# TURNER'S PUBLIC SPIRIT.

## Fifty-second Year

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ton on May 3.

HARVARD

A bill in equity to restrain William F. Shores, Harvard, from selling, as-

signing, pledging, transferring or en-

cumbering a note and mortgage on

property in Harvard has been filed in the superior court by Lottie Chase Ham, Concord. The plaintiff seeks to

reach and apply the mortgage in set-tlement of an alleged bill for \$160 for hay. The bill is returnable in Bos-

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# Ayer, Mass.; Saturday, May 1, 1920

# No. 35. Price Four Cents

### the Memorial rooms on Thursday af- and Mr. Carruth saved the buildings. ernoon, May 6, at three o'clock Miss Mirlam Shaw has opened her Still River.

esidence on Oak hill for the summer. Clinton painters are at work nnish. Ing the inside and outside of the farm Fred A. Joyce and Miss Lucy A. house of Mr. and Mrs. Percy A. Ath-borse of Mr. and Mrs. Percy A. Ath-borse of Mr. and Mrs. Percy A. Ath-borse of Mr. and Mrs. Percy A. They will live in the Joyce house. their house for the summer next trip they will live in the Joyce house. month: Wireman and neighbors attended a many friends for a happy future. Clinton painters are at work finishulate Conception church in Lancaster,

Miss Mary Gussman and Mrs, Jo fire call at the home of Mrs. Julia B. sephine Haynes went to Roxbury, Vt., Monday, for a few days' visit at the Davis on Thursday morning about tw clock. The fire started in some ex-

The annual meeting of the Harvard celsior in the barn. Quick action on farm owned by Miss Gussman's broth-Red Cross auxiliary will be held at the part of Mr. Tooker, Mr. Hynes er. They returned on Thursday and

Advance Styles

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Wednesday morning, at the Immac

report that on Wednesday there was a heavy fall of snow-some five lifehes of it.

The funeral of Mrs. Annie M. I. Clark, of Lancaster, was held at the Unitarian church in that town on last Sunday afternoon, Rev. W. L. Worces-ter, of Cambridge, officiating. Buria was in Eastwood cemetery, Lancaster The Dalby house and barn are re

splendent in their white paint, freen roofs, blinds and doors-a, great im-provement, and work is being pished on the Reed and Hutcherson houses. The annual meeting of the Ladies' Benevolent society was held with the president, Mrs. Jennie Willard, on Thursday afternoon. The same officers

were re-elected for the ensuing year, and it-was voted that the society pay for the telephone and electric lighting it the parsonage.

SHIRLEY

News Itoms.

them

The Odd Ladies held a whist party last week Thursday evening which was much enjoyed. Miss Anna Showe won first prize

The Odd Fellows initiated a large class last Saturday night. Refresh-ments were served and a good time was reported.

Thirty-seven from Littleton Grange went to Ayer Grange on Wednesday ovening and were delightfully entar-ained.

Mrs. W. H. Tenney is reported sick with a heavy, grippy cold.

We understand that Conant, Hough ton & Co., Inc., have made plans to build eight new houses this season. William H. Davis is gaining rapid v at the Massachusetts General boand al, where he was operated on ten day ago. He hopes to come home within ew days.

A 25% discount will be given on all hats by Miss R. M. Graham, milliner, Ayer, this week Saturday only.

### Unitarian Church Notes.

The First Congregational society has made Mrs. Albert E. Shedd and John Sadie Cutler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Cutler, celebrated the H. Hardy life members of the Ameri thirteenth anniversary of her birth on can Unitarian association. at her home on

Rev. Carl G. Horst, Mrs. Cora Hagei and Mrs. Walter H. Titcomb are the Fredonian street. About a score of Sadio's school friends were present to join in the festivities provided for delegates from the Unitarian church to the annual meeting of the American All present entered into the spirit of the occasion with much en-thusiasm. Games of various kinds, Unitarian association Tuesday, May 25. The annual Unitarian May meet

coupled with music; were the features of entertainment. Sadie was the re-ciplent of many dainty gifts from her ings will be held in Boston, May 23-28. The sermon at the Unitarian church ious apartments in our cities are supon "The soul's perenniki need of faith" by Rev. Carl G. Horst was most help-Refreshments were served ful and held the closest attention of the congregation.

Shirley post, A. L., will hold a dance in Odd Fellows' hall on Saturday even. At the prayer meeting on Thursday vening Rev. Mr. Horst spoke on "Reing. Coleman's orchestra of Fitchburg igion, the strength of a nation," em-

heron, the strength of a nation," em-phasizing the thought that material prosperity, culture and refinement were intellectual training are not the saving power of a people. Because Mary A. Livermore Rebekah lodge will observe the anniversary of the order on Tuesday, May 11, and on that evening entertain the members of people live in elegant houses it does not follow that they lead lives of virtue erty is a means, not an end. That be taken.

Fredonian lodge, their wives and lady friends at Odd Fellows' hall. The com mittee in charge consists of Mrs. Etta A. Holland, Mrs. Helen H. McCoy Mrs. Laura P. Ballou, Mrs. E. Louise Adams, Mrs. Margaret Brockelman

Mrs. C. W. Marshall continues to improve slowly, sitting up in bed for

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The Altrurian club held its regular meeting with Mrs. Gertrude Conant. Weare on Thursday afternoon with a good attendance. Mrs. Howe, the pres-ident, was in the chair. In the absence of the secretary, Mrs. Davis, Mrs Mabel Brown Watson, was appointed

secretary pro tem. After the regular business was disposed of the president appointed the following: Mrs. Georgia H. Farnsorth, Mrs. Abbie J: Wells and Miss Lena H. Tewksbury, to serve as a nom-nating committee to bring in at the tures. next meeting, names to be voted upon t the annual meeting for officers-to erve for the ensuing year Addition of section to article II in

Minot Baker, state federation pres-ident, who spoke on Federation work fra Baker was an extremely interest ing speaker and was much enjoyed by all who had the pleasure of hearing of the work of the Federation.

At the close of the meeting, the social committee, Mrs. Wheeler, Mrs. Evans, Mrs. Park and Mrs. Codding-

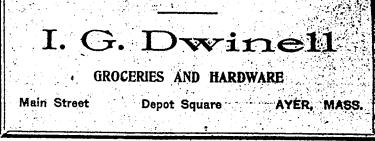
LOWELL, MASS. THE STORE FOR THRIFTY PEOPLE is Children's day on Thursday, May 6, Prices on Men's Suits Range from \$25.00 to \$65.00 in I. O. O. F. hall. Business promptly at two o'clock. Entertain-Merrimack, Palmer and Middlesex Streets ment at 2.30. Center. Twenty-one members of Shirley Grange attended the meeting of Ayer SIXTEENTH ANNUAL SALE Lamson Hubbard Grange on Wednesday evening when the third and fourth degrees were **Rugs and Art Squares** worked. Misses Grace Reed and H. Madeline Sullivan, of Lowell, formerly teachers at the Center school, visited friends in HATS AND CAPS own on Thursday. An every year bargain event in spacious floor coverings which has always Miss Mary Adams left on Friday to spend a few days with her sister, Miss Florence Adams, at Mt. Holyoke colproven a most wonderful attraction BY PURCHASING NOW YOU SAVE FROM 25 TO 35% Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Bradford entertained two automobile parties of guests from Athol and Malden on Sunday. Included in this wonderful underprice collection are no less than \$25,000 worth of floor shapes and weaves, in plain and fancy colors. samples and slightly imperfect "pieces" embracing the latest patterns and color combinations. LITTLETON AXMINSTERS . . \$24.00-4-6x6-6 Axminsters, imperfect...... \$12.98, \$15.98 News Items. Miss Gladys Crawford made her visit at Mrs, George A. Cook's wholly, in-stead of Mrs, Kelley's, as previously reported, on account of a case of scar-let fever in Mrs. Kelley's home the first of the week. \$45.00-6x9, scamless, Sanford & Sons, best grade ..... \$28.50\$23.50 \$37.50-6x9 seamless. Sanford & Sons, medium grade ..... **MEN'S SHOES and OXFORDS** \$45.00-6-9x9, Bigelow-Hartford, seamed ...... \$29.00 **MEN'S SPRING SHIRTS** FOR SPRING \$45.00-7-6x9, medium weight, seamless ..... \$30.00 The grammar school was closed on Thursday as the teacher, Mr. Fuller, was not feeling well, and Dr. Christie found suspleious symptoms and feared that scarlet fever might develop. \$50.00-7-6x9, medium, imperfect, seamless..... \$35.00 A plenty of Shoes and Oxfords in \$60.00-7-6x9, heavy, perfect, seamless...... \$47.50 black or the new dark brown shades. \$65.00-8-3x10-6, medium, imperfect, seamless..... \$45.00 We buy only the better makes of shoes Mrs. W. E. Conant has gone to Pas-sale, N. J., to visit her son Richard. \$52.50 \$65.00-8-3x10-6, heavy, imperfect, seamless.... and sell them much under today's mar-\$79.00-8-3x10-6, heavy, imperfect, seamless..... \$49.00 Harold Conant's young son, Frank, has been quite sick and threatened with pneumonia, but is up and around the house now. Stripes, and also Plain Whites. ket. \$79.00-8-3x10-6, heavy, perfect, seamless..... \$62.50 Dark Brown Shees \$7.50 to \$14.00 A dance in the town hall this week Saturday evening is announced by and for the benefit of the American Le-gion. An orchestra of five pieces from Camp Devens will furnish the music. \$50.00-8-3x10-6, light weight, perfect, seamless ...... \$39.00 Black Shoes, Dress \$4.50 to \$13.50 \$49.00 \$75.00—9x12, medium, imperfect, seamless..... \$75.00—9x12, medium, perfect, seamless..... Dark Brown Oxfords \$7.00 to \$14.00 \$59.00 NECKWEAR FOR SPRING The reorganized C. E. society will hold its first meeting in the Congre-gational vestry on Sunday evening at seven o'clock. \$89.00-9x12, heavy, perfect, seamless..... \$69.00 **Black Oxfords** \$7.00 to \$13.50 \$69.00-9x12, medium, imperfect, seamless..... \$55.00 Men's Working Shoes "The riddle of the sphinx" will be the subject of Rex. Gail Cleland's Sun-day morning sermon. \$75.00-9x12, medium, seamless, perfect...... \$42.50 Good solid leather work shoes in colorings. The subject of next Thursday even-ing's meeting at the Congregational church will be "How we got our hible." black or tan for \$3.50, \$4.75, \$5.00 and \$6.50 \$150.00-9x12, Bigelow-Hartford Bangor Wilton perfect sample...... \$119.00 Martin Hojen will move next week o his new home in Concord Junction. HALL RUNNERS Mrs. Raymond Wilcox has been visiting her mother in Jamaica Plain \$20.00-36x9 feet, Axminster..... \$12.98 \$35.00-36x15 feet, Axminster... \$17.98 "To Ayer to Trade" Miss Laurice Flagg and Mrs. Mil-dred Burtt were at home for the week-\$27.50-36x12 feet, Axminster.... \$14.98 \$25.00-36x12 feet, Brussel..... \$12.50 \$32.50-27x15 feet Axminster ..... \$23.50 Thomas H. Stephens is sick again with the grippe and tonsilitis, and his shop is closed. Stair Carpeting in four different grades, in Orientals and Japanese patterns and colorings Mrs. F. S. Pingry has had the stitch-es removed and her surgeon says that she is doing well. She is expected home about the second Sunday in May. Terry Stair Carpet, 221/2 inches wide, yard..... 59¢ Local Agent for Geo. H. Hugh McDonald is out and super-intending his business once more. Lewando's Ingrain Wool Carpeting, 27 inches wide, yard ...... \$1.50



She was telling us why she went out of her way to buy grocerie from us. "One reason," she said, "is because I'm always mire of getting things that are good. Besides you people seem to do everything you can to make my shopping easy."

Not all our customers tell us that, but we feel certain that these are the big reasons we have so many patrons and why we've had them so long. We do try to make buying groceries easy and pleasant and we do try to have the best of everything in the grocery line.

One of the best things we have and recommend is RYZON Baking Powder. We recommend it because we know it will give our customers perfect results. It's pure and clean, it's always uniform in quality, it's officient and it's economical. Priced fairly at 45 cents a pound.



and honor. Some of the most luxurmeans may be used either for good or "The intelligence that can for evil. make a safe, may also be used to break a safe." ported not for better, nobler living

but for the lowest debauchery, the most bestial sensuality. Too often a fine appearance hides a heart of sin "Soldiers for an idea" is the subject and shame. Too often material pros-perity and self-indulgence go hand in hand, catering to the animal in man, Sunday, May 2, at four p. m. A fine strangling the angel in man, until all musical program has been prepared by there is in him is of the earth earthy, the choirmaster, Mrs. Cora Hager: Mere intellectual education does not Rev. Carl G. Hörst will conduct the necessarily make men good, pure and service of worship. The public is cor-upright. Intellectual training like lib-dially invited. A sliver collection will

Young men are keen for style; and we and the party as a whole was a splen did social success. know it so well that we prepare for that demand, and with greatest care.

There are no clothes more stylish, more dignified, in better taste than these new ones from these makers.

One, two and three-button, single-breasted suits; coats a little longer; square-notched lapels; lapels a little lower; openings lower.

Then there are the smart double-breasteds. Come in and let us show them to you.

It isn't less to remember that these clothes are all-wool and perfectly tailored. Both styles and quality are needed. Style for the way you look in the clothes; quality, because it enables you to keep on looking that way.



and Walk-Over Shoes



Velvet Carpeting, 27 inches wide, yard...... \$1.98



Spring Suits for Men who appreciate smart style, fine quality and reasonable prices.

Single and double-breasted models in browns, blues, grays and fancy mix-

You can't go wrong if you come here to buy your clothes.

We sell only the dependable kind-the kind that gives you an honest return for every dollar invested, and we guarantee everything to your satisfaction. You don't need a lot of money to buy your clothes here. We try to give you newer styles, better quality and bigger values than you can get elsewhere.

Why fuss about the high price of Suits elsewhere when you can come here and find good all wool suits, all pure worsted suits and silk mixtures suits, good ton, served ice cream, wafers, coffee and candles. enough for anybody to wear, at prices quoted below. Come in and look them over. No sale if you are not fully satisfied. The next meeting will be observed A most complete assortment of the New Spring Styles in Soft Hats and Caps. Soft Hats in pliable, durable felts that feel good on your head. Caps in new Soft Hats \$4.00, \$4.50 and \$6.00 Caps \$1.00, \$1.50, \$2.50 and \$3.00 Here are the new patterns and colorings in Soft Cuff Shirts for Spring. You will find Percales, Madras and Silk Prices run from \$1.50 to \$4.50 A most complete assortment of the new things in beautiful patterns and Prices 75¢ to \$2.00

A lot of 150 short horn cattle for Carpenter & Ross of Mansfield, Ohio, are expected at time of writing at the

arantine.

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nd Mrs. Beulah E. Wamboldt. a short while daily. She would greatly enjoy visits from her friends.

vill furnish music.

Altrurian Meeting.

the by-laws regarding revenue dues, was carried in favor of same. Miss Howe then introduced the speaker of the afternoon, Mrs. George

# PAGE TWO

### TWO DOLLARS A YEAR To All Subscribers Paying in Advance

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## GEORGE H. B. TURNER, Publisher

We publish the following Papers: Turner's Public Spirit, Ayer, Mass. The Groton Landmark The Popperell Clarion-Advertiser The Littleton Guidon The Westford Wardsman The Harvard Hillside The Shirley Oracle The Townsend Tocsin The Brookline (N. H.) Beacon The Hollis (N. H.) Homestead

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Saturday, May 1, 1920

Ocntor.

Cards are out for the marriage of Cards are out for the marriage of Miss Pauline Stone Wallace and Ernest Leonard Burland, the ceremiony to take place at the home of the bride's parents, Rev. and Mrs. David Wallace, Worcester road, Sterling, on Friday afternoon, May 7, at 2.30. The many Westford friends of the young people and of their families will be interested in this event

WESTFORD

in this event

George F. White, the Reo automobile George F. White, the Reo automobile dealer, is away this week on a trip to Lansing, Mich., with a group of drivers to bring back over the road a number of machines. Accompanying him on the trip is Mrs. White and Mrs. Alice M. Wells, the latter to drive back one of the cars with Mrs. White as com-panton. There is one other out-of-town lady in the group who drives back her own new car just purchased. Mr. White is driving a truck. The party started from Boston last Sunday afternoon, expecting to return this Saturday. We understand there are two machines to be brought over the two machines to be brought over the road.

A real estate transfer reported this week is the sale of the house and land next the town house by Miss Dalsy G. Colburn to Timothy Sullivan.

Mr. and Mrs. James L. Kimball are Westford, boarding at Charles H. Bicknell's.

The John Perkins family have movat this week into the cottage on Depot street, owned by Alec Fisher. This family were unfortunate enough last week to lose their dog, which was run over and killed by an automobile driv-cn by a Lowell party. The dog was a young collie and very much of a pet with the family. with the family.

with the family. William Graves, of Graniteville road, is at home from the hospital, where he recently underwent a surgical operation.

We note in a recent Boston paper a We note in a recent Boston paper a picture of Miss Dorothy Jaques, and an account of her work for the en-dowment fund of Mt. Holyoke college, of which she is a graduate, and which cause she has taken a real leadership in her home town of Malden.

The closing event of the season in the Tadmuck club calendar takes place on Tuesday afternoon at 1,30 with the on Tuesday afternoon at 1,30 with the annual luncheon at the Unitarian church. Mrs. Goldsmith H. Conant is the toastmistress and Mrs. Joseph Wall is hostess for the luncheon. There promises to be a most interesting pro-gram. Members may bring guests de-sired by paying the usual guest fee in addition to the price of the luncheon.

addition to the price of the luncheon. At the Congregational church on Sunday morning Rev. O. L. Brownsey will preach on "The duty of the hour." and at the ovening service the subject will be "What next?" Time of this meeting 7.15 to 8. Last Sunday morn-ing William C. Roudenbush gave an interesting report of his work thus far with the inter-church campaign work. Mr. Roudenbush is in charge of this campaign-and-is doing an efficient. campaign and is doing an efficient. work with good prospect of both the church's quota and the friendly clii-zens' quota going over the top for Westford. A full report of the work accomplished will be given later.

The Ladies' Missionary society held an interesting meeting at the vestry on Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Gould, of Lawrence, was the speaker, and presented the inter-church world campaign and its part in missionary en-deavor. Miss Loker, the president, presided, and Mrs. Brownsey offered the prayer.

The April social at the Congrega-tional church took place last week Thursday evening. A supper consist-ing of sainds, cold meat; fancy ples, rolls, coffee and relishes was enjoyed from seven to eight o'clock, and the

old-time schoolmate, has handed in eighty years of usefulness and good-ness, and still there, is more. Miss Bessie Doang of Lowell, has been visiting her cousin; Mrs. Esther Perry Taylor Snow, in West Chelms-ford. Oamp Deveps Stephen F. Daley. Griffith F. Daniels John M. Harrington. Daniel J. Murphy. Patrick J. O'Gara. Fitchburg Jeremiah McMurray ..... The primary on Tuesday called out nly a small fraction of the more than Forge Village 100 voters.

Forge V Thomas Costillo.... Edward T. Hanley. John F. Kavanagh. Thomas Monahan... James Sullivan.... 400 voters. We hear all sorts of progressive things about Brookside—postoffice, new station, new schoolhouse and hopefulness of noon train. This, with water supply and all the improvements commenced and Brookside will be candidating for mayor. Bridget Bradley.... Joseph P. Brennan Nellie Broderick... Josephine E. Clark. candidating for mayor.

Forge Village.

Nelle Broderick... Josephine E. Clark Timothy Connolly Peter Conway Mary A. Doherty. Mary A. Doherty. Martet Flsher Alice Halpin... Thomas J. Hynes John T. Long John McCann Rose McLaughlin Ellen McCuire Della Mongon... Dennis Morris Frank W. Murch Ellen O'Keefo... Frank W. Suprch Ellen O'Keefo... Frankt S. Smith Mary E. Smith Mary E. Smith The Abbot Worsted soccer team played the strong Andover eleven at Abbot park, Saturday. The game end-ed in a tie, the score being two to two. George Cottroll of Boston formerly of this village, is visiting with his sis-ter, Mrs. James Whigham.

The regular meeting of Loyal Mat-tawanakee lodge, I. O. O. F. M. U., was held in Abbot hall Monday night. at which a great deal of important

business was transacted: A large crowd was present Tuesday night in Abbot hall at the moving pic-tures. "Chasing rainbows" was pre-Patrick Condon sented with Gladys Brockwell in the leading role.

Martin Dolphin, ju Michael E. Griffin William J. Kerley Granitoville. John W. Lee..... John H. Madigan. William Madigan. Michael McMahon. Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Carpentier celebrated their twenty-fifth wedding anniversary at their home last Satur-T. W. MCNIII..... Daniel J. Sheehan

anniversary at their home last Satur-day evening in an informal manner. During the evening neighbors and friends dropped in to congratulate them and the time was spent pleasant-ly. Relatives from Lowell were also present. A short and pleasing enter-tainment was given and all joined in singing the old songs. Refreshments were served and the whole affair prov-ed to be very enjoyable. Frank Lyons, a well-known business Little William J. Haloy... Daniel Healey... Beatrice Knox ... Thomas J. Mannion Jane Ann McGovern James McManus... Hugh McNamara... Michael McNamara... Michael McNamara... Michael McNiff... Mary D. Neagle... Fdward Sheehan... James E. Tobin... William S. Tobin...

Frank Lyons, a well-known business man of Boston, died last week Friday after a brief illness, leaving a wife and infant daughter. Mr. Lyons was a frequent visitor here, his wife form-rely being Miss Florence Hughes, of this village.

this village. The Ladles' Aid society of the M. E. church held a very successful sup-per and entertainment in the church vestry on Wednesday evening that was largely attended. Supper was served at six o'clock and the entertainment that commenced at 7.45 consisted of selections by the Glee club of West Cheimsford; readings by Miss Helen Casey, of Lowell; songs in costume by two little girls, assisted by local talent. Many were present from out of town. James E. Attridge..... John Attridge.... Joseph Attridge... George R. Brew... Thos. J. Drummey Thos. J. Drummey..... Daniel Hargerty... George F. Fahey: B. Anastasia Sullivan... P. H. Sullivan... Jeremiah Supple..... Mrs. Maurice Tumpney...

Many were present from out of town. Joseph Wall, of Cambridge, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Espie and Mr. and Mrs. William Espie, of Fitchburg, were the Total ecent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph

Wall. Mrs. John Horan, with her three sons, Thomas, John and Harold Hor-an, of Charlestown, visited relatives

here recently. The members of Cameron circle, C. of F. of A., held a well attended and interesting meeting in its rooms on Tuesday evening. Much business of importance was transacted and several applications for membership were re-ceived

The young ladies' baseball club were out for practice on Monday and Wed-nesday afternoons and got in some good work. The young women are soon to be equipned with new uniforms and then will be prepared to meet clubs from out of town.

The cool weather still continues, which delays the early spring work to great extent.

Westford post. A. L., are now re-bearsing faithfully for their comedy-drama that will be presented in Ab-bot hall. Forge Village, and the town hall, Westford, about the middle of May.

AYER

Irish Bond Subscribers.

ceived.

Irish Bond Subscribers. The committee in charge of the Irish bond drive in Ayer and vicinity is pleased with the returns that have been made. The committee adknowl-edges the following purchases of these bonds and wish to state that until Sat-urday May I, any further contributions for the cause may be made to J. J. Barry treasurer: Barry, treasurer:

Ayer  SATURDAY, JUNE 1, 1920

zens of Groton in relation to my work as coal distributor. I wish to say that coal will be distributed by me in the future just as it has beenkin the past, and these regulations will continue. Namely:

Namely: All coal will be allotted when potice All coal will be allotted when notice is received that one or more cars of coal have been shipped from the mines. Coal will not be delivered after it is allotted until it has been paid for. The price of coal per net ton will be kept at as low a price as possible consistent with the cost of same de-livered. CHARLES Z. SOUTHARD.

CHARLES Z, SOUTHARD, Coal Distributor of Groton.

PEPPERELL

News Items,

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Groton

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F. Springer, who came here from Lubec, Me., as an employee in the paper mill about two years ago, put his goods on the cars to return to his goods on the cars to return to Maine, on Tuesday.

Mane, on Juesany. Mrs. F. S. Bancroft and daughter Audrey spent-most of last week at the farm on the Hollis road, Verner also being here a part of the week. They roturned to their winter quarters at Somerville, but propose to return here soon, permanently.

Mrs. Maude Sliker went into Bostor on Saturday of last week to meet her cousin, Miss Cora Thompson, from Sagamore, who has come to stay a short time with her.

b) b) the short time with her. The Sunday school class of Mrs. E. D. Walker, called the "Little helpers," met at Villa Lorraine to hold a double celebration on Saturday last. Arbor day was observed by the planting of a tree, with appropriate exercises and songs and the birthday of Lorraine Getger was also commemorated, the date being April 29. There were twolve little girls, present to enjoy the out-doors sports and indoor games, from two to five. Also, the fine collation, where the birthday cake with its elev-en candles held the place of honor, the same being the gift of Mrs. Walk-er. Little cakes with tiny candles were also found by each small guest at the plate. The birthday of Leslie Walker is the next in order.

Following the next in order. Following the Arbor day celebration on Saturday, Ruth Pitman and Lestina Parker were the guests of Lorraine Geiger over night and Gwenn Parker remained over night with her grand-parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Parker, on Oak hill.

William T. Hobart has sold his place on Elm street to Mrs. Charles W. Keyes and with his wife will take the upper tenement in the William Taylon house on Head street, with Mr. Hil-dreth occupying the lower part.

A pretty observance of Arbor day was held at the Clara M. Shattuck school building on Friday of last week In accordance with a vote of the Wom-an's club a tree was planted there at the east genuer of the building 10 00 an's club a tree was planted there at the east corner of the building. Messrs, Drawbridge and Tarbell inter-ested themselves in obtaining the tree and Scoutmaster Allen and certain of the Boy Scouts delegated for the task, made all ready for the planting. The children of the building were mar-shalled around the tree and from each grade there was a short by corner with \$2065 00



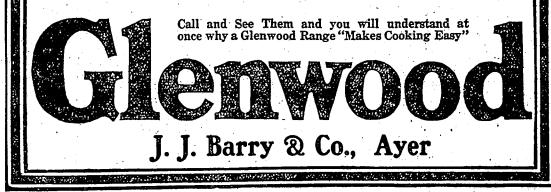
# You Can't Help Liking This Range

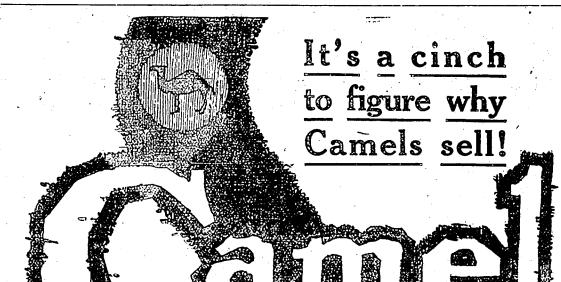
The GOLD MEDAL GLENWOOD is in reality a combination range consisting of two complete ranges using different fuels, with neither one interfering in any manner with the other.

Coal supplies the fuel for one, and gas for the other. So far as the use of these two fuels is concerned, it is exactly as though you had a coal range and a gas range. The difference is that they occupy the same floor space instead of being two separate ranges in two different parts of the kitchen.

You may use the coal and the gas at the same time, or either one without the other. You have gas in warm weather and coal in cold weather. But at any time you wish to do more baking or more cooking, you have the advantage of using both fuels and both ovens at the same time.

It responds to your cooking art so quickly and efficiently, you will find that cooking is one of the greatest pleasures in your home.





Shirley Charles McCarthy ..... Whitman Peter F. Hayes .....

GROTON

To the Editor:

from seven to eight o'clock, and the program consisted of two interesting talks, one by Rev. Dr. Gutterson, of Boston, who spoke on the inter-church movement, and the other by Rev. George A. Snalding, of Lowell, who gave some of his overseas experiences and impressions, in Y. M. C. A. work during the war. Both speakers were able and worth while. Mrs. Perley E. Wright read a number of pleasing se-lections and Mrs. Alice Leith Spalding, of Lowell, was the soloist of the even-ing. Mrs. Harry M. Gumb was the chairman of the evening, assisted by Mrs. George Walker. Missee Mary and Winnifred Green, Mrs. A. H. Suther-hand and Mrs. George Lawrence.

### Functal.

The funeral services of Mrs. Bessie M. Watson were held from her late home on Thursday afternoon of last week at two o'clock. The large house week at two o'clock. The large house was filled with sorrowing relatives, friends and neighbors, who came to pay a last tribute of love and respect to her who had gone out from among them with such comparative sudden-ness in the full maturity of her wom-anhood. Rev. O. L. Brownsey was the officiating clergyman and he paid beautiful tribute to the memory of Mrs. Walson and brought a tender message of sympathy to those who mourned. Mrs. Charles H. Wright and Mrs. David L. Greig sang two selec-tions, "Waiting and watching" and "Jesus Saviour, pilot me." and Albert

tions, "Waiting and watching" and "Jesus Saviour, pilot me," and Albert E. Pressott, long-time friend and neighbor, sang with expressive symma-thy Harriet Beecher Stowe's beautiful hymn "Still with thee." There was a wonderful profusion of beautiful flowers expressing their mute messages of comfort. The bearers were Harwood L. Wright and Frederic Smith, of West Chelmstord, and Fred Coburn, of Groton. Interment was at Westlawn cometery. Westlawn cemetery,

### About Town.

The Abbot Worsted Company have the hatters up for several cottages at Brookside, to be located on Brook-side street, near where the other cot-tages are built.

The next meeting of the Grange will be held on Thursday evening. May 6, in charge of Mrs. May E. Wright and Mrs. Elizabeth Taylor.

At Marshall's hall, Westford corner, was held the first of a series of Sat-urday night dances last Saturday. It was a success in attendance and all the environments of the usually proporly conducted dance. A jitney bus left for North Chelmsford and Lowell after the dance.

Brookside is to organize a baseball am this season. The Abbot Worsted feam this season. Company are laying plans for laying out n ball field on the old muster field on Bussey farm.

Mrs. May E. Wright has been a ro-vient visitor in Fitchburg. While there she found our old townspeople. He Walker family, enjoying their new associations. Charles E. Walker, our

Rev. Thos. J. Brennan..... Robert A. Burns.... Mary M. Callaghan John Carney... J. M. Carriey... J. M. Carriey... J. M. Carriey... Joseph F. Cogan... M. J. Coreoran Catherine Coughlin... Preston C. Cray... John Crowley Michael Curran... James Curran... Mrs. L. Davis... Della Devarney... John ... Devarney... Division 7, A. O. H... Dwniel M. Donahue... Mrs. J. Devariney.... Division 7, A. O. H., Daniel M. Donahue, George L. Donahue, James J. Donahue, Martin S. Donahue... Martin S. Donanue. Susie Donahue... T. Henry Donahue. Thomas Donahue... Mary A. Donlon... John E. Donlon...

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Ruel V. Scrut-Nora Scullane. Scullane. Sculley. h Shorma mo bad fabts are contracted, as would be the case if any other method was followed. The history of the coal busic ness in Groton previous to the war is the only reason which it is necessary to mention to prove this statement to be a correct one. For many years I have realized that, it was impossible to please everyone in any community and I have nevier even hoped to do so in Groton, but I have nevier even hoped to do so in Groton, but I have nevier even hoped to do so in Groton, but I have nevier even hoped to do so in Groton, but I have nevier even hoped to do so in Groton, but I have nevier even hoped to do so in Groton, but I have nevier even hoped to do so in Groton, but I have years and a half in a fair and equitable to the consumer, and I shall continue to do so just as long as my patience lasts and Mark H. Blood, who is a contractor, not a tramster, does not wish to as sume the full duties of a coal dealer. As this is the last public communi-cation which I shall give to the citi-10 00 10 00 10 00 10 00 10 00 10 00 10 00

Clipping. The following article is taken from the Wabash Plain Dealer, Ind.: Harry D. Newell, manager of the Wabash Coating Mills, has been awarded a sil-ver cup by the United Paperboard Co. for the high operating efficiency of the local plant under his direction. This company operates 14 plants in the east and middle west and the com-petition for the efficiency prize is kean. This is the first time the cup has been won by a manager, of the Wabash plant and Mr. Newell has been the re-ciplent of many congratulations. The cup bears this inscription: "Won by Harry D. Newell, manager of the Wabash Coating Mills, Wabash, Indi-na, for the greatest increase in cf-

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### Novis Items.

The annual meeting and May break-fast of the Woman's club will be held in the town hall on Monday, May 3, at one p. m. Dues are payable at this meeting. Please do not forget to bring dishes.

The King's Daughters will hold an all-day sewing meeting on Thursday, May 6, from ten to four o'clock at the home of Mrs. Fred. Wetherbee.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren O. Willard re-turned on Monday from Florida, where they have spint the winter months, to their summer home here in town. Miss Annie Reed, who has been for several weeks a guest with Miss Mary G. Hildreth at her Cambridge home, returned this week to her home here.

Harvard town farm is to be sold by

vote of the town three years ago at a price of \$9000. Mr, Murchie has pro-duced a buyer and possession is to be given as soon as arrangements can be made by the overseers of the poor and selectmen.

Selectmen. JAt the motion picture show this Sat-urday evening Jane Cowl will be seen in "The spreading dawn," a romance of a generation from the Saturday Evening Post story by Basil King. The story has a great fire scene in which a full size theatre is burned to the record just as a performance is begun.

Goldwyn's new stars. The Sewing club will hold a May party in the town hall. Ayer. Wednes-day, May 5. Broderick's singing or chestra, of Lowell, six pieces. Dyeing, dry cleansing and remodel-ing of men's and women's garments; also, pressing. J. W. Murry, tailor, Ayer. Telephone 58-2.

Grange.

Grange, The next regular meeting of the Grange will be held on Tuesday even-ing, May' 4. The subject is to be "Potatoes, their care and culture." The subject is to be opened by Dr. Austin Petors, who was very successful with a largo crop last year. If the present price of this product is considered there ought to be considerable interest in this subject. Aside from the discus-sion there will be musical numbers under the direction of Miss Scorgie and a social hour for the younger set. Local Grangers visited Boxboro Grange last week Friday, Bolton on Monday, Groton on Tuesday and Ayer on Wed-nesday evening. In all these places the harvest degrees were exemplified. Messrs. Preston and West used their cars for transportation.

### Church Notes.

Next Sunday morning at the Congre-gational church Rev. Arthur W. Dycer will preach his first sermon as resident pastor here. Mr. and Mrs. Dycer are just returning from their wedding trip. The parsonage has been put in new The parsonage has been put in new condition for their occupancy. Special music and decorations are in charge of the proper committees. A quartet, Morse are working for the Blanchard, Gates & Woodward Co. at South Ver-non. Vt. Albion Morse was at home for the week-end. A new choir of young people is be-ing organized by Mrs. G. W. Bur-burger Everyone will be cordially welcome to roughs. attend this service.

Everyone will be cordially welcome to attend this service. Rev. H. C. Merrill will preach at the Unitarian church at their regular morning service. Wedding. Last Saturday at 7.30 in the evening Miss Sarah Louise Jones, only daugh-ter of our esteemed townsman, Jere-miah Jones, was united in marriage to Basil Hazard of Sterling. The service was performed by Rev. Mr. Hayes of Boston and took place in the parlors of the Congregational church. The rooms were very tastily arranged with palms and potted plants and ribbons suspended directly over the bridat couple during the ceremony. The bride was given away by her father. Miss Catherine Hazard was maid of honor and Francis Thomas of Leom-inster was best man. Miss Carrie Hazard played the wedding march and Miss Cynthia Hazard, the four-year-oid sister of the groom. was flower suspended directly over the bridat in the Army z couple during the ceremony. The bride was given away by her father, Miss Catherine Hazard was maid of honor and Francis Thomas of Leom-inster was best man. Miss Carrie Hazard played the wedding march and Miss Cynthia Hazard, the four-year-ind sizer of the groom was flower old sister of the groom, was flower

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The ceremony was very pretty indeed. The bride's dress was of white satin with a veil bound with genuine or ange blossoms and carled a shower of bridal roses. Guests were present from Boston, Worcester and nearby towns.
Following the ceremony a reception was held to the friends and relatives, about 125 being present. Refreshments were served of ice cream cake and fruit punch.
Mr. and Mrs. Hazard left immediately for Boston for a short wedding tripton their return they will make their home with the bride's father on Lover's lane.
Still River.
Miss Mämie Waters, who has been with her mother for three weeks, returned to her work in Cambridge on the motion of Littleton, celebrates for a short work in Cambridge on the song service.

Frank Woodward called on friends iere recently. Soveral from here attended the Mid-diesex conference of Congregational churches held in the Congregational church in South Acton last week.

BOXBOROUGH

Nows Items. Miss E. May Hastings, a former teacher here and now teaching in Brighton, was a week-end guest of Mrs. Anna Page.

It is a pleasure to state the rumor that the Kimball farm was sold was unfounded. Mr. Kimball, it is now un-derstood, has no wish to soll "Cross

Acres." Ira Whitcomb is visiting this week with relatives in Harvard.

with relatives in Harvard. About the time the church hell rang on Sunday morning the bell at library hall rang out an alarm of fire at Wil-liam Braman's house. Chief Liver-more came promuty to the rescue, assisted by people from all parts of the town. The fire was in the chimney and considerable damage had to be done to the house to subdue it. At the regular meeting, of the

urday evening Jane Cowl will be seen in "The spreading dawn," a romance of a generation from the Saturday Evening Post story by Basil King. The story has a great fire scene in which it full size theatro is burned to the ground just as a performance is begun. Come and see Jane Cowl's eyes: there are other parts that I cannot tell you about, but she is a wonder—one of Goldwyn's new stars. The Sewing club will hold a May party in the town hall, Ayer, Wedness-day, May 5. Broderick's singing or-chestra, of Lowell, six pleces. Dyeing, dry cleansing and remodel-ing of men's and women's garments; Graves as chairman, carried out their part of the program in fine shape by serving salads; cold ham, rolls, ples, apples and coffee. Last fall' Richard G. Harwood,

The Borough Pomona Grange will The Borough Pomona Grange will meet here on Thursday, May 6. In the morning State Måster Leslie R. Smith is expected to be present. At 7.30 the fifth degree will be conferred. All patrons who desire to take the degree are requested to pass their names to Prescott Burroughs by seven o'clock of that day.

of that day. Perry Burns of this town and Miss Margaret Berrio of Waltham were married in Concord Tuesday. In the evening a reception was given them at the home of the groom's uncle, John Cobleigh, Mr. Burns is an ex-service man and was held prisoner by the Germans for several months. Since his return he has lived most of the time with his sister, Mrs. Leon Weth-erbee. The best wishes of his friends here are extended the young couple. Mrs. Addle Loring has been staying Mrs. Addie Loring has been staying with Mrs. Edwin Loring, who was sick, but is now gaining.

Miss Hazel Morse is enjoying a week's vacation from her school duties. Miss Marie E. Steele is visiting in Spencer and at Worcester.

ceased.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Cody, who have been living on the McCord place. Oak hill, are preparing to move to Maine. The regular meeting of Prescott Grange was held at the hall on Friday evening of last week. Several names were proposed for membership, and Orville Martin was admitted from the Orville Martin was admitted from the Lunenburg Grange, where he was a former member. He served in the navy during the war, but is now em-ployed here on the Shattuck farm, Nashua road. It was voted to furnish the program at "neighbors' night" in Townsend on May 10. The hour's pro-gram was on the subject of "Arbor day," and several readings and papers were given on this subject. Mrs. Ernest Bartlett and children

Mrs, Ernest Bartlett and children visited last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bemis, River street, returning to their home in Everett on

Monday. Mrs. A. H. Harris visited her sister, Mrs. George Proctor (Miss Lois Pat-terson), in her new home in Nashua on last week Friday.

The meeting of the Mt. Lebanon Community Associates, held on last week Thursday afternoon at the home of Miss Mollie Wilson, was of particof aniss atome whison, was of partic-ular interest, and was one of the larg-est gatherings recently held. Miss Anne Jewell, who has been a "shut-in" during most of the winter, was welcomed at the meeting. The gath-

Miss Gladys Crawford of North Dana, a former grammar school teach-er in town, has visited Mrs. Kelley of King street this week. Miss Crawford is at present a teacher in North Dana, Mrs. Laura Becket, who has been spending the winter with her son, W. B. Becket, and wife, at the Groen-halgh farm, went to stay with her daughter in Milford last week. daughter in Millora just week. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gay left on the morning train last week Friday for Portland, Me., from which port Mrs. Gay sailed on Saturday for Glasgow, Scotland, on the steamer Cassandra, for a visit of some months. Mr. Gay returned here the early part of the week where she is principal of the building. Cross suits are being tried between Eugene F. Paradis and William L. Pickard, The suits grow out of a col-

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lision between two automobiles in the town of Acton, November 24, 1918. They are actions of tort, for personal injuries and damage to machines. Bos-ton counsel are trying on each side. Miss Gertrude Dane, from Lowell

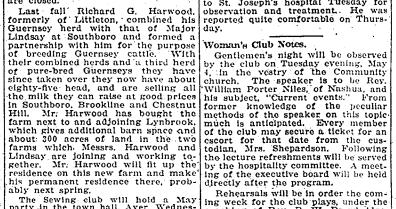
Mr.s. M. G. Green. An and Mrs. George Tooker of Har-vard have moved to Littleton Common this week, where they will occupy one of the syndicate houses. Mr. Tooker Will take a position with Conant, Houghton & Co.

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this week, where they will occupy one of the syndicate houses. Mr. Tooker will take a position with Conant, Houghton & Co. The E. A. Coxs have returned from their winter stay in Barro and are at thoir home of Tahattawan road. Littleton's vote in the primaries was Lodge 50, Gillett 45, Crane 43, Thurs-ton 41, Frontingham 21, Fuller 9, Law-son 5, McCall 19, Wood 8, Walsh 1, Long 2, Pelletter 2, Doherty 3 and O'Conneil 2, Russell A. Wood 8, Walsh 1, Long 4, Wood, who has a residence on New Estate road, which the younger man frequents during the summer each year. Dunbar, Pearson and Pfelffer received 45, 42 and 14 votes respec-tively.

H. E. Frost, who was visitor at the home of his daughter, Mrs. John Rodler, not long ago, has since been in Vermont with another daughter, Mrs. Farr, and is said to be in improvtively. A few, cases of scarlet fever, all of which are mild in form, have been reported. Dr, Christie, school phy-sician, took Miss Savage, teacher of first and second grades, to the Wal-tham hospital Tuesday. Milton Oleson has the disease and it is reported in a family at the common. The first and second grades, faught by Miss Savage, are closed. Last fall Bichard G Harwood

observation and treatment. He



Dyeins, dry cleansing and remodel-ing of men's and women's garments; also, pressing, J. W. Murry, tailor, Ayer. Telephone 5S-2.

The date of the recent whist party being stormy the club are indebted to the many outside of the members, who have belonged to another whist club during the winter, for their sup-port. With this addition there was a port. With this addition there was a very good attendance. Several of the young ladies of this club were awarded prizes, Miss Mary Cunniff having first for ladies, and the Misses Nellie Gainey and Helen Connolly having the consolation prizes. Mrs. Irene At-tridge took first gentlemen's prize.

Church Notes. Sunday morning worship at the Methodist church at 10.45; topic, "Re-

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Smith and child have been in Gilmanton, N. H., this week, Mr. Smith having been call-ed there on business connected with the estate of his mother, lately de-Activities and the second seco

Tuesday evening at 7.30, praver meeting; topic, "How to show sympa-On Thursday afternoon at 2.30, the ladies' Aid society will meet at the arsonage.

On Friday evening, at eight o'clock, there will be a May social at the parish house, under the direction of the Epworth league,

> Sunday morning worship at the Community church at 10.30 with ser-mon by the pastor. The new programs for the weekly calendar of the church, will be used for the first time, it is expected. Church school at twelve, the opening exercises being in charge of the benevolent committee.

Decorations of the church on Sunday will be in charge of the Sunday school class of Rev. R. W. Drawbridge. Sunday, May 9, is to be observed as mothers' day."

At the church school last Sunday the c At the church school last Sunday the class of M. C. Lane retained the ban-ner, and the highest honor in the con-test was awarded to Lorraine Geiger. Mrs. Walker's class recited an Arbor day poem during the school session. relative.

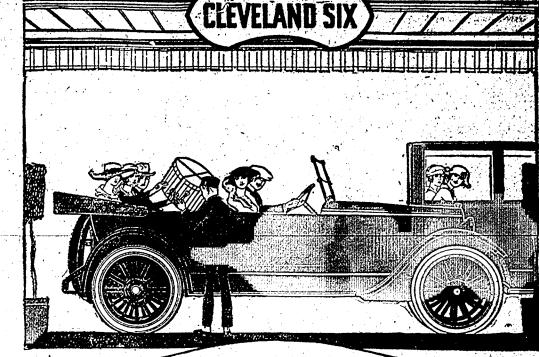
Church night for next week will be held on Thursday evening and will be in charge of Mrs. P. J. Hayes, Mrs. H. N. Tower and Mrs. C. H. Miller. The annual meeting of the Woman's Branch Alliance will be held at the home of Mrs. Harry F. Hobart on Thursday, May 6. The business meet-ing will be held at eleven o clock with

the usual routine business.

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PEPPERELL News Items. Mrs. Jean G, Moore, who has been in Newton most of the winter, is ex-pected back at the cottage formerly occupied by her on Townsend street the latter part of this week.

Henry Lakin, who has been off duty for a short time with rheumatism, came back on the job with the steam-er horses on Monday. Godfrey Laval-ley, who had been driving in his ab-sence, went to Ayer to work this week.

WEST ACTON Monday.

News Items,

Mr. and Mrs. Frank R. Knowlton and Mrs. Angle Knowlton are expected home this week from their winter's so-journ in St. Petersburg, Fla.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Brooks, who have occupied D. H. Hall's residence during the winter, returned to their summer home, Oak hill, Harvard, last week.

Frank C. Hayward has gone on a trip to Vinton, Iowa.

The next regular meeting of the W. R. C. will be held on Monday evening, May 3, at the usual hour.

Alonzo Joy attended the reunion of the old 6th Massachusetts regiment in Lowell, April 19. He reports but ffteen present, but a very enjoyable oc-casion. He also visited his daughter in Haverhill while away.

Henry L. Graham, of South Gardner, was a recent visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Coburn.

Miss Lucy Adams, of Concord Junetion, was a week-end guest of her aunts, the Misses Lydia and Hattie

Miss Edith Woodward, of Somer-ville, spent the week-end with friends

A. E. Payson, of Concord Junction spent Sunday at the home of his son, Stanley Payson.

Mrs. Alice Porter and Miss Belle Porter, of Somerville, were week-end and holiday guests at the home of Bertram E. Hall.

Agnes Shedd.

Many Littleton people are pleased to hear of a new train for Boston on week days which leaves at nine a. m.

Mrs. I. E. Smith called on Mrs. An-nie Ayers at St. Joseph's hospital in Nashua last week Friday and found her still weak, but recovering from her

Mr. and Mrs. Hollis of Arlington

ecent operation very satisfactorily.

The May meeting of the W. C. T. U. will be held at the home of the presi-dent, Mrs. Charles Dudley, Tuesday,

A woman here attended church just one hour late last Sunday, having for-rotten the change of time, but as the minister did not appear at all she feit the joke was not all her own.

minister dia not appear at all she leit the joke was not all her own. At the annual meeting of the West Acton Woman's club, held on Monday afternoon, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Mrs. Evangeline P. Hall, pres.; Mrs. Isa-belle H. Hall, v. p.: Miss Virginia A. Sanderson, rec. sec.; Mrs. Lena F. Wetherbee, cor. sec.; Mrs. Lena F. Carlisle, treas.; Mrs. Elizabeth S. Parker, auditor; Mrs. Miriam Swift, elective com. 3 years; club committees, Mrs. Addie L. Holt, chairman, civics; Miss Helen A. Knowiton, social; Miss Irma Durkee, music; Miss Manel Wilf, splianthropic; Miss Laura A. Brown, art and literature; Mrs. Minne R. Hoar, conservation; Mrs. Ruth Gould, hospitality. were week-end guests of the home people. They were on their way by automobile to New York.

hospitality, Miss Julietto Blanchard is stopping with her sister, Mrs. N. Emery Whit-log club in the town hall has been changed to Monday, May 17. comb, for the present.

welcomed at the meeting. The gath-ering was of a more eventful nature than usual, as one of the members, Mrs. Robert Gay, was to leave on the following day to start on her journey overseas to her, former home near Glascow, Scotland. She was the re-cipient of innumberable good wishes, steamer letters to be read, one for each day of the voyage also a fragmant

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ins, Medford. There will be a vesper service in the Unitarian church Sunday afternoon. May 2, at four o'clock, to which all are invited. The service will be conduct-ed by the pastor, Rev. Carl G. Horst. The address will be given by E. H. James, Co. A, 36th Infantry, Camp Devens, and his subject, "Soldiers for an idea." should interest the audience. As usual at these services the music will be an attractive feature. Misses Fannie and Gertrude Sanderday of the voyage, also a fragrant bunch of New England spring flower, trailing arbutus. There was the usual social hour with refreshments served by the hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. George H. DuPaw are

Mr. and Mrs. George H. DuPaw are congratulating themselves on a pleas-ant summer in a quiet place, having purchased the place in Brookline, N. H., on the shores of Lake Muscata-nipus known as the Lancey place, of Nathaniel Gilkey, the last owner of the property. They are to have a bungalow there among the pines, on the higher part of the lot of about two acres, which will be ample room for a little amateur gardening. Misses Fannie and Gertrude Sander-son were guests of Miss Muriel Morris at Wellesley college from Saturday to Tuesday.

at Wellesley college from Saturday to Tuesday. An attractive program was enjoyed at the Woman's club Reciprocity day, Monday afternoon at the Congrega-tional vestry, when ladies were pres-ent from clubs of the neighboring towns. From the guests the following numbers were: Vocal solos, "The gip-sy trail" and "Dawning" by Mrs. Stan-ley White of Shirley: "The yellow daisy," an original poem by Mrs. Eliz-abeth Taylor of Westford who also read other original poems; reading of two poems by Edgar Guest, "The home" and "James Whiteomb Riley," by Mrs. Sanders of Ayer; solos, "My laddle" and "A little bit o' honey," by Mrs. White of Shirley. A plano duet was played by Mrs. Christie and Mrs. Houghton of Littleton, The enter-tainment concluded with a social hour when refreshments were served by Mrs. A. M. Parker, Mrs. A. E. Hop-kins, Mrs. Hattle Robinson and Mrs. Mons. Utilitaton comple on placed. Supt. Heyer of the the construction company at work on the new power plant for the Nashua River Paper Co., Intends to start on the brick work for the power house this week, the ce-

ment foundation being completed. Miss Blanche Supernault has been at her home the past week from her work at the Nashua Gummed & Coat-ed Paper Co., on account of indispo-

and jellies, which was and the chairman. The entertainment of was slightly out of the two of the music stall. sition. two of the music stu Nashua School of Musi The regular meeting of the District Nursing association will be held at the home of Mrs. Rainsford Deware on Monday evening, May 3, at 7.30.

Masnua School of Music tions were present and re-tions. Miss Florence H. piano solos, and Miss M violinist. Both young much liked. Of the local talent if Miss Emilie Geiger ac-which was enfound: also

which was enjoyed; alwho responded to an energy Little Gwen Parker, who is a moral favor-lite, gave a recitation are responded to a hearty encore in very pleasing years ago.

Mrs. H. A. S. Phelps, of Park street, fashion. who has been with Mrs. Boynton al Groton during the winter, as a boarder As a social occasion the evening was a success and the committee feel well satisfied with the financial returns.

who has been with Mrs. Boynton at a success and the coming the tell well well Groton during the winter, as a boarder, Americus Lawrence, who has recent. Iy returned here from New Jersey, and his sister, Mrs. Fannie Lawrence, received the news of the death of their brother, Abbott Lawrence, at Fitchburg, last week. He was a native of Peppereil, the son of Edmund and Emma (Bailey) Lawrence, and a resi-from a fall. She was a native of Dun-ther work of the death of their brother, Abbott Lawrence, at from a fall. She was a native of Dun-soveral months, following injuries from a fall. She was a native of Dun-stable and was born there December 8, 1840, the daughter of the late John and Sally (Cummings) Queen. By a terease he martied her sister, Mrs. Mary took place a few years ago. He is sur-vived by a daughter, Mrs. A. G. Tay-vived by a daughter, Mrs. A. G. Tay-vived by a daughter, Mrs. A. G. Tay-town, and by two sisters, Mrs. Frantie Lawrence, of this town, and Mrs. Flora Were heid at her late home on Sat-town, and by two sisters, Mrs. Frantie Lawrence, of this town, and Mrs. Flora Were heid at her late home on Sat-were, private and burial was in the Forest Hills cemetery of Fitchburg.

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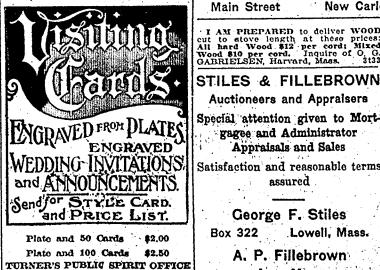
The remains of Edwin A. Shattuck were brought here for burial by auto hearse from Nashua, N. H., on Tues-day, his death at the Hunt home oc-curring there on March 7. Burial was in the family lot in Woodlawn. New Advertisements Following FIRST-CLASS ENGLISH HAY FOR SALE-WILLIAM B. HASKELL, Still River, Mass. Tel. Harvard 105, 5133 lunch there will be the annual reports FOR SALE-My residence in Groton, with 10 or 60 acres; also, my forty-years' plus established dental practice in Ayer, Mass. A nice central location and chance for a syndicate to do a large On Thursday evening of last week the committee of the Community Church Workers congratulated themchurch workers congratulated them-selves that just for the few hours necessary to allow people to come to their supper and entertainment, the rain ceased. With a downpour both before and after it was especially noted. The attendance was excellent ord of the fet revended for combine the and successful business; a great de mand. Address BOX 471, Ayer, Mass. HELP WANTED—An assistant for general housework. Apply to Public Spirit Office, Ayer.



Misses Kemp, Bancroft, Flynn and Hubbard, whose office and school du-ties made it difficult to be of large assistance. Mrs. Gay was the sixth member of the committee, but her preparations for going deroad made it imperative to remain at her own home. Mrs. Whitmarsh kindly offered beststung during the large of stren road made at her own adly offered in any competition. Eggs, \$1.50 set-ting; \$10 per 100. FRED B. DAVIS Littleton Depot, Mass. 2m31\* ns of after ging salad reciated by

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the subscriber has been duly appointed administratrix of the estate of JOHN H. STICKNEY late of Shirley in the County of Middlesex, deceased, intes-tate, and has taken upon herself that trust by giving bond, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same; and all persons in-debted to said estate are called upon to make payment to FRANCES J. STICKNEY, Admx. Shirley, Mass., April 21, 1920. the evening ordinary, as onts at the and Elocudered selecmann gave v Davis wa ortists wer

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Those who noted the announcement of the death of Mrs. Florence Camp-bell, of Nashua, N. H., might, not have recalled Mrs. Campbell, who as Flos-sie Berry, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Berry, lived in this town in her younger days. Her parents moved from here to Groton several years ago.

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the name of the writer, not for publi-the name of the writer, not for publi-mation, but as a guarantee of good faith, and will always be considered strictly confidential. Kindly mail items foot walt unnecessarily. bo held on April 30, (1) (1) The chimney of William Duane's house on Elm street got on fire on Saturday, but the blaze was soon ex-tinguished by A. A. Wood. The pastor at the Baptist church will the as his Super public.

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# Saturday, May 1, 1920

## Nows Items.

Rev. Malcolm Endicott Peabody wa Rev. Malcoim Endicott Peabody was elected rector of Grace Episcopal church, Lawrence, last week Thursday to suc-ceed Rev. Arthur W. Moulton, who is to be consecrated bishop of the Utah dio-cese. The new pastor has been curate at the church for three years, it being his first assignment following his ordi-nation. He is the son of Rev. Endi-cott Peabody and served as an over-seas chaplain. Rev. Endicott Peabody '83. of Groton

Rev. Endicott Peabody'83, of Groton, is to serve on the graduates' day com-mittee of the New. England Federa-tion of Harvard clubs, to insure the success of the meeting of Harvard graduates at the university, which is planned for Saturday, May 8. The meeting, which will be somewhat on the order of the "old grads' summer school" held last July in preparation for the Harvard endowment fund campaign, is planned in order to give Harvard alumni an opportunity to learn at first-hand what Harvard col-lego is doing today.. The meeting will begin on Saturday morning May 8, at ten o'clock in the historic faculty room of University hall. President Lowell and officers and students of the college will describe in detail the policy and work of the Harvard of the pres-ent time. The graduates will have function at one of the freshman halls, followed by a brief afternoon session. Rev. Endicott Peabody '83, of Groton collowed by a brief afternoon session. All Harvard men; whether or not they are degree olders are invited.

are degree olders are invited. The following May services will be held in the town hall at 7.30 in the evening on the dates mentioned, with the following preachers: May 2, Rev. Percy G. Kamerar, Emmanuel church, Boston; May 9, Rev. P. F. Sturges, Grace church, Providence, R. I.; May 16. Bt. Rev. J. W. Atwood, bishop of Arizona; May 23, Rev. E. S. Drown, D. D., Episcopal Theological school, Cambridge; May 30, Rev. E. S. Rous-maniere, D. D., dean of St. Paul's cathedral, Boston. Singing led by boys of Groton School. All cordially in-vited.

Miss Helen F. Gay spent the weekend at home.

The Ladies' Benevolent society held a business and sewing meeting in the church parlor on Thursday afternoon, April 22, which was followed by a sup-April 22, which was followed by a sup-per and sociable in the evening. An excellent supper was served at 6.30 under the charge of Mrs. Charles Earle and hör assistants. The tables were decorated with potted plants. In the evening Rev. Sherrard Billings, of Gro-ton School, gave a most interesting and entertaining talk on some of his ex-periences while serving the country as a chaplain overseas. All present en-joyed a pleasant social time. On last Sunday the audiences at the

joyed a pleasant social time. On last Sunday the audiences at the Congregational church listened to two stirring sermons by the Rev. A. V. Dimock, the morning topic being "The hour for action," and the even-ing topic, "D-day and H-hour." Leaf-lets relatings to the inter-church move-ment were distributed at the morn-ing corvice, and in the evening a stand-ing committee was appointed to plan the campaign in the interest of this great movement. A song service, led

Tis to the Pen and Press we mortals The Clover club met on Friday, April 23, at the Boutwell school; The mem-bers sewed on their uninished gar-ments and completed their plans for the picnic which is to be held on May 1. The last regular meeting will be held on April 30,

The Community club met on Wed-nesday afternoon with Mrs. Emma Folkins. In spite of the unfavorable weather there was a good attendance and a pleasant, social afternoon was enjoyed. Refreshments were served by the hostess. The next meeting will be held on Wednesday, May 12, with Mrs. Peters.

A man is to be present at the church on May 16 to give a talk on the inter-church movement. The apportion-ment for this church is \$340. Mrs. Peters. The sale of May baskets at the home of Mrs. Frederic A. Cross, given by her daughters and three of their girl friends on Wednesday afternoon, was well patronized, as every basket was sold and over \$32 was taken in for the benefit of the little Serbians. There were many buyers, to the great pleasure of the young ladies who gave the sale. veek-end.

The communion service will be ob-served at the Congregational church on Sunday.

Nineteen members of Groton Grange visited Ayer Grange on Wednesday evening.

evening. The final meeting of the committee on public safety was held in the lower town hall on April 27. The treasurer reported a balance on hand of \$88.73. It was voted to give this money to the Laurence W. Gay post, A. L. At the request of the treasurer it was voted to appoint an auditing committee to audit the accounts of the treasurer. It was voted that the records of the pub-lic safety committee be given to the Groton Historical society for preserva-tion. very kindly gave the use of his pasture for their playground.

day. - 5.1

three o'clock, there will be a meeting of the executive board of the Groton branch of the Red Cross in the lower town hall. ing house and are to live in their new house at Vose.

ering for some time with rheumatism, the after effects of influenza.

John Llacos is moving his family from Quincy to the cottage on Pepper-ell street formerly occupied by Avery Hartwell and family.

Miss Mary Murphy of Pepperell was the guest of Helen O'Sullivan over the

Mrs. P. A. Ruddy with her son and daughter of Brooklyn, N. Y., are being entertained at the home of her sister, Mrs. P. E. Smith.

Quite a party of young people went o Ayer on Tuesday evening to see Mary Pickford in "Pollyanna." Mrs. Howard Northrup of Lowell visited at Gilbert Wheaton's on Tues-

. Mr. and Mrs. King are to take charge of the large boarding house be-longing to Hollingsworth & Vose Co. Sergt. Evans has organized two base-ball teams this spring. W. V. Bixby

Charles Lawrence is having his house and barn wired for electricity. Mrs. David Petrie of Lowell visited her nicce, Miss Olive Tarbell, Thurs-

On Monday afternoon, May 3, at Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Ludden have left the Hollingsworth & Vose board-

pression, His challenge was devoid of any trace to selfishness and was a per-fect example of the modern, maniy call to boys to enlist in a noble service, It is expected that another confer-ence will be held next year on an even larger scale and it is hoved that the conference may again secure Mr. Gib-500 09 a specker

son as a speaker. The following were in attendance at the conference:

the conference: Adult leaders-Rev. A. L. Struthers, Townsend: Rev. G. H. Driver. Shirley: Rev. A. W. Stone, Concord Junction; Charles D. Beek, principal of Concord Junction achools; Rev. Charles N. Bur-rows, Boxborouch: Rev. F. B. Cran-dall, Rev. J. F. Rider, Jr. Rov. Lester Wallace, Ayer; Rev. B. W. Rust, East Pepporoli: W. C. Roudenbush, princi-pal of Westford academy, Westford; F. C. Johnson, superintendent of schools, Ayer; H. B. Eyans, West Gro-ton; E. B. Read, Concord Junction; B. H. Tyrrell, C. W. Stetson, Y. M. C. A. sec-retary and organist for conference, H. K. MacDougall, Y. M. C. A. sec-retary, P. R. Earle, Y. M. C. A. sec-retary and organist for conference, H. M. Master, Rev. H. A. Bridgman, edi-

Guests-Rev. H. A. Bridgman, tor of the Congregationalist; Sherrard Billings, Groton School. edi-Rev.

Sherrard Billings, Groton School. Delegates, Ayer-Edward Sawyer, Jr., Philip Andrew, Fred Fianders, Ed-ward E, Harlow, Ralph H. Richard-son, Roger D. Johnson, Harold Pill-man, Lester Robbins, Malcolm Crockett, Lawrence Kennison, Willard Carman. Boxborough-Donald Brown, Ernest Cozzens, Leonard Richardson, Harmon R. Swanson, Howard Coblegh, Mel-ville Richardson, Avery W. Steele, Mor-rill Wetherbee, Malcolm Steele. Concord Junction-Donald A. Mac-Ritchic, George Pearce, Allen A. Stev-enson, E. Montayle, John Kennedy, G. T. Mitchell, George E. Read, Ronald S. Mackenzie, Leslie W. Crowson. Groton-Burton Robinson, Wood-

Groton-Burton Robinson, Wood-bridge Bingham, Robert Jacomb, Her-bert S. Lucy, Herbert S. Stone, Jr., Frank D. Ashburn, Bayard Schleffolin, John Lewis. Harvard-Robert Gillis, Jethro Wat-son, Paul S. Rule, Cilford S. Merrill. Littleton\_Striker F. Ganat J. 194

Littleton-Stanley F. Conant, Linds-ley Day, Arthur Fuller, Wendell Smith, Willard M. Blodgett.

Pepperell-Mortimor Cleveland, Wil-am A. Hutchinson, Reuel K. Rust, Le-oy Harris, Alan. Cook, Charles Den-en, E. T. Durant, Carl W. Boutiller, eorge A. Boutilier.

Shirley-H. A. Bridgman, Jr., Earl S. upper, Ed. M. Thompson, Salvatore farla, William P. Farnsworth, C. Ev-rett Farnsworth, Oscar E. Boutilier. Townsend-Roland Mead, Howard E. Harvoy; Howard Knight, Robert W. Drake, Carey E. Swinington, William A. Russell, Jr. (West Acton-George Keyes.

requiring an autoist to slow down and Westford-Laurence Ingalis, Charles Colburn, Gordon Seavey, John Kimball. West Groton-Edward, Webber. ound his horn at intersecting streets and on approaching a pedestrian who

is upon the travelled part of any way. Moreover, owing to the facility which The towns represented were Ayer, Boxborough, Concord Junction, Gro-ton, Harvard, Littleton, Pepperell, Shirley, Townsend and Westford. operators, now obtain licenses, I have issued an order to our inspectors

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"Lead Me and I Will Follow."

The older boys' conference on re-ligion and morals, held at the Unitari-an church on last Saturday was a suc-cess even beyond the best hopes of the committee, of clergymen and Y. M. C: A. officiers, whose co-operation brought the meeting about 00000 100 Did you ever hear that sweet re-frain? Well on this occasion it sounded very sweet, but as is the case with some sweet things it left a galling after-taste;

A. officers, whose co-operation brought the meeting about. Over 100 repre-sentative boys of high school age from Ayer and the surrounding towns, to-gether with the adult leaders, attended the sessions. The registration of delegates con-sumed more than an hour. Rev. A. V. Dimock of the Congregational church in Groton conducted the open-ing devotions of the conference. after-taste It seems a few weeks ngo some of our good Masons banded together and took in the Scottish rites in Lowell. On the way back from a most enjoy-able(?) evening a few candidates must have thought they were still on the back of that ranctious camel and were going to continue on their way to Worcester or maybe further than that in the train until they were made aware that Ayer had been reached and ft was time to get the air on the outside of the car.

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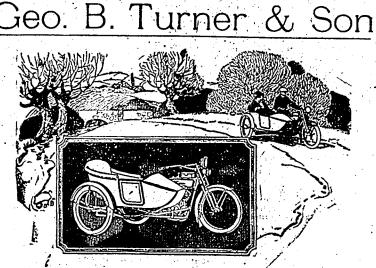
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Mr. and Mrs. George Kruse, Jr., were in town on Sunday with Mrs. Kruse's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ansel M. Shat-

tuck. The Sewing club will hold a May party in the town hall, Ayer, Wednes-day, May 5. Broderick's singing or-chestra, of Lowell, six pieces. Dyeing, dry cleansing and remodel-ing of men's and women's garments also, pressing. J. W. Murry, tailor Ayer. Telephone 58-2.

The figures on the removal of snow in some of the selected towns are not trustworthy. Harvard, printed \$2000, official report \$4700, and the end is:not yet. Groton, \$7000 plus. Like some of the paper financiers, \$58 per capita, pie social. which with a 50-cent dollar equals \$29 per capita, "The most impene-trable mask for a malicious design is well acted candor." French De Larrimere.

The household goods of the Breck-enridge family of Chicopee row were moved on Tuesday to go to their new home in Middle Hope, 'N. Y.

Miss Irene Tyrrell is spending a week's vacation at home.

Rev. Charles B. Ames will exchange alpits on Sunday with Rev. Ernest owden, of Milford and East Wilton, N. H.

H. M. Corwin, of Athol, spent the week-end with his sister, Mrs. Lura Death. Adams.

Members of the Laurence W. Gay post, A. L., are asked to remember that the meeting this week Saturday evening at eight o'clock, in the lower town hall, is one of great importance to the post and a full attendance is desired.

Miss Lois Wood, from Lowthorpe, will have charge of the school gardens this year.

Miss Lois Wood, from Lowthorpe, will have charge of the school gardens this year. Unclaimed letters in the postoffice of recent date are Edw. Grai, Master Lund, Mrs. A. C.' Page, Al Signer Luiggi Mergiotto fu Francesco, Mrs. The Odd Fellows will observe gala week from May 10 to May 15. On week from May 10 to May 15. On the direction of Cedric On Thursday evening there will be a dance under the direction of Cedric Motors and Butler, high Lund, Mrs. A. C.' Page, Al Signer Luiggi Morgiotto fu Francesco, Mrs. When he was ten years of age and all tended the Moors and Butler, high Kosols. Twelveyears ago he married Miss Marion Gordon, of Somerville, Gliman Smith, Jr., and Elaine, survives the spation in the employ of Bain Bros, Boston, and returned to would have been ginally retained by Mrs. James M. Boutwell is ill with a school boy his teachers found him as bright School sale, and in the evening there will be a indoor the structed. In later life he was a pleas-pience under the charge of Charles Wright. On the remaining afternoons

ocessary.

by Rev. William Riordan. The annual nation-wide drive of the Salvation Army, which is the 1920 campaign for the home service fund. takes place from May 10 to May 20. Groton's quota for this drive is \$266. A committee has volunteered to help raise this money and it is hoped that the town will maintain its fine record by over-subscribing the quota. After the wonderful work which the Salva-tion Army did for our boys in France no further recommendation should be necessary. ent at the "Y" program flast Sunday afternoon. The usual good program of music was provided. Refreshment were served by the secretaries, assisted by some of the Camp Fire Girls of the Federated church. Secretary Dimock

addressed the men as usual. On Sun day, at the usual time, there will be cood program of music. Refreshments Walter Jacomb, who has lately been

will be served by the building staff. Arthur V. Dimock will deliver an adwhile Jacomb, who has lately been transferred to Ottawa, has been seen by a friend of the family, who reports that he has gained fifteen pounds in weight and is very happy to have been made pitcher of the ball team. dress on "Roast the bird or lose the zame." The woman's citizenship class met

At the next meeting of the Middle-ex Rebekah lodge there will be a on Thursday afternoon with Mrs. C. J. Burrill on Washington street. The program was a general review of the previous work and beginning the study

of town government. On Monday Mrs. Susan M. Barker, Mrs. Sacle Sanders and Mrs. W. E.

Murphy of the Woman's club attended the reciprocity meeting of the Little-ton Woman's club. Mrs. Sanders gave reading as the contribution to the program.

ple social. Charles Francis Mansfield for four years a resident of this town, died on Monday, April 26, after a short illness at the home of his sister in Wakefield. Previous to his residence in Groton Mr. Mansfield had made his home in Wakefield for about thirty years. He is survived by a wife, Mary C. Mans-field, two daughters, Mrg. Haroid J. Conn of Geneva, N. Y. and Mrs. Ed-ward B. Branigan of Groton, three grandchildren, Mansfield Branigan and Jean Effizibeth and Herbert Wil-liam Conn, and a slater, Miss Lizzie A. Mansfield of Wnkefield. Other Groton matter on page two. Wednesday evening was a red-letter night in the annals of Ayer Grange, a company of over 250 being assembled to witness the working of the third and fourth degrees upon twenty-eight can-didates. The ladies' degree team, in

Other Groton matter on page two.

charge of Mrs. Daniel W. Mason, per-formed excellent work in the third de-On Friday morning, April 23, George Gliman Smith, the eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Theophilus G. Smith, passed away from the effects of pernicious gree, and the regular officers' render-ing of the fourth resulted in much

inemia at the age of forty-two years. If had been ill for four or five weeks and had been treated at Dr. Kilbourn's hospital. He was brought home on He came to Groton with his parents how we have and at-be was ten years of age and at-be was ten years of age and at-

was key. A. J. Gammack, rector of camp before surrise, or something to Christ church, Fitchburg. He made an eloquent plea for prayer, reading of the christian scriptures, and service as the things expected of the christian man. He also spoke a word in favor of the new law on Sunday sports. Following: the second address the Ayer Branch Alliance and the Unitari-ence. The menu consisted of chicken pattles, mashed potatoes, salads rolls, pickles, ice cream, cake, coffee, cocoa, after dinfér the delegates astembled at tho Y. M. C. A. building, where the conference photograph was taken by H. F. Jackson, of Fitchburg, a former manager of the local telephone ex-change. Part of the delegates attend fue others' witnessed an eight-reel pic-ture of the life of Christ. The afternoon session began with devotions Aft. by Rev. A. V. Dimock, the duy adopted. The following are

ed by a committee on resolutions and were duly adopted. The following are

were duly adopted. The following are the conference officers: Malcoim [Grookett, Ayer, pres.; Wil-liam Hutchinson, Pepperell, v. p.; Charles Dennen, Pepperell, sec.; Harold Pillman, Ayer, chairman, Everett Farnsworth, Shirley, Ronald MacKen-zie, Concord Junction, Cary Swining-ton, Townsend, Paul Rule, Harvard, H. B. Evans, West Groton, credential com-mittee: H. S. Stone, Groton School, chairman, Charles Colburn, Westford, John Kennedy, Concord Junction, Har-mon Swattson, Boxborough, Willard Blodgett, Littleton, George Keyest West Acton, A. W. Stone, Concord Junction, resolutions committee.

The resolutions committee made the

following report:

following report: Resolved, that: The first annual boys' conference is a great success. We ex-tend our hearty appreciation and thanks to the Unitarian church, the Army Y. M. C. A. and to all associated with these organizations who have made this success possible. We thank the speakers for their inspiring mes-sares and especially the ladies of the Unitarian church, for the delicious din-ner.

should be cut out, or land knows what will happen the next time. And to think that Bob and Huntley above all should sõ astray. Woll, maybe it was that rootbeer treat in the drug store that did the trick. Who knows?

We have benefitted greatly from the inference and we accept the challenge serve with the sincere acceptance of conference, motto, "I can and I "" Clipping.

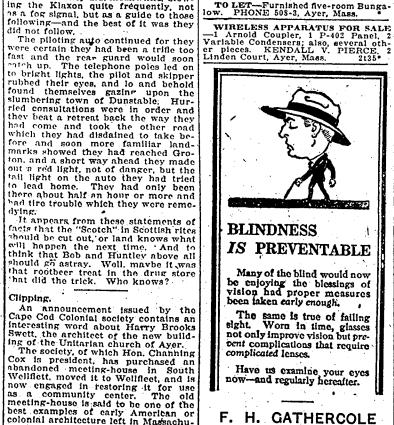
the conferences motto, "I can and I will." We carnestly recommend that if pos-sible these conferences be continued from year to year. The great address of the day was given by H. W. Gibson, of Boston, state boys' secretary, Y. M. C. A. for Massachusetts and Rhode Island. His subject was "A call to live." He em-phasized three cardinal points in life, physical fitness, purpose, and unselfah fervice. He reminded his audience that during the war 29,000 New Eng-land young men were rejected by the department as unfit for service. In speaking of purpose, he declared that the reason why the lions didn't ret Danlel was "because he was three-fourths backbone and one-fourth grit." Mr. Gibson, who is a big man of gental personality, made a great im-

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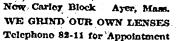
dorsement and support of many pres ent and former residents who see in it the possibility of great good for th town, and who carnestly hope that i may be finished and dedicated free o debt at the time of the Old Hom Week exercises. Week exercises. British leather manufacturers mad

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Nows Items.

Nows Itcms, The following real estate transfers from this vicinity were recorded last week: Groton-William L. Green to trustees of the Lawrence academy; Littleton-Charles: A. Hartwell to E. H. Perry; Pepperell-Edwin A. Cald-well to J. E. Plicher; Frank S. Taylor, gdn., to W. A. Kenny; Shirley-Mary O. Barnard to H: L. Sprague; Mary O. Barnard, gdn., to H. L. Sprague; Westford-William R. Farnham to Antonio Desrosiers; Harvard-Robert N. Smith to Lourena Wright; Spring Farm Poultry Company to Robert N. Smith.

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noon at the Soldiers' club, Smith. Smith, Mrs. Ralph Bosworth, who has been visiting at the home of Mr, and Mrs. H. E. Sanderson for the past two months, has returned to her home in Valueite. Holyoke.

Frank C. Johnson, local superintend-Frank C. Johnson, local superintend-ant of schools, is attending this week the meeting of the superintendants as-coclation, of which he is president, and which is being held, at the normal school at Framingham. Mrs. H. E. Sanderson went to Clinton hospital Wednesday morning, where the is to undergo an operation.

she is to undergo an operation. The vote cast at the primaries on Y Tuesday evening was very light, there being only seventy-three votes cast, of a which sixty-three were republican can-didates the, "Big four" were in the lead, except in the case of Frothing-ham, who was tied with the lowest of the "Big four." The election officers I were: Howard M. Beverly, Michael J Carey, I.oring A. Carman, Theodore H. Clark, Herbert L. Farnsworth, "Henry in G. Turner, Francis P. Sullivan. The annual meeting of the Woman's

G. Turner, Francis P. Sullivan. The annual meeting of the Woman's club will be held at Hardy's hall on Wednesday afternoon, May 5, at three o'clock. Reports, Glection of officirs and payment of dues. The music will be in charge of Mrs. Ruth Brown. Tea will be served. A program that should be of Interest to everyone will be presented. and four.

served. A program that would bo of interest to everyone will be presented. The fire department responded to an alarm at three o'clock on Thursday morning for a fire-in the barn at the James Barry place in Härvard. There was fortunately no hay in the barn. se that the fire was got under control before the building was destroyed. The loss is estimated at about \$300. All arrangements have been com-by the board of tra-

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On Article's John D. Carney, chair-on and of the board of selectmen, exclusions and instrumental selections will be furnished by Cartwright's or-chestra of Workester. This will be followed by dancing unitit twelve o'clock. Invitations have been sent to all members and anyone desiring to attend may obtain an 'invitation through a member or through the committee, which consists of George H. Brown, T. F. Mullin, Alfred Yates, E. C. Page and R. J./Stevenson.
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High School Concert.

burn of Central avenue. The monthly meeting of the W. R. The monthly meeting of the w. R. C. will be held at the White Ribbon home Friday afternoon, May 7, at 2.30 o'clock. A good attendance is request-ed, as there is business of importance to be transacted.

The Male Glee clab will give their first concert of the season on Wednes-day evening, May 12, at the Soldiers' club on West street." A program of inusual marit has been prepared, and club on the friends of the club are expecting a musical treat,

Miss Helon T. Kinney was out on Tuesday for the first time after a week's illness with influenza. Week's liness with influenza. The Dodge family, who have been occupying the Perrin house on High street, moved to Shirley Center on Monday. The May meeting of the Ayer Branch Alliance will be held in the church vestry on Monday afternoon, May 3, at 2.30. Hostesses, Mrs. E, A. Whitney, Mrs. Mary J. Harlow, Mrs. Ella Sheldon and Mrs. C. H. Kinney. A military hall, will be held in the

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quickly sold: Mrs. Howard M. Beverly and Misses Nettie B. Roe and Lucy B. Wyman were in charge. From six to seven-thirty the club served a cafeteria suppor to a large number. Wheat cakes were served hot from a battery of aluminum grid-dies with genuine maple syrup as an escort. Shrimp wiggle and Moxican eggs were served from electric chafing dishes. Salads, rolls, relishes, fancy pics and coffee were also served. Mrs. Charles A. Normand was chairman, as-sisted by Mrs. Ralph H. Wylic, Mrs. Frank B. Crandall, Mrs. Carl O. Proc-tor and Miss Lillian Wright. At eight o'clock the club held a military whist. The high score was 68 and the next table was a close Sec-ond with 67. Mrs. Lucy Merriman and Mrs. William C. Bragg received the souvenirs, a box of stationery and a pack of playing cards. The lowest score was 10. Carl Beytes and Mrs. John Traquair received noise makers as their souvenirs. Mrs. F. Vern Pill-man was in charge of arrangements for the whist. A military ball will be held in the town hall on Monday evening, given by Camp Devens post, A. L. Music by Camp Devens orchestra, nino pieces. Miss Mary L. Guyton, a former teacher in the local public schools, presented the diplomas at the gradua-tion exercises of the Americanization

Superintendancy Union Meeting.

Superintendation Union Meeting. The annual meeting of the super-intendancy union of which Shirley, Ayer, Boylston and West Boylston are the members, was held at West Boyl-ston on Monday afternoon. Boylston and West Boylston were represented by their entire school boards, while George H, Brown represented Ayer, and Robert H. J. Holden represented Shirley. It was voted to continue the union for another year and to appor-fion the superintendant's time, reim-bursement from the state, etc., upon the same basis as in the past. Mr. Hines of West Boylston and Mr. Brown of Ayer, were reëlected chairman and clerk of the union. The salary of the superintendent, Frank C. Johnson, was raised contin-gent upon the passing by the legisla-ture of a bill regulating the salaries of superintendants. This bill provides for a large reimbursement to the town from the state and makes possible a considerable increase in Mr. Johnson's salary at a very small cost to the dis-trict. It was also yoted to continue department, of the Massachusetts Woman's Suffrage association. Miss Guyton is assistant supervisor. Ira Andrews, of Hudson spent Sun-day at the home of George H. Chand-A meeting of the union fair commit-tee was held this week Friday after-Miss Mabel P. Sargent, of West-minstor, has been visiting her moth-er, Mrs. Almira P. Sargent. George S. Boutwell W. R. C. will meet in Hardy's hall on Thursday eve-ning at 7.30 o'clock. The usual sup-per will be served at 5.30. This is the last meeting here Kernerald day. All

per will be served at:6.30. This is the last meeting before Momorial day. All are urged to be present to assist in planning for this "day of days" for the order. The military whist netted ten dollars. Morris Greenberg is to occupy the Joseph P. Hamel house at the corner of Fletcher and Maple streets, recently vacated by Albert Nadeau. solary at a very small cost to the dis-trict. It was also voted to continue for another year the part-time elerical assistance which Mr. Johnson has had during the past year. Mrs. Almeda Lawton has returned after spending the winter with her niece in Taunton.

James E. Profit spent the week-end with relatives in Bridgeport, Conn. Church Notes.

A 25% discount will be given on all • Unitarian church—Sunday service at 10.45, regular offices and sermon. Preacher, Rey, Frank B. Crandall, the hats by Miss R. M. Graham, milliner, Ayer, this week Saturday only. Ayer, this week Saturday only. Dyeing, dry cleansing and remodel-ing of men's and women's garments; also, pressing: J. W. Murry, tallor, Ayer. Telephone 58-2. Other Ayer matter on pages two minister. Subject, "A difficult com-mand." Church school at twelve.

The regular meeting of Ayer chapter of the Laymen's league will take place in the vestry on Monday evening, May 3, at eight o'clock. Rev. Charles Wes-3, at eight o'clock. Rev. Charles Wes-ley Casson of the Unitain church in Roslindale, who has a men's club of several hundred members in his church, will be the speaker. Re-freshments will be served.

On Sunday the preacher will discuss the much-disputed quéstion of the meaning of the command to the young man to sell all that he had and give it to the poor.

erator under Article 12 of the warrant for the annual town meeting "to con-sider the salaries and a consolidation of town officials." By unanimous vote the report was accepted and its pro-visions adopted. On Article 3 John D. Carney, chair-man of the board of selectmen, ex-plained that the proposition to discon-tinue of tow ways within the present Baptist church—Preaching at 10.45 a. m.; subject, "Foregleams of the day." At twelve, Sunday school. At seven p. m., prenching; subject, "Signs of the times." B. Y. P. union Tuesday at 7.30 p. m. Prayer meeting Thurs-day at 7.30 p. m.

The solicitors for the new world movement were very successful in their Sunday afternoon canvass, about \$3100 being pledged for the next four years.

Rev. O. B. Loud of the survey de-partment of the inter-church world movement gave an illustrated address on the world's needs and the churches responsibility last Sunday at the

To the Editor: At a meeting of the selectmen on Monday it was voted by the board to raise the wages of the police depart-ment as follows: Day man \$120 per month; night man \$130 per month. Ten hours shall constitute a day's work, subject to call at all times with-out extra pay.

Saturday, May 8-WILD ROGERS in "A Strange Boarder." Matinee at Two o'clock

work, subject to call at all times with-out extra pay." Beats of patrolmen shall consist as follows: Day beat—Rallroad station, meeting all trains unless on other du-ties, C. A. Cross & Company's store-house, Phelps' lumber yard, West Main street, Washington street, Pleas-ant street, Flanagan's crossing, East Main street and all other streets when The meeting was then adjourned.

High School Concert. The twelfth annual concert of the Ayer high school took place on Friday evening of last week in the town hall. An audience that filled nearly every seat in the hall enjoyed the singing of the students and the artists who as-sisted in the program. The school chorus was located on raised seats on the store, the boys on the right and ant street. Flanagan's crossing, East Main street and all other streets when called, to report all complaints, acci-dents or other business connected with the police department to the chief of police; each night man to swap with day man in turn, making \$125 per

any man in turn, making \$125 per month for each man unless agreed on by men. This order to take effect May first... Citizens will report to the chief of police when complaints to any officer are not attended to. Patrick J. Beatty, Chief of Police.

McMahon was arrested last week Sun-

depending on a question of evidence. On Saturday morning the contract action of Constantin Hitsch against Paul Hamel came to trial before Judge Atwood, the plaintiff being represented by Attorney Annala of Fitchburg and the defendant by Attorney George L. Wilson. It appeared from the evi-dence that the plaintiff and defendant went into the garage business together on West Main street near the end of May of last year, the plaintiff turning in his automobile as his share of the property and was to own eventually

District Court.

Last week Friday morning six young men from Westford, Charles W. & Bob-inson, Olle Reeves, Joseph Pracme, John F. McMahon, John Boyd and Wood wer efore the



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cd. as there is business of importance to be transacted.
Mrs. Edward O. Richardson has been seriously ill this week with pneumonia and complications. Dr. Goodwin of the Clinton hospital was over last week Friday in consultation and a trained nurse from Boston is in attendance. Mrs. Richardson is more comfortable now and improving somewhat.
The Strand this Saturday presents tory of the same name. By far Tom Moore in "Duds," a thrilling mysy tery\_drama of desperate diamond smuggling into the port of New York. Taken from the Saturday resents Tom Moore's best Goldwyn production. Christie comedy, "Save me Sadie."
Sunday—Herbert Rawlinson and Sylvia Breamer in J. Stuart Blackton's "A house divided." Undoubtedly the greatest Sunday play we have ever shown. Adapted from Ruth Hoit Boulcleut 's powerful novel, "The substance of his house." Special attraction, the song 'Just a song at twilight' will be rendered during the feature. Matinee at 3.30 o'clock.
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Miss Nettie B. Roe has had a ver-anda built on her house on Nashua street during the week.

A special communication of Caleb Butler lodge of Masons will be held this Friday evening at seven o'clock. Work-Master Mason degree, Lunch.

The sewing club will hold a May party in the town hall, Wednesday evening, May 5. Broderick's orches-tra of Lowell, six pieces, will furnish the music.

to take the place, in time, of those lo-cated on the line of the walk which are now dying.

ing afforded a proof of the value of going to church. How can our friend and fellow-citizen, J-M----, expect E. J. Keirstead has sold his house E. J. Keirstead has sold his house on Champney street, Groton, to C. E. Sullivan, of Ayer. There is a seven-room house, % of an acre of land, shop and henhouse; also, a dozen fruit trees and small fruits. Mr. Sullivan will move in very soon. Mr. Keirstead to quote the scriptures with the same accuracy and force that he shows in other things if the doesn't go to church oftener? Frank B. Crandall.

is undecided where to move at this writing. Fred A. Smith, of Ayer, was the broker.

Mrs. Susan M. Barker attended the meeting of a citizenship class in Boston on Tuesday,

(b) Nina Tanara Joys of Spring Girls' chorus Geibel Ching-a-ling College song Napalagua

Monologue Roselth Knapp Breed Sweet Genevieve Tucke ve School Schubert

Serenade Serenade Mr. Sardella The Clang of the Forge School

To the Editor:

in his automobile as his share of the property and was to own eventually one-half of the entire property, in-cluding the building. The partnership agreement was not signed until July 3 and in his action Saturday the plain-tiff was attempting to recover from the defendant the value of the services rendered by him until July 3. Shortly often the acrossment was signed there It is to be hoped that there are no profound regrets over the vote taken at the special town meeting to accept the act to permit certain amateur sports and games on Sunday after-noons. The substantial majority shows that the old idea that inactivity is the only work of sevence in gains was a dispute as a result of which the was a dispute as a result of which the plaintiff was before the court charged with assault and battery, but was dis-charged. It was intimated during the trial that the plaintiff still had several more actions to bring against the

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tra of Lowell, six pleces, will furnish the music. The annual clean-up campaign will begin next week under the auspices of the Woman's club. Town teams will collect rubbish Wednesday. May 5: ashes not included in rubbish. Please put containers out near the road early in the day. If Wednesday is rainy the teams will come Thurs-day. Boy Scouts, and the board of health will co-operate with the club. Anyone desiring the help of a Boy Scout to clean up telophone Mrs. C. Ar Normand, who has a list of volun-teers. A small fee will be charged by the scouts. Tho regular meeting of the Unitar, ian Girls' club will bo held Wednesd day evening. May 5: at the home of Mra, Robert Montgomery. Mrs. J. Harold Atwood and Mrs. Montgomery. George C. Maynard, of Harvard, and helpers, are engaged in trimming trees on Washington street. It has been suggested that the tree warden set out young trees inside the line of the waik which are now dying. fondant before the matter was settled. The case was taken under advisement by the court. Annual Concert and Ball, The annual concert and ball of Ayer Council, K. of C., held in the town hall on Tuesday evening proved to be one of the most enjoyable events of many seasons. The hall was never more handsomely decorated. American

more handsomely-decorated. American flags, the national colors, and pennants were the main features in the decor-ations. The service flag was hung above the stage. Caswell & Thurston of Fitchburg were the decorators. About ninety couples attended the function. A pledsing feature of the event was the large number present from neighboring dities and towns. Among those from out of town were people from Groton, Shirley. Harvard, Pepperell, Leominster, Clinton and Boston. Boston.

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and fellow-citizen, J.—., M.—., expect to quote the scriptures with the same accuracy and force that he shows in other things if the doesn't go to church oftener? Frank B. Crandall. Girls' Club Affairs. On Monday the Unitarian Girls' club held three affairs in succession in the vestry of the church. Each proved to be a success in its turn. From four to six the club held its annual sale of May baskeds. A large number of clev-ler creations were contributed and er creations were contributed and and fellow-citizen, expect Fogg's seven piece orchestra of Brockton played a concert program from eight to nine that was a musical treat: Their music for the dancing was equally enjoyed. The leader proved himself a versatile musician. playing several instruments during the course of the evening. Two gifted weal soloists, Joseph J. Ecker and Miss Alyce Choate, contributed very preciated and generously applauded. Mr. Ecker's selections were: "Ireland, Daniels.

McMahon was arrested last week Sun-day charged with breaking into the store of Wilford D. Blodgett. He was brought in for trial last week Tuesday morning, but the case was continued to bring in the other five young men who were said to be implicated in the matter. Attorney John M. Maloney represented the five, while Attorney John D. Carney represented McMahon. The boys were discharged, the case depending on a question of evidence. On Saturday morning the contract International Tractors, Plows, Corn Planters, Harrows Walking and Riding Cultivators Mak-A-Tractor for Fords

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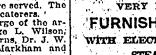
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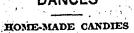
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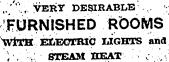
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my Ireland," Sullivan; "In the garden of my heart," Ball; "My Irish song of songs," Vreta Heber;, "Hail, K. of C." Bongs," Vreta Heber; Hall, K. of C. Ecker: "The wearing of the green," Moore. Miss Choate's selections were: "Longing, dear, for you," Densmore; "Winter in the south," Scott; "Daddy's sweetheart," Lehman; "Day, break,"

# Soldiers' club were the caterers. ' The committee in charge of the ar-rangements were George L. Wilson; chairman, George T. Burns, Dr. J. W. Dermond, Joseph M. Markham and Robert L. Stevenson.

### News Items,

PLON MOIN

The presidential primary was held in the municipal building on Tuesday evening. Only 53 votes were cast out of a registered list of 346 qualified voters 17 republicans and 6 demo-

James E. Richardson spent Sunday at the home of his sister, Mrs. Gli-more, in Clinton, where the birthday of the latter was celebrated, nearly all the relatives being present. Later in the day Mr. Richardson motored to the home of his brother in Putnam, Conn., returning home on Monday. A daughter was born on Sunday.

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HOLLIS, N. H.

A daughter was born on Sunday, April 25, to Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Credit.

Credit. The Brotherhood of the Congrega-tional church held its regular meeting on Monday evening in the church ves-try. Supper was served at 6.45. At eight o'clock Herbert I. Burges, sec-retary of the Fitchburg Y. M. C. A., gave a most interesting address on the work of the Fitchburg Y. M. C. A., specializing on the naturalization work which proved instructive and work of the Fitchburg Y. M. C. A., specializing on the naturalization work, which proved instructive and interesting. At the close of his talk all present were given an opportunity to ask Mr. Burgess questions and many availed themselves of the privilege. The meeting as a whole was most en-joyable and interesting.

Clayton Wells is having a spur track built by the Boston and Maine railroad to connect with his gravel bank which is located on the south side Tairoad to connect with his gravel
bank which is located on the south side
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pothy Lucy. The iength of the spur
track will be 300 feet and will cost
Mr. Wells \$3000. The motive that has
prompted Mr. Wells in this matter was
the fact that builders and contractors
are finding it difficult to obtain gravel
of the right quality for construction
purposes, especially cement and contractors have
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Norman Graves, of Brown road, had a telephone installed—16-21.

had a telephone installed—16-21. The board of selectmen have pre-sented the Boston Post gold-headed cane to Stephen P. Carcy, who is now the oldest man in town since the death of Albert Adams, the last possessor of the cane. Mr. Carcy will be eighty-seven years and four months of age the last day of this month.

The meeting of this month. The which was to be held on Saturday evening, May 1, will be held one even-ing earlier, April 30, at the municipal hullding.

The evening school, which has been conducted by Mrs. Ione C. Giffen ai the Church street building, closed lasi week to reopen again in the fall.

Moses Hunt was operated upon at the Massachusetts General hospital at Boston Wednesday for a serious af-fection of the throat, making the third operation.

Mrs. C. R. White will hold her dancing classes Saturday afternoon at one in I. O. O. F. hall. duties.

There was no session of the public schools held Wednesday on account of the heavy rain.

the heavy rain. The Lodies' Circle of the Congrega-tional church met Wednesday after-noon with Mrs. Henry W. Brockelman. During the business session Mrs. Alice L. Wright was reëlected president of the circle for the ensuing year. At the close of business Mrs. S. F. Goodheart, wife of the pastor, was presented with a serviceable traveling bag. The motive that prompted the gift was the fact that Mrs. Goodheart sails from Boston May 8 for a four months' visit to her May 8 for a four months' visit to her old home in England. Refreshments of confectionary was served by the hostess.

Dorothea Marle Hunt, eight years old, and Dorls Mildred Hunt, age seven years, celebrated their birthdays on Wednesday evening at their home by Wednesday evening at their home by Inviting a number of their school friends. - Both Dorothea and Doris wero born on the same day, April 28. Their parents, Mr. and Mrs Napoleon Hunt, assisted in entertaining. Games, music with the serving of refreshments wero the features enjoyed. Dorothea and Doris were the recipients of many seifts. gifts.

Edward Lucy started to work last Monday for Conant, Houghton & Co., webbing manufacturers at Littleton. Mrs. Alice L. Wright spent the first of the week with relatives at Orange.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Birchstead went to Belmont Monday to attend the fu-neral of Mr. Burchstead's cousin, Henry Kendall, of that town.

The Altrurian club met Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Charles H. Weare. Jr. Mrs. George Minot Baker of Con-cord, president-of the state federation.

Nine from Shirley Grange attended the meeting of Townsond Grange on Monday night when the third and fourth degrees were worked. They were: Earl A. Graves, Clyde Graves, Norman R. Graves, Arthur R. Holdon, Barnard Holden, Thomas H. Evans, Miss Catrie G. Bradford, Miss Lucy B. Lamkin, Miss Madolon Kemp. The Center primery and grammar Miss Ethel Goodwin has been oblig-ed to give up her position on account of ill health, and is visiting her sister, Mrs. George Hills. Mr. and Mrs. William Canavan are in town and have opened their house for the summer. The Ladies' Reading and Charitable

society will meet at the ladies' parlor on next Thursday afternoon. The Center primary and grammar schools opened on Monday for the final-term of the year, after a vacation of From May 10 to May 20 a drive for the Salvation Army will be carried on here in charge of Mrs. Marcellus Pow-ers and Mrs. Elmer Boulton. Hollis' quota is \$200.

The Fitchburg High school pupils are enjoying a vacation from their work this week. Mrs. Charles Spaulding has gone to Athol, Mass., to spend a few weeks with her son, Fred Spaulding, and The next meeting of Shirley Grange on Tuesday evening, May 4, will be a May party, with a box lunch to be fur-tished by the ladies and sold at auc-tion. The entertainment will be a

The body of Mrs. Cornelia Elkins Winn, wife of Georgo Winn, was brought here for burial on Tuesday morning in the Elkins lot in the East cemetery. Mrs. Elkins was a native of Hollis. arce given under the direction of Geo. Mr. and Mrs. Goodrich, whose home on Center road has been closed all win-

er, returned to town last week. The senior class of the high school gave a suppor in the lower town hall on Friday night.

Ralph I. Evans' new tractor is being used to draw the road scraper to scrape the roads about town and wks very satisfactorily, accomplish-ing considerably more in a day than could be done by the use of horses. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Muzzey and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Wetmore have opened their houses and drive to and from Nashua every day. Raymond Bradford of Waltham vis-ited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Bradford, on Sunday.

Nashua every day. William B. Simonds, who has been suffering from rheumatism for a long time, went to the Massichusetts Gen-eral hospital, Tuesday, for examina-tion and observation by specialist, to see if they can locate the cause of the trouble. He expects to be home the latter part of the week. Erving Si-monds came home last Saturday to stay while his father is away. Dr. Emerson of Lyan. Mass.

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Dr. Emerson of Lynn, Mass., brought his first load of goods to Mrs. Russell's on Tuesday. Myra Ellen Blood, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Blood, celebrated her seventh birthday last Saturday and entertained some of her little friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Wilson and Kenneth, Jr., were guests of Mrs. Anna-Bell last Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Gangloff and children, of Milford, visited at George W. Hardy's last Sunday.

Notis H. Forbush will sell by auction on Monday morning, May 10, at ten o'clock, for P. Clarke, Revere, 24 grade Holstein cows: also, on Saturday morn-ing, May S. at 9.15, for Anderson Bros., Jacoln, eight choice grade Holstein the reformatory and such institutions. William W. Worster was restricted to his home a few days last week with

New Advertisements

tonsilitis. The Woman's club met with Mrs. Whido Flagg Wednesday afternoon. The paper on Spiritism, written by Mrs. Mabel Sherman, was read by Mrs. French, as Mrs. Sherman is in Winchester and was unable to be pres-ent. There was music on the pro-gram and club tea was served. The next meeting, May 12, will be with Miss Rogers. WANTED An experienced cook and second maid who are willing to go to the seashore. MRS. C. A. ROBY, 12 Am-herst St., Nashua, N. H. 35tf

**FOR SALE**—Curtis low down Spread-er in perfect condition; pair of heavy Horses, good workers; prices right. E. H. FLAGG, Box 107. Littleton Common, Mass. Telephone 59-3. 2135 Miss Rogers. The teacher at the Pine Hill school, Miss Ruth M, Sargent, has been taking charge of the distribution of books loaned by the library and reports how much the children have enjoyed them. She says she thinks each child has read every book she has had for them. This seems a splendid thing to do, this branch library on a small scale, for many of the children could not get to the library to get books. Miss Florence Taite returned to Brighton Sunday to resume her school duties. FOR SALE-Holstein Bull, 3 years old. A. V. MOORE, Littleton, Mass. WANTED—A Man to drive team and nelp with the milking at the Groton fown Farm. DANIEL WHALEN, Supt. Phone 18-6.

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Wass. 161, 104-2. WANTED—Salesman for Ayer and vicinity. Commission contract only, for spare time or full time. We will teach you to sell income protection through our free school of instruction and help our free school of instruction and help our build a business of your own. MASSACHUSETTS BONDING AND IN-SURANCE COMPANY. Accident and Health Department, 6 Kilby Street, Boston, Mass. Capital \$1,500,000, 234\* In the illustrated lecture this week Wednesday night on the "Lure of Alaska," sixty-five slides were used. Miss Sarah Wilson, who is a teacher in Adams, Mass., is spending a week's vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Wilson. Oscar Lane and family of Winches-ter, Mass., spent the week-end in town.

FOR SALE-A 2%-story House, with bath, furnace heat, wired for elec-tric lights: in good condition. Apply to JAMES HILLERY, Administrator, School Street, Ayer, Mass. 2133\* Mr. and Mrs. Charles Smith, Doris Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Park-hurst attended the Pomona Grange meeting at Brookline last week Friday. CARD OF THANKS

meeting at Brookline last week Friday. They report a most interesting meet-ing with fully 150 present. Miss Beggs and Miss Titsworth will be at the ladles' parlor next Tuesday for an all-day meeting. Miss Beggs will demonstrate both the fireless and 'pressure cooker, and Miss Tits-worth will demonstrate the making over of clothing for children, which should be of great help to mothers. A full attendance is hoped for. To the Harvard Fire Department, heighbors and friends we wish to ex-press our grateful appreciation and thanks for the timely assistance ren-dered us on the morning of April 29. Also, to the Ayer Fire Department for their prompt response to our call for help.

should be of great help to mothers. A full attendance is hoped for. The change of time on the Boston and Maine railroad affects Hollis only in so far as the postoffice is concerned, and that opens an hour earlier in the morning and those wishing to get their mail at night must be there before quarter past seven or wait until morn-ing, and if one is going to the station they must start at 5.30 for the first train instead of 6.30. The change seems about as hard to figure out as seems about as hard to figure out as

Caretaker's tengent attached to the old house contains two double bed-rooms, sitting-room, hall with stove, kitchen, bathroom and toilet, wood-shed. Furnished house, running water, Mrs. Charles Bell is visiting at C. J. Bell's with her little son. The W. R. C. had another of their pleasant socials Tuesday evening to which the S. of V. and families were invited with their own families and those of the world war. These socials are becoming very nopular with their thests and all enter into the entertain-

elp. MRS. JULIA B. DAVIS and Family. Harvard, April. 29, 1920. WANTED

A Caretaker for the old historic house of FRUITLANDS on PROSPECT HILL, HARVARD, MASS, who can act as guide and show visitors about the house from May 25 to October 25. She must be pleasing and intelligent and able to learn the story, keep the house clean, and keep a strict account of the sale of books and postal cards. Party must furnish satisfactory references. Caretaker's tenemen' succed to the

Apply to MISS C. E. SEARS, 132 Bea-con St., Boston, Mass., for further par-ticulars.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that 'the subscriber has been duly appointed administratrix of the estate of EMMA E. TITUS late of Aver in the County of Middlesex, deceased, intestate, and has taken upon herself that trust by giving bond, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same; and all persons in-debted to said estate are called upon to make payment to. GRACE M. RYMES, Admx. Ayer, Mass. April 23, 1920. 3135

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# MORTGAGEE'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE

By virtue of a power of sale con-tained in a certain mortgage given by Everest W. and Harold C. Stebbins to Estelle T. Davis, dated December 14, 1918, and recorded in Middlesex South District Registry of Deeds, Book 4243, Page 404, for breach of the conditions

contained in said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same will be sold at public auction on the premises hereinafter described on the premi-enteenth day of May, 1920, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, all and singu-lar, the real estate conveyed by said mortgage deed and therein described

as follows, to wit: A certain farm with the buildings thereon situated in the Southeasterly part of Littleton in said County of Middlesex, containing about forty-four (44) acres more or less, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at the road at land now or formerly of John G. Trisden, thence Northerly on land now or formerly of said Trisden and land now or formerly of Jeremiah Tuttle to a corner at land now or formerly of said Trisden; thence Northerly on land now or formerly of said Trisden and land now or formerly of Winthrop E. Faulkner to Long Pond; thence Westerly on Long Pond to land of Elizabeth Jackson; thence on land of said Jackson as the wall stands to a stake and stones in the wall four feet from the cartpath leading to Long Pond: thence four feet from said Cartpath and by said Jackson's land, thirteen hundred and seven ty-two feet (1372) to the corner of the orchard at land of said Jackson thence by said Jackson's land to the

road begun at: thence by said road to the point of beginning or however otherwise the same may be bounded or described; ALSO a certain other piece or parcel of land situated in the South. easterly part of Littleton; containing eight acres more or less bounded and described as follows, to wit: Beginning

at land formerly of Varnum Tuttle thence Easterly on said Tuttle land and land now or formerly of John Trisder about twenty-six and one-half rods to

land of said Trisden: thence Northerl on said land forty-one rods to land o said Tuttle: thence Westerly on said Tuttle land twenty-eight rods now or formerly of James Griffith and said Tuttle; thence Southerly on said land thirty-two rods to the said road; thence Southerly on said road ten rods to the first mentioned bound; being bounded by the stone wall as it now stands. Being the same premises con-veyed to Everest W. and Harold C. Stebbins by deed of Estelle T. Davis dated December 14, 1918 and recorded

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The body of Miss Annie B. Hunter
was taken from the tomb Wednesday
afternoon and placed in the family
lot. Rev. S. F. Goodheart, pastor of
the Concregational church, read the
committal service.
Children's day will be observed by
the Altrurian club next Thursday afternoon in I. O. O. F. hall at three
o'clock. The program for the afternoon is in charge of the ways and
means committee.
The Sewing club will hold a May
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The Sewing club will hold a May party in the town hall. Ayer, Wednes-day, May 5. Broderick's singing or chestra, of Lowell, six pieces.

Dyeing, dry cleansing and remodel-ing of men's and women's garments; also, prossing, J. W. Murry, tailor, Ayer. Telephone 58-2.

Center.

The Camp Fire Girls held a meeting Jast Saturday afternoon with Misses Edna and Clara-Buxton at Woodsville.

Mr. Davis, a salesman for C. A. Cross & Co., has moved his family into the Haradon house on the state road at the North, formerly occupied by Delbert Waterman and family,

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Johnson and baby of Waltham and Dr. and Mrs. Guild of Chelsea are spending a few days at the Stone house on Parker read road.

Miss Carrie G. Bradford, Miss Lucy B. Lamkin, Earl A. Graves, Clyde Graves and Kenneth Longley attended

Mr. and Mrs. Williams and family moved on Saturday into the Carey place, now owned by G. L. Snow, Mr. Williams is to manage Mr. Snow's es-tate on Brown read. tate on Brown road.

Miss Vera Bradford returned on Sunday to Everett after a vacation of one week spent with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Bradford.

Mrs. F. A. Wyman, who has been spending the winter in Ayer, has re-turned to her home here for the sum-

Robert H. J. Holden represented the of years, left there this week Thursday Shirley school committee at the meet-ing of the superintendency union of which this town is a member, held at West Boylston on Monday afternoon.

ment provided with a spirit that shows their appreciation. Lunch was served

he income tax.

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with whom he lives. They were form er residents of Hollis. contract.

er residents of Hollis. Word has been received by Mrs. Anna Bell of the death by drowning of her grandson, Lleut, Frank Bell, who was dying from Los Angeles, Cal., where he had been to visit his mother, who is spending the winter there. The airplane went down into a river in San Antonio. Texas. No further particulars have been received. Lieut, Bell was a young man of fine character and great promise and his sad death comes as a great blow not only to his family but to all his friends. Beside his moth-er be leaves one sister. Mrs. Kenneth

but to all his friends. Beside his moth-or he leaves one sister, Mrs. Kenneth Wilson of Fitchburg, Mass., his grand-mother, Mrs. Anna Bell, an aunt, Miss Sarah Bell and an uncle, C. J. Bell, of Hollis, an uncle, William Bell, of Hollis, an uncle, William Bell, of Holpicer Roads, and James Bell of California. He was the son of the late C. Fred Bell, Dr. Frank Bell of this form in his grace uncleased.

own is his great uncle. Funeral services for Mrs. Eliza Free-

B. Lamkin, Earl A. Graves, Clyde Graves and Kenneth Longley attended the meeting of Greton Grange Tuesday evening and witnessed the third and fourth degrees.
Bobin Mackaye has returned to his work at Harvard college after spend-ing a week's vacation in town.
Mr. and Mrs. Charles K. Bolton mer home on Center road. Stanwood and Geoffrey Bolton have returned to Hills, Las: Markail, Mrs. Nel-son Parkhurst and Mrs. Philip Baker. Miss Charles K. Bolton mer home on Center road. Stanwood and Geoffrey Bolton have returned to Harvard college after a vacation of bought Mr. Barnard's cottage on Cen-staying at the home of Mr. and Mrs.
Mr. and Mrs. Williams and family.
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Mr. and Mrs. Williams and family.

FRANK Z. MARTELL. Ayer, Mass., May 1, 1920. 3135\* COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHU-SISTS. Worcester, ss. Probate Court. To all persons interested in the estate of LUCY E. HYNES late of Harvard in said County, decensed. Whereas, CHARLES F. WORCESTER administrator of the estate of said de-ceased, has presented for allowance the first and final account of his adminis-tration upon the estate of said decensed. You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Count to be held at Worcester, in said County, on the eleventh day of May A. D. 1920, at nine o'clock in the forenson, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be al-lowed. And said administrator is ordered to serve this clution by delivering a copy thereof to all persons interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said Court, or by publishing the same once in each weck, for three successive weeks, in the Harvard Hillside, a news-paper published in Ayer, the last pub-heat before said Court. Witness, William T. Forbes, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this fifteenth day of April in the year of our Lord one thousid nine hundred and twenty. 3134 HAREY H. ATWOOD, Register.'

Miss Mildred French has been spending a week's vacation at home.

Miss, Frances Goodwin is spending her week's vacation with her sister, Mrs. George Hills, and family.

Thirty-five young people from here attended a dance in Brookline last week Friday night.

Miss Clara Johnson, who has been with Mrs. Ralph Herrick for a number

Said premises will be sold subject to all unpaid taxes and tax liens, if any and a prior mortgage of two thousand dollars.

Five hundred dollars (\$500) will be required to be paid in cash by the purchaser at the time and place of sale. Any further terms will be an-

nounced at the sale. ESTELLE T. DAVIS,

Mortgagee and present holder of said mortgage.

On and after this date I hereby give my son, ALPHY J. MARTELL, his time and will not claim any of his wages or be responsible for any debts he may Littleton, April 21, 1920. Henry W. Sprague, Attorney, 649 Tremont Building,

Boston, Mass.

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Boston, Mass, 3134 COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHU-SETTS. 'Middlesex, ss. Probate Court. To the heirs-at-law, next. of kin-creditors, and all other persons inter-ested in the estate of RETER J. Mc-IONALD late of Pepperell in said Cour-ty. deceased, intestate. Whereas a petition has been present-ed to said Court to grant a letter of ad-ministration on the estate of said de-ceased to JENNIE B. McDONALD of Pepperell in the Courty of Middlesex, without glving a surety on her bond. You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge. in said Court to May A, D. 1920, at nine o'clock in the forchoon, to show cause if any you have, why the same should not be granted. And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by pub-lishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in Turner's Public Spirit, a newspaper published in Ayer, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, Witness, George F. Lawton, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twenty-first day of April in the year one thou-sand nine hundred and twenty. 3134 F. M. ESTY, Register.

Witness, William T. Forbes, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this fifteenth day of April in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twenty.
3134 HARBY H. ATWOOD, Register.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the subscriber has been duly appointed administratrix of the celait of JOHN McCARTHY lato of Shirley in the estate of said deceased are required to achibit the same; and all persons interest of the trust un-debted to said estate are called upon to make payment to Shirley. Mass. April 12, 1920.
Shirley EBROWN infe of ALBER A. FILLEBROWN infe of ALBER A. FILLEBROWN infe deceased are required to exhibit the same; and all persons in the subscriber has been duly appointed to sake payment to ANNIE E. FILLEBROWN. ANNIE E. FILLEBROWN. ANNIE E. FILLEBROWN. ANNIE E. FILLEBROWN. April 12, 1920.
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It's a good time right now to answer that question. We're passing through the world just once; how much better will the world be because you passed through?



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State Road Littleton, Mass. COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHU-SETTS. Middlesex ss. Probate Court. To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the es-tate of BYRON H. LAWS late of Town-send in said Court, deceased. Whoreas, a certain instrument pur-porting to be the last will and testa-ment of said deceased has been pro-sent it osaid Court, for Probate, by CHARLES A. LAWS who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to hum, the executor therein named, with-out giving a surety on his official bond. You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be heid at Cambridge in said County of Middlesex, on the third day of May A. D. 1920, at mine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted. And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by pub-lishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Townsend Tocsin, a newspaper publish-ed in said Courty, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing postpaid, or de-livering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the gs-tate, seven days at least before said Court. — Witness, George F. Lawton, Esquire.

Witness, George F. Lawton, Esquire, Witness, George F. Lawton, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this fifth day of April in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty, N. FETY Recister,

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nine hundred and twenty. 3t3 F. M. ESTY. Register. COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHU-SETTS. Middlesex, ss. Probate Court. To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the es-tate of CHARLES S. PARKER late of Pepperell in said County, deceased. Whereas, certain instruments pur-porting to be the last will and testa-ment--and one codicil--of said deceased have been presented to said Court, for Probate, by LAURA E. PARKER who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to her, the executrix therein named, without giving a surety on her official bond. You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be heid at Cambridge in said County of Middlesex, on the tenth day of May A. D. 1920, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause. If any you have, why the same should nol be granted. And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by pub-lishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Pep-pereli Ciarion-Advertisor, a newspaper published in said County, the last pub-lication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by malling postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least bofore said Court. Witness, George F. Lawton, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this fifteenth day of April in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty. 3134 F. M. ESTY, Register,

TOWNSEND Center.

Center. The annual meeting of the Monday club was beld on Monday afternoon at the home of the president, Mrs. Anna Bliss. After the yearly reports were read at the business meeting the fol-lowing officers were elected for the new club year: Mrs. M. Elizabeth Smith, pres.; Mrs. Helen P. Fessen-den, v. p.; Mrs. Anna Bliss, see, and treas.; Mrs. Elizabeth Hartford and Mrs. Carrie H. Doane, directors. A social hour followed with the serving of refreshments by the hostess. The body of Mrs. Abble Bruce was

The body of Mrs. Abbie Bruce was taken from the receiving tomb, Mon-day, for burkal in the family lot beside her late husband in Hillside centery. Berton Bruce, of Boston, Mr, and Mrs. Wilbur Bruce, of this town, and Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Hart, of Brookline, ac-companied the remains to their last diction. **Frolley Express** 

ompanied the remains to their inst-resting place. The body of William Gurley was taken from the tomb last Saturday and conveyed by auto hearse to Hudson for burlai in the family lot. The body was accompanied by Mrs. Ida Dresser and Mr. and Mrs. Bertram Gurley. The food and May hearbet sale re-

The food and May basket sale re-cently held by the Daughters of Vet-erans notted \$14.

The teachers are enjoying a vaca-tion week at their respective homes. Mrs. Susie Sheridan and Mrs. Charles Sheridan, of Chicago, have been recent visitors of Mrs. Katherine Markham. Mrs. Susie Sheridan plans to spend the summer with her nicce, Mrs. Markham.

Townsend high school baseball team defeated 'Pepperell high in 'Pepperell last Saturday by the score of 10 to 3. Errors by the Pepperell infield in the first inning were largely responsible for the result. The game was featured a fast fielding by Green and Keete.

Townsend friends are glad to wel-come the return to town of Mr. and Mrs. James Woolley, of East Boston, who opened their summer home here this work this week.

Inis week: A few days ago Claude E. Hartford came to his home on Townsend hill to bid his relatives farewell before start-ing on his journey across continents to take up his work in Batavia, Java. for the Standard Oll Company of New York. With several business associ-ates he goes to Vancouver, Wish., there to take passage on the ship. The Emperor of Asia." After motoring across Japan he will touch at China Emperor of Asia." After motoring across Japan he will touch at China, the Philippines, Hongkong and Singa-pore in the order named. He takes with him his trusty automatic Colt's revolver, which accompanied him in his forty-two battles in the air in the world war and he has iskingly prom-

orld war, and he has jokingly prom-sed his mother a tiger skin of his own shooting before the year is out. Claude was born on a Saturday and the old raging. "Saturday's child has far to go." bids fair to prove true in his case.

Mr. and Mrs. Quinn and Mr. and frs. Potts, of Boston, and Mrs. Har-is, of Cambridge, have been recent uests of Mrs. Martha Hildreth.

At the meeting of the registrars the following names were added to the voting list: Edward T. Barnes, Ira D. Carlton, Frank B. Faton, David S. Ludwig, J. Warren Wetherbee.

Ludwig, J. Warren Wetherbee. The Birthday club will hold their May meeting at the home of Mrs. El-len. Estes, Tuesday afternoon, May 4. Hostesses, Mrs. Lila Estes, Mrs. Fan-nie Meade and Mrs. Elnora Smith. Mrs. Mary Spring is in charge of the afternoon program. Mrs. Evelyn L. Warren is to be the speaker and her subject is, "Among the quaint and curious doings of the past." Mr. and Mrs. George H. Upham of

Mr. and Mrs, George H. Upham of Brookline street are receiving con-gratulations upon the birth of a son, Tuesday:

Mrs. Blanche Wheeler of the Fifth Avenue Feature service, New York-city, has been visiting her mothen Mrs. C. W. Hildreth. Maxine Temple of Fitchburg Is vis-lting her grandmother, Mrs. Henry Coudry.

The district superintendent, Dr. Spaulding, is expected to be present at the Methodist church Friday, eve-ning, May 7, and give his lecture on "South America," which he illustrates with the stereopticon. At the close of the lecture the Methodist quarterly conference is to be held.

At the Congregational church, Sun, At the Congregational church, Sun-day morning, Rev. A. L. Struthers' sermon topic is "The joy of life." Ser-mon to the children, "Thoroughbred." Communion service will be held at the close of the morning service. It is ex-pected that Rev. Leroy Lyons, who occupied: the Methodist pulpit last Sunday will preach again Sunday.

Charles Powell of Nashua recently isited his sister, Mrs. Hattle Misner, Mrs. Misner, who has been seriously

younger people coming in to lend a hand heartily in maintaining its use fulness and influence.

fuinces and influence. A large number were present in-cluding members from Lunenburg, Shirley, Groton, New Joswich, Green-ville, Brookline and Madison, N. H., and Warwick, R. I. Remarks from visiting patrons and the singing of "America" closed the evening's pro-grom gram. At this meeting it was announced

At this meeting it was announced that the Grange had received the prize of a check of five dollars from the Middlesex-Worebster Pomona Grange for having the largest attendance dur-it the year of any Grange in its juris-

The next regular meeting of the The next regular meeting of the Grange will be held on Monday even-ing, May-10, "neighbors' night" with Prescott Grange, of Pepperell. En-tertainment will be furnished by the visiting Grange and supper by the local order.

West. Mrs. Charles T. McDormond of the Fitchburg road is entertaining her daughter, and husband, who made the trip from Boston by auto Tuesday.

Deniel Coffey and family moved on Thursday from their cottage on Main street to the town farm, where they will take the place of Mr. Davis, as superintendent. Mr. and Mrs. Abbott Hodgman will immediately move into the cottage vacated by the Hodgmans and it is expected that Mr. Hodgman will enter the support of Orean Mrd. will enter the employ of Oscar Mudgett.

John McElligott of Boston was at he Richard McElligott place for a brief visit last week.

Miss Evelyn Newton of the Center was a guest of Mrs. Winchester at the Squannicook Inn Wednesday. Dr. Sullivan and Dr. Saunders from

Boston, who have charge of the dental clinic, are stopping at the Squanni-cook Inn for a few days. The children from the schools here are conveyed to the Center to the clinic.

Mrs. Alice Warren and baby from Dedham are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Weston. The regular monthly meeting of the L. B. B. S. will be held at the Bap-tist vestry on Wednesday. May 5, and nublic supper will be served from 6.30 until 7.30, followed by a social hour with a brief program.

Charles Donley, clerk at W. A. Bout-well's store, is confined to his home by illness.

Miss Myrtle Hobart of Waverly has been a recent guest of her mother, Mrs. Mary Robbins. The public schools will commence the summer term as usual on Monday, May 3.

Miss Eva Sawlor, who has been at her home for a few days, has returned to Boston.

Miss Georgiana McKean of Beverly, who has been spending a few days with her father, Rev. Joseph McKean, 's spending the remainder of her va-cation in Brattleboro, Vi., where she was formerly employed as a teacher

was formerly employed as a teacher. Mr, and Mrs. Roy Kaddy from Bos-ton spent Sunday with Mr. Kaddy's sister, Mrs. Foster Hamilton, and her mother, Mrs. Rebecca Kaddy, from Groton, is remaining for a few days' visit with relatives in town. Mrs. Herbert Nevins of Worcester is a guest of Mr, and Mrs. Frank Ham-liton at their farm on Stevens hill. Miss' Marion Boutelle, who teaches

ilton at their farm on Stevens hill. Miss Marion Boutelle, who teaches in North Andover, ils enjoying the week's vacation at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Boutelle. Miss Florence Young of West Thompson. Conn., is visiting at the home of Harrison Young. Mrs. Charles Donley has been en-joying a visit from her nieces, the Misses Whitney, from New Ipswich. Mrs. Charles Hodgman, entertained

Mrs. Charles Hodgman entertained her Sunday school class of boys, the Live Wires, at her home on Tuesday ovening for their regular monthly Meeting and a most enjoyable evening is reported.

s reported. Mrs. Ella Farley from Hollis is at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Farnsworth for a few days.

Herbert Wise has entered the em-ploy of W. Z. Sherwin and is at present employed carpentering at the Center. Ashbel Streeter, who is soon to Ashoel streeter, who is soon to leave for Hull, where he will make his home with his son and family, was recently presented with a purse made up by his friends in appreciation of his services in the Baptist choir for a

umber of years. Carrie Chase, who assists at the home of Mrs. Susan Morgan, has been spending a few days with friends out of town. Mrs. Ethel Welch assisted

of town. at the Morgan home during her absence. At the recent meeting of the Ladies' Mission Circle the following were ap-pointed a committee to solicit for the

ed by a widow and four-year-old son in Revere, and a sister in Athol. Miss Gladys Rawson, who teaches in Athol, is enjoying the spring vacation at the home of her mother, Mrs. Herman L. Stickney

Mr, and Mrs. Eyerett Petts and son Harold, from Greenville, former resi-dents here, spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Donloy. Mrs. G. M. Frye, from Revere, spent the week-end with friends in the vil-

an operation. Mrs. Heath is master of Hillsboro County Fomona Grange Mr. Scott, of Ashby, Mass., has been visiting his daughter. Mrs. Jeannette Woods.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Balley and aughter Mildred, of Pepperell, at-ended the Pomona meeting here on Friday and attended the dance in the evening.

Mrs. Pearl Elliott has been a recent visitor in Leominster, Mass, Alpha Hall had a bad chimney fire last week Friday night, but no damage vas done.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Kelley and Master Arthur Kelley have returned to their home on Milford street.

The South Brookline Social club met on Thursday afternoon, April 22, with Mrs. Perley Pierce. The usual good time was enjoyed and a delicious lunch served by the hostess. Harry Hall and family, from Fitch-burg, Mass., have been recent guests

in town. The twenty-five Boy Scouts from Dorchester, Mass, who have been staying at the Ray farm, returned by

auto truck to their homes on last Saturday.

Mrs. Arline Kecy spent the week-end with her husband and daughter in town, coming from New Ipswich, where she is teaching.

There will be a Pomona Grange meeting in Bennington on Tuesday May 4.

Gustus Carleston was a guest in Bos-ton on last Saturday. Mr. Thuber and family, from Brook-ine, Mass., spent last Sunday at their

summer home. Mrs. John Andrews has returned home. Her daughter, Miss Ruth An-drews, and granddaughter, Miss Miri-

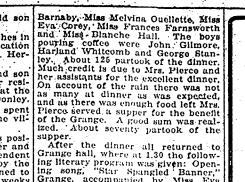
am Seeley, came home with her to stay a few days. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Jackson, of Quincy, Mass., spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dunbar.

Miss Katherine Bryan has been en-tertaining her friend, Miss Emma T. Knight, of Boston.

The May flowers are getting to be quite plentiful, some very nice ones having been picked.

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held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Ferguson, the following literary and musical program was given: The president, Mrs. Eldorous C. Shattuck, read a fine paper, giving an outline of the work of the club during the past four years, and the plans for its future; O. D. Fessenden, 'larence Morse, Fred Rockwood, John Ferguson, Perley Pierce, David Barnaby and Chester Barnaby responded with speeches; John Gilmore, as wilty as ever, kent the party in gales of laughter while performing his part of the program as toastmaster; sele, "Dear little boy of mine," Mrs. David Barnaby, accompa-Mr. and Mrs. Winchester were alone in the house and at 4.15 he rose from his bed and went to the bathroom. Fifteen minutes later Mrs. Winchester heard the report of a revolver and went at once to her husband, but when she reached him he was dead. The body was viewed by Medical Examiner Norton 'of Fitchburg and afterwards given over to the under-takers. The examination of Dr. Nor-ton disclosed the fact that Mr. Win-chester had lately often complained of severe headaches and in various ways showed a spirit of depression. Un-doubtedly this caused him to end his life. performing his par-toastmaster; solo-mine," Mrs. David nied by Mrs. Cha-"Tfll we meet agai guson and Fred R nied by Miss Haz-the rest of the y-Hazel Storer, ac-Lila Haywood, of ent joined in sing! "Dear little boy of d Barnaby, accompa-larence, Morse; duet, ain," Mrs. John Fer-Rockwood, accompa-zel Storer; salo, "Let world go by," Miss "companied by Mrs. f Nashua. All pres-grag many of the olddoubtedly this caused min to end me life. Mr. Winchester was born in Pea-body on May 8, 1854, so was nearly sixty-six years of age. His child-hood was passed in his native town. Afterward he went to Wakefield, then to Shirley and came to Lunenburg in 1894, where he bought a farm, and carried on a greenhouse, market-garent joined in sing ng many of the old-The household goods of Nathanie, Gilkey were moved to Melrose, Mass., Context, a large auto truck coming arried on a greenhouse, market-gardening and fruit culture, a business for which he was well fitted, and in which his plants, vegetables, etc., were the delight of all his patrons. A few years ago he sold the farm, built a, new house on the Leominster road and en-tered the poultry business. Three years ago he purchased the Samuel Hartwell place on Howard street in the north part of the town, where he has since resided, and where he died. He is survived by a widow and two children, George S., who lives on West street, and a daughter, Mrs. Bertha Francis. lening and fruit culture, a busines Mrs. George i terley had the pleas. is six of her sisters ure of entertain had not been torecently. As 1 sether for seve cars it was a mos "ears it was a most "he party consisted inders and son Ed-Mass.; Mrs. Anna «, Mass.; Mrs. Jen-erre. Vt.; Miss Alice A, Hinds, Mrs. Al len Saunders, of enjoyable event of Mrs. E. A. ward, of Mald Putnam, of Renie Lenwood Day, Mrs. Mor Richards and Townsend. Prancis. The funeral was held at his late nome on Thursday afternoon and was The following the new time for orivate Ayer and Milford: a the morning will and to Milford at Ayer in the after-here at 2.27, and to the trains going New Advertisements The train to A leave here at 8.42. The train noon will leav Milford at 5.54 d Wright, of Nash-running a dancing e last few months, Mrs. Hattie ua, who has be school here for gave her schol a final dance in all on Friday even-Daniels academt ball on Friday even-ing of last week. The hall was very tastily decorated with streamers of pink and green paper; also, a curtain for the stage was made of the same. The I, O, O, F erchostra of Nashua furnished music. From 8 to 8:30 the children gave a fine exhibition of marching and dancing. A farge crowd attended the rest of the dance which continued until one o'clock. Auto par-ties came from Nashua, Hollis, Town-send and Pepperell. Ice cream was served at intermission in the banquet hall. It was a very pretty and suc-Daniels academa hall. It was a very pretty and suc A decaying tooth is a sick tooth. cessful party. it is not restored to health, it breeds



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they responding to an encore, and both children deserved much praise for

they responding to an encore, and both children deserved much praise for their act. The one-act farce, "Paried by Patience," was given by the following members of the Grange: Mrs. El-dorous Shattuck, as "Aunt Patience," who was never making trouble, kept the audience in gales of laughter and did her part with much credit; Fred Haft, as Robert Allen, and Miss Blanche Hall, as Mrs. Allen, got into trouble, but finally got things stralght-ened.out at last, and Miss Eva Corey, as Eleanota Corey, and Harland Whit-comb, as her lover, found that true love does not always run smooth. The closing song was a beautiful solo, "Just be glad." rendered by Mrs. Olive Fer-guson, with Miss Eva Corey as her ac-combanist. Mrs. Ferguson has a won-derful voice and it was a great disap-pointment to many that she did not resmond to the very hearty encore giv-en her. The afternoon closed with the Grange singing "Red, white and blue." There were many members present from different parts of the state and also from Massachusetts.

LUNENBURG

News Items.

News mens. The Red Cross society will hold its annual meeting in the lower town hall on Monday evening, May 3. It is hoped that every subscriber to the Red Cross will be present as a large attendance is desired. There will be a detailed report of the work of the public health nurse and other interesting features will be given, of benefit to everyone. Miss Nathelie Methods in Statution Miss Nathalie Nickelson is enjoying he week of vacation with friends in Boston.

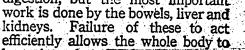
Work on the state road has begun, beginning at the Stephen Adams place in Goodrichville, and coming towards the Center. The work is in the hands of the Rowe Construction Co., of Bos-ton, who are this week engaged in hauling cement, some of the auto trucks averaging five tons to the load —a pretty heavy load for the present condition of the roads. Suicide. beginning at the Stephen Adams place Suicide.

The citizens of this usually quiet town were much startled Tuesday to receive the news that George H. Win-chester was dead, and more startling The four-act comedy-drama, "How Jim made good," will be given in Dan-lels academy hall on Friday evening, May 7, for the benefit of the Frank E. Kilduft post. A. L. Those taking parts are Alfred Barnaby, Forace Hall, John Gilmore, Chester Barnaby, David Barnaby, Elodrous Fessenden, Mrs. Hattie Pierce, Mildred Dodge, Frances Farnsworth: There will be specialities Setween the acts. Dancing will fol-Setween the fourth annual gentlemen's between the theme-of Mr. and Mrs. John Ferguson, the following literary

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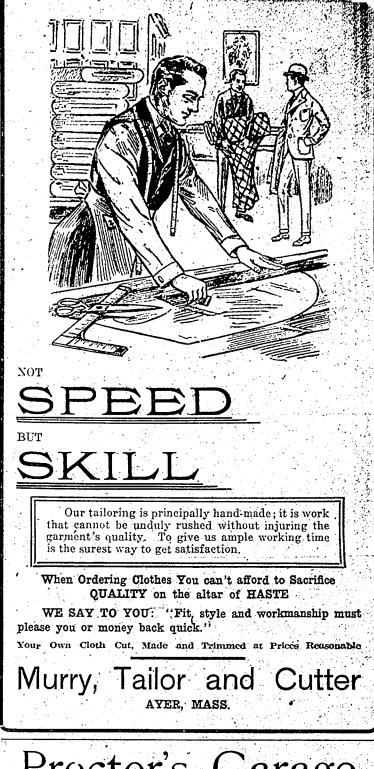
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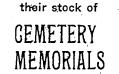
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Ayer, Maso. N. A. SPENGER & SON At the primary held on Tuesday in emorial hall 52 ballots were cast— <sup>2</sup> republicans and 10 democrats. Wish to call your attention to

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big world drive for missions during the week from April 25 to May 3: Mrs, Abbott Hodgman, Mrs, Charles Hodgill, is reported as more comfortable. Townsend music-lovers enjoyed the American Indian operetta, "The feast of the red corn," which was finely presented by the Girls' Glee club of the high school on last week Friday even-ing in Memorial hall. Indian charac-teristics were splendidly brought out by the musical rendering of the solo-sts, chorus and the little girl arrow dancers. The part of the old squaw, taken by Mrs. Bennice Bachelder, was worthy of mention, the part also callill, is reported as more comfortable. Abbott Hodgman, Mrs. Charles Hodg-nan, Mrs. Fred A. Patch and Rev. oseph McKean. Mr. and Mrs. Ormsby and two of heir children have been visiting in boston this week.

Miss Martha Jones, who has been spending a few weeks at the Squan-nicook Inn, has returned to her home in Mason. Miss Ruth Bennett, of Worcester,

has been a recent visitor at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Sennett.

Ebed Westover, from Boston, has been visiting his cousins, the Misses Eva and Ivora Sawlor.

weeks and the success of the operetta was due in no small measure to the lirecting of Miss Mirlam Adams and the plano accompaniment by Miss Hazel Copp. Music was furnished by the Townsend orchestra and dancing followed until eleven o'clock. The proceeds were for the Girls' Athletic lub. A meeting of the supper committee in charge of the supper to be given on May 5, at the Baptist vestry, was held on Wednesday evening at the home of the L. B. B. S. president.

The public schools closed on last week Friday afternoon for a week's vacation before commencing the sum-mer term and the teachers left Friday evoning for their respective homes in Fitchburg, West Berlin and Pepperell. The honors for the half term at the high school awarded to the pupils of this village are Daniel and Persis Ormsby and Hardet R. Shepherd: special honors, Janet Clark, Eleanor Litch, Doris Tenney, Lucle Reynolds, and honor list. Ruby Elliott. George Shepherd and Charles Reynolds.

Shepherd and Charles Reynonds. Mrs. Joseph McKean has been spending a few days in Boston and in Beverly, and on her return will be recompanied by Miss Georgiana Mc-Kean, who will enjoy a week's vaca-tion from her duties as teacher in one of the Beverly schools. of the Beverly schools.

Mrs. Aldeb Sherwin and children are spending a week at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sangster Troupe, of Quincy. Mr. and Mrs. Albert Adams, of Providence. R. L. are spending a few days at the home of Mrs. Martha Adams.

Harrison Young, who is employed at Vose and is laid off for a week on account of the raliroad strike, is assist-ing for a few days in carpenter work at the new leatherboard mill at the Harbor

One of the most worthy occasions was held at the regular meeting of the Grange on Monday evening when Harbor. The body of George Milton Frye, of Revere, which was placed in the tomb in the West Towngend cemetery on February 9, was buried in the family lot last Saturday afternoon and a.serv-ice was held at the grave at 2.30 with Rev. Joseph McKean of the Baptist church officiating, and a' party of friends and neighbors, a, delegation from the Phebe Weston Farmer Tent, D. of V., and two comrades of the G. A. R. united with the sorrowing widow in paying the last tribute of respect to class of young candidates were in-litiated in the third and fourth degrees.

More than 150 Patrons of Husbandry were present. The floor work and marches preceding the third degree, together with the high-grade work of both the ladies' degree team and the regular officers in the fourth degree, attracted, favorable comment. Fol-lowing, the initiation back and too owing the initiation cake and ice ream were served the guests and nembers in the banquet hall, in harge of Mr. and Mrs. Frank A.

The grange in its town and urged the base of heart disease. Ho was super in its town and urged the base of heart disease. Ho was super in its town and urged the base of heart disease. Ho was super in its town and urged the base of heart disease. Ho was super in its town and urged the base of heart disease. Ho was super in its town and urged the base of heart disease. Ho was super in its town and urged the base of heart disease. Ho was super interesting being called at eleven of the adult. It was tory interesting the take trouble of the adult. It was tory interesting the adult in paying the last tribute of respect to o'clock, and was vory interesting. At the memory of the deceased. Mr. 12.30 a dinner was served at the Dan-be grange as a noble organization bout twenty years, and is pleasantly the usual excellent cooking, which was the usual excellent cooking, which was the passed at two pars age, where the usual excellent cooking. Write Rockwood, community, should be provid of a brief illness of heart disease. Ho was the source were the structure to the source of the provide the provide the seventy-one years of age and is survive. Mrs. Blanche Shattuck, Mrs. Florence

Pomona Meeting.

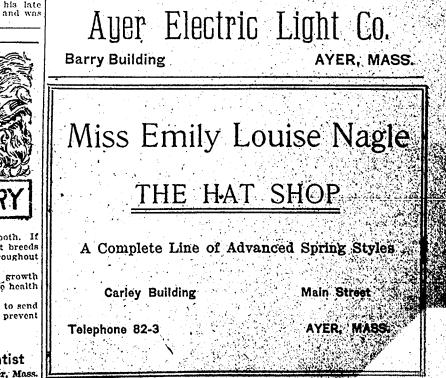
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local aviation camp, stated last night that Liout. Bell was evidently attempt-ing to make the best of a bad situawork—give aid by ministerial pensions and help educational institutions. Last Sunday Dr. Gutterson preached when he attempted a landing in a convincing sermon in the interest of the interchurch world movement tellng us that our denomination needs to

tion when he attompted a landing in the Colorado river; that he was not attempting' a flight under the Ocean-to-Ocean highway bridge, and that there is no question concerning the disobedionce of orders. "Lieut, Bell," said Mr. Taylor, "was ne of the best and most conservative "dots in this part of the country. En-rine trouble caused the accident Thursday--not an attempt to fiv under the Ocean-to-Ocean highway bridge." The mother of Lieut, Bell was noti-fied of the death of her son and ar-rived in Yuma late last night. All day long there was a large crowd raise three million dollars as an emersency fund this year. We have done nothing for the Pil-Srim fund and this opportunity for larger giving should appeal to us all. Congrogationalists are asked to rise from their apportionment of \$2.42 per

member to \$6.44 per member The survey reveals the surprising fact that 58 millions in our country All day long there was a large crowd on the bluff above the river below the Southern Pacific, bridge, and on the bridge itself. The acroplane accident of Thursday was the first major acci-dent, in the history of aviation in Yuma, and the morbid curlous are locking the waters, acce, watching never attend church and 27 million children and young people do not go to Sunday school or have any connec tion with the societies of the church Sunday, May 2, the pastor will bring the subject of giving for the interchurch movement before the church and congregation. It is hoped ocking the water's edge watching he work go on.

It may be of interest to know that Lieut. Bell was born in Nashua, twen-ty-four years ago and lator lived in Pepperell about tweive years, attend-ing the Pepperell schools therefore having many classmates and friends in town. The two days previous to the time of the accident he spont with his mother in Los Angeles. Cal., and was on his way back to San Antonio, Tex-as, where he was stationed at the time of his death. all who are interested in the coming of Christ's kingdom will be present and decide that our church and town shall not be left out in this great work among thirty denominations. It was voted to hold the regular Sunday morning service an hour earlier by the old time-11 a. m., new time.

To the Citizens of Boxboro: We were very privileged last Sunday morning to have the challenging ap peal of the interchurch world move ment presented by Dr. George H. Gut-terson. The question now comes-What shall we do about it? Literally, hundreds of millions of people in for-

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essage which they have never heard. The regular meeting of the As You And, in our own United States there Like It club was held on Tuesday at Mrs. Galen Proctor's. It was utility are vast areas in manufacturing, min-ing and lumber districts which are at neeting-each member was invited to present very inadequately manned bring two articles that were most use-ful to them and to tell how they used the united effort of thirty cooperating these articles. The exhibit was inter-esting. It included spool holders, evangelical churches to meet these needs of the world, both home and foreign. The apportionment for this state is \$11,302,000. To raise this measuring cups and spoons, pie pans, acuum cleaner, patient shoe soles, apole cutters, jar openers, etc. neans that all must work together.

The club was most fortunate in hav-ing Mrs. Minnie Green of Peppercli We cannot believe that those who gave so liberally as did the people of with them. Mrs. Green gave a very in-Boxboro toward every form of war acteresting paper on "Economy in the home and how to practice it." The tivity will want to be unrepresented in this great interchurch movement hostess was assisted in serving lunch by Mrs. Frank Conant. whose purpose is the furthering and perfecting of the principles of rightcousness and justice—the very ideals for which so many lives were given The club guests were Mrs. Minnie Green and Miss Dane of Pepperell.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. Foss. Mrs. Smith lecturer. during the world war. Your subscription, be, it large or

small, will be very gladly received by the church treasurer, B. C. Steele, on

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of Lexington interestingly presented the Interchurch world movement at the vestry. In spite of the rainy day a representative number of the women of our town were present and listened to startling facts and figures showing the great need of efficiency in church

An attendance of about ninety of the day to visit his nicc. Mrs. Jennic Homes Rice. Townsend street. John Coffer, formerly of this town, but pow employed at the Ayer nul-rad attion, recently won the motor cycle and side car, drawn at the Men's cibb at Somervillo last week. He has already sold it for \$300. J. G. Willey has been confined to his Home at Exast village by an attack of pleurisy. Briel Rust is spending his school wastion, with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Rust, at Cliftondale. Marden Shattuck needed no intro-orecting by Fred Hartwell and family. Briel Husting robok in esting the'r ballots. Mrs. An E. Elikins has purchased the wasting the'r ballots. Mrs. Ann Davis was taken to St. Three Amn Davis was taken to St. Three Amn Davis was taken to St. Three Musting bolt, bolt work. Work, Funds are needed to make good the value of a dollar. The American board calimates the added cost of rate of exchange will be \$200,000 this year. ... The money must be a to The money raised carry:on missionary onterprises in our own country-to do home missionary

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