ten amendments were proposed at the first session of Congress, all of which were adopted. The practical question is, Shall the United States refuse to take part in this movement to prevent the greatest calamity which can be-fall the world? We must remember

Use for Waste Lands. Every state in the union has some part of the swamp and wet lands that for the entire country have an aggregate area of 102,800,000 acres-larger than Iowa, Illinois and Indiana combined and three-fourths as large as France. The agricultural value of these lands varies considerably, but specialists of the United States delarge areas, if properly drained and cleared by public or private co-operation, could be transformed into pro-

ductive farms.

WR. MOORFELD STORY

Urges Ratification of the Covenant of the League we shall be left without allies, and shall have remanded the world to the conditions which led to the war, that can only be ended when the treaty of peace with Germany shall be ratified as it stands is a very practical question upon which the people of the United States should express their opinions.

United States should express their opinions.

It is not a partisan question. In every country it is or should be the rule that in dealing with international relations no partisan interest should weigh.

Still loss should we allow any feeling for or against President Wilson to affect our judgment. We may or may not approve his methods and acts in all respects, but he is the President of the United States charged with the duty of negotiating this treety, and his countrying.

good that the treaty secures, to keep the world at war for an indefinite future, to give the enemy time for further machinations with all the disastrous consequences which are cer tain and the many others which are probable, on account of anything which partisan objectors have suggested, or are likely to suggest. The more we contemplate the alternatives, the clearer it must be that the treaty should be ratified without delay.

MOORFIELD STORY,

GEORGE PERRY MORRIS.

Gives His Reasons for Ratification of the Peace Treaty.

Mr. Morris was a journalist in Boston 1891-1918, former president "20th Century Club" Boston; now student of national and international currents as they focus at Washington and in Europe. they focus at Washington and in Washington, May 15, 1919.

Washington, May 15, 1919.

My reason for favoring ratification by the Senate of the Peace treaty with the League of Nations as an integral part of the same is not because I conceive either the treaty or the league to be ideal but because combined they attempt to grapple with problems of an economic, racial, political and governmental sort in a way that no prior post-war compacts tionary movements which existing conditions foster, unite to make peace on some terms absolutely necessary, if civilization is to be maintained and universal bankruptcy avoided.

Second. We demanded security against Germany.

The attitude of the German people during the war, their avowed objects in making it, the terms which they intended to exact in the event of victory, of their wholesale robbery and deliberate destruction wherever their armies went, in a word all that they said and did during the war made it evident that their object was to destroy their neighbors and rise by their ruin.

Their present attitude shows that they have not changed in the least. They feel no shame or regret for the hideous cruelties which their armies perpetrated, or for the cynical disregard of all legal and moral obligations exhibited by their statesmen. They look forward to a new war and frosh efforts to rob their neighbors whenever they feel strong enough to renew the attempt. The highest interests of civilization de and that they should be deprived of the

renew the attempt. The highest interests of civilization determined and that they should be deprived of the strength which they abuse and be made powerless for the future, until they again recognize the difference between right and wrong.

Third. It is also important that Germany should as far as possible repair the wrong she has done, that France, which has lost 26 per cent of her total wealth and has had her richest area turned into a desert, should not be left without reparation to compete with a Germany which has taken her raw materials, her manism, to tradition as over against contemporaneous need, as the old deserves to have paid to it; no more and no less, I would try and deal with the issues involved on their merits and quite apart from partisanship—political or group—or personal dislike or admiration of any official responsible for the situation which the Senate and the nation face. I would vote with as clear a visualization as possible of what the plight of the world now is as the result of the war, and of what it bids fair to be if no cooperative, international agency for checking militancy and reducing friction between nations is created.

The burden of moral responsibility

A WORD FROM THE SECRETARY OF LEAGUE OF NATIONS UNION

Years ago we depended upon unteer service to put out fires. Each householder was expected to have a fire bucket handy and to help in drawing water from the nearest well. Gradually we learned to put trained experts upon the job of fire-fighting, and to keep them always ready. We and to keep them always ready. have provided them with the best machinery that science could devise, and we have discovered that fireprevention is the first duty. No one would now think of returning to the service of the volunteer and the fire-

War is a destructive conflagration consuming in its red maw all that civilzation holds dear. When the conflagration of 1914 broke out, the greater part of the world was still trusting to the protection of the vol-

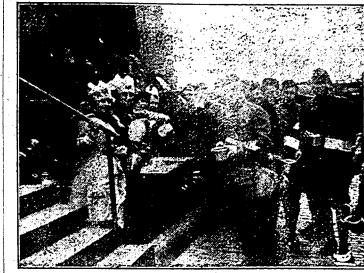
Under the pressure of stern necessity we learned painfully the lessons of organization. So far as the flames are now subdued, they have been overcome by a compact, unified com-pany of nations, grappling under di-rection with every peril, political and well as military and

who wants to forband the organizaties machinery, and nternational relations condagration The needs of the are as clearly defined in posses as in war. We have elves from slavery by get ting touch r. Now in God's name le save corselves from chaos by keeping together.
CHARLES H. LEVERMORE.

Worth More Than That Now. On June 20, in 1632, the patent of

Maryland, granted to George Calvert Lord Baltimore, was after his death made over to his son, Cecilius Calvert. King Charles signed the new patent and gave to the grant of land the name of Maryland, in honor of his queen, Henrietta Maria. While Lord partment of agriculture believe that Baltimere held the grant he paid for It year'y to the crown of England two which are still on exhibits is a Windsor castle, England.

Feeding the Yank e Division



A. fed the entire YD on the day of the big parade—20,00 doughboys were served between 11 and 12,30.

SMALL ARMY FEEDS TROOPS

Y. M. C. A. Supplies Coffee and Sandwiches Along Line of March in Parade Assembly.

Mr. Hearne was assisted in the assembling and purchasing by Donald W. Parsons of Melrose, and W. C. Turner, supply secretary. The committee organized to take care of the mittee organized to take care of the direction of E. F. Naftsger, a song service had as its chairman, Lewis A. Crossett, 304 Commonwealth average. Mr. Hearne was assisted in the as-

Y. M. C. A. ACT AS HOSTS TO 26TH

Lunching the 26th Division the day It took nearly 300 women and 250 men to feed the Yankee division before the parade, and when the last doughboy had finished the substantial lunch provided by the Y. M. C. A. a stance the National War Work Company of the religious workers. good many of the volunteer workers had labored for 48 hours practically without rest.

Cl. were responsible for the housing, the boarding of 2000 men, nearly at full regiment for as long as they were in Boston. From the time they are

good many of the volunteer workers had labored for 48 hours practically without rest.

At an early hour in the morning huge army and navy vans and dozens of motor trucks provided by business houses and generous Bostonians began to load with great piles of lunch boxes and cans of coffee, which were immediately curried to 30 odd stations established in the Back Bay along the line of assembly. By 10.30 the supplies were ready at the various points, workers had assembled and the distribution began at 11.35. Each station was in charge of any canteer of canteer of the control of the morning of two larges and stations and civilian aids, and served units of about 500 soldiers with a box on shall of the men's cupp, or in the case of discharged troops who marched without equipment, was served in special fibre containers.

The "" workers were assisted by a large contingent from the army and navy canteen, and some 30 Cambridge women assembled by Mrs. Charles B. Gulick of the Radio school canteen. The five most important serving stations were situated: On the Common, corner of Charles and Beacon, Church of the Advent, Brimmer street, the Esplanade, opposite Clarendon, and on Marlboro street. Private residences on all sides were thrown open to assist the workers and such coffee. The surplus was was not kept hot in special containers, was placed on brisk fires in nearby houses where it remained until the boys were ready to drink it.

After every man had eaten all he boys were ready to drink it.

After every man had eaten all he boys were ready to drink it.

After every man had eaten all he sold the workers and such coffee as was more ready to drink it.

After every man had eaten all he boys were ready to drink it.

After every man had eaten all he sold the supplies of the cared to and replenished his coffee cup to his heart's content, more than 500 lunches remained, as well as 150 gallons of coffee. This surplus was submediately taken to the "Common where it was served to soldiers and sailors as long as it was between the pro

council, who offered to provide the lunch for the entire Yankee division as soon as it was learned that the men were to march. His offer was accepted by Maj. Oscar Lagerquist. billeting officer of the YD, who placed the full motor transport corps of the Boston district at the disposal of the "Y."

Mr Hearne was assisted in the asthe pounds of chocolate and thousands of

"Y" Serves 20,000 Pints of Coffee



Every boy in the Yankee division received a box lunch and all the hot coffee he could drink before the parade—and perhaps it wasn't approximate. 'Oh, boy!"

Calendar Facts.

The month of January always begins on the same day of the week as October and the same is true of April and July, September and December. February, March and November also begin on the same day of the week. This, however, is only true in normal years of 365 days. A century can never begin on Wednesday, Friday or Saturday. Furthermore, the ordinary year ends on the same day of the week as that on which it begins.

Box With Brains. A Pennsylvanian is the patentee of combined mailbox and milk-bottle holder, which can be freely opened for the insertion of their intended contents, but are locked against theft when anything has been placed in them.

Machine Works With Peat Gas. Danish investors have perfected outers that are claimed to work well s as 'del instead of benprofession and the

GROTON

Nate E. Whittier, of Arlington, who was injured in an automobile accident in Ayer last Saturday afternoon, died Baron, from the same place, who was also in the same accident, had his injuries treated at the hospital and was able to return to his home.

Harry P. Tainter is still at the Groton hospital. He is getting along niceand is able to sit up.

Lewis M. Knapp has returned from overseas and is now at Camp Devens, expecting to be at home very soon.

Miss Davis, of Melrose, who is teacher at the Bridgewater Normal school, is visiting her friends, Helen

Lowell recently. C. Z. Southard went this week Fri day to his camp at Kennebago, Me. Alfred Woods, of Hudson, spent last Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Augus-

The Peerless limousine carried a party to Nantasket Beach last Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Everett B. Gerrish are spending two weeks at Sandy pond. Ayer, in the Sherwin cottage with their triends, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Norwith

Mrs. Mary Richardson is visiting Mrs. B. J. Crowley.

At the Baptist church on Sunday morning the pastor's subject will be "The goodness of God and repentance." Evening service of song with short address at seven o'clock. The vacation beings after Sunday. The vacation beings after Sunday. services will be alternating union services with the Congregational church On August 10 and 24 the services will be at the Baptist church, and on Angust 17 and 31 at the Congrega-tional church. The mid-week services on Wednesday evening at 7.30 will be kept up during the vacation. Leaders have been provided for these serv-

Mrs. Michael Denahy, who has been in poor health for some weeks, had a bad attack on Sunday night. By the advice of Dr. Kilbourn, Dr. Chase of Clinton, a specialist, was called, whose opinion was that the trouble was caused by a clot of blood, Mrs. Denahy improved until Wednesday, when she had another ill turn. Much sympathy is felt for her by all her friends and acquaintances. acquaintances.

Hon. R. B. Stone, of Bradford, Pa., was in Washington recently on some professional business and made a little visit in Brooklyn, N. Y., with his friend, Dr. H. F. Williams.

Miss Ella F. Vickery returned on Thursday from a two-weeks' outing at Ocean Park.

The band concert will be given from the bandstand this Saturday evening. Mrs. B. J. Dowling and her two younger children are in town for a part of the summer.

Charles Crafts, of Lowell, formerly a member of the A. E. F. in France has taken the position of chauffeur for

R. M. Shaw. The Groton engine and hose companies are to have a hose laying contest on Monday evening at seven o'clock at the town house. There are three picked teams; the captains are Morton Souther, Robert Fletcher and

Paul Wilson has bought a motor

Mrs. M. J. Blood returned from her visit to Beverly on last week Wed-

The friends of Mr. and Mrs. W. S Hinchman will be interested to hear of the arrival of their little daugh-ter Mary on Wednesday, July 23. Her weight was eight pounds, eleven

The auction on last Saturday for the sale of the furniture and other household goods of the late Miss Carrie E. Wood took place at her former home on Court street and was a very successful one. sold and at a satisfactory price.

Mrs. Catherine (Denahy) Healey little daughter, from Graniteville, spent the week-end with her mother

Mr. and Mrs. John Forcino and their family are to remain at their home in Groton during the vacation season this year.

John Denahy, who was recently settled in his new home on the Boston road.

Mrs. James Haley is now so nearly well after her operation that she has returned to her home on Pleasant

Mr. and Mrs. Murphy, of Willow-dale street, moved their household goods out of town last week. Thurs-

Mrs. W. R. Wood and others of her family, who have been in Groton for

the past few weeks, have returned to their home in Springfield. Mr. and Mrs. John Lawrence and family, including Mr. and Mrs. S. W.

Sabine and Mrs. Richard Fay, are at North Haven, Me.

Mr. and Mrs. Clay E. McKean are to move into the house on Court street formerly owned by the late Carrie E. Wood, about the first

of August. Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Burton were guests over Sunday at the home of several weeks' training before cold Mr. and Mrs. Frank D. Lewis.

The Curtiss hiplane which left Camp Devens on Friday of last week To the Editor: to attend the welcome home Townsend, was seen passing over Groton about one o'clock. After per-forming a number of stunts at Townston about one oction. After per-forming a number of stunts at Towns-end the engine stalled, then started, forward and publicly express his honthen stalled again. It finally came down between two houses, struck into a potato patch, hit a picket fence and might well follow. Coming so close was finally stopped by a maple tree and was unable to return to Ayer

under its own power. Mr and Mrs. John Gallagher spent list Sunday with Mr and Mrs. William Lury, Mrs. Gallagher remained with Mrs. Lury until the following Tuesday to assist in her preparations

for moving. General and Mrs. William A. Bancroft, formerly of this town; Mr. and on this job, to prove my contention Mrs. Guy Bancroft and Mr. and Mrs. the work was being done in an f the family, have been at Bretton stated that the responsibility Hugh Bancroft, with other members Woods and other places the past week on a tour of the White Mountains

John A. Burton, who was principal of our high school for several years. has accepted the principalship of the Sharon high school at a greatly ad-

vanced salary. Rev. G. M. Howe went to Boston on

the summer of 1891.

their household goods from Groton on

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Shattuck have been spending this week at their camp at Cow pond meadow.

Dr. Harold W. Smith, of the Graf-on state hospital in Worcester, is at the Groton private hospital that spending his vacation with his father, night from a fractured skull. Mr. Le-Willard Smith. Envelopes were distributed at the Congregational church last Sunday for the annual offering for the Church

Building society. Rev. G. M. Howe was greatly sur prised at the shower of birthday cards and greetings last week Wednesday. Some fifty cards were received. He appreciates the thoughtful kindness of his many friends in Groton.

George Floyd and wife are enjoying trip to the White Mountains. Upon their return they will live in the house formerly occupied by Paul Perrin and owned by William P. Wharton. Mr. Mrs. E. F. Tolles, of Champney Floyd is to take Mr. Perrin's place on street, spent a week visiting friends in Mr. Wharton's farm near Baddacook.

F. W. Knapp, of Springfield, has been added to the working staff of thirty odd employees at Riverdale farm.

Rev. and Mrs. Charles B. Ames left Groton on Wednesday for their it Lake Quantibacook, near Belfast,

The little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brown was christened on Tues day, receiving the name of Yssabella Waters Brown. The ceremony was performed by Rev Charles B. Ames. Mrs. Brown was formerly Miss Edith Waters, of this town.

Mrs. Jennie Hemenway has blood poisoning in the middle finger of her left hand.

Miss Ethel Patterson is spending two weeks with friends in Littleton and Groveton, N. H. On her return home she will visit her sisters in

Mr. and Mrs. Allen E. Woods an nounce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Mary Alice Woods, to Charles C. Sanborn, of Nashua.

Mr and Mrs George Crocker and Lizzie Floyd.

The Ayer Boy Scouts broke camp a Baddacook last Monday, expressing the hope that they may meet there again next year.

Richard Boyer, inspector of build ings, from Boston, connected with the state police, came here last Wednes-day to inspect the public buildings.

the property of the Abbott family and is now owned by Mr. Fuller. Mr. Ohio.

Murphy's successor in business, with

Arnold Cady, who was a resident of family, live in the other half of the house.

Mason Shattuck received an extension of his furlough and therefore remained in town until last Tuesday.

Mrs. Fairbanks and her son Robert are visiting her aunt, Mrs. George L. Boynton. Mr. Fairbanks also was

in town over the week-end. Everett Tarbell has started the saw mill at Massapoag pond in order to saw what lumber he has there.

H. R. Robblee, of Riverdale farm has sold Nashua Langwater Pacemaker and Pretty Belle of Riverdale to Miss Clara Endicott Sears, of Harvard, both animals being registered Guernseys. He has also sold five cows o Ferndale farm of Weston.

Miss Ada Bradley and her brother William spent the week-end at the nome of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Bradley.

William Clark, of Willowdale street, missed a chicken from his henhouse recently and blamed cats for the loss. About two weeks after he heard a sound as of a fowl pecking and turning a tin dish over discovered the hicken, alive, but almost a skeleton. Winfred Burdick, the herdsman at after a week at the Groton private ospital, recovering from the effects

of a motorcycle accident. Awarded Harvard Trophies.

nut Hill, captain-elect of the Harvard basebell team, a former student at the Groton School, has been awarded both the Wingate cup and Barrett Wendell bat for proving himself the hest all-around player on the 1919 Harvard baseball team. The advisory baseball committee at Harvard. consisting of Dr. E. H. Nichols, Dr. Channing Frothingham, Jr., and Robert S. Potter, after carefully studying discharged from the army, is getting all angles of the Harvard baseball

season, selected Emmons as winner of the cup, and as the Harvard Athletic association decided this year that the Wendell bat should go to the same man, the trophy came to the

crack shortstop.

Bobby Emmons will have his name inscribed on the cup, which was offered in competition for the first time this year, but the Wendell bat will be given him outright. The Wingate cup was given in memory of Dana J. P. Wingate '14, who captained the Harvard nine in 1913 and 1914, and. like Emmons, played shortstop. Mrs. Wingate donated the cup. The Wendell bat has been in competition for

everal seasons Young Emmons was in Cambridge recently to receive the trophy and stated that he will enter the next term of the Harvard summer school, which starts August 11. He will not play ball until the fall, when Coach Hugh Duffy calls his candidates for Hugh Duffy weather sets in

I was very pleased to read George J. Murray's letter on the road question in last week's Landmark. The fact that an "occasional visitor" will come est opinions, is an example which many of our public-spirited Grotonians after Mr. Hale's very flattering letter of commendation, the selectmen are be congratulated on the addition of

another staunch supporter.
Mr. Murray speaks of severe crit icism of Road Commissioner Pierce, Harbor, In my letters I have very clearly stated my convictions, that Mr. Pierce was able and competent to do the job. have also pointed out actual instance inefficient and wasteful manner. on the selectmen in the absence of any knowledge that Mr. Pierce was doing

and initiative Mr. Murray's reference to the "wisdom of using auto trucks" right in regard to the hired trucks. to the dump truck purchased by the last week Thursday to meet a friend selectmen. He would surely be inter-with whom he traveled in Europe in ested if he investigated its history and movements since Groton's taxpayers

the job on his own independent policy

Lieut, and Mrs. Townsend moved have owned it. He also states that heir household goods from Groton on it is very commendable that one of the selectmen goes over the job once a quincy on Monday. Mrs. Morris will contain the selectmen goes over the job once a quincy on Monday. week with the paymaster. I would suggest that the selectman would see I would

one week, consisted of one selectinan, one paymaster, one timekeeper, one chief of police, one hired automobile and one chauseur, all to pay one week's wages to the "thousands"? of away for vacation. The next meeting week's wages to the "thousands"? of the selection of officers Groton's road employees.

and I maintain that same right for myself or any citizen to criticise the public work of any public servant. I wish he would define the difference between constructive and destructive criticism.

I have no desire to make an unfair criticism of this job or a single unjust statement and if Mr. Murray will prove that I have, I will gladly acknowledge it, and I am sure that he cannot find a good road engineer who will deny that the suggestions I have made are worthy of consideration. In Mr. Murray's investigation he has

which were not available to me, upon which he bases his arguments. I we suggest that he publish these facts and figures, showing the amount of money spent up to date and what it has been spent for.

The publication of these details would clear the air and put a quietus on unfair criticism and perhaps make

doubt learned facts and figures.

it possible for me to join with Messrs. Hale and Murray in eulogizing the management of our road building. R. M. Shaw.

About Town.

The school physician will be at the hospital on Wednesday afternoon, August 6, at two o'clook to vaccinate ill children who have not been vacinated, including high school pupils.

Mr. and Mrs. John A. Burton were the guests of Frank D. Lewis last Saturday. While here he was obliged Mr. and Mrs. George Crocker and to have the services of a physician, their daughter spent a few days in Sunday, but is better, and they are Groton last week at the home of Mrs. on their way to Maine for the rest of their vacation.

The house on Court street, formerly owned by the Wood's family, has been sold and will soon be occupied by Clayton McKean.

Francis Lawrence, who has been in poor health for some time, is some what improved. Lieut. Showalter, who has been

The Brennick family have moved guest of Lieut. Robin Sampson, at into their new home which was once his mother's home, Court street, left Arnold Cady, who was a resident of

Groton a few years ago, has been dis harged from the army and is again in town. Rev. G. M. Howe will take the nonth of August for his vacation, as

isual. The young child of Mr. and Mr. John Guest was brought to town and buried last week. Mrs. Guest will be remembered as Wilhelmina Anderson. The Unitarian church will be closed

during the month of August, as is the Mrs. F. F. Woods is visiting her niece in Merideth, K. H., before going

to California. Mrs. W. A. Lawrence attended Old Home Day on Wednesday in Lunenourg.

Miss Dorothy Mulig, who has been visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Chase, returned to her home in New Jersey Mrs. Maria Bowers returned this

veek, having been with friends near Boston for a few weeks. It is thought that all the Groton ove are home from overseas with the xception of Lewis Knapp, Roderick Woolley and Edwin Sampson.

West Groton. Mrs. Mary Doherty and her daugher Annahell are at Nantasket beach.

r. and Mrs Watertown have been visiting at Ed ward Mellish's.

Marguerite Landry of Nashua is vis ting at Phineas Parker's

Mrs. Lackey of Groton is visiting er daughter, Mrs. George Parker. May Hood of Lowell is at Mrs. R. H. Burgess' for a week and on Wednesday her chum, Beatrice Smith, came up to spend the day with her. Marguerite Mesny of Washington.

D. C., is spending the summer with her friends, Mr. Allen and Miss Lil-C. H. Weed of Jacksonville, Fla. a civil war veteran, is visiting a f days with his friend, J. T. Shepley.

Porter Bixby had his tonsils and adenoids removed by Dr. Priest. Miss ullen, the district nurse, assisted,

Frank H. Pierce of Shadeland. Tenn., arrived at J. T. Shepley's or Wednesday evening for a visit. Miss Elsle M. Tarbell returned from Constantinople on Tuesday evening, af-

ter nearly a year's absence. She left Constantinople on June 21 and with the exception of six days in Paris was on the water until July 28. Joe and Charlie Lawrence are visit- N. H.

ing their brother, Richard Lawrence. in Fitchburg. Arthur F. Bates with his son Norman and daughter Elizabeth left on Sunday for Vermont. Mr. Bates to stay for a week and the children for

longer time with relatives.

Robert Bixby is working in an elecrical plant in West Lynn. Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Lamb and famly are enjoying a two weeks' vacation While there they will

ttend the wedding of Mr. Austin, Mrs. Lamb's nephew. Hazel Bates and her little sister Louise are visiting in Port Chester, N. Y., at the home of their aunt, Mrs. Murdock McCarley.

TOWNSEND

a New York.

Ripe fruit and apple blossoms preent an unusual appearance on a tre Mr. and Mrs. Lester A. Spear gave

party for Miss Esther Leanard in conor of her sixteenth birthday. Miss canard, who is Mrs. Spear's sister. spending the summer at the Old Homestead. Games and music were enjoyed and refreshments were enoved and refreshments were served by the hostess. Friends from Townsend, the Harbor and Wakefield were

present. Many useful and pretty gifts were received. Major Jones is spending the week-

at Arlington. Mrs. J. C. Blake, who has been years.

remain in town until September.

Mrs. B. C. Cummings has returned more and be in still "closer touch" if he made the trip every day. In this connection, I have been informed that the personnel on the paymaster's trip the personnel on the paymaster's trip enhips the completed of one selection. en hip is being cared for.

away for vacation. The next meeting will be the annual election of officers Efficiency: Mr. Murray finds fault with my criticisms. I fully concede his right to criticise my statements Noyes, on the first Tuesday in Septem-

ber. Miss Harriet Dulong, who has been spending the month of July with Mr. and Mrs. Lester Spear, returns to her home in Wakefield on Saturday.

While Miss Hester Burdett's house is closed, Master Irving Baker will spend a month at Seven Pines with

George Jones Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lewis (Dorothy Smith) of Dorchester spent the eek-end with their parents.

Last Thursday night while return ing from work at Vose, Charles Noyes met with a painful accident. He left work about eleven p. m. and was driving rapidly as it was very dark and a heavy shower had started. As he leaned over the back of the seat to make sure he had his halter in the wagon, he accidently pulled the rein. The horse and wagon crashed into a telephone pole, throwing Mr. Noyes out and rendering him unconscious out and rendering him unconscious. The occupants of a nearby house heard the crash and ran to assist him and secure the horse. After several hours, Mr. Noyes was able to drive home Though bruised and lame he is able to be about again and expects to re-

turn to work in a few days. On Monday Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Bagley motored to Manchester by the Sea, where Mrs. Bagley will spend a veek

Tuesday morning a merry auto party left the Cape for a month's trip. The party consisted of Mrs. George Jones, Miss Hester Burdett, Miss Lillian Warner and Nilo Proctor. itinery includes Niagara Falls, Gettysburg, Philadelphia, returning by way of New York., Miss Burdett expects to drive about 600 miles. She has christened her machine "Gad-a-lot."

Lieut. Herbert Cummings returned n Saturday to Trenton, N. J., where he is in the U.S. Sanitary department. It has been reported that the rural mail route would be discontinued unless the average daily amount of mail handled by the carrier was 200 pieces. Many people whose mail comes to the Harbor office have fallen into the habit

of posting their mail elsewhere when convenient, because of curtailed train service on the Greenville branch. Since the count began July 1, the average number of pieces has been 300 daily. From July 1 to July 30 Rice handled Mrs. Herman Petterson and three

weeks old daughter Barbara came by auto on Friday from Boston to her parent's home, Mr. and Mrs. Hager She was accompanied by a nurse, Miss Annie Hull of Waltham. Dr. Herman Petterson received his release from he navy last Monday.

Friends were sorry to learn that Mrs. Henry Spaulding while visiting G. Houghton on Saturday evening and her niece in Sterling had the misfor- were afterwards taken to Mr. Sibley's, tune to fall and break her wrist. She where a complete surprise awaited tune to fall and break her wrist. will remain at W. N. Blake's, Sterling them. Junction, until able to return to her

Mrs. Will Colcord has just returned from a two weeks' visit in Waterbury, Vt. Mr. Colcord met her at White River Junction and motored home. encord, N. H., is a guest of his son.

John Batchelter. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Doherty and family with their guests, Mr. Holt's amily have closed their cottage and eturned to Boston

Will Colcord and family with Wallace Dustin as auto guest recently made a delightful trip to White River Miss Josephine Boyle of Cambridge has been the guest of her cousin, Mrs. F. A. Thomas, during the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Rundlet of round trip of over 200 miles. The following men who have re-

turned from the service and who bebserved in the soldiers' day festivi ties: Lester Spear, Carl Liddell, John Knowlton, Harry Knight, Arthur Harold Gray, Willard Gray Laws, Harold Gray, Winard Gray, Earl Wallace, Howard Doran, Karl Newhall, Eneas Morgan, Herbert Cummings, John Batchelder, Adney Gray contributed a very handsome float to the parade, decorated with the national colors and represented Liberty and a Red Cross nurse guarded by four soldiers. Mrs. Gray made superb Goddess of Liberty, and it was particularly fitting as two sons returned safely from service.

Soldiers' day and week-end guests n tewn included Mr. and Mrs. Schultz and two children, and Miss Sybel Bailey, of East Boston; Mrs. Gurney, of Malden, at Dudley Bagley's; Mr. and Mrs. Jerrold, East Boston, with James Bennett; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gilchrest, of Boston, with George Gilchrest: Leslie Baldwin and family, Worcester, with Mrs. Lizzie Baldwin; Mrs. Mabel Nason and Esther Nason, Wollaston, with Charles Hager; Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Spaulding, Rochester, H. with A. C. Josselyn; Miss Min-rya Lane, Boston, with Cyrus Lane; John Knowlton with Jesse Knowlto

LITTLETON

News Items.

Last Saturday the Littleton A. A. net with its first setback of the season t the hands of Westford. The game was played under great difficulties, a it rained practically throughout the whole game, the score being 2 to 1. James Tolin pitched another dandy game and with a dry ball would in all prehability came out a winner. The boys are all anxious to meet this team again, feeling confident that they will turn the tables. The return game will be played in Westford on August 16. Two favors which the boys wish to thank the town for this week are the permission to chop down the in left field and the mowing of the games were held on Monday and Wednesday evenings.

George Hartwell and William Tobir took in automobile trip through the White Mountains last week.

At the secent parish meeting of the Unitarian society resolutions were passed on Rev. Oliver J. Fairfield's resignation and a sum of money was also voted to the retiring pastor. The Ladies' Alliance also passed resolutions on the severance of Mrs. Fair nd with his sister, Mrs. Herbert Teele, field's relations with that organization over which she had presided for six

A farewell banquet was held in honor of Rev. O. J. Fairfield in the Orthodox church vestry by the Boy Scouts and their leader last Saturday even ing. The dining hall was very tastily decorated with evergreen and colored foliage. A toothsome menu was served by the scouts, directed by their master. Following this pleasant feature after-dinner active the server was served by

ture after-dinner toasts were given by a few of the guests. Mr. Lambertson presiding as toastmaster. A. Heywood Knowlton leaves within few days for Cheshire, Conn., where will teach in the summer school

through the month of August. The Benjamin Kimballs are the present occupants of the Halliday louse in Newtown.

Harold W. Conant and family hav been taking a vacation at Rye Beach, and at present W. E. Conant and family are occupying the cottage at Rye recently vacated by his son.

Ralph McNiff had to part with his dog on Wednesday as the pet was hit by an automobile on King street and lied instantly.

Mrs. Twisden, the oldest verson in

town, passed her ninety-eighth mile-stone on Monday, July 28. She enjoys very good health and is in pos-session of most of her faculties. Sev-eral friends remembered Mrs. Twisden on her birthday and the occasion was made one of pleasant memories. The Merry Go Rounds will meet at Miss Margaret Thacher's home on next Tuesday afternoon at 4.45, and from

there go to Harvard Summit, where they will take lunch and have a good time from five to seven o'clock. Each nember is requested to take along contribution to the lunch. All come and have a good time. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Perry and

daughter Ruth and Miss Anna Swain of Hillsboro, N. H., were guests Sunday of Mr. Perry's sister, Mrs. F. C. Hartwell, and family, and the young ladies remained until Wednesday

Roy Shepard, who is now located in Boston, spent Thursday with his mother, Mrs. Julia N. Shepard. The present mistress of the Conan & Houghton boarding house is soon t

leave, and Mrs. James Chapple will return to assume her former position a mistress of the house. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sloane have taken rooms at Miss Annie Hendley's King street.

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Hartwell were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Rob bins in an automobile trip through the entire White Mountain region last week. Miss Marion W. Flagg and her fath

er have been keeping house at C. K. Houghton's while Mr. Houghton and his family have been in Maine. Burton S. Flagg and family are at Kimball Lake in Southern New Hamp-

shire. Herbert F. Prouty is carpentering for Needham & Fletcher.

Dr. Stevenson Fletcher, who ha been doing reconstruction work in Belgium, has recently returned home. Mr. and Mrs. John Sibley, as host and hostess, entertained a party of friends who gave a belated shower to Mrs. Edith Fletcher Griffiths and her husband, who are setting up keeping in Watertown. Mr. and Mrs. Griffiths were taken for an automo-bile ride with Mr. and Mrs. Roland where a complete surprise awaited They found a company o friends assembled, each of whom had brought something of service or orna, ment for the new home. Mr. and

Mrs. Griffiths were very much pleased to be thus remembered and voiced their thanks very happily. Refresh-Mr. Batchelter, chief of police of ments and a social time completed the entertainment. Friends had intended to have the shower before Mr. and Mrs. Griffiths were married, but the opportunity was not given, hence the lelay in this show of friendship and

E. M. Ruggles and family left home Friday for a vacation of three weeks at Mr. Ruggles' cottage in Marion. Supt. F. H. Hill, of Portland, Me.

is in town on professional business. Mrs. Marion S. Brown, of Haverhill, has been the guest of the E. M. Rug-

gles family. Harvard road.

HARVARD News Items. Under the auspices of the Woman's committee for town betterment, a rummage sale will be held on Wednes day afternoon, August 13, at two loved ones to see her lying helpless, o'clock in the town hall. Articles of all kinds are solicited and may be left and while they sorrow at her loss they all that her sufferings at the town hall on Tuesday afternoon Wednesday morning. Ice cream

will be on sale. All children who have not been vaccinated must be before entering school this year, Early attention to this matter will be of advantage to all con-

cerned. The town limit signs are up. These The town limit signs are up. I ness signs are double with the name-Harvard on one end and the adjoining town on the other. The civics committee of the Woman's club have had this matter in charge. George May

nard had the setting of them. Adin Murchie has resumed his Bigelow's market, which he left to nter the service.

Mr. and Mrs. Wrangham have nam-

d their new son Walter Cuthbert, for heir respective fathers. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wetherbee are entertaining their daughter, Mabel Wetherbee, of New York city, for the ummer months.

Edw. Houghton has placed an order

with the Nevens Company for 2,000 apple boxes. He expects to harvest about 3000 bushels of McIntosh Reds Mrs. H. T. Whitney is enjoying a days' visit with her sister from New York city, Mrs. J. Dunlop Smith. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ripley, of Westford, made a call on Thursday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Horace

Miss Doris Houghton, of Boston, enoyed an all-day visit this week Frilay with her parents here. Mrs. May E. Morse is visiting here

vith Mrs. George Kavanagh. The "Mack" Camp Fire Girls, with their guardian, Miss Ross, began their two-weeks' camping trip on this week Friday at Sheep Island.

Still River.

Mrs. Marshall and son Murray, Maryland, formerly living on their farm near Cranberry pond, which was taken by the government in connec tion with Camp Devens, were callers Murray here on Wednesday. Murray is at work in the auditing department of the treasury department in Washington, but is now off on a month's vaca

Large quantities of blueberries have been and are now being picked on the

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and used by the troops last year for battle practice, near Cranberry hill. Everybody seems to be able to fill their pails without much trouble. Rev. Alfred Fuller, of Harvard, will

Mrs. Jennie Spencer, of Leominster was the guest of her cousins, Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Haynes over Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Hutcherson went to Temple, N. H., Tuesday, on a berry ing trip and came back with a good

occupy the Baptist pulpit on Sunday.

Death. Mrs. Esther Vaughn, widow af the late Edwin Vaughn, passed away at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Haskell, Wednesday afternoon, after a

long filness.

Mr. and Mrs. Vaughn came to Stil River sixteen years ago, buying the Orsamus Willard place. Mr. Vaughn passed away seven years ago, after which Mrs. Vaughn and her son Herbert occupied the home place until bout a year and a half ago, whe Herbert left town, and she went to live with her daughter. She had suffered from a shock some time previous leaving the home place, but she very patient through her club exchange, in charge of the civic trials, and has had the best of care. She became unconscious a week ago and it has been a great sorrow to her loved ones to see her lying helpless

> can but be glad that her sufferings are over and that she is at rest. A daughter, Mrs. William C. Haskell of Still. River; five sons. Frank kell, of Still, River; five sons, Frain, L., George E. and Ralph B., of Wor-cester, Ferdinand E., of Phillipsdale, R. I., and Herbert H. Vaughn, of Ayer, and a sister in Vermont are left

o mourn the loss of a dear, loving atient mother and sister The funeral will be held from the house on Saturday afternoon, with burial in the family lot in Worcester

SHIRLEY

Cnter. Norman D. Fletcher, of Ayer, who tarian church two Sundays recently satisfactorily, will preach on Sunda morning at eleven o'clock on building." Miss Christine L building." Miss Christine Longle rendered "Lead, kindly light," afte prayer last Sunday. Miss Parker ac

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Groton, Mass. NOTICE

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NOTICE

The Finance Committee of the Public Safety Committee, wishing to close accounts, hereby requests that all bills payable and receivable be settled on or before August 15. STEPHEN W. SABINE,



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tion to all prescriptions. Thus you do away with needless delay.

Druggist

Main Street

News Items. Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Perrin. o Somerville, formerly of this town, were here on Wednesday, Mr. Per-rin served in the balloon squad overseas for about a year, and arrived at Camp Devens on July 5 and was dis-charged July 7. He was with the Army of Occupation in Germany for a while before returning to this country. While in a balloon Mr. Perrin was wounded in the left shoulder by a bullet.

Miss Clara Thomas will leave this Saturday for Maine, where she will visit friends in Thomaston, Rockland and Old Town.

J. F. Ryan, electrical contractor, who has been located on West street, moved this week into the new Carley block on Main street.

James Barry, who has lived in Ayer the greater part of his life, died on Tuesday at the Burbank hospital in Fitchburg, where he has been under treatment for the past four weeks. He was the son of the late Michael and Catherine Barry; of Ayer, and was about seventy years of age. He had been married, but his wife died some years ago. For the past few years he had been employed as flagman at the Shea's crossing and stayed at the home of James Curran. He leaves no near relatives. The funeral was held on Thursday morning at St. Mary's neral director

The Association of Rederated Churches, whose building on West Main street has been closed for about two months, is confronted with a problem as to what disposal to make of the building. A movement has been on foot locally to secure the building to be used as a Y. M. C. A. Turner for a few days.

Turner for a few days. for Ayer and the surrounding towns but nothing definite has been decided yet. It is reported that the building may be taken over by the National Y. M. C. A. organization and further developments are looked for later in

H. R. Strand, who has had a jew-erly store with the C. R. P. Co., for about a year, closed his place of business on Tuesday and has taken a store in Lawrence.

Work was begun Monday on repairing a part of Washington street and the macadam will be extended to H. J. Webb's house, beginning at the end of the piece put in a few years

Miss R. M. Graham, the milliner, has a display in her show window of the style of hats worn from 1889-1892, summer and winter, and are very unique and striking in style.

Martin L. Daigle of Sandy pond, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fidelle M. Daigle, passed away on Sunday morning, after an illness of two and one-half months with acute Bright's disease. He was born at East Weymouth and was twenty-two years of age last May. He came to Ayer with his parents when four years old and has since made it his home, attending the public schools here. During the last part of his illness he was under treatment at the Massachusetts General hospital in Boston. He leaves his parents, two sisters, Arvilla and Rita Daigle, and a brother, Welmouth Daigle. The fu-neral was held on Tuesday morning at St. Mary's church. High mass was celebrated at 9.30 by a chaplain from Camp Devens. Burial was at St. Mary's

Mrs. Lerlie Harlan, wife of Capt. Harlan, was taken to Dr. Ayers' hospital in Groton on Monday for treatment and perhaps for a slight surgical operation, Capt. Harlan is from Louisville, Ky., has been overseas for a year firmary at Camp Devens. His wife and little daughter have been rooming at H. J. Webb's on Washington street, and Mrs. Webb is caring for the little girl while the mother is in the hos-

The Unitarian Women's Alliance held the annual outing at Whalom on Thursday. The arrangements were in charge of Mrs. D. W. Fletcher. There was a good attendance and everyone had a very enjoyable day, every mo-ment being taken up with the picnic dinner, the theatre, the merry-go-round, the Ferris wheel and the steamhoat ride.

This week Saturday the Strand presents Billie Rhodes in a great special Rialto production "Hoop-La." A story of the circus and an aristocratic household. Be sure and see the circus parade, the antics of the clown, the daredevil and bareback riding of the queen, and then the side show after the main event. The bearded lady, the fat woman, tattooed man, humar skeleton, etc. The latest Billy Parson comedy, "After the bawl"; latest news. Sunday—Wallace MacDonald and Claire Anderson in "Mme. Paulette." A romance of the Adirondacks; Strand comedy; Christie comedy.

Mrs. Edwin Puffer is visiting with friends in Newport, Vt.

William S. Beckford has taken over the insurance agency formerly handled by the late James J. O'Brien, and makes his headquarters in the office of Fred A. Smith in Carley's new block on Main street.

One of the local jitney drivers lost a rear wheel off his automobile near the residence of Roy Lawton on East Main street this week. The car was filled with soldiers and headed toward Boston. No one was injured. Anoth er automobile was procured and the party proceeded to its destination.

Mrs. John Perkins Bundy and Miss Margaret Dowd, of Melrose, have been visiting their aunt, Mrs. Francis Love

Miss Hortense Sawyer returned thi week from the Deaconess hospital and is making a good recovery from an operation for appendicitis.

I. G. Dwinell and family and Miss Ella Phelps, who left last Saturday forenoon by auto for a visit with rela-tives in Ludlow, Vt., returned home Thursday afternoon. They were ac-companied by Mr. and Mrs. George M. Moore and are visiting Mrs. Moore's

sister, Miss Phelps. Mrs. Leon C. Smith, a former resident of Ayer, and a sister of Frank S Pierce, was smitten with apoplexy in a subway in Boston last Monday evening. She had been with her husband to a moving picture exhibit and they had entered the subway to return to their home in Melrose, when Mrs. Smith complained of feeling ill and sat down. When the car came Mr. Smith with the assistance of another passenger was ready to board the car they found Mrs. Smith unable to move An ambulance was called and she was taken to the Haymarket Emergency Relief hospital, which was close by Suilivan, Me., where his family are and there she has remained in an un-spending their vacation. They will all and there she has remained in an un-conscious condition ever since. Her roturn September 1.

friends wished to remove her to a private hospital, but it could not be permitted while she was on the dan-gerous list. Her condition has not changed and little hope of recovery is Ayer when Mrs. Nellie Smith lived here will remember her as a bright,

Miss Eliza Buckman is enjoying a vacation from her duties at Smith, gineer at the water station, did the Patterson's jeweiry store in Boston.

Mrs. Leander F. Freeman has received word of the safe arrival of her brothers, Aubrey and Robey Crouse, at their home in Torbrook, N. S. They have been overseas several years with the Canadian forces. Miss Amy L. Nixon is employed as

clerk at the furniture store of Edward C. Page. , William J. Tinker has returned from

the Massachusetts General hospital, where he has had an operation per-formed and is at the home of his sis-ter, Mrs. Arthur E. Dykes. The Suffrage Coffee House closed its

afeteria Wednesday. The furnishings are being disposed of at private sale. Miss Natalie B. Bigelow is still at the house from ten to twelve o'clock in the forenoon daily.

from his duties Maine railroad.

Miss Bertha Farnsworth is visiting in Bantam, Conn.

Mrs. Helen M. Turner, Mrs. M. L. Thursday morning at St. Mary's church, high mass being celebrated by A. Sanderson, Miss Charlotte Sander-Rev. Thomas J. Bennan at —nine o'clock. Burial was in St. Mary's cemetery. Amos D: Mahony was fullenness of Brookline leave next Tuesday for Beachwood, Me., for a week'

Misses Gertrude and Jane Briggs leave this Saturday evening for Stan-

Mrs. Walter Goddard is visiting friends in Halifax.

Mrs. Flora Ricker and Miss Grace Hollis of Somerville and Mrs. Arthur Hollis of Medford have been visiting their uncle, Francis Lovejoy. Mrs. Hollis' son, Raymond Hollis, arrived at Camp Devens with the Third Pioneers this week.

Herbert Shaw, who has been assistant general agent at the Boston and Maine station for the past seven years, is to leave August 15 for his old home in Blackburn, England. Mr. Shaw has been held in high esteem by his associates and in testimony of this was presented with a Waltham gold watch Tuesday, Clarence H. Kinney, freight agent, making the presentation in behalf of the associate employees. Mr. Shaw was overcome by this mani-festation of good will and later endeavored to express his appreciation. He leaves many friends in Ayer who

Louis LaPointe is building a veranda on the residence of Rev. Frank B. Crandall on Nashua street.

George S. Boutwell W. R. C. will meet Thursday evening in Hardy's hall at 7.30 o'clock. As many members are absent from town those who car attend are urged to do so.

Mr. Horgan of the M. J. Horgan Ice Co. has negotiated for the purchase of the home of William H. Dudley. He has recently returned from France and is assisting his father in his bus-

Miss Gertrude Stone has been spend. ng a vacation at Forge pond. Henry C. Sherwin has been visiting

nis son Paul at Siasconset. Miss Marion Winslow is employed in the North Middlesex Savings bank. Mrs. M. Dell Seaverns is visiting her ister, Mrs. John D. Holt, in Pepperell. Mrs Grace Bliss Kendall of Somer-

ille was in town last week calling on old friends. Miss Emmajene E. Boutwell has been visiting her cousin, Elmer Wood,

in Harvard. Miss Isabel M. Caron is visiting her aunt, Miss Lideau Turcotte, in Somers-worth, N. H.

· John C. Martell has moved to Somerville, where he is to work in a shoe

Mrs. Elmer E. Blodgett is visiting her mather, Mrs. Woodman, in Lowell. George Millson and family, accomat Drake's Island, Me., for a vacation. Erastus B. Lewis has been off duty from the railroad on account of illness.

Miss Lideau Turcotte of Somersworth, N. H., has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Amie E. Caron,

Harry Field of Franklin is employed at Yates' garage. He resides at Lit-tleton with his sister, Mrs. George E.

The regular meeting of the Unitar ian Girls' club will be held Wednes-day, August 6, at the home of Mrs. R. H. Wylie, Sandy pond. Mrs. Beverly and Mrs. Wylle hostesses. The meeting will be at eight o'clock, but there will be an afternoon session

with lunch served. Mrs. Mllan P. Cole is ill at her home with the grippe.

Mr. and Mrs. William Gardner, who have been living at the home of Mrs. Josephine A. Hatch, have moved to the house owned by Capt. Moses P. Palmer on Central avenue.

Richard H. Dennihan is having a vacation from his duties at the post-

Miss Anna M. Abbott is ill at the

linton hospital. Mr. and Mrs. Samuel H. Proctor and daughter Marion are at Hampton

Beach for a week. The main attractions at Page's hall

the main attractions at Page's naii theatre for next week are Monday Harold Lockwood in "The great romance"; Tuesday, Evelyn Nesbit (Thaw) in "The fallen idol"; Wednesday, Bert Lytell in "The llon's den"; Thursday, a Paramount production; Friday, Allee Brady in "His Monday in the light"; Schunday, Gladus Brady bridal night"; Saturday, Gladys Brockwell in "The pitfalls of a big city."

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur McIntosh of Jamaica Plain are visiting Mr. and Mrs, Harry, Davenport, Third street. Washington street returned the fore-

part of this week from a visit with relatives in Wilton, N. H. The coffee house on West Main street, run by the War Camp Commun-ity Service, was closed Wednesday

evening and the house will be sold. George L. Osgood left this week Friday by auto for his summer home at

Howard P. Fletcher and family, Mrs. Fisk Butterfield and baby and Mr. and Mrs. Verne Pillman return this Saturday from their vacation at Hampton beach.

The fire department have installed a new fire gong in the engine room at the water works and it will be tested at twelve o'clock noon, each day, standard time. Harry N. Brown, en-

Kenneth G. Hartin, a world war yet. eran who re-enlisted in the regular army at Camp Devens, Tuesday, told the recruiting officers that he believed the army offered better opportunities than civil life. Hartin came from his home in Canterbury Station, New Brunswick, to join the motor transport corps for duty in Hawaii. Recruiting results throughout the country have been highly satisfactory, and 90,000 enlistments have been obtained since the campaign started.

Why not buy a load of that fine hard bobbin wood for summer use? Ask Mr. Bray at Hill's drug store,

Parents having children entering school in September are asked to observe the law in regard to vaccination. The office of the Board of Health in James Profit is having a vacation his duties on the Boston and the town hall will be open Tuesday, August 5, and Thursday, August 7, from 9.30 to 11.30 a. m., and a physical statement of the town hall will be open Tuesday, August 7, from 9.30 to 11.30 a. m., and a physical statement of the town hall will be open Tuesday. sician present to vaccinate your little ones. Please either bring them at this time or take them to your family physician before the opening of school. Mrs. Alexander Gorder, wife of Lieut Gorder, who resides at St. An-drew's vicarage, was operated on Tuesday for appendicitis at Clinton hospital.

> Mrs. N. Murray is spending the week with her sister, Mrs. P. A. McCabe of Taunton.

Punish Guilty Officer.

Capt. Harry J. Harris, Q. M. C., U. S. A., of Brookline, who appeared before a general court-martial last win ter, charged with fraud against the government and whose trial was a sensational advent in the peaceful ford, Confi., on a week's vacation.

Mrs. Emma L. Wood of Lancaster fined to the limits of the camp and forfeit \$50 of his pay each month, according to the "leasure of the President," expressed in telegram to the cantonment following the findings of the board of local officers. of the board of local officers.

Charged with violation of two arti-cles of war, that he stole twenty tons of coal, the property of the United was tried, found guilty and sentenced to be dismissed from the service by the court-martial, the execution of the sentence which was approved by the post commander, General Mc-Cain, being suspended until "the pleasure of the President" could be

The sentence was confirmed by the President and commuted to a reprimand by the commanding general, and the above confinement and payforfeiture unless Capt. Harris be discharged before the expiration of the period of six months, at which time such portion of the sentence which unexecuted will stand remitted.

Auto Accident.

Nate E. Whittier, of Arlington, was noon at Pingryville on the state road

The Stinson car skidded on the slippery surface of the state road and struck the other car owned by Mr. LeBaron, heavily. The impact flung Whittler against the glass door of the Stinson limousine, cutting his head severely and apparently injuring his skull. He was knocked unconscious, and after treatment by Dr. B. H. Hopkins, was taken to the Groton private.

Mr. and Mrs. Stinson, although more on Friday. or less cut and bruised by the accident, are seriously injured.

District Court.

At the civil session of the court ast Saturday morning the action of he National Motor Equipment Co. vs William Hurwitz was continued for K. Clark represented the plaintiff.

In the action of Willis C. Perry vs. Carroll S. King, the plaintiff's whereabouts being unknown, he was non-suited. Atty. John D. Carney repre-sented the plaintiff, while Mr. King appeared for himself.

In the action of Daniel Bartlett, of Shirley, against Kenneth MacLennan, of Ayer, the court found for the plain-tiff in the sum of \$25. The plaintiff testified that the defendant, while repairing his automobile, broke the windshield and substituted a secondhand radiator for a new one. Atty. L. K. Clark represented the plaintiff and Atty. Robert H. J. Holden the defendant.

At the criminal session of the court Edward Rice of Malden was fined \$10 for a violation of the town by-laws regarding jitneys.

Chester Ferrello, of Boston, charged with a statutory offence, was discharged, as there was not sufficient evidence to hold him. Atty. John D. Carney appeared for Ferrello, and Atty. Robert H. J. Holden for the complainant, the town of Townsend.

On Saturday morning a large quantity of heer, seized by the police in Westford, which an analysis showed between two and three percent of alcobol, was ordered forfeited, On Thursday morning Guy A. Mer-

ill of Lynn was fined ten dollars for overspeeding in Groton on July 6. Mr. Merrill was not present, but Attorney Robert H. J. Holden appeared for him and pleaded nolo to the charge.

Officer Sentenced,

Samuel H. Stone, formerly a second lieutenant in H Company, 101st Infantry, began a ten-year sentence at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, Tuesday, for deserting his men while un-Ars, Harry, Davenport, Third street.

William C. Jackson and family of Washington street returned the foreWashington street returned the foreWashington street returned the foreuary, of abandoning night patrols at this is the first experience in camp the edge of No Man's Land four times, life for the boys from here it is needand with deserting his platoon as his less to say that they were very enthu

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guilty of lesser offences were sentenced to much more severe sentences than Stone's on numerous occasions. There have been several instances at Camp Devens where men have been sent to prison for as high as twenty-five years for assault and battery on a non-commissioned officer and insult-

ing a commissioned officer.
Stone is said to have enlisted in H Company just prior to the departure for the Mexican border. Through ap-States, for the use of a public garage on his false written statement that the coal was for his own personal benefit at his private residence in the former salvage officer.

Chateau-Thierry on the second day. Stone's platoon was on the right flank. Shortly after the attack started he in A Company in the supporting line halted him. The lieutenant gave as excuse that he was returning for sector maps and was allowed to proceed. Bewildered by the sudden disappear ance of their leader the platoon tried to save the situation. In carrying out instructions to the best of their ability the men exposed themselves needless At least two were killed as a re

> or more were wounded. Ashamed to have it known that their commander had deserted, the men of the platoon kept silent. Again at St. Mihiel Stone repeated, running to the rear almost at the opening of hostilities. At Verdun it was the same. Later, charges were preferred

against him.

In some unknown manner the lieutenant managed to get to Paris after between Ayer and Littleton, when the car in which he was riding with Reuben W. LeBaron, of Arlington, was struck by a limousine owned and occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Stinson, of Worcester.

The Stinson car skidded on the wave released when explanations were The Stinson car skidded on the were released when explanations were

kins, was taken to the Groton private. He was stripped of all insignia places hospital, where he died Saturday in solitary confinement, shunned by everyone and kept under armed night from a fractured skull.

Mr. LeBaron was cut over his eye guard. Accompanied by three sen by flying glass, but neither he nor tries he started for the federal prison

BOXBOROUGH

News Items.

Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Steele left fo Nove Scotia on Monday where they are to visit the parents and other relatives of Mr. Steele. Owing to the wo weeks, until August 9. Atty. L. large number of people going to Nov; Scotia this summer they were unable to get passage on the boat and were obliged to make the trip by train.

Dog-day weather has greatly inter fered with the having of late, but i has encouraged the growth of the ap-The trucks have already start ed their nightly trips into Boston, with the early apples.

New trucks and autos are appearin in town frequently these days. McNamara has recently purchased new truck which has already been christened by carrying apples into market. Eddie Braham is another recent automobile owner.

Burpee Steele spent the week-end at the home of his aunt in Southboro, Miss Bertha Livermore returned to her work this week after a five-weeks' enforced vacation, due to illness.

The beautiful hydrangeas at Mrs Anna Page's, which have attracted the attention of many people for the cars, seem unusually attractive this summer. Last week they formed the principal decorations at the wedding of Miss Helen Reed, of West Acton.

We note with pleasure that at last a start has been made to fix the Lit-tleton road. This road, especially from the line to Liberty square, has een one of the worst pieces of road in this vicinity. A small fire took place here about

midnight on last week Thursday evening when the slaughter barn and icehouse of P. W. Cunningham was burned. The fire was not discovered until it had gained much headway so that "fire department" was not called Dr. Royal, who was passing by, notic ed the fire and notified the family Very few people knew about it unti the next morning.

Five of "our boys" were very happy and excited when on Wednesday morning they joined the Littleton Boy Scouts for a ten-days' camping trip at Spectacle pond in North Littleton. As company was going into action at stastic and hopeful about the camping. Chateau-Thierry, St. Mihiel and Verdeur. They are to live in tents, sleep on meal bags filled with hay and do their Prior to his conviction he was beat-en insensible at least four times by who have joined are Malcolm Steele, privates in his platoon for his coward-Frank Keyes, Donald Brown, Merrill was threatened with Wetherbee and Melville Richardson death by men under him. Desertion It is hoped that a patrol may soon be is punishable by death. Soldiers in organized in Boxborough, as many of

the boys are anxious to become Hibbard Graves spent the week-end

with his brother's family, the N. R. Graves, of Shirley,

The lawn party and dance held by the Adelphian club on Tuesday even-ing attracted a large number of people, as weather conditions were of the ple, as weather conditions were of the very best. There were the usual out-door attractions, including a musical concert by Sheridan's orchestra of Maynard, which also furnished music for the dance. In spite of the cooler weather ice cream and tonic brough a brisk trade and "Dinah" was the cause of many dimes to be added to the treasury. About \$50 was cleared during the evening.

There will be a Grange lawn party and dance on Tuesday evening, Augus 5, at the new town hall. Music fur-nished by Sheridan's orchestra. The usual attractions at a lawn party. The committee are feeling very hopeful after the success of the Adelphian club and are very anxious to make this as successful.

A party of young ladies from here, chaperoned by Miss Ross, of Harvard attended the dance at the Community Service club in Ayer on Wednesday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Furbush, with

their little son, were at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Meyers on last Sunday. Services will be held at the church on Sunday morning at eleven o'clock Sermon by the pastor, Mr. Burrows Sunday school at the close of the service. There was a church service las Sunday evening with Stanley Duckers as leader. We hope these services will continue and many people may attend

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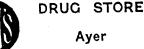
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HARVARD

News Items

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur N. Calkins announce the birth on July 24 of a son, Robert de Sanno, and a daughter Dor-

The King's Daughters will hold another food sale of their home cakes ind pastries on the common in front Congregational church on Saturday, August 2, from three to six,

Wilmur B. Brown, who was one of He has seen service for eighteer which seemed particularly fitting, as months, was in five engagements and Mr. Sir decision, was a native of Lunenlater transferred to the army of occupation as a sharp shooter with the regular army men. He is looking

Earle O. Turner has accepted the position as head of the department of civil engineering in the University of New Brunswick. This school is sit-uated at Fredericton at the head of the St. John river, a beautiful city. Mr. Turner has been a teacher at the Brooklyn Polytechnic Institute for the past two years. He leaves with Mrs. Turner September 1 for his new work.

The Grange meet on Tuesday even-ing, August 5, for a regular meeting. The Congregational church is resplendent with its coat of white paint and green blinds, been regilded. Mr. West had charge

of the work. Mrs. W. S. Watson entertained the Triangle club for an all-day sew on last Tuesday. Chicken salad was served for lunch by the hostess.

Philip Dickson is home again looking and feeling very much improved. A chanter of the American Legion has been formed in Harvard under the name of the Edward Thomas post, in honor of the only Harvard boy who made the supreme sacrifice in the war. The post has received its charter and has at present a membership of fifteen men. The first meeting of the post is to take place in the Hapgood Memorial Saturday, August 2, at 7.30 All members of the post and all other ex-service men are urgently requested to attend this meeting as the officers of the post are to be elected at this time. The American Legion is to be to the men of the war just endwhat the G. A. R. is to Civil war terans. It stands for true Amer-

icanism and is strictly non-partisan. The Catholic Mission will hold band concert and lawn party on the common Tuesday afternoon and even-ing, August 12. Food and fancy tables, ice; cream and tonics with the usual attractions. Sale begins at four. Band concert from 6.30 till eight. Dancing in town hall from 8.30 till twelve. Music by Pigeon's band and orchestra

At the motion picture show this Saturday evening Alice Brady will be seen in "The knife," from the play of the same name by Eugene Walter; is gripping and replete with thrills and shown the vision of the mountain fill shown the vision of the mountain fill. Pathe News and a comedy and the Fourth of July reel of every-body who were at the Bromfield grounds will complete the bill. Come and see yourself and how you looked.

The Boston Herald of last Sunday confidence the "Peace anthem" writter by M'ss Clara Endicott Sears, accompanied by a very flattering notice. It is boung recited at many of the memory's It is board recited at many of the memorial orthogs for the men killed in the war and many betters of appreciation are before the early by Miss.

Sens from those who have heard if and a boy friend, of Clinton, Missa, recited or who have heard if. I was also printed in a recent teste of the Springfield Republican and is a follows:

Appropriate the many of the Message and Springfield Republican and is a follows:

On Thursday calling on old friends.

PEACE ANTHEM Hall! thou great Song of Peace Nations are singing! for from the war-swept years, Unit out the vale of tears. We have a maging, devois the charton call! Oil man the dol of all. Bless what m's bending!

Hail! fruitful years of Peace Spreading before ds! Hight has prevailed at lost. Fighting and bloodshed passed. Truth will restore us! Love must Man's deeds forestal (bit may the God of all Point the way for us!

Homeocoming battle flags
Hota'd was's ending;
Hota'd was's ending;
Hotaor to beroes skin;
We come with lond acclaim
Victors unberding.
True to their Country's call;
the may the God of all
Send Grace commending;

LUNENBURG

The town hall, the library, the two churches, the store of Brown, Bick-ford & Co., and residence of E. K. Proctor have been finely decorated by experts with flags and bunting, and several private residences displayed been a blemish upon the face of our dear old town, and no ormanicate they be into his or apon the sea they has the blod our apon the search of pair tiful laws have seen put in their of pair o da uper ellar day. r' town

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Old Home Week,

The town of Loners of stated on and old the eighteenth arrana coservate and celebration of Old Honer Week under all that the most fastolious could ask for, and at the appointed hore for the for, and at the appointed note for the morning service an unusually large audience gathered in the Methodist church. Every stationary seat was filled and a large number of chairs.

The Misses Ruth and Mildred Ross. were brought in to accommodate those who were not fortunate enough to be the first ones there. The extense of the church had been beautifully deorated with flags and bunting and

tically arranged, and the interior was equally pretty with fragrant flowers. The regular choir of the church hat the summer.

finely rendered by twelve voices, and Manchester Mirror, and Mrs. Eaton included anthems and hymns, among are spending Mr. Eaton's vacation which were "Hear me when I call," with his "Jerusalem my happy home," "Come B. Eaton. let us frame our loftiest songs" and "Faith of our fathers," always a fav-orite and particularly appropriate for Old Home Sunday. A male quartet, composed of Lewis and Carl Harring-ton, Raymond DeCoff and Orville D. Martin, sang "New the angry surges roll." "Lord dismiss us with thy blessing" was the closing number.

Wilmur B, Brown, who was one of the first boys to cross the water for service in France, arrived in Camp Devens on Thursday evening last. He received his discharge on Monday. He has seen service for eighteen which seemed particularly fitting, as months was in five engagements and ourg and spent the first eighteen years the spent the first eighteen years life on the farm in Goodrich-Rev. Waiter F., Whitney, of splendid and is proud of his wonderful bowell was the preacher of the morn-experience.

About three hundred townspeople his early life in this town. He said gathered last Sunday evening on the he felt as though he would like to de-common to give the first outdoor community sing. Two cornetists from Lunenburg, for some of the happiest Camp Devens led the service, which years of his life were spent here, and was entered into with good spirit, spoke of his pastor, Rev. Frank Ev-During the evening Rev. H. C. Merrill erett; of his Sunday school teacher gave a very interesting talk on his Miss Annie Heath, and others whom work abroad with the Y. M. C. A. he was very glad to meet again. After these allusions to his early life and associates he announced his subject, "The folks of up to now," and a very interesting sermon it proved.

At three o'clock in the afternoon another very, large audience assem-bled on the common: Rev. T. C. Martin presided. The service opened with a selection by the Military band, which also led in the singing. Rev. Walter F. Whitney offered prayer and after another hymn Mr. Martin intro-duced the speaker, Rev. Benjamin W. Rust, pastor of the Methodist church here in 1906-7. He gave his subject as "Religion and construction," and The vane has also delivered a very interesting instruc-ir. West had charge tive and historical address, holding ceived their discharges and are at the cloest attention of his large audi- their homes. ence to the end, and had it not been Sunday afternoon he would have received menthusiastic applause. The service over, he was surrounded by his former parishioners and acquain-

tances, all eager to greet him again. The evening service was held in the Congregational church, where Rev. L. A. Whiston presided. Prayer was offered by Rev. T. C. Martin and the church choir sang the anthem, "Be still and know that I am God." (Christ in Flunders") a sole was ren-"Christ in Flanders," a solo, was ren dered by Miss Lorraine Hayward The hymns, "Day is dying in the west" and "Saylour breathe an evening bless ing" were sung, with "How firm foundation" for a closing number.

The speaker of the evening was Rev. George E. Sanderson, who preaced his sermon with some personal reminiscences. He said that he was born in October, 1845. At eighteen years of age he went to the city and learned the carpenter's trade, joined the Park street church in Worcester, then studied for the ministry, first at Wilbraham academy, then at college He has been a member of the New England conference forty-five years and with one exception, Rev. Alphonso Day, a former pastor here, is the oldest member of the conference in active service.

He took his text from the first book of Kings and the incident of Elisha's ed with horses and chariots of fire and learns that "they that be with us are more than they that be with them." He said life is a warfare. The way is lough and there is danger on every

on Thursday, calling on old friends, Miss Eden Greenhood is spending two weeks at the Worcester farm.

Twenty-two members of the Boys' and Girls' club attended the meet in Lyndeborough last week and the Hollis boys came home proud of having won out in everything they attempted there in games and sports.

Ensign Ralph Lovejoy is on his way to France on the U.S.S. Sierra, a transport that is taking troops over They will land at Brest and other French ports.

Mrs. F. F. Twiss is visiting relatives in Pennacook and will be away four weeks. Mrs. Charles Hills took her there in her car.

The forty-eighth annual reunion of the Willoughby Family association will be held at Morrill's grove on August 14.

Raymond Lovejoy was at home last week between trips to and from Porte

Mrs. May Nichols and Leon Woodbury, of Manchester, were callers at A. B. Eaton's last week Friday.

M. J. Powers, who has been so ill. is logithing to show signs of real improvement much to the gratificaof his family and friends, who time to is coming all right, The L tion in lding has had a coathe much improved there-

to be repairs made in fiel and the is ever handed, Dr. Stall V.— Quit, of Peppe Mrs. Lehn Pharma, Groups Wes Mr. Mal Mischaesep, Mattendal arternal Mr. Shall Mischaese X. specific there day but Campings 1, be

by. There

Mrs. Perley Poster and doubt Ger the thering Mrs. Foster's year are the transfer of the Mrs. Charles E. H. 1988, Mrs. Poster expects her husband, who

has been stationed in Archangel to near Kir some time, will soon reach home. Franklin Worcester celebrated h terth builday last Saturday and en-tertained a party of friends, young

A party consisting of the Misses Elizabeth and Helen Worcester, Ellen constraint of the man state of the most auspicious chromatoparts auspicious chromatoparts and figures. Elizabeth and Heisen workester, Lindon Standay morning. The weather was joy, Patty Ludden and Hazel Louges to the most fastilious could ask spent the day at Canoble Lake, Tues

Misses Worcester's car, then by troi-

The Misses Roth and Mildred Ross Ethel Goodwin, Frances Goodw. Ann Wetherbee and Mrs. George Hills d children pienfeked at Long pond

Mr. Charles Smith, of West Rox-Mass, is at the Poole house to

prepared special music which was Altiel F. Eaton, city editor of the

with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. As:

Miss Hattie Hayden, who left the hospital a week ago last Sunday, spent a week with friends in Nashua and returned to her home last Saturday.

Mrs. James Hills and Miss Mabel Duncklee are both home from the hospital and reported as doing well. David J. Wright, who so narrowing escaped serious injury last week, is doing well and able to be out.

Mrs. Ellen H. Lovejoy celebrated her seventy-ninth birthday on Monday. She is spending the summer here as usual and has her daughter and granddaughter with her.

Rev. Mr. Bonton preached her again last Sunday. expects to be here on Sunday,

Mrs. Michael Grant and little returned to their home in Boston the irst of the week. Mr. and Mrs. James McConnell (Gertrude Mayou) have moved from Boston to Dover, N. H.

BROOKLINE, N. H.

News Items.

Little Elmer Corey has returned from St. Joseph's hospital, Nashua, and is able to walk around a little.

Mrs. William Brown and daughter Mary are enjoying a visit in Maine. George Abbott, from Boston, was the week-end guest of his aunts, Miss Josephine Seaver and Mrs. Hattie Stiles.

Mrs. Ellen Swett has returned fron ner visit in Newton, Mass.

We are most glad to welcome home two more of our soldier boys from overseas. Private Chester Barnaby

Master Chester Elliott has returned home from the Memorial hospital in Nashua. His leg and hips are in a cast, but he is able to be about in a wheel-chair.

Miss Belle Andrews, nurse, of the Base: Hospital Unit No. 16, has re cently returned from overseas and is at the home of her father, Capt, John

Andrews Dr. G. L. Perrin and wife have been spending a few days in Brookline, Mass.

Frances Evans has been the guest of her brother, Alfred J. Cox, Charl-Miss Gertrude Hugo, from Saranac Lake, is the guest of Mrs. Celia Pow-

Among those who attended the celebration in Townsend on last week Friday were Herbert Corey and fam-ly, Mrs. Hattie Pierce, Ed. Smith, Walter Corey, Mrs. Estella Hughes, Mrs. Ella Rockwood, Mrs. Myrtle Rockwood, Mrs. Katherine Cady. Freeman Wright, James Farnsworth and family, Mrs. Thomas Barbour and family, Dr. Holcombe and family Mrs. Alice Jenness, Mr. and Mrs. Vic-tor Maxwell, Helen Rockwood, Mr and Mrs. Lewis Popple, Miss Mabel Popple, Andrew Marshall, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Hall, Mrs. Edna Hall and two daughters and Miss Blanche Hall, besides many others. All reported a

fine time. Miss Ruth Andrews and William Andrews and family, from Lexington have been the guests of Capt, and Irs. John Andrews.

Judge Parker has been a recent visitor in Nashua. The baseball game at New Ipswich ast Saturday was not finished on ac-

count of the rain and only six innings were played. Charles Abbott was the guest of

Judge Parker on Sunday. Herbert Stanley sold part of his household goods at auction last Sat-

Mrs. Minnie Faulkner, from Milford, has been the guest of her mother, Mrs. Carrie Whitcomb.

David Gilmore has been enjoying a visit in Vermont. Mrs. Elia Rockwood, Mrs. Myrtle Rockwood, Mrs. Charlotta Wright and Freeman Wright were in Nashua

on last Monday, At the meeting of the Grange on last week Wednesday evening, one new member was obligated in the first degree and the second degree was conferred on nine. The following

literary program was given: Song and salute to fing; roll call of absent soldiers; song, "Home fires"; song, Henry Bailey; essay, Clara Russell; essay, Emma Dunbar; song, "América." At the close a social hour was enjoyed. At a special meeting on this week Wednesday the third degree was conferred on the same class of nine. Of the fifteen boys who went to wa from the Grange all have returned but two, Seaman Grover Farwell and Sergt. Eugene Ouellette, both of whom are overseas.

James Gilson, Mr. and Mrs. Victor Maxwell, Helen Rockwood, Velmar Taylor were among those who attended the celebration dance in Townsend on last week Friday evening.

A letter from Sergt. Eugene Ouel-lette states that he is in France and expects to be sent to the German frontier soon.

Lawrence Corey is helping in Fessenden's store, and Junior Corey is in Pepperell, with his grandfather, Kirk

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The popular denomination of bonds in France is 500 francs (about \$100), although some issues are as low as 100 and 250 francs, (\$20 and \$50). At no time have the French people had by the British as "Glover's Amphibious available an investment security of Regiment," but they alone were rethe nature of the American War Savings Stamps, guaranteed by their government and paying more than four per cent interest compounded quarterly. Nevertheless the French people have invested vast sums in the securities recommended by their banks. When the war came these great investments were available for transfer into government war bonds, and the earlier French loans were largely purchased by turning in these securities for exchange.

If the American people will continue to see the great advantages of the country is today the legacy tinue to see the great advantages of the country is today the legacy tinue to see the great advantages of the country is today the legacy than woman and child who War Savings Stamps and Thrift Stamps, American thrift will rival French thrift. The American saver can buy an interest-bearing government security when his amount to little more than \$4. The Frenchman must wait until he has accumulated at least five times that amount before his money can begin to earn interest.

WOMEN AS INVESTORS

What Liberty Bond and War Sav ings Stamps Have Done for Them

Women had never been seriously considered as investors, until the war country became This was partly because volved. they did not earn money as they have since the boys went overseas and to camps, but more for lack of opportunity to invest small savings. For instance, one woman invested her entire savings in two vacant lots some years ago. She has done nothing with them, ever since, except to pay taxes. Government securities would have been much better, for

their returns are positive. Until recently, such safe, sure and profitable investments as Liberty bonds and War Savings stamps have not been possible, either to men or women. Women, however, have been quick to seize upon the promising possibilities of such income-bearing investments, and many a woman now buys Thrift Stamps instead of candy,

flowers and the like. "The prime necessity," according to a woman long a large earner, sa-ver and investor, "is that the thing be safe and sure, and this whether larger powers are not up to date and the investor be a young woman whose provision for the future need not be unduly hurried, or an older woman lures for Russia do not include any open to the temptation of attempting 'get rich quick' methods. Here is my advice to women: 'For the Great Britain, \$37,100,000,000; France, small weekly or monthly savings, the \$27,000,000,000; United States (paid Thrift or War Savings Stamps, so out), \$18,481,000,000; Russia, \$18,000,easy to obtain; for the larger sum to [000,000; Italy, \$10,000,000,000; Serbia, be saved, the sterling Liberty bond'," \$8,000,000,000; Japan and Greece, \$1,

If it is a pleasure to clip the coupons United States, \$119,581,000,000. from your Liberty bonds, how much more satisfying it would be to rein not given, because already included vest them in War Savings Stamps and in the expenditure of countries receiv compound the interest.

would have once called essentials we

now regard as uscless, taxing our time

and resources. And yet we can live

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On Commonwealth avenue, in Boson, stands a statue of the man who independence of the United Colonies of America, in 1775, with never a thought of interest on the investment or even a promissory note for security merchant vessels were quipped for war and thus the American Navy was be

Not satisfied with this, John Glover raised a regiment of sturdy fishermen every private, officer and musician, ex cept eight, being a native of Marble ton's Army in that hazardous trip across the Delaware.

These two important measures were most momentous to Washington during he War of the Revolution.

Glover, at the beginning of the struggle had been a wealthy sea merhant, but he returned to his home and family with no money, no business and was obliged to cobble shoes for his living.

His worldly possessions gone, what had General Glover left? Only a counof every man, woman, and child who helps to keep it as free and inde-pendent as John Glover helped to make it. How shall we prove ourselves worthy heirs to such an inheritance? There is only one way: Carry on! By ourchasing Thrift and War Savings Stamps we may help with our money though unlike John Glover, we will have the safest security in the whole world, the guarantee of the United States Government.



Benjamin Franklin said: "Waste neither time nor money, but make the best use of both."

ESTIMATED WAR

EXPENDITURES

Statisticians of the War Depart ment have undertaken to compute the total cost of the war, but all figures larger powers are not up to date and no accurate figures for some of the smaller nations are available.

expenditure after January 1, 1918. Total expended excluding loans 000,000,000.

The amounts loaned to allies are ing the loan.

Join a War Savings Society This Week Think in Interest—Save

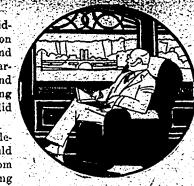
Napoleon's Temper. Matter of Adaptability. Defeat was so distasteful to Ne-Adaptability works toward contentpoleon that, so it is recorded, when he ment; to fit ourselves willingly and found an opponent at chess getting cheerfully into the changed conditions that exist today in countless homes the better of him he would with a quick movement sweep board and throughout this broad land means the pieces off the table to the ground. lifting of another heavy burden from the heads of the households. Many things in our way of living which we

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of fairly ample circumstances ridng from Albany to New York on the train which reaches the Grand Central about 4.30. He is wearing Ultex One-piece Bifocal and ands no difficulty in enjoying both his book and the splendid scenery of the Hudson River.

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rects.

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TOWNSEND

Miss Ruth Day left for Washington D. C. Thursday, having received a telegram requesting her to report for duty August first. Miss Day successfully passed a civil service examination for government stenographer.

Miss Fuller, of Harvard road, ro cently lost a handbag containing \$25, change, tickets, etc., which was found and returned to her by Juliette Marcio. Mrs. L. J. Farnsworth will enter ain the Alliance next week Thursday

The Girl Scouts went on a hike last veek Friday afternoon to Fort pond.

freshments were served Victrola sepass pleasantly.

Supt. Herman C. Knight, Miss Alberta D. Barber, director of the Girls' one of the special outdoor features of the Miss Ruth Morse went Tuesday morning in their automobiles to Marlboro, where they joined eight other autos in marshal and was aided by Masters and Carlot and Market Miss Ruth Morse went automobiles to Marlboro, where they joined eight other autos in marshal and was aided by Masters and Market Miss Ruth Whitek Statley Researched conveying sixty-seven boys and girls Ralph Whitlock, Stanley Fessenden of the Middlesex County Achievement and Sherrin Stearns, who made a club on a two-days' trip to Amherst: striking feature as they rode at the They were accompanied by the Misses head of the parade.

Persis Ormsby and Janet Clark, of this two of the returned Townsend boys Achievement club. The County Farm In khaki and blue uniform, under Bureau made this trip to the State command of Lieut. Clarence L. Chandricultural college possible as a reward to the first and second prize winners of the Boys' and Girls' clubs Comrade. William Bush acting as

Leominster A. A. plays against the Townsend A. A. at Athletic park this Saturday afternoon.

Miss Viva Shepherd, of Orleans, Vt., has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Woods. Mrs. Horace Woods, who is spending the summer with them, is visiting this week with friends in Brookfield, her former home. Miss Marion Streeter, of Waltham,

s spending a two-weeks' vacation at he home of her grandmother, Mrs.

Miss Nellie Barker, of Attleboro, is he guest of Miss Harriet Miller.

Owing to the fact that in most of the surrounding towns it is customary for the stores to close either one girl members, and a Red Cross float afternoon or several evenings during carried a number of women engaged the week, the stores of Fred J. Ten- in "first aid" and other phases of reney and Albert B. Wyman will close Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday evenings beginning the week of Auust 4, until further notice.

The Woman's Foreign Missionary society of the Methodist church will France and Belgium, rode on a dechold a meeting next Tuesday afternoon at three o'clock at the home of Mrs. Walter Farrar. This is a spe- Veterans and Sons of Veterans entercial meeting and a full attendance of members is desired; also, all others interested in the work,

Rev. William Hodge will occupy the Methodist pulpit on Sunday in ex-change with the pastor, Rev. J. Long.

There is to be a band concert on the common this week Friday even-Ice cream will be on sale in front of Fred Tenney's store in charge of the Dorcas class of the M. E. church. Following the concert dance is to be given in Memorial hall; music to be furnished by the Wata-tick orchestra of Ashby. On Friday evening of next week a concert will be given at West Townsend by the

The Congregational church will be closed during the month of August, during the vacation of the pastor, Rev. A. L. Struthers, who left on Monday morning with his daughter Char-lotte by train for Nelson, N. H., the family summer home. Mrs. Struthers left on Tuesday, accompanied by Mrs. David G. Howard and baby son, David, Jr., and Mrs. Parke Struthers. ton in his automobile.

Leon Marshall and Wallace Greene left town this week for Bristol. Conn., here they are to be employed.

Walter Grimes, recently returned from overseas, has returned to his former position at C. W. Smith's

Medford, are spending several weeks at the home of George Van Etten, Mr. Van Etten coming for the week-ends.

week-ends.

Among the visitors in town this week are Mrs. Florence Whiting, of Athol, at H. Cowdrey's; Joseph F. LaValley, of Pepperell, at A. Eaton's: Miss Helen F. Miller, of Quincy, at Mrs. A. D. Fessenden's: Miss Hazel Marshall and friend, Earle Gooding, of Melrose, at E. Marshall's: Miss Clara Sheldon, of Ayer, and friend, Mr. Durkee, from Allston, at W. Bruce's: Mrs. John Moore, of Amesphury at G. G. Clark's: Mr. and Mrs. bury, at G. G. Clark's; Mr. and Mrs. Parker Higgins, of Boston, at Mrs. each end of the float stood a s M. T. Higgins': Private Clarence Sher-Lawton, of Hudson, and Raiph Bush, of Medford, at W. Bush's; Victor Swicker, of Maine, at J. Swicker's; Mr. and Mrs. Donald Marr, of Wilmington, Dela., at T. T. Goodwin's—mington, Dela., at T. T. Goodwin's—dwith poppies and quotations from Mrs. Marr is remembered as Miss Marian Hodkin.

The Monday club float was decorated with poppies and quotations from Field and the words "In memoriam."

William Stone, of Waverley, spent few days this week with his family, who are boarding at W. C. Swinningon's for the summer.

Winfield Morse, of Brockton, spent few days this week with his family, who are occupying the S. S. house on Townsend hill this summer.

George Valcourt, recently returned rom overseas, received his honorable ens and arrived in town the night be-fore the celebration. It was very gratifying to his parents to have their three soldier sons from overseas present with them at the town's welcome

Mr. Davis returned to his duties in Boston the first of the week, Mrs. Davis and baby remaining for an exended visit with C. W. Smith.

Thursday evening.

Lynn, are occupying the Methodist was that for some unknown reason parsonage. Rev. William Hodge, of Quincy, together with his family, are Moffatt, as is the custom in such cases, at F. A. Wood's camp on Smith steered for a tree to break the force street. Both Mr. Waterhouse and Mr. Hodge are planning to be in town durper the month of August 1 ing the month of August.

Mr. and Mrs. Hiltz are enjoying an outing at Hale's cottage in Rindge,

Welcome Home Day.

On Friday, July 25, Townsend gave royal welcome home to her returned soldiers, sailors and marines who had upheld the town's honor in the world war and the day will go on record as the greatest in the history of the town. The first of the week C. F. Young & Co., of Lowell, com-menced the decorations of public buildings and private residences, and the fine decorations gave the town gain day appearance, the showers of the night before and the refreshing Mrs. Clarence Cable chaperoned the breeze of the day mingled with the party.

Several pupils of Miss Nellie McNiff smile and the Townsend people glad. pleasantly surprised her at her nome in Ayer last Wednesday afternoon, the occasion being her birthday. Rewhose fine music was much enjoyed ections helped to make the afternoon by the hundreds who gathered in and about the park.

Thomas J. Harvey color guards, who wore their old civil war uniforms and carried their old Springfield muskets C. W. Hildreth was in command.

There were between fifty and seven ty-five floats and automobiles in the parade, many of them being striking n conception and were all of home manufacture and artistic in decora-tion from the camouflaged automo-bile of R. G. Fessenden, chief marshal, to the last float, "Townsend's water system," which made a decided hit with the spectators. The Red hit with the spectators. The Red Cross branch, which served so loyally during the war, was represented by large marching delegation, led Mrs. R. G. Fessenden and four little

llef work.
The French War Relief Workers who have labored so long and faithfully on hospital supplies and for the relief of the orphans of stricken orated float, the women working as they moved along. The Daughters of Veterans and Sons of Veterans entered floats patriotically decorated with many flags unfurled to the breeze drawn by horses with white blankets with S. of V. and D. of V. in red let Fellows turned out fifty-two men he march, wearing regalia and white hats. The E. A. Spaulding Rebekah lodge entered a large float, beautifully decorated with the colors of the or der, pink and green, with noble grand and officers in group and was drawn by a span of black horses wearing collars of pink paper roses and driven by a brother Odd Fellow in suit of white with regalia. Hill Improvement society was repre-

he farmerettes of the hill, who work their working "regalia" and were ousy with hoe and rake, their float being decorated with their garder The little folks of the Wide Awake society of the Congregational church who have knitted and snipped rags for

comfort pillows, announced on their float "We helped win the war." Townsend Harbor was represented y a float with the Goddess of Liberty by a float with the Goddess of Liberty and Peace with four of the soldier lads from that village and "Uncle Sam" as driver. The words "Wel-come home" were in green and white on the sides of the float. Miss S. Doris Dobbs, of the Harbor, as Joan of Arc. rode a horse with the soldiers and

hurried through the parade with a special "prescription," an immense bottle of Elixler of Peace for the (germ) ans. The Townsend and West HONOR-ROLL (Germ) and the world war, 1917-1919."

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home letters to the hero lads, while at each end of the float stood a smiling rin, of Camp Devens, and Mrs. Sher-rin at Mrs. M. Sherrin's; Mrs. George Lawton, of Hudson, and Ralph Bush, large float bearing 100 barrels typical

> The Methodist centenary movement was beautifully represented by a float containing children of the Methodist Sunday school, over which a decorat ed arch was crected representing a open door at the entrance of which stood the "Angel of Love." The pa-rade was long and worthy of the applause it received.

After the morning parade there was a rest period during which booths were set up on the common for the sale of lunches, cooling drinks and ice cream, and were well patronized, the profits from every booth and stand going into the general fund to

assist in defraying expenses. assist in defraying expenses. Between one and two o'clock, the The annual lawn fête under the auspices of the Red Cross branch in town is to be held on Wednesday, August 20, at Wyndecrest, the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Fessenden. Rev. and Mrs. Waldo Burgess and of the airpine. Soon a speck in the two children, of Lakesville, Conn., arrived in town on Tuesday and will spend several weeks with Mr. and Mrs. B. D. Burgess. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Davis and baby rection from which it came and haughter Dorothy, of Arlington, have been visiting with relatives in town. until it was lost behind some trees on the Turnpike road. The crowd rushed pell mell in that direction, and found the machine in Warren Truell's ended visit with C. W. Smith.

A young people's social was held in its propeller broken, its truck crushed Congregational church vestry on and its left hand plane badly torn Thursday evening.

Rev. Mr. Waterhouse and family, of on the street side. The explanation pants, Lieut. Moffatt, nor his mecha-

Mr. and Mrs. George Kendall and nician, were hurt. "Better the machine be injured than the men" is the The machine was taken apart rule. and shipped by train to the station at

Mineola, L. I., for repairs.

The crowd returned to the ball grounds, where they witnessed an in-teresting game: between the service men and other town boys, the service men winning by the score of 8 to 5.

At four o'clock the people returned to the town common, where a second enjoyable concert program was sented by the Townsend band, T. E. Flarity, director.

At six o'clock a banquet was held in Memorial hall, tickets for which had been freely distributed among the service men for themselves, their fathers and mothers, or theirs wives and sweethearts and invited guests. Plates had been laid for 200 and practically every one was taken. Beside each plate was laid a handsomely printed program of eight pages and a flags design, containing a list of all the Townsend boys in the service, givng his rank, branch of service, coming his rank, branch of service, com-pany and regiment. The compilation of this list was chiefly the work of Rev. A. L. Struthers, and to him the town is greatly indebted. At eight o'clock the welcome home

exercises were held in Memorial hall when the medals were presented. Every seat and standing room was when Chairman T. E. Flarity called the gathering to order and said the occasion was a grand inspiration and the committee were proud of the the town had entered into the community singing, and after a selec tion by Coleman's orchestra, from Fitchburg, the great audience sang the "Welcome song" written by Mrs A. I. Struthers, the mother of two boys in the service; one an aviator, the other an electrician on a submarine, "Old Glory," sung to the tune of "Old Black Joe," followed, after which the chairman introduced Major C. R. Cabot, of Newton, late of the 103rd Infantry, 26th Division, as the substitute of General C. H. Cole, of the Yankee Division, who was unable to be present.

Although Major Cabot's speech was

short the audience were well pleased with his manly presence and timely words. He first addressed the service men, saying, now you are at home it is your duty to do a little better be-cause of the support of the people at home and because of those left ove there, and he also said that every mar was equally worthy of hono whether he went overseas or not. He reminded the citizens of the duty they owed these men and said, get at these men in the right way and help them, get their point of view, pull all together, each doing his very best. At the close of his remarks the major was given hearty applause and three

rousing cheers. . Chairman Flarity introduced Hunt ley N. Spaulding, of North Rochester N. H., a native of the town and resi dent for many years, to make the formal speech presenting the medals, and Mr. Spaulding stated that it was the proudest moment of his life when he was called upon to perform this duty, and before presenting the medals he made a short address in which he told of his love for the town of his boyhood and the home of his friends he most valued. He referred briefly to the dark days of the war and the situation today, and said "God grant the League of Nations may be a suc-

the medals were called and as they esponded the medals were carried to them in their places by five young ladies chosen for the purpose. Fifty six medals were given out and the others will be forwarded to the men entitled to them as soon as possible. This closed the formal exercises, which were followed by dancing until

two o'clock, with music furnished by Coleman's orchestra.

The medal presented the boys is beautiful work in dark bronze, pendant from red, white and blue rib-bon. It bears on the obverse side the Winged Victory in war relief, and on the reverse side this inscription in raised letters. "Presented by the Town of Townsend, Mass., to (name Lester C. Swicker, Navai Reserve, weeks. The Townsend Drug Company float

Town of Townsend, Mass., to (name

the World War, 1917-1919."

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end:
Capt. Warren C. Barnaby, Marine Private George F. Tenney, Co. B. Corps. Quartermaster Dept. 101st Eng., 28th Div., A. E. F.

Private James M. Blanchard, Co. K.
Field Artillery.

Serge Chauf, 1st Cl. Clifford N. Bliss,
90th Balloon Co.

Private Stephen H. Bohanon, 9th Co.,
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Private Robert L. Tumber, Veterinary
Hospital 29, A. E. F.

Private Madison J. Tumber, 70rd
Inf., Machine Gun Co.

Private George H. Upham, Co. A. 74th

S. Pueblo. Midshipman John E. Burke, U. S. S. Tarbell. Private Ralph B. Bush, Q. M. Dept.,

Private Ralph R. Bush, Q. M. Dept.,
Remount Station.
Lieut. Clarence L. Chandler, M. D.,
M. C. U. S. Army.
Private 1st Cl. Charles W. Clinton,
102nd U. S. Inf., 51st Brig.,
26th Div., A. E. F.
Sergt.-Major Stephen D. Coffey, War

Risk Section, A. E. F. t. William E. Crombie, 7th Royal Warwickshires, 215th Squadron, R. F. C., Canada.
Lieut. Herbert W. Cummings, Sanitary Corps. Camp Sevier.
Private Howard L. Doran, 27th Coast

Artillery.

*Sergt, Edwin E. Dudley, Co. B, 4th Pioneer Inf., A. E. F.
Private Elmer C. Dudley, Mechanic.
Norwich university, Vt. Private Howard W. Eastman, Troop C, 14th Cavalry, Morsa, Texas. Private John Eldridge, Co. B. 48th Died

Infantry. Private 1st Cl. Carlton L. Farrar, 800th Aero Rep. Squad, A. E. F. Private Lester E. Floyd, Co. E, 2nd Battalion.

Corp. C. Homer Flynn, Camouflage services Section, 40th Engineers, A. E. F. three Private Raymond D. Frye, Medical who deal Supply Dept.

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Motor Rep. Dept.
Private 1st Cl. Harold F. Gray, Co. D.
103rd M. G. B., 26th Division.

Willard E. Gray, Aviation Section, Instructor.

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Corp. Frank R. Greeley, Battery E. 82nd Division, A. E. F.

Private 1st Cl. James W. Greene, 101st Engineers, 26th Div., A. E. F.

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lieut, David G. Howard, U. S. N., In-Military academy.

Guard Inft. Private J. Sanfred Johnson, Musician. 303rd Headquarters Band.

Annapolis.

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Private Royal W. Kaddy, Truck

E, 304th E, S. T., A. E. F. Private Willis F, Keefe, U. S. S. So-Squadron.
Corp. Ralph T. Kilbourn, Q. M. C.,

Utilities Dept. Harry F Knight, 4th Co., I Bat., H. Q. 151st D. B. Private John C. Knowlton, Base Hospital 65, Section 5, A. E. F. Clifford S. Lancey, Medical Service. Tufts college. Private Arthur L. Laws, Co. C, 90th all.

Infantry, 20th Div.
Charles Liddell, M. P., Camp Merritt, N. J. Leon S. Marshall, 102nd Inf.: Co. K, 51st Brig., 26th Div., As

E. F. *Lieut. George H. McElligott, 30th Inf., M. G. Co., A. E. F. Private Orville D. McKenzie, Musi-

cian, Medical Corps. Private Oris N. Merrick, 9th Replacement Dept.
*Private Franz W. Miller, 104th Inf..
Co. B. A. E. F.
Private 1st Cl. Harold C. Miller, 101st

Inf., Co. L., 26th Div., A. E. F. Private Hallet S. Misner, 301st Inf., Private Ralph Misner, Battery E 147th, Field Artillery, A. E. F. Private Fred Monohan, Battery C. 1st Field Artillery.

Private Eneas C. Morgan, 72nd Aero Squadron, A. E. F. Lieut, Harold J. Morse, Naval Reserve, Portsmouth, Va.
Private Edward J. Murray, Co. K.
Field Artillery. Private Karl Newhall, Medical Corps.

A. E. F. Corp. Harley Parker, 23rd Inf., Co. B. A. E. F. Capt. Albert Patterson, U. S. S. Man-Perkins. ning.

Lieut, Herman C. Petterson, U. S. N. Medical Corps, Receiving Ship Alabama.

Corp. George V. Powell, 301st Engineers, H. Q. Co., A. E. F.

Private 1st Cl. Stillman S. Rand, Medical Service. Frederick P. Rawson, Co. H 2nd Inf.

Justin L. Rawson, 14th Co. 4th Bn., 159th D. B. Thomas E. Rogers, 709323, 26th En., Canadians 13th Re-

serve, France.

Ian M. Rusk, Naval Reserve, Radio school, Harvard. *James L. Rusk, S. A. T. C., Norwich university, Vt. Private Clarence H. Sherrin, Salvage

Co., Q. M. C. Bldg. 1271. Wagoner Alden A. Sherwin, 101s Eng. Train, 26th Div., A. E. F Corp. Harry M. Spaulding, Co. F. 416th Eng., 26th Div., A. E. F. Private Lester A. Spear, Battery B. 334th Field Artillery, A. E. F. Lester R. Spofford, H. Q. Co. 82nd Field Artillery.

Private William J. Stewart, Jr., Co. D. 301st Supply Train, A. E. F. Francis W. Struthers, Electrician 1st Cl. (R) U. S. Submarine R-15. Parke H. Struthers, Aviation 24th Photo Section, A. E. F. forp, Elwin O. Swicker, M. P., Prisor

Capt, Warren C. Barnaby, Marine Corps, Quartermaster Dept.
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Private Hugh R. Thatcher, Casual Hdqts, Hazelburst Field, Mincola, Long Island, N. Y.

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Private Hudson A. Bray, 48th Co., Private George H. Cham, Co. A. 64th

12th Bat. D. B.

*Private Walter E. Brown, 203rd

Heavy Field Artillery, Battery
B, A. E. F.

Midshipman Edward E. Burke, U. S.

Sith Co., A. E. F.

Private George H. Cham, Co. A. 64th

Machine Gun Bat., A. E. F.

Private George Valcourt, M. G. Bat.,

38th Co., A. E. F. B. 164th Infantry, 26th Div.,

A. E. F.

Corp. Earl S. Wallace, 41st Div., Co.
B. 116 Ammunition Train, A.
E. F.

Corp. Emil Wessling, Co. I, 101st In-

fantry, 26th Div., A. E. F. Yeoman 1st Cl. Milton W. Wilder, Private 1st Cl. George C. Winchester, Detachment, Camp Private George W. Woods, Bugler

Albert B. Wyman, 331st Inf. el Fire Co. S. Wyman, Labor Private Ch. Camp Upton.

L. Wyman, 49th

Memorial to World War Heroes, pregational church, durheld in memory of the services 3 the church honor roll J. mes A. Keene, Private The and Private Leland The pastor, Rev. A. L. in charge, assisted by Post, of Roxbury, a them in memory of American volunteers, other sons through-had hald their lives on

Ammunition Train, A. E. F. Flanders," Mr. F.per. om L. Gurley, Naval Reserve, after prayer, "One sweet thought," eaphonium sell-Lieut, Carl E. Gustafson, 14th Engi- Flarity; chorus choir w

Adjt. Claude E. Hartford, republic," and "Columbia, tre-Casual, Aero Service, A. E. P. the ocean "I'melaphone sold of the Charles S. Howard, 14th Co., cant chair," by Mr. Piper. The second translation of the Second Seco our fathers. The floral decorations of the church

which were arranged by Mrs. L. U. Clement, were very beautiful and in ewis W. Howard, Co. 3, 1st keeping with the occasion. The draped Hawaiian Inf., N. G. U. S. Lestje E. Hurley, M. P. Prov. a sacred significance of the "Christ of Guard Inft.

| Guard Inft. | Hawaiian Inft. | Flanders" and the peaceful sleep of

At the evening service, a special Victory program was given. "The church, the war and the days beyond." Organ selections were rendered by Mr. Seaver and instrumental solos were grain played by Mr. Piper and Mr. Flarity, The program: Recitation, "Let us give thanks," by Carey Swinington; exercise, "Victory," by Mrs lace.
*Private James A. Keene, 108th Aero
Squadron.

E. Howard's Sunday school or reading, by five Boy Scoats, meaning of brotherhood"; reading of brotherhood"; reading of brotherhood. "The march of truth," Helen G. Whit-comb; exercise by four, girls, "Citizens arise to make a righteous world"; invocation, responsive readings and the "American's creed," were given by the pastor and people, and "Coward christian soldier," "America" and Står Spangled Banner,' were sung by

A lawn party, and band concert by

have been in charge of the town farm for the past two years, left this week for Cliftondale, where they will enjoy a month's vacation, after which their sor's resignation as the family were well liked by the community and did faithful service in their position. Their successors will be Mr. and Mrs. Davis and child, from Sharon, Conn. Fred Warren, of Fitchburg, and Mr

and Mrs. Albert Moore, of Albany, N. Y., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred A. Patch on Wednesday. Augustus Scales, who has been visiting relatives here and at the center.

eturned Monday to his home in Ash-Miss Priest, from New York, is visiting at the home of Mrs. Clara

Mrs. Alice Stickney, of Nashua, N H., who has been visiting relatives in town, has returned to her home. The Girls' Vacation Camp at Vinton pond has a large patronage this season, and this week is caring thirty-

wo girls, the limit of its capacity Mrs. John McElligott, who has been spending a vacation at the McElligott house, returned with two of her chil-

relatives in Lunenburg this week. Ralph H. Willard, of Belmont, moand returned in the evening, accompanied by Mrs. Willard, who had been spending a few days with her parents, Rev. Joseph McKean will occupy his

Clarence Sherwin and family visited

day as usual and in the evening the S. C. E. will be conducted by relation toward our parents and our home." It will be the monthly con-secration service and roll half. Miss Emma R. Adams is visiting

friends in Stoddard, N. H., and we mother, Mrs. Martha Adams, motomto their home in Previdence, R. I Mrs. A. J. Manchester has returned to her home, accompanied by her sister, Mrs, Conway, and niece, Miss Beatrice Conway, from Salem, with whom she has been spending a few

Daniel Crimsby has been on the

Mr. and Mrs. Snepard last week and upon their return to their home in East Weare, N. H., were accompanied by their grandd aughter. Miss Frances

Shepard. Miss Janet Clark and Miss Persis Ormsby, who won prizes in the school economic club work, are entertained in Amherst this week as a reward of their labors.

Boston were at the home of hi ents, Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Reed. over Sunday. Mrs. Sarah Winship, who assists at the home of Mrs. Martha Homer dur-

Mr. and Mrs. Winfield Reed from

ing her summer sojourn here, has returned to her home in Ayer for the present. Carl Willard and his mother, Mrs M. L. Willard, returned Sunday from

a week's vacation spent in Boston and vicinity. Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Smith and daugter from Fitchburg are stopping the Squannacook Inn.

On last week Friday a little daughter arrived to Mr. and Mrs. Vernor Musician 2nd Co.) 56th Planter of Pittsburg, Pa., bern at noon at the Pittsburg Homeopathic rives with Co., 2nd Div., A. E. F. child are doing well. Mrs. Saunders is a well-known West Townsend girl. daughter of E. W. Seaver, one of the town fathers, and a graduate of the Fitchburg Normal school.

Miss Vera Brown of Prescott, Gladys Rawson, Mrs. Ralph H. Willard of Belmon

a spending a few days at the home of parents, Mr. and Mrs. George A Seaver. Mrs. Frank Farnsworth has return-

ed from a visit to relatives in Hollis N. H. Richard McElligott and his sister

Miss Esther McElligett, of Doston, are spending the week-end with their parents at the McElligott home here Miss Lora Woodcock from Leomin ter is spending a week at the home

of Mrs. Mary Tucker.
W. A. Boutwell and family are spending a few days on a motor trip to Mrs. Boutwell's home in Barre. Mrs, F. H. Ormsby spent a few days in Boston this week.

Sunday morning, "How are we to redaying healer," and in the evening Y P S C .E service will be contell by Mis-

rescheing "How do we confess that had how dony him." in and Mrs. Myron Adams from G. G., are visiting Mrs. Adams' Mrs. Frank Hamilton, at their are en Stevens hill.

The so wenir from the Blump R-34, What was presented by James L. Plynn et Brooklyn, N. Y., was placed on exhaution at the reading-room on Saturday attendant

Mrs. Joseph McKean entertained her brother chendon at the Laptist parsonage last week Friday.

The soldiers' welcome home day was observed as a gala day and holiday in this village lost week Friday. although most of the exercises took place in the Center and there was a general exodus of the people of the village and outskirts toward the scene of the festivities early in the morning. The places of business were losed for the day and at nine o'clock he church bell was rung, and the Squannicook steamer company left to take part in the parade. The steamer was gaily decorated with flags and bunting as was the hose carriage, and was drawn by four horses belonging to Damon & Richardson, while Abbott Hodgman drove his black pair on the hose carriage. Several of the houses with flags and bunting, and those A lawn party,

the Townsend band, will be given on ed on along the friday evening. August 8, under the auspices of the Y. P. S. C. E., and there will be a food sale, candies, soft the big parade, consisting of twenty-five autos which came through the village at noon. Jitneys were run between the villages all day and in the twenty-five and did a thriving business. compelled to remain at home gatherconveying passengers to the exercises and dance in the hall.

Obituary.

Funeral services of Mrs. Mary Wheeler, who passed away Tuesday morning of last week held at the home of her son, Martin Wheeler, on the old Wheeler farm or the Ashby road last week Thursday afternoon, Rev. Joseph McKean of the Baptist church officiating. Interment took place in the family lot in Ashby. Many beautiful floral tributes accompanied the body to its last resting place, and there were relatives pres-ent at the service from Fitchburg, Leominster and Shirley.

Mrs. Wheeler was a native of Dor-chester and was eighty-two years of age, and for about fifty years had lived in this village and on the farm on the Ashby road. Her people lived for a time in Josselynville and there she met her husband, the late Francis S. Wheeler, and soon after their marriage they kept house in the Main street residence now owned and oc-cupied by Dr. R. S. Ely, while Mr. Wheeler was employed as clerk for Albert Rowe, the local store-keeper. After a few years they removed to the old homestead where most of their dren to Boston the first of the week. life was spent until after the death of but Mr. McElligott is remaining.

Mr. Wheeler about four years ago, when she made her home with her son. Martin Wheeler, of Fitchburg

who is now living on the old place.

Mrs. Wheeler was a woman of sweet disposition and very loveable character and although her duties kept her from mingling much in village life she was deeply loved by those who were able to be included in her circle of friends and is sincerely mourned by her children to whom she was a lov-

ing and devoted mother. New Advertisements

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News Items. Mrs. M. M. Pond, who has stopping with her niece, Miss McCar thy, at Scituate, has returned home also, Miss Helen, who has been with relatives at Jewett, N. Y.

Mrs. Burnett Moseley from Pitts field is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Boynton, the family being nearly all the time at their bungalow

Mrs. E. B. Heald is staying at her summer cabin, Pinecroft, where she recently had a pleasant surprise from gathering of her friends, on her

Mrs. J. Walter Smith was called to Ponnsylvania on Saturday by the news that her younger son, Worcester, who has been at a boys' camp in that state. was under treatment for a difficulty with his ear, at a hospital in the city. Mr. Smith had already gone on from

Mrs. Josephine Iten Lamburn with her son and infant of eight months, returned to their home in Waltham on Tuesday, after a visit of two weeks at the home of her parents, Shattuck

Jerry and Charles Lorden and thei families returned last week from Sud-bury, where the two brothers have had several months work teaming for F. O. Dutton about his mill.

parties having become mixed up. The present man is Sidney Clarke, of Revere, who has been occupying the place with his mother and sister, Mrs. Williams, having previously boarded for a short time at Villa Lorraine. Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Cameron, of Camibridge are their guests this week.

Miss Marguerite Chirarde, a former Pepperell High school student, now in the children's hospital. Boston, in training for a nurse, is passing a few weeks here in town with friends as the guest of Mrs. E. F. Harmon.

Villa Lorraine, with the facilities afforded by the newly completed din-ing-room, fills a long-needed dining place for auto parties. On Sunday although the room was not taxed to utmost capacity, it was pleasantly well filled by the guests already registered to the number of ten or twelve and additional guests arriving in auto parties, making thirty or more to partake of the menu which appeared in last week's issue of this paper, which would suit an epicuré.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Lane returned the latter part of last week from an auto trip of many miles with their guests, to Bethlehem, and the Franconia, Crawford and Pinkham Notch. were accompanied also by Mr. Mrs. Fred Lane and children of Fitchburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Morrison and four children of Brooklyn, N. Y., spent last week with Mrs. C. T. Hills.

The dance at the Oak Hill hall on Monday evening was one of the larg-est of this season and the "Pepperell Jazz orchestra," did itself proud in the music. There were many outof-town guests present, friends com from Brookline and Hollis The night, although warm was very pleasant, and all gave good patronage to the ice cream on sale in charge of Mrs. Stewart, Mrs. Law-rence and Louis Parker.

Charles H. Jewett, of this town, and a friend. Allen C. Cummings, of South Hadley, have taken a ten-room cot-tage at Lake Winnipesaukee for the month of August. It is expected that the entire party will number a dozen persons or more, those going from here with Mr. Jewett on Wednesday Maltmann and two daughters mont. While making their headquarfoothills of the White Mountains, being only about a day's journey away from Fabyans.

The two houses in town which have been under the control of the Shirley Electric Company, and occupied by their employees, have been taken over by another firm, and the present occu-pants, Mr. Robbins and Mr. Marchant, have been given due notice to vacate the rents before August 5.

Arthur Robbins has rented the cothouse on Franklin street owned and occupied by Mrs. Maude Chick Sliker, and is planning to re-move there from the company's rent on Cross street as soon as Mr. and Mrs. Sliker have secured a house that suits them in Ayer.

Mr. and Mrs. Fitzpatrick, from Melrose, are expected at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Raymond, to take back by auto their niece, Miss Ethel Cobb, who has been visiting there.

Karl Newhall has been welcomed by the patrons of the public library during the few afternoons he has substituted for Miss Wiley, of late. He was somewhat of a familiar figure there during his vacations from school "before the war."

The members of Prudence Wright chapter, D. A. R., who will act as hostesses on the afternoons when the chapter house is open are as follows: August 3, Mrs. E. B. Henld: August 14, Mrs. R. H. Blood; August 17, Mrs. H. A. S. Phelps; August 28, Mrs. L. Cushing: August 31, Mrs. N. W.

will be open from three to five o'clock. Arthur and Wilfred Leary have arrived home and are at Camp Devens, awaiting discharge. They were able to come home on a brief furlough on It is also expected that Jereph Salavan, tormer clerk for

Hayes, will land soon. Mrs. Ra'ph Buck returned from the hospital in Nashing last week Thursand is in good spirits and gaining

H. N. Caldwell the son of Mrs Lawrence Morgan has purchased the Jewett farm in West Groton and will come from his present home in New

Jersey to take possession with his family, probably in the fall. Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Cook returned Mrs. H. N. Tower, with her sons, r. Tuesday from their auto trin into Sydney and Dr. Arthur Tower, who Tuesday from their auto trip into Vermont, their nephew. Mr. Bates, returning with them for a visit.

itable rent in Lawrence.

225 miles, which they made in twelve. Sunday, but the rest of the family

Mrs. William H. Bowman went to hours, stopping for lunch in the mean-spent the week here. suitable rent in Lawrence,

over the week-end or longer. The party went from here by afternoon train to Portsmouth, N. H., where they were to be met by Mr. Child's vacation from his pastorate in Hud-

on being through July and August. Miss Markaret Buchanan, of Cambridge, was a recent guest at thome of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gay. recent guest at the Jesse Shattuck spends a part of his

days in town from his work in Bos-ton, going back and forth by auto. Miss Martha Swinerton and friend Miss Conant, from Boston, are expect ed here to spend a part of the month of August with friends.

An auto party including Ruper Blood's family, Mrs. Jesse Shattuck and the young people of E. S. Blood's family, with William Blood as chauffeur, took in the sights of Nashua or Puesday evening.

Nine members of the East Village club met with Mrs. Ida Goff on Wed-nesday afternoon, one guest also being present, and two children, the lit le Thompson girls, who came with Mrs. Nutting. While the ladies were finishing some garments, commenced at the last meeting, several readings were given and the little guests also zave recitations. Refreshments were O. Dutton about his mill.

We are instructed to take away the afternoon enjoyed, the weather being title of doctor given the Mr. Clarke, perfect. The annual picnic of the who has been stopping at the McCord club will be held on August 6 at the place, as not belonging to him, two home of Mrs. Alice Raymond, Hollis street, or the following week Wednesday if this date should be stormy. The ladies are requested to come as soon with his mother and sister. Mrs. after 9.30 in the forenoon, as possible, as it is planned to tie a quilt before the picnic lunch at noon.

Mrs. Parke Struthers, formerly Mis Mildred Morgan of this town, recently visited friends here, being in Towns end, at the home of Rev. and Mrs. A L. Struthers, with her husband, Lieut Struthers Mrs. Struthers is to remain ment of her husband in Washington from where he will go on a govern ment expedition across the states of Pennsylvania, Delaware, Maryland, Virginia, West Virginia and Kentucky in the aviation service.

Concerning the final outcome of the case against Rudnick & Gold, for bringing an animal into this state another without permit, the ase having been dismissed at the district court in Ayer last week, a tuberculin test followed. A report of this was received this week by the owners of the cow from Lester H Howard, commissioner of the Depart nent of Animal Industry, as follows The interstate Holstein cow owner y you, recently brought from Hollis, N. H. having satisfactorily passed tuberculin test made by Dr. F. A. Davis on July 26 and 27, is hereby eleased from further observation by this department."

Mrs. A. H. Harris received a visit from several members of her family on Monday, coming by auto from Mer rimack, N. H. Her father, George Patterson, who has fully recovered from his last winter's illness, her brothers. George Patterson of Boston and Horace Patterson, and her two sisters, Miss Patterson and Mrs. Parker and three children, made up a lively party. Mrs. Harris, eldest brother is remaining here this week, recuperating from the effects of the influenza of last winter.

Marian Thompson is spending a two veeks' vacation from her work at the Lynn hospital, at her home in town Mrs. Georgianna Kimball returned the latter part of last week from a stay at Hampton Beach.

Janet Newhall, who has been pass morning, by auto, being Mrs. M. M. home, from Springfield, where she is Pond and daughter, Miss Helen, and one of the assistant librarians, will re-trom Medford Hills turn to her duties there about the first for the week-ends. Evelyn and Katherine. Others are to join the party from Boston and Verwith Miss Anderson, one of the other mont. While making their headquar-ters near Meredith, N. H. they intend from there to make excursions into the surrounding country among the

> Miss Harriet Dow is expected home vacation with her sister at the

Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Sederquist and family, including Herrick Sederquist, who assisted L. T. Wilson on his farm some years ago, motored here from Waltham on Sunday, for the day, They were accompanied by an uncle, Rev. E. P. Herrick, of Allston. The young man. Herrick, made many friends among the younger people while in town, who will be pleased to learn that following the completion of a year's course in Wentworth Institute, he now has a position in the drafting room at the Saco-Lowell Machine Works, Newton Upper Falls.

Myron Murphy is out with a Ford touring car, for which he recently exchanged his truck.

A pleasant home dinner party was given by the recent bride and groom. Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Sliker, to some of her relatives, including her brother Herbert Raymond, and wife and daughter, Miss Gertrude, and cousin, Miss Ethel Cobb, on Tuesday evening

of this week, a social hour following. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gay spent the week-end with relatives in Boston and vicinity,

It may be interesting to know that according to recent letters from our cownswoman. Mrs. Bailey, now in Athens, Greece, that householders there, if they wish for any coal, have to pay \$50 a ton for it. H. C. L. indeed!

Charles Tully unleaded an Emerso tractor this week for use in viriou ways on his farm, just over the stable border, and for the farmers about him. He intends to utilize it for sawing by power, cutting ensilage, and other ways beside ploughing and culivating on the land.,

west the latter part of this week. Mrs E. R. Richardson returned to her home on Monday morning, being brought back by auto, which would indicate that the accident has had no lasting effect on her nerves. reported as gaining very satisfactorily,

secured a short vacation from his hospital work in Hartford, Conn., started Mrs. P. J. McDonald goes to Bostrip to Liberty, near Belfast, Me. Her only something over 100 list season on by auto on Saturday with her daughter, Mrs. Albert Everts, and to be just commencing for lack of ton by auto on Saturday with ner daughter. Mrs. Albert Everts, and greests, Mrs. Helen Jay and family, of child, have been staying there through Malden, and Mrs. Delaney, of Derry, July, with other relatives of her hus. N. H.

Leo Bussell was in town the first of party from Pepperell, tells of their two sons came from Fitchburg last Sonday to visit Mr. and Mrs. W. H. the week with his wife, who has re-safe arrival, after a pleasant but Sunday t mained here while waiting to secure a slightly strenuous journey of about Deware.

Hobart, Mrs. Addison Woodward and ent, at the home of her parents, Mr. Mrs. W. N. Mault, who will remain and Mrs. Ingalls Kittredge, last week, returning to his home in Leominste with them by auto on Sunday.

B. F. Emerson, of Brattleboro, Vt. with his daughters, Mrs. Fitts and auto. The Childs family, with Miss Miss Grace Emerson, and grand-Althen Sartelle, have been at their daughter, Miss Marion Fitts, are stop-bungalow at Ozanquit during July his ping for a few weeks at the Pierce ping for a few weeks at the Pierce Homestead with Mrs. L. D. Cushing. Miss Clarissa Horton, of Windsor Locks, Conn., is also a guest there with her friend, Miss Dorothy Fair-field.

Mrs. F. S. Bancroft, Hollis stree is entertaining Mrs. G. F. Janes and daughter, of West Medford, this week. The aeroplane which was noted by

t passed over this town or last week Friday, sailing north, was undoubtedly that of Lieut, Robert Moffat, recently assigned as aviator at Camp Devens to act on recruiting duty. He was to assist in some part of the celebration in Townsend at the welcome home day and met with disaster in some of the trees near Towns-end when engine trouble developed. Neither he nor the mechanician were eported as injured.

Guests at the Stewart homestead at the extreme western part of the town, on Sunday, coming by auto from Lynn, were Mr. Montrose, the neph-ew of Mrs. Leander Stewart, with Mrs. McCurdy and son, Miss Brown, and Miss May Ouderkirk, the latter remaining during the week with Mr. and Mrs. George H. Stewart.

Mrs. George Pierce accompanied her relative, Mrs. Margaret Sutton, of Boston, in her visit to Hollis, N. H., last week Thursday, going with her to the Wood family lot in the ceme-tery north of Hollis Center, making the trip during the morning in the auto of the latter, accompanied by Mrs. Wood and daughter.

Mrs. E. A. Noble, who for more than three years has been an inmate of the home of her niece, Mrs. Ida Goff, Pleasant street, returned to her old home in Waltham with friends who came for her by auto last Sun-day. She resided there for forty day. years, previous to coming here to live Mrs. Noble has made many friends, although her infirmities, at the age of eighty, kept her closely confined

Mrs. Myra Attridge takes her vacation from the telephone exchange during the coming two weeks. She started on Monday with her son Franklin for Snyder's Lake, N. Y., and before returning home will visit relatives in Albany and Troy and Cohoes, N. Y.

Miss Ruth Cushing is spending a part of her summer vacation at a ummer camp for girls in Vermont.

Edgar Blake returned on Saturd... to West Thornton, N. H., in the White Mt. region. He was accompanied by his ten-year-old granddaugh-ter, Natalie Blake, who was antici-pating a delightful time, which will probably be realized if home-sickness does not prevent, as this is the time she has been so far away from Miss Lydia Waite takes a vacation

from her duties in the office of the Nashua River Paper Co., soon, and in company with Miss Mildred Lunt will pass a part of it at Ocean Park, near Old Orchard, Me., going about August 10.

Mrs. Alva Clifford Dixon, of Nashua, N. H., spent the week-end with her aunt, Mrs. F. B. Simmons. R. C. Blackmer, who has been in charge of the stock as it was removed from the paper mill and stored at the Pepperell Shoe factory at East Village, has been occupying the small house next to that factory, his wife and family coming up from their Harry Blackmer, who has been acting as his secretary, remains here

from Medford Hillside, where they go H. A. Delano, of Newton Highlands enjoyed a few days last week visit-ng at Mr. and Mrs. Fred O. Parker's. and a particular guest of the children of whom he is very fond.

during the week with his mother.

Chester A. Parker took a short auto trip to Lake Sunapee, N. H., last week, over the week-end and Sunday, to visit his brother, Thomas Parker, and family. His father, Charles S. Parker, accompanied him on the outing.

Olive Smith, ten-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smith, is visitng her grandmother, Mrs. Trenholm of Fitchburg, returning home with

her by auto last week. Mr. and Mrs. Simon Johnson re turned Tuesday evening from an ex-tended auto trip to the farthest eastern

boundary of Maine, Lubec. The paper mill boarding house, ir the Chapman house, is to be run by Mr. and Mrs. Chamberlain, who have already been boarding some of the

help at their home near the Fitchburg They commenced their nev duties on Tuesday. Some portions of the stock recently taken from the Nashua River Paper

ompany, for storage, were ordered returned through a decree of court where the case has been in process of settlement, and teams have this week been employed to return it to the original quarters.

George T. Keyes passed Sunday at Watch Hill, R. I., where Mrs. Keyes and children have been staying for some weeks, returning with them or Monday.

Mr and Mrs. A. G. Pike and sor Richard motored to Boston and Dorchester on Tuesday, leaving Master Richard at the latter place on their return for a short stay with a friend Mr. and Mrs. Alvah Sliker spent Monday in Boston on a business and

deasure trip combined. Walter Bosworth took a day off from his work at the tannery in Ayer last Saturday and went to visit his brother in Brockton, taking with him Without such support the work can-John Frossard is expected home the two little nieces who have been from his business trip in the middle staying here since the Fourth. His was also to his brother Ray. who has been spending July in Brockton, and will continue there for th as he is attending summer

school and doing well. Many farmers have finished their haying, fully a week ahead of the usual season. The crop is reported heavy in most localities, one farmer with only a village place of small acreage, comparatively, having cut about 200 tons, where he harvested

Sunday to visit Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Mr. Oulton returned on

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Iten returned was accompanied by Mrs. H. F. of his cousin, Mrs. J. Edward Ciem- of many miles in Maime and New to be made.

Hampshire. Their route was first to ward Portland, along the beaches then up to Sebago Lake, noted for ts fine scenery, on into the White Mountain region, stopping over a Winnipesaukee on the way The trip was exceedingly en joyable and roads universally good In the section of the mountains where autos abound among the summer peo-ple the rapid driving of many on roads where the original curves still matter which might cause a nervous person to have some apprehensions as to accidents, but the ip of the Pepperell couple was for tunately without anything to mar the

pleasure. Edward Harrison visited at the Smith homestead with his relatives from Thursday to Saturday of last week. He has recently come north from New Orleans, where he was connected with the George A. Fuller Construction Co., of New York, as "material man" in the construction

of army supply depots. He expects to be in this vicinity for some weeks after which he may be sent to some other city by the firm in New York as he does not expect to return to New Orleans, where the work is completed.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lakin motored here from their home in Greenfield last Saturday for a visit over Sunday at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lakin, Cottage street. They returned home on Tuesday morning.

Miss Mabel Drown and friend Thomas Bryson, of Newton, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Drown Franklin street, over the week-end They also remained in town Monday in order to participate in a real country outing, picking blueber-ries, and enjoying a picnic dinner on the banks of the Nashua river in a pretty spot. Mr. Bryson took back with him thirty of the thirty-seven quarts of berries gathered by the party to surprise the city people and also took some fine clusters of the berries to show how blueberries grow...

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kaulbeck cam from Boston for a week's visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Johnson on Monday. They go from here the last of the week for visits in Springfield and Greenfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Carr. from Roxbury and Mr. and Mrs. Mickle, from Jamalca Plain, were week-end guests a the pleasant home of Mr. and Mrs Willey, East Village.

Willis C. Perry, who has absented himself from his home and town duties for several weeks, his where houts not being known, was heard from through a friend as having beer staying with a Mr. Barnard in Vermont. The latter, upon inquiry, states that Mr. Perry left there a short time igo, claiming he was going to Chicago.

Found Wandering.

On Thursday afternoon of last week in unknown woman was discovered walking on the railroad track, neathe Pepperell Braiding Company vorks, who attracted some attention by certain peculiarities and the fact that she seemed to have traveled in that fashion for some distance, judging by her attire. She was nearing the town, coming from the direction f Nashua when seen. Chief Dexter identified the woman as a resident of Nashua, where he also formerly re-sided, her name being Eveline Morin of 98 Locke street. He proceeded to communicate with the Nashua police and afterward conducted her home has not been in good mental nealth for some years, and it is thought she overhead a conversation relating to placing her in some institution and thought to escape being home in Melrose for the week-ends, moved from home by walking away and as it happened came to Pepperell probably on the track, without meeting with any mishap.

Community Service Club,

The members of the Community Service club met on Monday evening, Miss Doris Durant, hostess. A pleaseen who attended, when they were invited by her to the Country Club house, where refreshments were served and they enjoyed music by the Vic-

amount of \$40 was reported by the treasurer as the proceeds from the recent dance. Plans were perfected also for the dance to be held on the evening of August 2, at Prescott hall, committees for decoration and the ice cream booth appointed and a general committee. The Pepperell Jazz orchestra will again favor them with music for dancing to the pleasure of all. Encouraged by the success of the first dancing party, the committee hope to exceed the amount netted on that occasion, by half as much again. To this end a liberal patronage i

urged. During Monday evening the officers withdrew to attend the meeting of the officers of the District Nurse association drive, held at the home of Addison Woodward, the club having ex pressed a willingness to cooperate ir any possible way. The work of soliciting in special districts was assigned them, and a return was made to the members at the clubhouse and a re-

The next meeting will be held with Mrs. T. E. Benner, Monday evening August 4.

District Nursing Association Drive. The annual drive of the District Nursing Association will take place, 4-10, The field has thoroughly covered and someone will call on each household. The expenses this year will necessarily be larger because of increased costs in labor and supplies. It is hoped that mem-bership fee of one dollar will be paid by as many members of each family as possible and that those who are able will contribute larger sums will contribute larger not be maintained. The district nurse has been among us for a number of years. Her value is appreciated more largely each year, as she enters new homes. Your turn may be this year if you have not previously needed her Contributing to this organization is a benevolence in the sense that it makes possible skilled care for every family where there is illness. It is an insurance in that it provide a trained person whose skill may save life in case of serious acciden or illness, The following rules govern the or

ganization:

1. The Pepperell district nurse on duty from 8 a. m. to 6 p. m. daily but in case of emergency is available at any time,

2. The nurse shall be entitled to sufficient periods of rest and recrea-tion, especially on Sunday. She shall have one afternoon free from duty during each week, and shall choose Ogunquit, Me., on Friday for a week's time.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Iten returned during each week, and shall choose stay with Rev. and Mrs. D. R. Child. Harold Kittredge was the guest last week from a pleasant auto Vrip this afternoon according to the visits

3. A visit consists of one hour's Any additional portion of an hour shall be paid for at the hour rate.

4. She shall not attend contagious diseases.

5. The nurse shall act only under the orders of the physician in charge of a specific case, or of one of the executive committee of the associa-

6. The nurse shall receive no money consideration for herself from any patient. She may collect for the association the amount charged for ner services and she shall keep a careful record of such collections and pay them to the treasurer of the associa-

7. In lending articles to the sick, the nurse is required to keep a record of the date of the loan and of the re-turn; and shall require all articles to be returned clean and in good order. 8. In any matter not covered by

these rules any member of the execu-tive committee shall be the authority governing the nurse's activities. The committee for the drive are Rev. Mr. Webster, Rev. B. W. Rust, H. W. Hutchinson, Addison Woodward, E. D. Walker and A. F. Parker, organizing with Mr. Walker as chair-

Church Notes.

August.

At the Methodist church on Sunday morning worship at 10.45. Rev. Mr. Rust will preach; theme, "The delty of Christ." Church school at twelve. At 7.30 evening worship; theme, "Dan-

man and Mr. Webster as secretary.

el, a man of purpose." Regular church prayer meeting on Tuesday evening at 7.30.

On Thursday the annual church picnic will be held at Whalom park, being postponed from this week. July 31. The picnic one week later, or August 7, will start from the church, the barges being ready to leave at 7.30 a. n

On Friday the Boy Scouts will have an overnight hike, leaving the church at 5.30 p. m.

At the Community church there will be morning worship at 10.45 and a service in the evening at seven o'clock. conducted by Rev. Mr. Webster.

There will be no session of the Sun day school through the month of

The Branch Alliance will meet on Thursday, August 7, at Pinecroft, with Mrs. E. B. Heald. Mrs. Helen G. Bailey, director for North Middlesex and Miss Annah P. Blood, will address the meeting at 2.30. Hostesses Mrs. C. W. Reed, Mrs. A. S. Woodward, Mrs. M. G. Green and Mrs. Heald.

WESTFORD

About Town. Amos B. Polley has been ill with on and a slight kidney Dr. Blaney was called and indigestion soon had the trouble under control During his illness Guy R. Decatur and milking and Joseph Quinn has added his strong arm to having.

John D. McAlpine, of Cleveland Ohio, after visiting in Vermont, made a second visit to his cousin, S. L. Taylor, at the Old Oaken Bucket farm, He is making his headquarters in Lowell, where he was born seventytwo years ago. Of his classmates, of whom there was a large class, only three are living, Dudley L. Page, Harry Raynes and Frank P. Putnam. It was a delightful reunion of remi-niscences of ye old-fashioned teach-ing days at the Colburn school on Lawrence street. It may be interest. ing to relatives to know that his brother. Hon. William Taylor McAlpine. who performed gallant service in the civil war, has reached the time mark of four score years at his home in South Lawrence and still maintains all the early evidences of youth.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Taylor and John A. Taylor motored to York Beach last

Sunday. The Charles S. Edwards family, who have been living in the Moore cottage close by the mill at Brookside, have een legally warned to vacate for th of the Abbot Worsted Company the new proprietors. The Edwards family have moved to the Naylor cotage and store in West Chelmsford.

The improvements connected with iouble tracking the Stony Brook road nave come to a sudden stringent finan cial standstill, nearly as sudden as leaving your shovel in the air wher he whistle sounds, for after spend ing immense sums to straighten the sharp and dangerous curves they remain where they were seventy-five years ago, when the road was built although the expensive bank excavations have been completed and the new 19,000-acre railroad yard at Mid llesex Village has a sort of after-ef fect appearance of the everything be run and nothing finished.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Fred A. Snow and family and John A. Taylor are at their usual sports at York Beach.

The Abbot Worsted Company, the new owners of the Brookside mills, are making extensive repairs and hanges on the property.

The town teams are hauling ston cinders from the stone quarry of the H. E. Fletcher Company to the Gro on road.

Edward M. and Joseph M. Abbot have bought the Park Worsted mills in Lowell.

SHIRLEY

Center, Rev. and Mrs. Arthur L. Bumpu and daughter Theodora, of Brooklyr vacation of several weeks. They wil stay at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C E. Bradford this summer.

Edward Stanwood, of Brookline spent Tuesday at the home of Mr and Mrs. Charles K. Bolton. In the tennis doubles tournamen

Miss Elizabeth Carter and Miss Christine G. Longley defeated Martha Car ter and George Goodspeed on Thurs day, 6-2, 6-4. The winners will play Miss Mirlam Goodspeed and Forres B. Wing in the semi-finals this week The baseball diamond for the Center team has been laid out in the field near Longley Homestead, and the first

Saturday Sale August 2

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BEEF-Fresh, Clean Cuts Boiling Beef 10¢, 12¢ lb. 18¢, 22¢ lb. Chuck Roasts Boneless Rib Roasts 30¢, 35¢ lb.

VEAL-Native Stock Fores 20¢, 22¢ lb. Loins 25¢, 28¢ lb.

Legs 30¢, 35¢ lb.

Fresh Shoulders 29¢ lb. Pork Loins 38¢ lb.

15¢, 18¢ lb.

Lot 1

3 bots. Bryant's Root Beer 30c.

Fores 22¢, 25¢ lb.

Stew:

Smoked Shoulders 29¢ lb. Roasts 38¢, 40¢, 42¢ lb.

YEARLING LAMB

14¢ lb.

25¢ lb. Loins 28¢, 30¢ lb. Legs

SPRING LAMB

Legs 35¢, 38¢ lb.

1500 POUNDS OF JUICY STEAK ON SALE SATURDAY MORNING

sirloin 29c. 1b.

1 pkg. Waneta Cocoa 18c.

30c.

1 lb. Trysome

1 lb. All American Coffee 42c. 1 lb. Oolong Tea 1 lb. Oolong Tea 60c. 1 3 pkgs. Tryphosa

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Roast Spring Chicken

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that he subscribers have been duly ap-ointed executrices of the will of TRED B. FELCH late of Ayer in the jounty of Middlesex, deceased, testate, ind have taken upon themselves that rust by giving bond, as the faw directs.
All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are hereby required to exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

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LIZZIE GRAVES FELCH. Ayer, Mass., and EVA LILLIAN FELCH COBB.

Pepperell, Mass., Executrices. July 21, 1919.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS, Middlesex, ss. Probate Court
To the heirs-at-law, next of kin
creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of WILLIAM C
WINCHESTER late of Townsend in
said County, deceased, intestate.
Whereas a petition has been presenteded to said Court to grant a letter of
administration on the estate of said
deceased to EDITH E. WINCHESTER
of Townsend in the County of Middlesex, without giving a surety on her
bond.

ter team has been laid out in the field near Longley Homestead, and the first game will be played on Saturday atternoon, August 2, at three o'clock, the tween the Center team and a Boy Scout team from the village. It 4s hoped that there will be a good attendance at this first game.

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