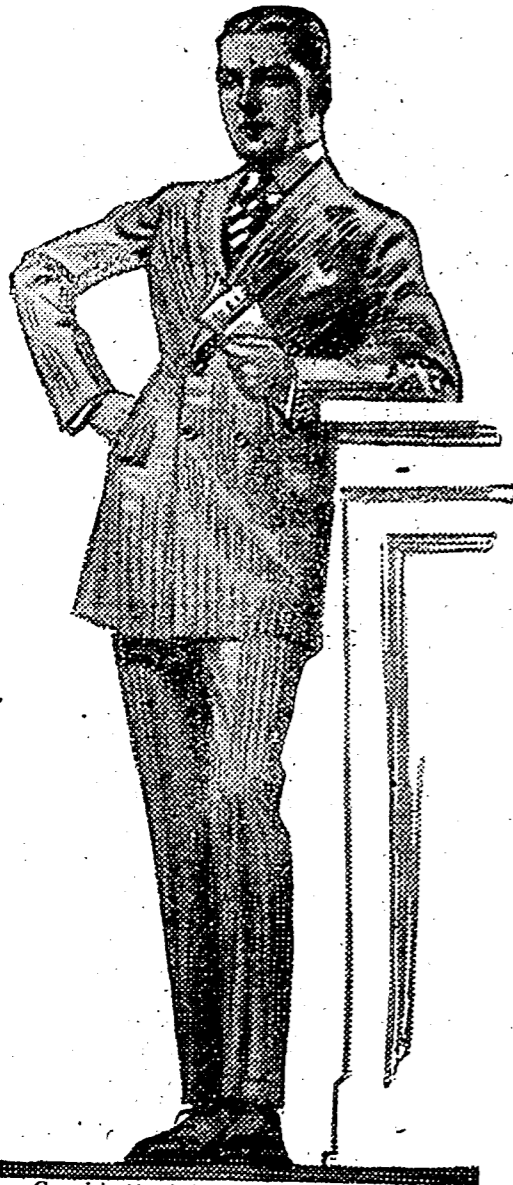


TURNER'S PUBLIC SPIRIT.

Fifty-fourth Year

Ayer, Mass., Saturday, October 22, 1921

No. 8. Price Five Cents



Copyright 1921 Hart Schaffner & Marx

This is Something Worth Shouting About

The Hart, Schaffner & Marx styles in Suits and Overcoats for 1921 are here—new colorings, new fashion ideas, new fabrics. Prices one-third lower than those of the Fall of 1920. We can save money for you on Suits and Overcoats. Not on the first price, perhaps, but our clothes are better; they wear longer; they still look good and stylish when cheaper suits are in the rag bag.

PRICES FROM \$35 TO \$45
OTHER MAKES FROM \$18 TO \$35

New Fall Hats

Truly a superior collection of New Hats showing the trend of styles for Fall. They are Quality Hats that will do justice to the balance of your New Fall Outfit.

PRICES FROM \$3.00 TO \$6.00

Get the Boys Ready for School

This is the time to do it, and this store is the place to do it.

BOYS' SUITS FROM \$8.50 TO \$14.00

BOYS' SHOES FROM \$2.50 TO \$5.50

BOYS' BLOUSES AND SHIRTS 75¢ TO \$1.50

Fletcher Bros.

Main Street

Opposite Depot

AYER, MASS.

The Home of Hart, Schaffner & Marx Clothes and Walk-Over Shoes

LITTLETON

News Items.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Flag of Detroit are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter.

L. J. Stone is having his buildings shingled.

Automobilists are now enjoying the state road lately completed from the Center to Lactart road and the fine cement road from Littleton Common to Groton Center. On the latter road a splendid cement bridge, substantial and artistic, and similar in archite-

ture to that on King street, meets the approval of the tourist. Also for his safety and convenience the road has been straightened at many of the blind corners, and not a few hills have been lowered.

BOXBOROUGH

News Items.

Mrs. Arabella Keyes is spending the week with her daughter in Brookline.

It is said that Robert Poland has enlisted in the army for two years.

The Wetherbee garage on the state road was broken into last week Thursday night. Three new tires and automobile accessories, amounting in value to about \$100 were stolen.

Mrs. Clara Waldron and two daughters, of Somerville, were Sunday guests of Mrs. C. T. Wetherbee.

Mrs. A. E. Lawrence spent the week-end with her daughter at her new home in Bradford, N. H.

Mrs. McCarthy, who taught school in No. 1 district last year and returned for this year, has left, and Miss Hazel Morse teaches for the present.

Stanley Duckers is rehearsing the play, "Get Rich Quick Wallingford," to be given soon in Concord. Several changes had to be made in the cast as given last winter.

A brief history of the town of Maynard, written by a citizen of that town, W. H. Gutteridge, has been received at the library and is of interest to many people here.

Mr. and Mrs. Jahr Kelley and daughter, from Jamaica Plain, were in town last Sunday, calling on friends. Several years ago they spent three summers at "Bide-a-Wee" cottage. The daughter is teaching school in Boston. The son, Robert, has graduated from Harvard, studied a year abroad, and is now connected with the diplomatic corps in Washington.

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Wetherbee autoed to Provincetown last week Tuesday to visit a few days with Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Robbins, who were there for the month, but owing to the ill health of Mr. Robbins they were just preparing to return. Mr. and Mrs. Wetherbee remained until Sunday.

The Grange observed neighbors' night last week Friday evening with Littleton Grange as guests. The visitors presented two amusing farces and Catherine Mannion gave an interesting reading. Some community service is being done by the Grange which fills a long-felt want. This is the planning of new guide boards in various parts of the town. The work is done by Mr. Duckers and is quite artistic.

The Ladies' Aid are preparing to hold a fair on Friday evening, November 4. The following committees are in charge: Rev. and Mrs. C. N. Burrows, Mr. and Mrs. George Richardson, Mrs. Harry Wetherbee, Mrs. W. H. Furush, supper, Mrs. B. C. Steele, Mrs. L. W. Richardson, Mrs. C. H. Waitt, Mrs. R. Y. Nelson, Mrs. Maria Whitcomb, aprons, Mrs. Ralph Whitcomb, Mrs. C. T. Wetherbee, Mrs. G. Stanley Duckers, Mrs. Ada Durkee, Mrs. Eva Davidson, useful, Mrs. C. H. Richardson, Mrs. Arthur Nelson, Miss Priscilla Hager, Mrs. C. B. Robbins, Mrs. P. W. Cunningham, Miss Elsie Graves, fancy, Boys' club, mystery, Mr. and Mrs. Waldo Livermore, Dorothy Richardson, Elizabeth Hager, Katherine Graves, candy, Miss Mary Henderson, Mrs. S. B. Hager, Mrs. Leon Wetherbee, J. R. Priest, food.

Miss Mary E. Hager has been appointed delegate to represent the

New Advertisements

Cider

Bring Your Own Apples and have them pressed
FRIDAYS and SATURDAYS

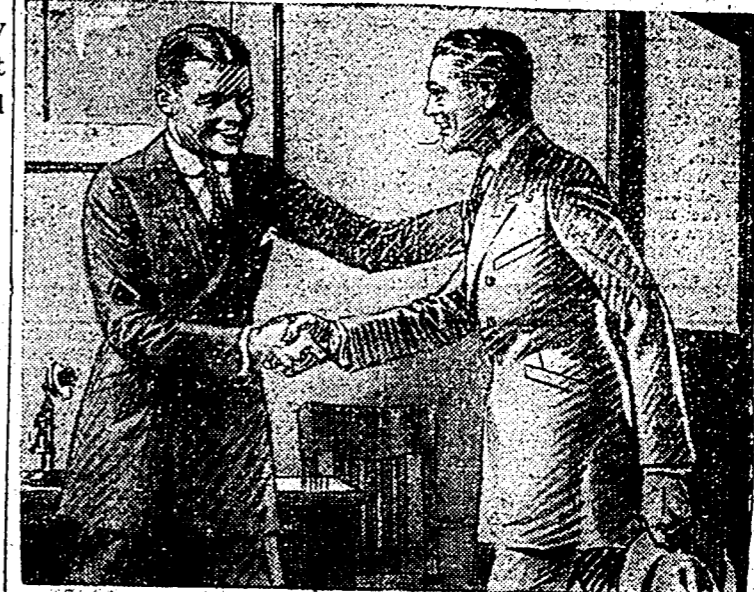
JELLIES and JAMS

Let us supply you this winter. Highest quality.
Visitors Welcome

Littleton Fruit Products
LITTLETON, MASS.

Telephone Harvard 85

Factory One-third of a Mile from Littleton Depot 46p



The Store

—FOR—

Young Men

Fall Suits Ready

Our Suits for Young Men are made by specialists whose work is confined to this type of clothing. This is the reason they give excellent satisfaction as for fit and style.

The New Fall Styles

ARE PLAIN AND SMART, GIVING THE WEARER A WELL SET-UP, STYLISH APPEARANCE

Coats are cut in single or double-breasted, two or three-button, plain or patch pockets.

When it comes to patterns—they are the finest we have ever shown—plenty of hair lines in blue and brown also, plain colors.

The quality of the fabrics is superior to that of past years and the prices are from \$10.00 to \$20.00 less than last year.

SUIT PRICES—\$19.50, \$25.00, \$29.50, \$34.50 and \$42.50

IT'S TIME TO THINK ABOUT YOUR

New Fall Hat

We have them here ready for your inspection. Brown and Green are the sure favorites. We have them and also other colors, and all in different shapes to suit your particular taste.

We feature that well known brand of good hat making—

Lamson Hubbard

One of the good makers of the country. Prices are a lot lower than they were.

PRICES ON FALL HATS—\$3.50, \$5.00 and \$6.00



Men's Custom-Made Suits

Please bear in mind that we make clothes to individual measure. We are agents in this vicinity for that best of custom-tailoring firms—

A very large number of samples to select from and a fit guaranteed or no sale.

Prices range on Custom-Made Suits from \$28.00 upward.

Store Closed on Wednesdays at 12 Noon

Store Open on Monday, Friday and Saturday Evenings

Geo. H. Brown

RELIABLE CLOTHIER

That They All May Be One

The Ministers' Union Seeks the Oneness in Good Will, and in Practical Co-operation, of All the People!

It is not a local body, but, like the Hay-Stack Prayer Meeting of over a century ago, a World body. But it was founded at Ayer. It's first meeting was held there in 1895. It can never cease to appeal for the earnest good will of all the people of Ayer and vicinity!

A. G. Pollard Co.

THE STORE FOR THRIFTY PEOPLE

LOWELL, MASS.

Merrimack, Palmer and Middle Streets

OUR ANNUAL VELVET SALE

8000 YARDS

Remnants Fine Silk Velvets

AT MUCH LESS THAN HALF PRICE, that is,

\$1.50, \$2.00 and \$2.50 grades

—ONLY—

89c Yard

All new goods, the season's accumulation of remnants of one of the largest velvet manufacturers in the country.

Lengths suitable for Coats, Jackets, Gowns, Skirts, Waists and Millinery.

Is 18 inches wide, in a complete range of colors, including the new popular shades of the season, Navaho, Henna, Tomato Red, Fuchsia, etc.

On sale in the Silk Section.

MAIL ORDERS FILLED

WESTFORD

Center. Mr. and Mrs. Fred H. Meyer are enjoying a vacation trip to Mr. Meyer's home in New York. Miss Ella F. Hildreth accompanied them. Arthur G. Hildreth is teaching this year at the Technical high school, Newton. It is at this school, also, that Dexter M. Cogswell, a former principal of Westford academy, is a teacher. The reading circle of the Tadmuck club, which was postponed one week, meets next Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Harold W. Hildreth. Dr. Harry R. Coburn is occupying Mrs. Gertrude C. Skidmore's house for the winter, although still retaining the office of the late Dr. Wells, where he has daily office hours from one until two o'clock. Dr. Coburn's telephone call remains the same—609. The food sale of the auxiliary of the American Legion on last week Friday afternoon in the lower town hall was most successful. A good array of good home-cooked food, which sold at reasonable prices, found a ready sale. Over twenty dollars was realized for the treasury. The affair was in charge of the officers and various committees. Miss Marion Patterson made the very artistic posters. The auxiliary will hold a meeting on Monday evening at their headquarters, when guests from Littleton and Chelmsford will be present. There will be special music and refreshments. A daughter has recently been born to Dr. and Mrs. George O. Clark, of Boston. Mrs. Clark was formerly Miss Carnz Abbot, of Westford. Mrs. Quincy W. Day's name should have been included in the group who attended the missionary conference in Ayer on Tuesday of last week. Mrs. Alice M. Wells' new telephone number is 119. A display of about sixty pictures of Westford, loaned by the Woman's Educational association, is on exhibition at the J. V. Fletcher library. Mrs. Gertrude C. Skidmore and family went this week for their annual sojourn in Florida. Mrs. Adeline M. Buckshorn is spending a few weeks with Mrs. Alice M. Wells. Fisher Buckshorn recently returned to his studies at Proctor Academy, Andover. N. H. He is expected to stay at home for a throat operation. Mrs. A. A. Dustin, who has had such a serious surgical sickness at the Lowell General hospital, is sufficiently convalescent that plans are for her return to her daughter's home, Mrs. George F. White, this Saturday. The Warren Hanscoms are to occupy Mrs. Buckshorn's house this winter. The elder Mr. Hanscom is to board with Mrs. John K. Felch, which plan makes it more convenient for the care of his poultry and the library building. October 20 and no frost on Westford hill. Garden lovers are still enjoying such flowers as nasturtiums, dahlias and cosmos. The meeting of the Ladies' Aid society at the Misses Atwood's last week Thursday was well attended and a good amount of very practical sewing was accomplished. Eighteen partook of the bountiful social dinner at noon. It was a pleasure to have Mr. and Mrs. Edson G. Boynton, of Harvard, among those present at the Congregational church last Sunday. Mr. Boynton sang a solo which was enjoyed by all. Rev. H. A. Metcalf, of Intervale, Me., was the preacher, who spoke as a candidate. He was entertained while in town at the home of the Misses Atwood. Miss Mary Morin's many friends in town are sorry she plans to again go to the Pacific coast to follow her nursing early in November. Efficiency, helpfulness and friendliness describe Miss Morin's relations with so many households. Arthur G. Hildreth brought in the first fox of the season one day last week. Some sportsmen are out for Sir Reynard and will probably recoup success before the season ends. Those present from Westford at the Middlesex Union Association of Congregational churches for the fall meeting in Groton were Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Osgood, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Wheeler, Mrs. John McMaster, Miss S. W. Loker, Miss S. C. Atwood and Mrs. John K. Felch. A fine meeting and ample hospitality is reported. Mr. Robinson, of Groton, will be the soloist at the Unitarian church on Sunday afternoon at four o'clock. Mr. Crandall will preach as usual. The second meeting of the season of the Tadmuck club takes place on Tuesday afternoon at Library hall. Rev. Otis W. Foye, of Somerville, will speak on "The passing of the impossible." Mr. Foye is pleasantly remembered here as a live speaker. Miss Howe, of the Altrurian club, Shirley, will be present and give a report of the annual Federation meeting held in Plymouth in May. Mrs. L. W. Wheeler, Mrs. G. F. White, Mrs. H. M. Bartlett and Mrs. William C. Roubenbush attended the guest day of the Altrurian club in Shirley on Thursday afternoon. The Board of Trade held a worthwhile gathering at their quarterly meeting on Wednesday evening at the town hall. Elmer E. Shattuck and Chaplain Whitney of the Charlestown state prison were the speakers of the evening. Chaplain Whitney took his hearers with the aid of good stereopticon pictures through all the departments and routine of prison life. Warden Shattuck, who has many friends in town, gave a good address concerning his work and presenting many phases of prison work. Questions were asked and answered. President William C. Roubenbush presided at the meeting. Later a lunch of doughnuts, coffee and cheese with social hour were enjoyed in the lower hall. Surprise Party. Mr. and Mrs. Carter, both teachers at the Frodo school, who have been boarding since coming to Westford, started housekeeping this week in the pleasant J. W. Bright cottage on Depot street. When Mrs. Carter came here she was a bride of a week and this is their first housekeeping venture. The other teachers and sixty-nine of the scholars of the Frodo school, which included all the older pupils, planned a sort of combination surprise and pound party. This was carried out on Tuesday evening when the groups of happy children and their teachers made their surprise visitation, each armed with some good-will offering. There were all sorts of good things—cakes, candy, fruit, cream, vegetables, groceries, etc. The recipients were genuinely surprised and pleased. Games and music were enjoyed and after about an hour of good time the children

and their teachers departed with many good wishes for their host and hostess. A young man, a student and described as a "real live wire speaker," is to occupy the pulpit at the Congregational church on Sunday. Willard Brook. A few weeks since there appeared in these columns an account of an automobile trip of mine (L. W. Wheeler). Our fellow correspondent who writes "about town" items has inquired through these columns the name of the brook mentioned beside the road beyond West Townsend. On a map in the report of the Middlesex county commissioners for 1916 I find it labelled "Willard Brook." Since writing that account there has come into our town library a book entitled "A New England romance," which is an account of the life of Rev. Ephraim Peabody, who in later life was pastor of King's chapel in Boston. The frontispiece of that book is a picture of his birthplace still standing at Gray's Corner in Intervale in Wilton. In sight thereof is Abbott hill, whence came down to Intervale an Abbott maiden as bride to later be the mother of this minister. A greater romance came when a worldly-minded daughter of a rich Salem merchant of Salem's day found in Ephraim Peabody, at that time a poor country minister, her heart's desire. About Town. The first frost of the season occurred last week Wednesday evening or early Thursday morning. The next frost was held early Saturday morning and the next frost was postponed on account of the weather. The frosts were light. We had shelled beans to be shelled that barely got introduced into the frost. Vines of all kinds showed a longer and more serious introduction. Mrs. Adeline Decatur, at the old Capt. Peletiah Fletcher place on the Lowell road, has been ill with acute indigestion, but is now much better. The Ebsom-Lybeck family, living on the Dwinell place on the Lowell road, have moved back to New York city for the winter. Get your enthusiasm started and harnessed up and head towards Abbott's recreation hall, Brookside, next Tuesday evening to listen to Abbot Worsted Company's band. This hall has been used for various wholesome and recreational purposes, including "Millions more, my never die." You want to die if you can listen to this band. The concert is at seven o'clock. The Blaguard & Gould Company, of Acton, have sold about 600 acres of land in Groton to Loomis D. Griswold of Boston. This tract is located with its westerly frontier on the newly rebuilt state highway, near the Ridge hill tavern, and its northerly frontier on the Groton road, and has a combined shore frontage of nearly six miles on Knipp's, Cow and Duck ponds. This is the tract that we referred to in these columns since the Adirondacks on a recent expedition passed it recently just before sunset on our way to set up our pumpkins for the Groton fair. It was a beautiful and inspiring view, somewhat marred by the bump depression in the road, and as we went into the air and landed elsewhere. In some of these air performances we thought that we should loop the loop or else get thrown into Cow pond meadows. We commend this road to the doctor of roads in Groton. The West Chelmsford Benevolent society held a successful sale in the parish house last week Friday evening. There was a large variety of food on sale to choose from, including ice cream and peanuts. Besides this there was a large display of aprons for a small display of money. The proceeds will go towards furnishing the new church which is expected to be dedicated the last of November. The committee was Mrs. Margaret Reed, Mrs. A. Frank Edwards, Miss Emma Blinnwood, Miss Eba Haberman, Grace Blinnwood, Bessie Jackson, Elizabeth Smith. Mr. Whitten, who has been living on the Peletiah Fletcher place on the Lowell road vacated by the Lybeck family. The waste land in several counties in Northern New York are being set out to coniferous trees. The school children have been extensively engaged in tree planting movement. Less baseball-football performance in our herabouts and more coniferous tree planting would yield a more profitable service to mankind for beauty and utility. Several have expressed disappointment that they did not get listed with the large taxpayers. Be patient, brother, he patient. You will likely land next year. Remember that we appropriated at the recent special town meeting \$12,500 and besides, if it is necessary, you may have our pipe as much as we are attached to it. The recent special town meeting was the largest special that we ever attended, the hall being packed to the point of illegality in case of fire. As much as we regret rubbing in \$42,500 more of debt into the taxpayers, in addition to the present rate, the highest in the history of the town, mostly for school accommodations, it seemed to be unavoidable. The Frodo Village school, we are informed, is so cramped for room that the scholars have to attend in relays, and Brookside, with nearly 100 scholars, is school-hoarse. Now if the town should refuse to provide the school accommodations are empowered by law to provide. Should they fail to rise to the occasion of their power we should be willing to sign a petition to the supreme court of Massachusetts to have them removed for feausance or malfeasance. The last selected by the special town meeting for the Brookside school was the unanimous choice of the school committee. Our efficient game warden, Joseph Wall, is onto his job. He has stocked all our beautiful little brooks with trout which came from our state at Sutton. Now we hope that those who will live and grow and replenish the brooks with trout after their kind. Trout are beautiful and they are good to eat and we can not have too many of them. Thank you, Mr. Game Warden, for looking after the best interests of our choice brooks. Everyone knows that the Rotary clubs are to the front and are doing a fine work. The Rotary club of Lowell is arranging a real treat for people of this section, for they have secured the president's own band, known as the U. S. Marine band, to play on Friday afternoon and evening, October 28. This band, which onlives the gala occasions for the president at Washington, will play but a few times in New England. It will be quite worth while for lovers of good band music to make it in

their way to be at the Strand theatre, October 28. The proceeds are for the benefit of the Boys' clubs of Lowell. F. A. Snow and Donald Cameron are the Westford members of the Rotary club. There was a splendid Unitarian conference at the historic colonial Unitarian church at Chelmsford on Wednesday. The sessions were well attended and fine talks were given. So many were present that the tables had to be laid in the Congregational vestry as well as the Unitarian. Sixteen from the local church enjoyed the hospitality of Chelmsford. Mrs. Joshua Decatur, of Winthrop, formerly the beloved teacher of Stony Brook school, was in town on Sunday. The small farm of the late Oscar A. Davis on the Leland road has been sold to John McMaster. Many streets which lives not far from the Davis farm. The small but alive town of Dunstable has recently organized a Grange with a charter membership of forty-three, with the promise of more after the Grange and officers are installed. Daniel H. Sheehan, the well-known farmer of Westford and the owner of 7000 acres of cotton in Texas and other vast acres of cereals and other crops in other southern states. The assessors will be at the town house next Wednesday evening to adjust taxes. First Parish church (Unitarian) Sunday service at four p. m. Special music: "Gloria," Buzzi-Peccia; "Teach me to pray," Levitt; in the evening, B. Robinson, bass. Preacher, Rev. Frank B. Crandall. Subject, "What is the message of Unitarian Christianity?" Wedding. A very pretty home wedding took place at the home of Caleb Montague in Somerville at eight o'clock on Friday evening, October 14, when his daughter, Elizabeth True Montgomery, was married to Seth Warren Bannister, only son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank W. Bannister. It was a real home wedding, the house being beautifully decorated with autumn foliage and flowers, and the gowns of the attendants carried out the same color scheme. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Mr. Smith of the First Universalist church of Somerville, in the presence of the immediate relatives and friends. The bride was lovely in a gown of white satin with a veil. The bridesmaid was Miss Catherine Rogers, Worcester, and the best man was Clinton Goodwin, of Haverhill, a college fraternity friend of the groom. There were eight flower girls with gowns of autumn colors, all relatives of the bride couple and eight ribbon bearers with gowns of the same autumn colors, all members of a club to which the bride belonged. The bride is a graduate of the Somerville high school and of a normal school. The groom is a graduate of Westford academy and of the Massachusetts State college. He served in the U. S. army for the duration of the war and saw active service in England, France and Germany. He was a member of the army of occupation and was attached to the aerial squadron with the rank of sergeant of first class. Mr. and Mrs. Seth Bannister are taking a month's vacation in Ayer for the present. The best wishes of their friends is extended to them. Graniteville. The moving pictures here were very largely attended on Monday evening. The feature picture was "Ellie Boy" in "The witching hour," followed by a Mr. and Mrs. Joe Martin comedy, "Monkey house." Before the pictures were shown the Abbot Worsted band gave a very pleasing concert from 7 to 7:45 p. m. The usual October devotions were held at St. Catherine's church on Tuesday evening and were very largely attended. The services were conducted by Rev. J. Leslie Dupont and consisted of the recital of the rosary, followed by benediction of the blessed sacrament. Mrs. Maria Wall, Mrs. Julia Wall and Miss Eba Haberman recently returned from a very delightful visit spent in Cuttingsville, Vt., as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence E. Wiley. Mrs. Wiley was formerly Miss Mary J. Burke of Westford. Miss Rachel Wall made quite a hit as a singer while visiting in Vermont, her singing at the Grange and several entertainments in the vicinity of Cuttingsville. Before her departure Miss Wall was tendered a party that was largely attended by neighbors and friends in that vicinity. The regular meeting of Court Graniteville, P. of A., was held on last week Thursday. John Trask, who has been quite ill for the past few days, is now feeling very much improved. Stanley C. Jones, principal of the Sargent school here, spent the week-end at his home in Baldwinville. In a contest for the first round for the national cup the Abbot Worsted football team defeated the Massachusetts Mills club at the Bunting club grounds in Groton on Saturday by the score of 1 goal to 0. Kershaw scored the only goal of the game in the first period a few minutes after play started. On next Saturday, October 22, at Force Village, the Abbot Worsted will meet the General Electric club of Lynn in the first round for the state cup. This promise to be a great game and will be largely attended by soccer fans from all the surrounding towns. Kick-off at 2:30 p. m. Game at the Abbot field, Force Village. Classes in sewing and millinery will soon be opened at the Abbot hall here. The instructors will be entirely free and all are cordially invited to attend the classes. They will be held on every Wednesday evening, commencing on November 2. Forgo Village. A poster is now on display at the postoffice, which contains the names of some books that may be obtained from the public library for reading or study. A suggestive list of good books is "O you Tex," a western story by Raine; "The mutineers," a sea story by Hawes; "Sailing south," travel in the West Indies by Marden; "Early memories" of Henry Cabot Lodge; "Peace negotiations" by Robert Lansing; "Just folks" poems by Edgar Guest; and "Happy hunting grounds" by Kermit Roosevelt. A longer list than this may be found at the postoffice or in the town reports. A library card may be obtained at the library club of Lynn in the first round for getting the books from the library each week. The new bowling alleys and pool room, under the management of Charles Dubevoir and James O'Hara

in Storey street, were formally opened for business Tuesday night. A large number of people were present and give promise of being a popular amusement place. One night each week will be reserved as "Ladies' night," although it has not been definitely decided just which night in the week this will be. Every night a prize will be given to the bowler making the highest score. The contractors were the Brunswick-Balke & Collander of Boston. Miss Mildred Precious is in charge of the violin classes at the Howe high school, Billerica, and the Talbot grammar school, North Billerica. Miss Pamela Precious, is continuing her work of last year as instructor of the corner classes in the Billerica schools. Mr. and Mrs. Henry White of Grand Anse, Can., are now visiting Mr. and Mrs. Fennimore Morton. On Sunday a reunion took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Morton, when the sons and daughters of Mr. and Mrs. White came together for the first time in ten years. There were present Mr. and Mrs. Harry White and son, Woodrow, of Dorchester, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Day and son, Robert, of Foxboro, and the Misses Minnie and Gladys White of this village. Before returning to their home at Canada, Mr. and Mrs. White will spend a few days with their son, Harry White, of Dorchester, and their daughter, Mrs. Albert Day, of Foxboro. Miss Emily Catchpole, who is ill at the Lowell General hospital, is reported to be much improved. LITTLETON News Items. The Merry Go Round club will meet next week Thursday with Mrs. Sohier. Frank Smith and family spent last Sunday with Mrs. Smith's home people in New Ipswich. The Odd Ladies held a good meeting on Monday evening, when several new members were present besides a gratifying number from the local lodge. They report a very enjoyable evening. Mrs. Jennie Holbrook has gone to Baltimore, Md., to spend the winter. Henry Works, of Mattapan, spent Sunday with his father. The fortieth season of the Backlog club will be opened by the annual banquet in the vestry of the Unitarian church on Thursday evening, November 17. Mrs. Alice Wakefield died of Bright's disease last week Tuesday and was buried in Malone, N. Y., the following Thursday. The "Just Us" club met with Mr. and Mrs. Roberts at their home on last Saturday evening and had a jolly time. The program, "Summer echoes," proving very entertaining as well as educational. Mrs. Ellen M. Hartwell gave a report of the federation meetings held at Plymouth in May. Miss Marion W. Flagg a report of the tercentenary pageant and travel notes from China and Japan by Mrs. Clarence Hanson of Brookline with the piano duct by Mrs. Christie and Miss Sanderson and an afternoon tea in charge of Mrs. Works and Mrs. Elizabeth Conant made a complete and most enjoyable afternoon. New Advertisement. CIDER by the barrel, 40c. per gallon delivered. FRED B. DAVIS, Littleton, Mass. WOOD FOR SALE—Mostly oak, some chestnut, 4-to-6 inch diameter, cord, sawed cord delivered, \$10.50. W. CHEVRETTTE, Shirley, Mass. Telephone 9-31. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that I, MARY JANE SHATTUCK, late of Groton in said County, deceased, do hereby certify that I am the executrix of the estate of MARY JANE SHATTUCK, late of Groton in said County, deceased. Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said decedent has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by IDA S. P. NUTTING who prays that she be granted as executrix of said estate, and has taken upon herself that trust by giving bond, as the law requires. All persons having demands upon the estate of said decedent are required to exhibit the same, and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to: IDA S. P. NUTTING, Admrx., 23 Pleasant Street, Marblehead, Mass., October 14, 1921. COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS, Middlesex, ss. Probate Court. To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of MARY JANE SHATTUCK, late of Groton in said County, deceased: Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said decedent has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by IDA S. P. NUTTING who prays that she be granted as executrix of said estate, and has taken upon herself that trust by giving bond, as the law requires. And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Standard newspaper, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing post-paid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court. And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Standard newspaper, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing post-paid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court. Witness my hand and seal of said Court, this 14th day of October, in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one. F. M. ESTY, Register. EXECUTION NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF INSOLVENT ESTATE. Estate of EDWARD H. TAYLOR, late of Groton, in the County of Worcester, deceased, testate, represented insolvent. The Probate Court for said County will receive and examine all claims of creditors against the estate of said EDWARD H. TAYLOR and notice is hereby given that six months from the fourth day of October, A. D. 1921, are allowed to creditors to present and prove their claims against said estate, and that the Court will receive and examine the claims of creditors at Worcester, on the eighth day of November, 1921, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, and at Worcester, on the twenty-eighth day of March, 1922, at nine o'clock in the forenoon. HORTENSE T. TAYLOR, Executrix. LANGDON PROUTY ...Insurance... Littleton, Mass. Telephone 40-5 FRANK S. BENNETT Successor to ARTHUR FENNER Insurance Agent and Broker Main Street Turner's Building AYER, MASS. Shampooing Scalp Treatment MARY O'NEILL BEAUTY SHOP Hairdressing Facial Masks Waving Manicuring Barry Building AYER, MASS. Telephone 366-2



Prince Albert's a new note in the joys of rolling 'em!

Talking about rolling your own cigarettes, we'll tell you right here that Prince Albert tobacco has 'em all lashed to the mast! You've got a handful-of-happiness coming your direction when you pal it with P. A. and the makin's papers! For Prince Albert is not only delightful to your taste and pleasing in its refreshing aroma, but our exclusive patented process frees it from bite and parch! And, for a fact, rolling up Prince Albert is mighty easy! P. A. is crimp cut and stays put and you whisk it into shape before you can count three! And, the next instant you're puffing away to beat the band! Prince Albert is so good that it has led four men to smoke jimmy pipes where one was smoked before! It's the greatest old buddy-smoke that ever found its way into a pipe or cigarette!



PRINCE ALBERT the national joy smoke

an's club held on the afternoon of October 10, in charge of Mrs. Lillian M. Priest, was exceedingly interesting, the program, "Summer echoes," proving very entertaining as well as educational. Mrs. Ellen M. Hartwell gave a report of the federation meetings held at Plymouth in May. Miss Marion W. Flagg a report of the tercentenary pageant and travel notes from China and Japan by Mrs. Clarence Hanson of Brookline with the piano duct by Mrs. Christie and Miss Sanderson and an afternoon tea in charge of Mrs. Works and Mrs. Elizabeth Conant made a complete and most enjoyable afternoon. New Advertisement. CIDER by the barrel, 40c. per gallon delivered. FRED B. DAVIS, Littleton, Mass. WOOD FOR SALE—Mostly oak, some chestnut, 4-to-6 inch diameter, cord, sawed cord delivered, \$10.50. W. CHEVRETTTE, Shirley, Mass. Telephone 9-31. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that I, MARY JANE SHATTUCK, late of Groton in said County, deceased, do hereby certify that I am the executrix of the estate of MARY JANE SHATTUCK, late of Groton in said County, deceased. Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said decedent has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by IDA S. P. NUTTING who prays that she be granted as executrix of said estate, and has taken upon herself that trust by giving bond, as the law requires. All persons having demands upon the estate of said decedent are required to exhibit the same, and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to: IDA S. P. NUTTING, Admrx., 23 Pleasant Street, Marblehead, Mass., October 14, 1921. COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS, Middlesex, ss. Probate Court. To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of MARY JANE SHATTUCK, late of Groton in said County, deceased: Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said decedent has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by IDA S. P. NUTTING who prays that she be granted as executrix of said estate, and has taken upon herself that trust by giving bond, as the law requires. And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Standard newspaper, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing post-paid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court. Witness my hand and seal of said Court, this 14th day of October, in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one. F. M. ESTY, Register. EXECUTION NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF INSOLVENT ESTATE. Estate of EDWARD H. TAYLOR, late of Groton, in the County of Worcester, deceased, testate, represented insolvent. The Probate Court for said County will receive and examine all claims of creditors against the estate of said EDWARD H. TAYLOR and notice is hereby given that six months from the fourth day of October, A. D. 1921, are allowed to creditors to present and prove their claims against said estate, and that the Court will receive and examine the claims of creditors at Worcester, on the eighth day of November, 1921, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, and at Worcester, on the twenty-eighth day of March, 1922, at nine o'clock in the forenoon. HORTENSE T. TAYLOR, Executrix. LANGDON PROUTY ...Insurance... Littleton, Mass. Telephone 40-5 FRANK S. BENNETT Successor to ARTHUR FENNER Insurance Agent and Broker Main Street Turner's Building AYER, MASS. Shampooing Scalp Treatment MARY O'NEILL BEAUTY SHOP Hairdressing Facial Masks Waving Manicuring Barry Building AYER, MASS. Telephone 366-2



Fall Painting Signs WHEN the corn has ripened—when Jack Frost has "nipped" the pumpkin vines and the squirrel is busy gathering his winter stores—then is the time to give your house a couple of coats of Low Brothers High Standard Liquid Paint. The autumn frosts kill the gnats and bugs and you are not bothered with these pests sticking to the fresh paint as they do in the Spring and Summer. This insures a job of much better appearance. Come in and let us explain why Fall painting is best. I. G. DWINELL Groceries and Hardware Ayer

Cold Spring Lumber Co. WHOLESALE DEALERS IN LUMBER Doors, Window Frames and Special Detail Work CONTRACTORS AND BUILDERS Mill Construction and House Dwellings ESTIMATES GIVEN ON SHORT NOTICE Tel. Westford 54-4, or call at our Mill, Depot Road, Westford

AMMUNITION HUNTING COATS, VESTS AND KNIVES Also SCHOOL SUPPLIES AND WRITING PAPER Candy Popcorn Tobacco Cigars Peanuts Soda Cigarettes Pipes Ice Cream Books Greeting Cards The subscription books and mailing lists are open to all advertisers for their inspection, and a sworn statement is furnished advertisers when requested.

HARVARD

There are now in the public library six books by the well-known traveler, Harry A. Franck... The affair was very successful and already plans are being made for a bigger and better (if possible) showing next year...

The body of Mrs. Albert Austin of West Townsend was brought here for burial Monday afternoon in Hillside cemetery, Highland street... The household goods of the late George Van Elton will be sold from his late home this Saturday afternoon...

The ninety-first annual meeting of the Middlesex Association of Congregational churches was held at Groton Wednesday... The Ladies' Study club will hold their regular fortnightly meeting at the reading-room next Monday afternoon at three o'clock...

One of the Best Things We Sell VALDURA RED ASPHALT PAINT GUARANTEED We try to handle only the better class materials in every line we stock...

I. G. Dwinell GROCERIES AND HARDWARE Main Street Phelps' Block AYER, MASS. close last week after a most successful season, but the place was kept open for the week-end to entertain a party of sixteen from Boston...

AUCTION SALE OF PERSONAL PROPERTY AND REAL ESTATE THE ENTIRE EQUIPMENT AND ONE OF THE BEST FARMS IN THE TOWN OF HARVARD, MASS. SATURDAY, OCTOBER 22 Beginning at 10.30 o'clock A. M.

West. Mrs. Arthur Patch Homer announces the engagement of her daughter, Miss Anna Whitman... The books belonging on the shelves of the reading-room are soon to be catalogued, and all books now borrowed must be returned...

Women's Extra Size Bolivia Coats \$50 to \$75 Sizes 40 1/2 to 54 1/2 Silk lined throughout and warmly interlined. The style illustrated has a pleated back, cross-over belt, novelty pockets...

Universal Electric Sunflower Heater Turns cold, cheerless rooms into warm, cheerful ones. This handy, portable heater is instantly ready to warm the bathroom, dining-room, living-room or nursery...

Ayer Electric Light Co. Barry Building AYER, MASS. Running Water A MODERN FARM NECESSITY Adequate Water Supply Essential Running water for kitchen, laundry and bath, greenhouse and garden...

The Montgomery Hardware Co. Branch Phone 455 AYER, MASS. 15 Main Street

GROTON

News Items. The Alliance held a meeting on last week Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Frank Waters. The members were pleasantly entertained by vocal solos by Miss Dorothy Muhlig, who is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Olive Wilcox. Notice was given of the North Middlesex Conference of Unitarian churches held at Chelmsford last Wednesday. Plans were discussed for the rummage sale, to be given in the lower town hall on October 26. The hostesses, Mrs. Frank Waters, Mrs. Cecile Hodgman and Mrs. Fred Sherwin, served cake and tea.

The household goods of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Jordan of Elm street were moved on Tuesday by auto truck to Ponkapoag, a suburb of Canton, where Mr. Jordan has found employment. Until recently Mr. Jordan has been employed at Riverside farm. Mr. and Mrs. Jordan left for their new home, carrying with them the best wishes of their friends and neighbors here.

Bird Club Meeting.

At the annual meeting of the Bird Club on October 17, the following officers were re-elected: William P. Marton, president; Miss Hutchins, treasurer; Miss Gerish, secretary; and Mrs. G. W. C. G. W. C. The treasurer reported a balance on hand October 1 of \$17.29, a considerable decrease from \$45.54 one year ago. Fifty-one dollars of the expenditure was for Mr. Ayer's lecture in March. This indicates that a larger support must be given by the club if it is to continue its work as in the past. To this end it was suggested that each member undertake to bring in a new member within the present month.

Church Conference.

The Middlesex Union Association of Congregational churches were greatly favored on Wednesday by clearing skies and mild weather for their ninety-first annual meeting held in the local church in this town. The meeting opened at 9:30 with the devotional service led by Rev. Arthur V. Dimock. The business meeting followed, with reports of scribe, treasurer, auditor, association reporter and committees, after which came the election of officers.

Wedding.

A quiet but very pretty parlor wedding was held on Tuesday afternoon at four o'clock at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry R. Robblee on the occasion of the marriage of their daughter, Adelaide, to George Leslie Blood of this town.

West Acton.

The Tarbell school will hold a Halloween party at Squannacook hall on Saturday evening, October 23, from 7 o'clock. Prizes for the most attractive costumes will be awarded. Refreshments will be served and all are invited. The party will be an entertaining and game.

West Groton.

Mrs. Carrie Humiston of Hanover, N. H., made a short visit at the home of Miss Tarbell on Friday. She was on her way to Baltimore to visit her daughter, Mrs. Ruth Humiston and Mrs. Helen Ellison. Miss Humiston has the position of assistant to the state bacteriologist.

Harvard.

Clifford L. Russell is taking a vacation from his duties in Ayer and is visiting his son, Kenneth Russell, at Groton, Mass. Miss Alice Marshall is visiting with friends in Manchester, N. H. and Hollis.

Shirley.

In spite of the rainy day a good number of guests were present to enjoy president's day of the Altrurian club on Thursday. The meeting opened with the club song and a few items of business. Two new members were elected and one new name presented.

Littleton.

Rev. Gail Cleland officiated at the Keskey-Holden wedding in Concord last Saturday night. Miss Crawford was the week-end guest of Mrs. G. A. Cook.

Harvard.

Miss Katherine L. Lawrence is visiting with her mother, Mrs. Hildred in Harvard for a few days.

West Acton.

Mrs. Myron Chaffin returned home last Saturday from a visit in Walpole, N. H.

Shirley.

The last meeting of the sewing circle of the Ladies Benevolent society was held at the home of Mrs. Samuel Carlisle.

Townsend.

Mr. and Mrs. N. G. Proctor left on Saturday morning by auto for a week's vacation in New York City. Mr. Proctor takes charge of their home in their absence.

Harvard.

Miss Alice Marshall is visiting with friends in Manchester, N. H. and Hollis.

West Acton.

Mrs. Myron Chaffin returned home last Saturday from a visit in Walpole, N. H.

Shirley.

The last meeting of the sewing circle of the Ladies Benevolent society was held at the home of Mrs. Samuel Carlisle.

Townsend.

Mr. and Mrs. N. G. Proctor left on Saturday morning by auto for a week's vacation in New York City. Mr. Proctor takes charge of their home in their absence.

The Boston Store GEO. B. TURNER & SON AYER, MASS. Fall and Winter Underwear Forest Mills Fine Weave KNIT UNDERWEAR CANNOT BE SURPASSED FOR QUALITY AND CONSTRUCTION OF EVERY GARMENT. SIZES ARE CUT CORRECT. ALL SEAMS ARE FLAT SEAMS. LADIES' WOOL UNION SUITS \$3.50 AND \$4.00 High neck, long sleeves, ankle length Dutch neck, elbow sleeves, ankle length Wool Vests and Pants \$2.00 and \$2.35 HEAVY WEIGHT COTTON UNION SUITS \$2.00 AND \$2.25 High neck, long sleeves, ankle length Dutch neck, elbow sleeves, ankle length Low neck, no sleeves, ankle length Vests and Pants \$1.00 and \$1.25 LADIES' MEDIUM WEIGHT UNION SUITS \$2.00 AND \$2.25 Dutch neck, elbow sleeves, ankle and knee lengths Low neck, no sleeves, ankle and knee lengths Vests and Pants \$1.00 and \$1.25 CHILDREN'S FOREST MILLS UNDERWEAR Girls' Heavy Cotton Union Suits \$1.00 to \$1.50 Wool Union Suits \$1.75 to \$3.00 Boys' Heavy Cotton Union Suits \$1.00 to \$1.50 Wool Union Suits \$2.35 to \$3.00 Boys' and Girls' Heavy Cotton Vests and Pants 50¢ to 79¢ Wool Vests and Pants \$1.00 to \$1.69 Men's Underwear PEERLESS UNION SUITS ARE DEPENDABLE GARMENTS, CUT TO FIT AND MADE FOR SERVICE Heavy Cotton Union Suits \$1.98 Fine Quality Wool Union Suits \$4.50 Geo. B. Turner & Son Our Store Closes at 12 o'clock noon every Wednesday. Open Monday, Friday and Saturday Evenings REAL ESTATE FOR SALE IN GROTON, MASS. THE RESIDENCE OF THE LATE DR. W. B. WARREN Consisting of house of fifteen rooms and bath, with modern plumbing. Large stable, suitable for a garage. About 1/4 acre of land. Large piazza on two sides. The rooms are pleasantly situated. Plenty of closets. Hardwood floor in several rooms. Three fire-places. Steam heating system. Cemented floor in cellar. With small expense the house could be arranged for two families if desired. This property is situated in the center of the town on the Main street, making an excellent home for a party who wishes to reside in Groton and have business in Boston as the running time is about one hour and a quarter by train or auto. For further particulars and price apply to GEORGE T. STEVENS, Groton, Mass. Telephone 130A, or MRS. ARDELLE T. WARREN, 217 Groton, Mass.

AMERICAN HOUSE
BOSTON, MASS.
 A minute from surface or subway car—famed for comfort, convenience and courtesy. Returnable. All the modern conveniences in every room—prompt service—moderate prices. European plan. \$1.25 a day up—and the unique restaurant now one of Boston's show places, where the choicest market produce is served in quaint and beautiful surroundings to perfect music. Dancing and Cabaret.
THE FAMOUS RATHSKELLER

J. E. Griffin
 83 East Main Street AYER

HOOD'S ICE CREAM
 In Cones or in Bulk
 Confectionery Cigars, Tobacco
 Groceries and Provisions
VERMONT BUTTER A SPECIALTY

Gardner W. Pearson
 ATTORNEY-AT-LAW
 Lowell, Mass.
 Washington, D. C.

You will have no regrets if you have your Watch Repaired at
STRAND'S
 Carley Block, Room 2 AYER

N. A. SPENCER & SON
 Wish to call your attention to their stock of
CEMETERY MEMORIALS

which they would be pleased to have intending purchasers inspect and obtain prices.
PARK STREET
AYER, MASS.

FISH
 Fresh and Frozen Fish, Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays. We ship by parcel post to neighboring towns. Tel. or mail orders promptly attended to.
P. DONLON & CO.
 Malu Street AYER

CHICHESTER'S PILLS
 THE DIAMOND BRAND
 Let Us Do Your Work. Such as
 BUTTONHOLES
 BUTTONS COVERED
 HEMSTITCHING
 PICOT EDGING
 PLAITING
 PINKING, Etc.

New England Button & Plaiting Co.
 Ayer, Mass.
 21451

BEECHAM'S PILLS
 FOR CONSTIPATION

A HOUSEHOLD NECESSITY

Every woman in New England should read the Household Pages in the Boston Daily and Sunday Globe. Run by New England housewives, it gives better information on household matters than any domestic science course or cook book ever written. Arrange to have the Boston Daily and Sunday Globe in your home every day in the year.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the subscriber has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of PHILIP DESSONIE, late of Shirley in the County of Middlesex, deceased, intestate, and has taken upon himself 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 indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to
GEORGE DESSONIE, Adm.
 76 Lancaster Street, Leominster, September 21, 1921. 216

BROOKLINE, N. H.
 News Items.
 Mr. and Mrs. George L. Dodge of Bradford formerly of this town, announce the engagement of their daughter, Mary Elizabeth, to Ralph J. Waitt of Townsend, Mass.
 Charles Hardy of Spoons, Conn., has been a recent visitor in town.
 William Hamolsky, who has been working in Peabody, has returned to town.

A large crowd attended the Grange meeting last week Wednesday evening, the deputy being present, and the fourth degree was conferred. A fine oyster supper was served at the Daniels Academy Banquet hall.
 Mr. and Mrs. Norman Dodge of Groton have been recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Gilmore.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Soucy and little daughter spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. William Carey at Dorchester, Mass.
 Wilfred Ouellette of Lowell spent Sunday at his home here.
 Mrs. Charlotte Wright has been a recent visitor at Nashua.

Ralph Perkins and daughter, Thelma, Mrs. Edith Goodall and Miss Gertrude Abbott have been recent visitors in Nashua.
 Clarence Russell, Harry Blazdell and William Cressy of Exeter, N. H., spent the week-end at their summer home.

Kenneth Russell and wife have been spending a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Russell.
 Miss Frances Evans, who has been spending a few days here, has returned to Boston.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Patch of Malden, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hardy and Miss May Powers of Hollis have been recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Russell.
 Daily services will be held at the Methodist church on Sunday morning at 10.45 a. m. The pageant, "The coming of truth," will be given.

Mrs. Hazel Goss and Arthur Goss, who motored to Bangor, Me., and vicinity and spent a few weeks, have returned home.
 Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Wallace, Miss Lizzie Whitcomb and Walter Rockwood of Townsend were Sunday visitors in town.

Miss Mary Dodge, Ralph Waitt, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Dodge and little son motored to Bradford, N. H., and spent Sunday with George Dodge and family.
 Mrs. Jennie Hildreth and Mrs. Estella Boutelle of Nashua were Sunday guests of Mrs. Blanche Taylor.

Dr. Bower and Mr. Rideout of Nashua were Sunday guests of Judge E. E. Parker.
 Mr. and Mrs. Willie Hobart entertained a party at dinner on Sunday at their bungalow.

Arthur Cook of Nashua spent the week-end at the home of his aunt, Mrs. Cella Powers.
 Mrs. M. A. Gilson, James Gilson and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Brown and son motored to Keene on Sunday and visited Mr. and Mrs. John Whitcomb.

About fifteen Grangers attended the Grange at Pepperell last week. All reported a fine time, an excellent entertainment and a fine supper.
 James Emerson and Miss Abbie Ford of Chelmsford have been spending several days at their summer home.

Mr. and Mrs. George Koppall of Lowell were week-end guests of Mrs. Ella Rockwood.
 Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Gove and Mr. and Mrs. Mahon of Dorchester, Mass., were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Pierce.

Mrs. Ella Tucker and Mrs. Mabel Badger of Quincy have been recent visitors in town.
HOLLIS, N. H.

News Items.
 Sator Sargent of Nashua, leader of the community singing, will lead the singing at the entertainment after the supper Friday night. He comes at the request of the committee, who wish to make this a part of the entertainment, instead of the 28th of October, as had been announced.

Funeral services were held for Fred B. Wheeler, who died Friday, October 14, at his late home Monday afternoon October 17, Rev. W. L. Noyes of Nashua officiating. Mr. Wheeler had been ill and a great sufferer for several years. He was out the first of the week for an automobile ride and he passed away suddenly at the last. He was born in Hollis September 23, 1863, and was the youngest son of the late Ebenezer P. and Mary Ann Blood Wheeler, and most of his life was spent in town. He is survived by his widow, Eldora Moore Wheeler. The funeral was largely attended by friends and members of the Amos Lodge of Odd Fellows, of which he was a member. There was a profusion of beautiful floral offerings. Burial was in the Moon lot in the East cemetery. The bearers were Dr. Daniel Emerson, C. Anderson Colburn, S. Fred Wood and Warren Gould. The Odd Fellows performed the committal service.

The remains of the late Elwyn S. Wheeler, who was killed in action in France September 12, 1918, arrived in town Tuesday morning and were taken to his late home. Funeral services were held in the church parlors Thursday afternoon at 3.30, Rev. W. L. Noyes of Nashua officiating.

Mr. and Mrs. Jason Reed arrived home last Saturday from a two-weeks' visit in Berlin with their daughter, Mrs. A. W. Martin, and other friends. Berlin is the old home of Mr. and Mrs. Reed and they had not visited there for fifteen years. They went from there to Portland on Friday and motored up from there Saturday with their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Hobson, and Mrs. Orrin Lane of Portland, who spent the week-end with them. Mr. and Mrs. Carl Brown looked after the Reed home while they were away.

Cards announcing the marriage of Miss Dorothy Farley, daughter of Wilbert P. Farley and Charles T. Lane in Nashua last Saturday by Rev. W. L. Noyes, have been received in town. Mr. Lane is manager of the S. O. Henry farm on Fine hill.
 Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Hardy, Mrs. Harold Hardy and three children and Clifton Glow motored to Concord last Saturday and spent the day with the Perley Fosters.
 Mrs. William Woodin is visiting her aunt, Miss Minnie Colburn. Mr. Woodin is coming for the week-end and his wife will return home with him.
 Edwin Sage and family autored up from Cambridge last week Wednesday and with Mrs. Ellen Lovejoy, drove to Mt. Monadnock. Mrs. Lovejoy re-

turned to Cambridge with them, returning home Sunday.
 Mrs. Freeman of Sturbridge, Mass., is spending a few days with her cousin, Mrs. Fred B. Wheeler.
 Miss M. Louise Stratton left Wednesday morning for Scott's Landing, Alabama, going by boat to Savannah. She will visit her brother, Lyman Stratton, for a short time and on her return will bring his young son with her to care for.
 Mrs. John L. Woods is reported quite ill.

Mrs. Gertrude Mayou McConell, who was operated upon two weeks ago at a Nashua hospital, was able to be brought home to her father's Wednesday, where she will stay till she is stronger. She is making a good recovery.
 Mr. and Mrs. George Wilson and two children and Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Greenleaf started last Saturday for Florida by automobile.

Lovellyn Powers of Brookline was a visitor at Mrs. M. J. Powers' Wednesday.
 Dr. and Mrs. L. C. Pilsted of Worcester visited at Howard Barnard's over the week-end.

Miss Mildred Rogers returned home with her cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Galen Stone of Brookline, Mass., who motored up for the day last week Wednesday.
 William C. Hardy and family and Rodney C. Hardy of Arlington, Mass., and Alfred F. Eaton of Hollis, were week-end visitors in town.

Mrs. Frederick Worcester has presented the center school with a victrola, and it is a source of great pleasure to the pupils.
 George Van Dyke and his sister, Miss Van Dyke, expect to start for St. Petersburg, Fla., next week to spend the winter.

The local orders of the W. R. C. and D. A. R. are to be guests of the Hollis Woman's club next Wednesday at the church parlors. Miss Harriet Dow of Pepperell will be the speaker of the afternoon.
 Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Powers of Worcester were week-end guests of Mrs. M. J. Powers.

Mrs. Keyes of Amherst, daughter of Mrs. Edith Keyes of this town, was reported very ill last week. Her husband, who died suddenly two years ago, was a brother of George A. Keyes.
 Alan Ord, H. H. S., '22, had the misfortune to get into a mix-up while at basketball practice last week Tuesday evening and fractured his collarbone. He was immediately taken to Nashua where the bone was set by Dr. Moran.

Clipping.
 The following was taken from The Turner's Falls Reporter for October 12:
 "A very pretty wedding was solemnized this afternoon at two o'clock by Rev. W. I. Coburn at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Q. Whitney of Chestnut street, when their daughter, Edna Mildred, was united in marriage to Charles Henry Keyes of Hollis. Miss Ruth Whitney, sister of the bride, was maid of honor, while Myron S. Walsh of Hollis supported the groom. The bridal party entered the living-room to the strains of the Lohengrin wedding march, played by Mrs. Harold B. Sargent, and stood under an arch of cut flowers and evergreen.

The bride was gowned in white georgette over white silk and carried a shower bouquet of white carnations and maidenhair fern. The maid of honor wore a gown of light blue organdy and carried pink roses.
 After the wedding ceremony a sumptuous dinner was served, after which the bride and groom left mid a shower of confetti and rose leaves for a trip to Boston, in their return they will reside in Hollis.

Those from out-of-town who attended were George Keyes, father of the groom, of Hollis, Mrs. Harold W. Smith of Boston, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Barrett and Mr. and Mrs. Lester Barrett of Keene, Mrs. H. S. Whitney and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Whitney of Hollis.

The bride was a graduate of the Turners Falls high school, class of 1921, and has been prominent in church and social circles. She was given a shower the Monday evening prior to her wedding in the young people of the Baptist church and was the recipient of many useful and beautiful gifts.

Grange Meeting.
 The regular meeting of Hollis Grange was held in the town hall Tuesday evening with Granite Grange of Milford as its special guest. Nashua, Amherst, Pepperell and Brookline Granges were also represented and with a good attendance of Hollis Grange, brought the number of those present up to 27, one of the largest meetings on record.

During the business meeting resolutions were read and adopted on the death of Fred B. Wheeler. The first degree was worked on a class of eleven. After this a beautiful supper was served in the town hall in charge of Mr. and Mrs. Mercer, Mr. and Mrs. Noyes and Mr. and Mrs. Erskin, with an able corps of the younger members of assistants. Following the supper remarks were made by Mr. Parker, master of Granite Grange, and others.

The program for the evening, presented by the lecturer of Granite Grange follows: vocal solo, Miss Gladys Colburn, who responded to an encore; reading, Edith Jones; song, Mr. Parshby; reading, Mr. Moody; piano solo, Miss Dirth; farce, "Two of a kind." The program was well carried out in every particular and was much enjoyed. On next Tuesday evening there will be a special Grange meeting in Grange hall to work the second and third degrees.

Chapter Meeting.
 The first meeting of the Anna Keyes Powers D. A. R. for 1921-22 was held Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Elizabeth D. Worcester and Mrs. Mary T. Worcester as hostesses at the Worcester home. The meeting was called to order by the new regent, Mrs. Emma Canavan. A letter of resignation from the regent, Mrs. Charlotte Fryer, French was read and Mrs. Flora C. Hardy was elected to fill the office. The regent appointed Miss Lily R. Eaton as librarian to look after histories and books that would be of interest to the library at Washington. The topic for the year is "Our Latin American neighbors" and the first paper was given by Mrs. Elizabeth Worcester on "The Pan-American Union."

An invitation from the Woman's club to be its guest October 26 was read and accepted.
 The next meeting will be with the regent, Mrs. Canavan, on October 29. After the salute to the far refreshments were served by the hostess and a social hour enjoyed.

FOR SALE
 A Store Furnace and Six Long Store Tables. Cheap. A bargain.
PUBLIC SPIRIT OFFICE
 West Street AYER, MASS.

E. D. STONE
 Fire Insurance Agent
 Automobile and Cordwood Insurance
 Esther A. Stone, Typewriting
 Page's Block AYER, MASS.

It Takes Off the Chill with a Bit of Any Fuel

On moderate days, so numerous upon the calendar of spring and fall, the Round Oak Pipeless Furnace disperses rapidly the chill, from all rooms, with a trifle of any fuel.
 Users highly praise this trait which provides comfortably warm rooms for little tots to dress in, without that expensive practice of opening windows later to cool off an overheated house.
 In bitter weather, too, they find that comparatively little fuel quickly sends a genial moist warmth into every nook.

ROUND OAK PIPELESS HEATING SYSTEM

That such beneficial advantages are attainable from a pipeless furnace, so easy to install, creates hardly a ripple among owners who know of the Round Oak Folks and their generations of fame for unusual achievements.
 We invite your inspection. Immediate ordering is advised to insure installation before cold weather.
 This specialty is marked at the bed-rock price.
 Service and quality considered, it is, without question, the greatest possible value.
 When you divide the investment into the years of its usefulness, you sense why it is the wise choice.

Ayer Hardware Co.
 PARK STREET AYER, MASS.

Battery Service
 Starting your car these cold mornings is a severe strain on your battery. It must be kept fully charged in order to stand without collapse; also, your battery will freeze unless you keep it charged. Let us service your battery without cost.

SPECIAL SALE—While They Last
ASHLAND TIRES, 30x3 1/2.....\$11

Quality Tire and Battery Shop
 B. H. TYRRELL, Prop.
 7 Park Street AYER, MASS.
 Telephone 244-2

Electrical Supplies
 Store open 3.45-8.00 p. m. daily—Saturday all day

JOHN F. RYAN
 Main Street New Carley Block AYER, MASS.

In 24 Hours
Dr. Hilton's No. 3 will break up a cold
 The freshly medicated pellets have been used for 30 years for the relief of Influenza, Grippe, Bronchitis, Pneumonia and Sore Throat.
 Pleasant to take. Easy to carry. Will not upset the stomach.
 Dr. Hilton's No. 3 is an old standard reliable, preventive, sure and safe.
 (At all Druggists)

LAWSON HUBBARD
 Hats and Caps
 MADE RIGHT WEAR RIGHT
 SOLD BY
GEORGE H. BROWN
 Ayer, Mass.

E. D. STONE
 Fire Insurance Agent
 Automobile and Cordwood Insurance
 Esther A. Stone, Typewriting
 Page's Block AYER, MASS.

Watches Diamonds Jewelry
A NEW LINE OF CUT GLASS AND SILVERWARE
OCULISTS' PRESCRIPTIONS ACCURATELY FILLED
HOMER'S
 Telephone 8020 AYER, MASS.
 Fine Watch Repairing

He Is a Good Man To Know--

The dealer who is willing to make less profit per sale in order to build a permanent business on quality and thus attain to prosperity through a multitude of small profit sales—THAT dealer is a good man to trade with. CHELMSFORD dealers make less profit per sale on CHELMSFORD beverages than they do on the cheap kind. But, in the long run they make much more. Because CHELMSFORD makes permanent friends.
TAKE HOME A BIG 4-GLASS BOTTLE TODAY—15¢ NET
 Your Dealer Has It



Chelmsford
 Ginger Ale and Ten Popular Flavors

Bargains in Used FORD CARS

- One 1920 Sedan, with Starter.....\$375
 - One 1920 Coupelet, with Starter; extra good.....\$400
 - One 1920 Coupelet; newly painted; looks like new.....\$425
 - One 1919 Touring, with winter top; starter and demountable rims.....\$275
 - One 1916 Touring; regular equipment; good running condition.....\$100
 - One 1917 Runabout; regular equipment.....\$125
 - One Open Cab 1/2-Ton Truck; nearly new body; just what you want.....\$150
 - One Ton Truck; 1917 motor; good cab and body.....\$125
- Also, One 1917 Maxwell Touring

J. M. HARTWELL
 NASHOBA GARAGE LITTLETON, MASS.
 Telephone 39-3 71f

Studebaker
 QUALITY MOTOR CARS
 NEW PRICES EFFECTIVE SEPTEMBER 8th
 LIGHT SIX MODELS ONLY

- ROADSTER, two-passenger \$1125
 - TOURING CAR \$1150
 - COUPE \$1550
 - SEDAN \$1850
- F. O. B. South Bend, Ind.

YATES' GARAGE
 Maple Street Telephone 425 AYER, MASS.

Piano Tuning
WILMOT B. CLEAVES
 Phone 20 HARVARD, MASS.
 Pianos For Sale and Rent 1714

