January 4, 1924

Robert J. Ramsdell died with startling suddenness at his home on Oak street, Exeter, shortly before midnight Monday of last week, from a shock. He was stricken Monday morning on his way to the depot to board a train. Mr. Ramsdell was in his 64th year, having been born in Lee, June 7, 1859. For 25 years he had been an esteemed resident of Exeter. He was by principal occupation a teamster. He has left his wife; six sons, Irving J., of Haverhill, Mass., Howard J., of Somerville, Mass., Robert W., of Forest Hills, Mass., J. Edward, of Wollaston, Mass., Charles F., of Newmarket, and Russell A., of Salisbury, Mass.; and two daughters, Mrs. Gertrude Summerfield and Miss Helen E. Ramsdell, both of Exeter.

January 11, 1924

Mrs. Charles Johnson is improving slowly, after a long, tedious illness.

Miss Helen Layne returned to Exeter this week, after a vacation of two weeks.

Will Young cut his hand quite badly recently while killing a pig.

Miss Alice Dudley has been elected vice president of the newly formed outing club at the University of New Hampshire.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur McDaniel installed the officers of the Amherst Grange last Thursday evening.

Frank D. Randall was operated on for hernia at the Hayes Hospital in Dover last Friday. He is getting along as well as could be expected.

Seth W. Sherburne was drawn on the grand jury for the February term of court held in Dover.

Miss Grace Thurston is teaching school at Crawley's Falls, Brentwood.

W. H. Small of Fremont was the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Small, recently.

Mrs. William Dodge is visiting her daughter, Mrs. George McDaniel.

Benjamin Lang is considering a position with a lumber company located in Florida. His many friends here hope he will decide to remain in Lee.

Lyford M. Wiggin passed away at his home last Sunday morning, aged 81 years, 7 months. He had been a resident of Lee for over twenty years. He leaves two nephews, Dr. George Wiggin of Exeter and Horace Wiggin, who lives in Massachusetts. The funeral was held Wednesday afternoon at the home. Rev. Moses R. Lovell of Durham conducted the services. Burial was in the family lot on the farm.
January 25, 1924

Norman Snell is cutting his ice this week.

Frank Randall has returned from the hospital and is doing nicely.

Charles Stackpole, who is visiting his niece in Elliot, Me., is suffering from a very severe cold.

Benton Layne has moved his mill to Hollit’s Crossing, where he will operate a lot for Irving Locke.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur McDaniel, Mrs. Chester Tebbettts, Ellsworth Garrity and Grover Smith attended the Pomonia meeting in Dover last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur McDaniel installed the offices of Gilman Grange of Exeter last Monday evening.

Ethel Jordan spent the weekend at her home.

The South Lee school gave a sliding party last Friday evening.

Friends of Mr. Mayo are pleased to hear that he is doing well after his operation.

Albert Demeritt is confined to the house by the measles.

Miss Bessie Thompson is visiting in Dover.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur McDaniel were an out-of-town visitor Friday.

George Smith visited Jay Demeritt’s family last week.

Friday evening, Feb. 1, The Sunny Quartet will present an entertainment at the town hall, consisting of music, acrobatic stunts, and a play, “You Know, I Know, Shake.” Everybody invited.

Sunday, Jan. 27, the church service will be conducted by “The Sunny Quartet” from the University, who wish particularly to meet the young people. The quartet will stay until afternoon and cooperate in a further programme.

February 8, 1924

Miss Greta Gulliver, who is teaching school in Amesbury, Mass., was the guest of Mrs. James Walker over the weekend.

William H. Thompson has the misfortune to break a bone in his ankle last week.

An excellent entertainment was given by students from the University of New Hampshire at Grange hall last Friday evening. A good number were in attendance and a baked-bean supper was served.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Munroe have moved into town from Barnstead. Mrs. Munroe, who has been ill with diphtheria, is getting along nicely.

February 22, 1924

Mrs. Walter Plumer attended the meeting of East Rockingham Pomonia Grange, held at Epping, Wednesday of last week.

Charles Dame is very ill with acute bronchitis.

A daughter of Mr. Jordan is ill with scarlet fever.

Raymond Munroe, who met with an accident last week while chopping, is improving.

There will be a special meeting of Jeremiah Smith Grange, Saturday evening, Feb. 23. Inspection will be held at the next regular meeting, Tuesday, Feb. 26.
March 7, 1924

Town meeting next Tuesday.

Clifton Roper visited in Durham, Sunday.

Mrs. Jacob Cilley was a weekend visitor at her home.

Oscar Paul was a Dover visitor last Sunday.

John French is spending a few days with the Plumer family.

Mrs. Willys Tuttle, who has been sick since November, is now able to go out driving.

Margaret Lang has been enjoying a short vacation.

We are very sorry to learn of the illness of our rural carrier and hope for a speedy recovery.

Miss Alice Dudley was recently elected secretary of the Student Council of the University of New Hampshire.

Friends of Leon Mayo are very sorry to learn that he has had to return to the Exeter hospital, and hope for a speedy recovery. Monday, Mrs. Mary visited her husband at the hospital.

Mrs. Sara Haley is recovering from an illness of pneumonia. Her daughter, Mrs. Mabel Haynes, of Melrose, Mass., has been there and her son, Parkman, and his wife, of Epping, also have been with her for a while. Mrs. Mabel Leavitt of Manchester is substituting for her as postmistress.

Master Robert Keniston, who lives with Mr. and Mrs. William A. Carpenter, has two heifers which are broken to the harness. He can drive them either single or double. The writer had the opportunity to see one hitched in a top sleigh, driving along the road just as nice as a pony.

Charles Dame is slowly improving.

Robert Thompson is working in Nottingham.

Mrs. Laura Randall is visiting her brother, Daniel Chesley, at Durham.

Mrs. Harold Caldwell spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Caldwell.

Carl Fernald and family have returned from Greenland. The children all have the whooping cough.

Among the Dover visitors last week were Mrs. Elizabeth Snell, Miss Bertha Tootill, Mrs. James Walker and Mrs. Belle Garrity.

Miss Grace Hill returned to her school in Andover, Mass., after a week’s vacation spent with her brother, Horace G. Hill.

Sidney McKay has accepted a position with a mill operating in Springvale, Me.

Mrs. Susan P. Layne, who has been in poor health for some time, is now confined to her bed.

Charles Stackpole has returned from Eliot, Me., where he has been visiting his niece, Mrs. Clara Frost.

William Thompson, who recently broke a bone in his ankle, is able to be out again.
March 21, 1924

Mrs. Nellie Durgin was a visitor in Dover recently.

J. W. Harvey attended the auto show in Boston one day last week.

Mrs. Omer Jackman of Epping was a recent guest of her niece, Mrs. J. Wesley Harvey, and family.

Alphonso Jones has been suffering from a severe cold.

Mrs. Helen Thompson has returned from a visit with relatives in Boston.

School meeting was held Tuesday afternoon and the following officers elected: Moderator, David B. Bartlett; Clerk, Fred P. Comings; Treasurer, Mark L. Mills; Member of School Board for one year, Florence F. Caldwell. It was voted to put in new doors, a hardwood floor and repair the sheds at the South Lee school house.

J. Wesley Harvey is getting splendid results from his radio. He has a Clapp-Eastman set, which he bought over a year ago, and has added a few improvements. He was able to get two stations in California recently, one at Oakland and one at Los Angeles.

March 28, 1924

Miss Mildred Kenney of Derry is spending her vacation with Mrs. Walter Plumer and family. On Friday evening of last week Mrs. Plumer gave her a birthday party in observance of her twelfth birthday anniversary by inviting a few little friends. Mrs. Plumer made a beautifully decorated birthday cake and prepared a dainty lunch. Games were played and the most enjoyed was a peanut hunt. There was one quart hidden in one room and prizes were awarded the ones finding the most and the least. Miss Kenney was the recipient of many useful gifts.

Miss Greta Gulliver, a former teacher in town, now of Amesbury, Mass., spent the weekend with Mrs. Wallace Stiles and family.

Mrs. Edna Hale of Bradford, Vt., is the guest of her sister, Mrs. William Lee.

Master Frank Piper, who attends Brewster Academy in Wolfeboro, is spending his vacation at his home here.

Miss Mary Allen was a recent visitor in Epping.

Mrs. Jay Demeritt and Mrs. Austin Caswell were Rochester visitors recently.

J. True Bartlett of Boston is stopping at the Ranch with his daughter, Mrs. W. A. Carpenter.

William Small of Fremont was a recent visitor of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Small. Walter Fernald of Chelsea, Mass., is the guest of his sister, Mrs. John Piper, and family, this week.
April 4, 1924

E. U. Bloom has a new horse.

Mrs. H. F. Small and W. B. Caswell have been suffering from severe colds.

Edwin Plumer of Northwood spent the weekend with W. A. Plumer and family.

Schools have closed for two weeks, giving the teachers and scholars a much needed vacation.

Mrs. Mary Currier has rented half of her house to Charles Davis and family, while Mr. Davis completes his new house nearby.

Mrs. Sara Haley has recovered from her recent illness and is able to take up her duties in the post office again.

Several from this town attended the K. P. dance in Epping, Tuesday evening of last week. All report excellent music by Smith's Orchestra of Haverhill, Mass.

April 11, 1924

Chester Tebbetts was in Boston last week on business.

The North Lee school is having a vacation this week.

Mrs. I. G. Chesley and daughter returned home this week, having spent the winter in Boston.

Mrs. Stella Sherburne, widow of Joel Sherburne, passed away at her home in Barrington last Sunday morning, aged 69 years. She is survived by one son, Ralph, and several sisters and brothers. The funeral was held Tuesday afternoon at the family home.

April 25, 1924

Raymond Munroe has purchased a new car.

Mrs. Elizabeth Snell has been quite poorly this week.

Ellsworth Hill spent the weekend with his uncle, Horace G. Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Caldwell have moved into the little cottage at Hoitt's Crossing.

John Fernald has resigned his position in Durham and is going into the trucking business.

Mrs. Susan P. (Durgin) Layn, widow of the late Samuel W. Layn, and one of Lee's oldest women, died at her home Monday morning, aged 85 years. She leaves to mourn her loss one daughter, Mrs. J. Harry Roberts of Dover; two sons, Maurice N. Layn of Dover and Benton E. Layn of Lee; also six grandchildren and six great-grandchildren. In early life she was very active in public affairs and won many friends by her charming personality. She was noted for her cordial hospitality and entertained many people at her home. The funeral services were held at the home Wednesday afternoon.
May 2, 1924

H. J. Cilley and John Clark are making repairs on their houses.

Mary Davis of Exeter was a recent guest of her mother, Mrs. Mary Currier.

There was quite a little excitement last week when fire was discovered in Herbert Hills pasture, near the lumber yard. Fortunately no damage was done, as it was quickly extinguished.

Recent callers at H. J. Small were Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Small, A. E. Small, Mrs. Olive Smith and son, Henry Smith, of Fremont, Charles Small and Mr. Louise of East Kingston, Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Parker and daughter, Priscilla, and H. N. Parker, of Nottingham.

Mr. and Mrs. John Stevens of Nashua were guests of Seth W. Sherburne over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. John L. Randall and family of Fitchburg, Mass., are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Randall, this week.

Mrs. Florence Caldwell is visiting friends in Newton, Mass. this week.

Nehemiah Smell has recently purchased a new Studebaker car.

Mr. and Mrs. Chauncey Fall and Mrs. Fred Farnum of Dover, also Miss Edna Crane of Stratham, were visitors at William Caldwell's last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur McDaniel and Mrs. Chester Tebbetts attended the meeting of the Eastern New Hampshire Pomona Grange at Milton on Thursday, April 24.

The funeral services of Mrs. Susan P. Layn, widow of the late Samuel W. Layn, were held at her late home on Wednesday afternoon of last week and were largely attended by many relatives and friends. The services were conducted by Rev. Ira Morrison of Nottingham. There was a large and beautiful floral tribute. The bearers were James B. Walker, Flagg Mitchell, Fred P. Comings and Granville B. Thompson. The burial was in the family lot at Lee Hill.

May 9, 1924

William Plumer is having his buildings repainted.

Miss Irene Carpenter was a weekend visitor at The Ranch.

Austin Caswell and family were Greenland visitors recently.

Mrs. Alice Demeritt and Mrs. George Smith spent Monday with Mrs. E. U. Bloom.

Leon Mayo has returned to his home, after several weeks spent at the Exeter hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur of Malden, Mass., were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. Wesley Harvey.

Miss Bessie Thompson has returned to her home at the Carland farm, after spending the winter with relatives in Dover.

Miss Alice Dudley was among the 16 students of the University of New Hampshire who received honors for the winter term with an average above 85.

George Smith of Nottingham and Miss Gladys Demeritt of this town were united in marriage, April 28, by Rev. L.D. Bragg of Epping. Their many friends wish them many years of happiness.

Recent callers at Henry Small's were Mr. and Mrs. E.J. Sweeney of East Hampstead, Mr. and Mrs. C.A. Heath of Merrimac, Mass., Mr. and Mrs. W.H. Small of Fremont, Rev. L.D. Morrison, E.N. Parker and Mr. and Mrs. H.G. Parker and daughter, Priscilla, all of Nottingham.
May 16, 1924
Mrs. Martha Buzzell of Barrington spent a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Alex McRae, last week.
Jeremiah Smith Grange held their inspection Tuesday evening. Woodbury Ford of Rollinsford was the Worthy Deputy. Banner Grange of East Rochester furnished the program. Visitors were present from Rollinsford, East Rochester and Smith Berwick. A harvest supper was enjoyed by all.

May 23, 1924
Miss Nora Whitehouse is spending a few days at Alton Bay.
Lewis Demeritt’s house had a narrow escape from being burned last Sunday afternoon. The fire was caused by a spark from the chimney.
Seth W. Sherburne has purchased a new Buick car.
Arthur McDaniel has been suffering from a severe cold.
Mr. Pollard met with a serious accident last Monday, while sawing wood for Andrew McDaniel. The four fingers and thumb were cut from his right hand. He is at the Wentworth Hospital, Dover.
Mr. and Mrs. Chester Tabbetts were visitors in Rochester Sunday.

June 6, 1924
Frank Hill of Boston spent last Friday with his father, Ira B. Hill. Mr. Hill returned with his son for a few days.
James Eadie, Jr., of Brookline will occupy Harry Smith’s house this summer. Mr. Eadie and family were here for the weekend.
Arthur Tabbetts, with his wife and son, of Dover, were visitors in town last Sunday.
Mrs. Granville Thompson and Mrs. Robert Thompson were visitors in Dover last Friday.
Mrs. Arthur McDaniel has been suffering with a severe cold.
Mr. and Mrs. William Dodge of Somerville spent the weekend with George McDaniel and family.
Mrs. Charles Caldwell and Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Newman and family of Medford were guests of Edwin Caldwell and family Decoration Day.
A son was recently born at the Exeter Hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Joshua Cook.
Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Cannett and daughter, Elsie, of Salisbury, Mass., spent the weekend at the Tuttle homestead.
Harvey’s Orchestra furnished the music for the Decoration Day exercises at Fremont town hall.
Mr. and Mrs. Lupine of Derry were recent callers in town. Mrs. Lupine was formerly Carlotta Damon, a teacher in town for several years.
Recent visitors at H. F. Small’s were Charles Heath and wife of Merrimac, W. H. Small and wife, Arthur F. Small, Hector Lavoie, Percy and Priscilla, all of Fremont, and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Parker and daughter, Priscilla, of Nottingham.
June 20, 1924

Mrs. Emma Corson has been entertaining her cousin from Dover the past week.

Charles Stackpole has returned from a few days’ visit with his niece in Eliot, Me.

Mr. and Mrs. George Munroe and family of Lynn, Mass., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Munroe for a week.

Miss Alice Dudley graduated from the University of New Hampshire this week. She also gave the oration at the planting of the senior class ivy.

June 27, 1924

Pearl Freeman has been moving his house this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Burgess and family of Dover were visitors at Benton Layne’s last week.

Alphonso Jones, who has been suffering from brown-tail itch for the past three weeks, has at last found a simple remedy which he claims effected a cure over night.

Frank McDaniel and daughter, Ruth, and family spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. George McDaniel. They also entertained over the weekend, Mrs. McDaniel’s brother and family of Melrose, Mass.

A brush fire broke out near the home of Jay Demeritt, Wednesday of last week, but was gotten under control in a short time.

The body of Edmund Parent, husband of Eva Burleigh, formerly of Lee, was brought here for interment in the Lee Hill cemetery recently.

Mrs. Jenny Ricker of Rochester and Mrs. Edna Tague and children of Stowe, Me., are guests of Miss Louise Allen and Allen Harvey.

Married, in Brooklyn, N.Y., June 21, Edith Rittenhouse Mayne, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Earl H. Mayne, of Brooklyn, N.Y., and Richard Lee Strout, son of Mr. and Mrs. George M. Strout (Susie Lang) of Cambridge, Mass.

The funeral of Mrs. Jennie Davis, who died in Nottingham, June 15, was held at the church here Wednesday of last week. Rev. Mr. Morrison officiating. Interment was in the Lee Hill cemetery.

William Kirkwood, Jr., and children of Portland, Me., and Robert Kirkwood and family of Newmarket, are living at the old homestead at Lawrence corner. They have been making several improvements on the buildings.
July 11, 1924

Mrs. Benton Layne is entertaining guests from Lowell this week.

Mrs. Helen Thompson is entertaining her sister and children from Cambridge, Mass.

Mrs. Emma Pickering of Boston spent the past week with Mrs. Harry Davis at the Bungalow.

Mrs. Annie Kimball and Miss Marjorie Grover of Dover were guests of Mrs. Frank Randall over the Fourth.

The regular meeting of Jeremiah Smith Grange was held last Tuesday evening. Hiram R. Roberts Grange and Dover Grange furnished the program, which was very much enjoyed by all. Refreshments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Sewall of South Berwick, Me., have announced the engagement of their daughter, Lavina Wingate, to Herbert Loyer Drew of Madbury. Miss Sewall has held the position of commercial teacher in Berwick Academy the past year. Mr. Drew conducts a large farm in Madbury. The wedding will take place in the fall.

Miss Iber Smith of Haverhill, Mass., is passing a week's vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Smith.

Miss Gladys Demeritt is taking a summer course of instruction at Keene and in September will teach at Beauty Hill, Barrington.

Mr. and Mrs. Birt of Springfield, Vt., are passing a few weeks with their daughter, Mrs. Mark Mills, after which they expect to settle in New Jersey.

Miss Bertha Toott, who has been for two weeks in Attleboro, Mass., has returned home, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Cram of Greenwood.

Mrs. Henry Small motored to Dover, Monday, on business.

Miss Lila Harris of North Andover, Mass., was a recent guest of Mrs. D. H. Hill, and called on several friends.

Recent guests at Henry Small's were Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Emerson of Hartford, Conn., and Charles Small of East Kingston. Recent callers were Mrs. and Mr. F. J. Sweeney, Mrs. Sarah A. Emerson and Miss Lucy King of East Hampstead, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Small of Fremont, and Miss Alice Pursel of Sanford, Me.

July 25, 1924

Mrs. Sarah E., widow of Albert W. Davis, formerly of Lee, died in Dover, where she had been living for several years, July 18, aged 86 years, 6 months and 11 days. She is survived by two sons, Dr. Frank A. Davis of Boston, and Herbert G. Davis of Watertown, N. Y., two brothers, one sister and several nephews and nieces. The funeral was held at the Ricker Memorial Chapel, Pine Hill Cemetery, Dover, on Sunday afternoon, and interment was in the family cemetery at South Lee.
August 1, 1924

Mrs. Harry Munroe had her tonsils removed at the Wentworth Hospital last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Marston and family of Newton, Mass., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Davis at the Bungalow over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. William Dodge of Somerville, Mass., are guests of their daughter, Mrs. George McDaniel, for two weeks.

Little "Baby" Cate celebrated her fifth birthday last Saturday afternoon. There were a number of children present. Games were played and refreshments served, and all enjoyed the party.

Mrs. Charles Philbrick of Somerville, Mass., visited her sister, Mrs. David Bartlett, last week.

Miss Marion Walker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James B. Walker, who graduated from Deerfield high school last month, has taken examinations for Mt. Holyoke College, also for Wellesley College, and passed both unconditionally. She will enter Wellesley in September.

A series of robberies are taking place in town. James Walker's store was entered recently and about $250 worth of goods taken. Shortly before Edward Farrell's home was entered, money, a flashlight and various articles, being taken, also a check book, from which a check of $25 was since cashed.

Benzol, Jr., 2.14 1/4, is the fastest New Hampshire-bred trotter in a long time. He was bred by Wright T. Ellison of Lee Hill, a town in the Granite State's speed-producing belt, in which are the towns of Newmarket and Stratham. Lewis Walker of Newmarket bred Lady Mary, 2 23, the dam of Merriman, 2.00—Boston Globe.

August 8, 1924

Arthur W. McDaniel has announced his candidacy for speaker of the next House of Representatives.

Charles Caverno and family of Somerville, Mass., spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Horace Caverno.

Charles Mills and his dog, Rex, have laid away 35 woodchucks this summer, and they are still on the war path.

Mr. and Mrs. Benton E. Layne announce the marriage of their daughter, Helen Irene, to Mr. Walter Hoyt Gerrish of Northwood, on Saturday, August 2.

Mrs. Childs fell in her barn last week, breaking her leg in two places. She is with her daughter, Mrs. Clarence Fernald, who is caring for her.

Mrs. Ann Randall of Boston is visiting her sister, Mrs. Elizabeth Snell.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter S. Wrigley and family of Haverhill, Mass., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Caldwell last week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Randall and family of Fitchburg, Mass., spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Randall.

Frank Hill of Boston has been spending two weeks with his father, Ira B. Hill.

Mrs. William Caldwell is in Dover for a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Minor Fall.

Mrs. Harry Munroe had her tonsils removed at the Wentworth Hospital last week.
Howard A. Flanders, Theodore Abbott of Boston and Miss Mary Flanders of Malden, Mass., were guests of Mrs. Frank Caldwell last week.

Pauline Fernald celebrated her 5th birthday, last Wednesday afternoon, by inviting a number of her little friends. Games were played and refreshments served.

Granville B. Thompson was drawn for grand juror and Robert H. Thompson as petit juror, for the September term of court held in Dover.

A subscriber has asked us to publish the following in regard to Lee schools, taken from the Lee town report for the year ending March 1, 1892.


The teachers for the year ending at the same time were Turnpike—Edith B. Kelsey, Winnifred Davis, Edna F. Lang, South Lee Frank J. Davis, Elizabeth I. Snell, Laura E. Morrison, Wednesday Hill—Nellie S. Hill, George R. Cate.
August 29, 1924

Mrs. Margaret Oldham, mother of Frank Oldham, recently passed away at her home in Wellesley Hills, Mass.

After a delightful trip, Mrs. William Lee, who has been as far West as the Yellowstone Park, has returned home.

Among callers at the Griffiths Farm last Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Cram of Wakefield, Mass., and Hon. John C. Bartlett, the grand old man of Lee, whose 85 years sit lightly on him and who mentally is still keen.

Last week the store of James B. Walker was again broken into, thus being the third time within a short period. Breaks seem to be coming pretty fast and strenuous measures should be adopted to catch the thieves.

Mrs. Marie Burroughs is visiting her mother, Mrs. Roper. Report says Mr. and Mrs. Burroughs will soon move on the Hill farm, recently vacated by Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Roper, Francis Roper having moved to Deerfield.

Earl Cate has purchased a new Star automobile, and with his family he enjoyed a trip to New London, Conn., last week.

Mrs. Martha Buzzell is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Alex McRae, for two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. John Randall and family of Fitchburg, Mass., are spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Randall.

Charles Caverno and family of Somerville, Mass., returned Sunday, after a vacation spent with Mr. and Mrs. Horace Caverno.

Schools in town will commence Tuesday, Sept. 2.

Miss Susan M. Layne recently celebrated her 89th birthday. She has been spending a few days with her niece, Mrs. William Caldwell.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Plumer and Miss Leola Noble are on an auto trip for a week.

Willys Tuttle is visiting her aunt in Haverhill.

Willys Tuttle and family spent Sunday with friends in Haverhill.

Stanley Plumer is visiting his aunt in Epping, and Marion Bloom is visiting in Massachusetts.

Extensive repairs are being made on the South Lee schoolhouse.

George Smith and family have returned from Nottingham and are living at Mr. Demeritt's.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Peach have returned from Malden, where they were called by the death of his father.

Mrs. Perry Harvey and daughter are at York Beach this week.
September 5, 1924

Miss Marion Walker was one of the girls to join the mountain trip of the girls from Durham recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Cram of Greenwood, Mass., have been passing the month at "Nutwood" and making changes in the house. New chimneys have been built, shingling done, a fireplace added and other improvements made.

John M. Noble went to Readville, Mass., Thursday of last week to the races.

Edwin Plumer of Northwood has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Plumer.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Harvey and daughter visited Camp Devens recently.

William Ryan, Elmer Parker and Oscar Paul went with Allen Harvey to the White Mountains, Sunday.

Monday, Oscar Paul entertained friends from Chelsea, Mass., Dover and Manchester.

Mr. and Mrs. William Kirkwood of Nashua were at the farm over the holiday.

J. Grace Thurston returned to her school duties at Crawley's Fall, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Munroe entertained Mr. and Mrs. George Munroe and family and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Munroe and son of Lynn, Mass. over Labor Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Woodman and Fred Woodman spent the holiday with their mother at the farm.

The Ellison reunion was held Aug. 31, at Joseph Ackerman's cottage at Coleman's Point. It was a very enjoyable affair. An elaborate dinner was served. The young folks enjoyed the bathing. There were solos and instrumental music and much fun was derived from the taking of pictures. There were 60 present. All expressed their gratitude to Mr. and Mrs. Ackerman for the nice time and hoped to meet again next year.

Following is the result of the primary election in Lee:

For Governor—Frank Knox, r., 22, John Winant, r., 5, Fred H. Brown, d., 10.

United States Senator—Henry W. Keyes, r., 23; George E. Farrand, d., 11.

Representative in Congress—William N. Rogers, d., 11, Fletcher Hale, r., 15.

Councillor—John Hammond, r., 24, Edgar Ham, d., 11.

Supervisor—William N. Rogers, d., 11, Fletcher Hale, r., 15.

Moderator—Arthur J. Thompson, r., 8, G. B. Thompson, d., 7.
September 12, 1924

Sargent Jenkins passed Tuesday with his daughter, Mrs. Walter Smith.

Mrs. William Lee entertained the Country Club at her home last Tuesday.

Mrs. Mark Mills, who has been ill with tonsillitis, is improving at present. Dr. Grant is in attendance.

Miss Mary Smith has two weeks’ vacation, Miss Iber Smith one week, which they are passing with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Smith, at Harmony Dale.

Wesley Harvey and family and Samuel Bennett and family of Exeter motored to Camp Devens one day last week and witnessed some fine target practice by 6-inch guns, tractor practice, ball game, etc.

Mrs. James Walker has been afflicted with inflammation of the larynx and was in the hospital for a short period. We are glad to know of her improvement, also her daughter, Miss Marion, who has been indisposed. Miss Walker will enter Wellesley College on Sept. 15.

September 19, 1924

Mrs. James Walker was a visitor in Boston last Thursday.

Mrs. Walter Smith is passing a week with her daughters in Lynn, Mass.

A community “Clean-up Day” will be held Saturday, Sept. 20, at the church grounds. Sheds are to be rebuilt. The ladies of the church will furnish dinner in the vestry. All are invited to lend a helping hand.

J. L. Parks, who, 40 years ago was a resident of this town, but who for some time had been in the signal service at Wilmington, Mass., recently came to town to visit the scenes and haunts of earlier years. His home was near the residence of Mrs. Gorham Sawyer. After calling on several friends of his youth, Mr. Parks returned to Wilmington, and the following day lost his life by drowning. It seemed doubly sad to those who had so recently seen him and renewed acquaintance again.

Ira B. Hill passed away at his home Monday evening, after a short illness, aged 80 years. He is survived by two sons, Harry R., of Durham, and Frank, of Boston; and a sister residing in Northwood. He was highly esteemed by all who knew him and will be greatly missed in the community. The funeral will be held at the family home Thursday afternoon at 2 o’clock.

September 26, 1924

On Sept. 17, Miss Ada Perkins of Nottingham was united in marriage with Fred Carl York of this town. Our best wishes to the happy couple.

Mrs. William A. Carpenter entertained the Country Club at her home on Tuesday.

Miss Bertha Tootill is visiting Mrs. W. A. Carpenter for awhile.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey D. Pratt of Gaylord, Kansas, spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. J. Wesley Harvey last week.
October 3, 1924

Frank Randall has been visiting his son in Fitchburg, Mass.
Benton Layne has moved his mill to the Alfred Durgin lot.

Frank Caldwell is confined to the house with arthritis.

Harry R. Hill was very ill with an attack of acute indigestion last week.

Mrs. Martha Buzzell spent a few days last week with her daughter, Mrs. Alex McRae.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur McDaniel attended the Republican state convention at Concord.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl York have returned from their wedding trip and are at their home, "Nutwood."

The wife of Harvey Whitehouse is very ill at her home here.

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E. U. Bloom lost a valuable cow last week.

Jesse Carpenter has started sawing on the John Piper lot.

Charles Cartland and family of Dover spent Sunday at the Cartland Farm.

Mr. and Mrs. George Smith and Mrs. Jay Demeritt and son attended Rochester Fair last week.

A Correction.

Though being misinformed, the report that Mr. Parks, who visited this section recently, and met his death later by drowning, should be contradicted, as we are glad to learn he is living and well at present. It was another Mr. Parks who had the misfortune to be drowned.

October 10, 1924

Mr. and Mrs. J. Wesley Harvey are rejoicing over the arrival of a son, born Oct. 7.

Mrs. Sarah F. Small spent Sunday in Nottingham, the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Harry Parker, and family.

Friends of Norman Stiles, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Stiles, are very sorry to hear of his illness with infantile paralysis, and hope to hear of his improving soon.

October 17, 1924

Miss Marion Walker was home from Wellesley, Mass., College for the weekend. Her father and mother are passing this week in enjoying an automobile trip to various places about the country.

Miss Bertha Tootil entertained the Country Club at Nutwood on Thursday. Mrs. Fred Carl York was unanimously voted in as a member.

The Tuesday evening about fifty of the people of Nottingham serenaded Mr. and Mrs. Fred Carl York at their home. Although a surprise to the bride and groom, the people were gracefully received and hospitably entertained.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur W. McDaniel attended the Pomona meeting of Hillsboro County at Mount Vernon last Wednesday.

The inspection of Jeremiah Smith Grange will be held at the next regular meeting, October 28. Patuxawny Grange of Nottingham will furnish the program.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Cate enjoyed an auto trip to the mountains last Sunday.

Nehemiah Snell will operate a wood lot in Nottingham near the Raymond line.

Donald Thompson fell from a load of lumber last week, narrowly escaping a very severe injury.

Mr. and Mrs. Dodge of Somerville, Mass., spent the weekend with their daughter, Mrs. George McDaniell.

Roland Thompson and family of Andover were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Thompson on Sunday.
Recent visitors at "Nutwood" were Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Evans of Greenwood, Mass., and Mrs. Joseph Sneider of Wakefield, Mass. Miss Bertha Toottill of Lee, who has made her home at the York home for more than thirty years, has gone to Mrs. Al Varney's at Newmarket.

Everett Ward of San Pedro, California, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Morton Lassell on Thursday of last week.

Norman Stiles is reported to be improving slowly.

Beatrice Caswell is visiting the family of George Revere (formerly of this town) in Deerfield.

John Piper and son Charles have had running water and electric lights installed in their buildings. Willis Tuttle, also, has had water piped to his house.

Miss Mary Cartland and her cousin, Lee Tyler, were recent visitors at the Cartland Farm.

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. Bloom sympathize with them in the loss of their infant son.

Mr. and Mrs. George Smith were Nottingham visitors one day last week.

Miss Bessie Thompson is visiting in Dover.

William Lee is taking his annual vacation.

Herman Keniston met with an accident at Jesse Carpenter's mill, and his brother Robert is taking his place, driving team for R. Lang.

Plans are being made for a sale and supper to be held Dec. 5, at Grange Hall.

Walter Ellison and family, who lost their house by fire recently, have moved into the Buzzell house. They are planning to rebuild as soon as possible.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew McDaniel were guests of Mr. and Mrs. George McDaniel last Sunday.

Sidney McKay and family have moved to Dover for the winter.

A Hallowe'en party will be held at Grange Hall this (Friday) evening.

A Hallowe’en entertainment was given at the South Lee schoolhouse Thursday evening, Oct. 30. Those who were not scholars paid the sum of 10 cents for admission.

Mr. Bartlett was in town for several days this week.

Raymond Jordan and friend from Canaan were weekend visitors at Mr. Jordan's home in Lee. Miss Ethel Jordan was given a surprise party last Monday evening by twenty-five of her Epping friends at her home in Lee, in celebration of her sixteenth birthday. Various games were played, the most popular of which were "forfeits" and "stage coach." Refreshments were served before twelve. A good time was enjoyed by all.
November 14, 1924

Mrs. M. E. Caswell of Portland, Me., was a recent guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Caswell.

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November 21, 1924

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Fred Carl York is harvesting his apples, and expects about fifty barrels. Mrs. York very gracefully entertained the Country Club on Tuesday.

Miss Martha Walker gave a birthday party last week, in honor of Mrs. James Walker’s anniversary.

Miss Gertrude Smith and friend, and the Misses Mary and Iber Smith were weekend visitors at home.

November 28, 1924

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December 19, 1924

Mrs. Walter Smith entertained the Country Club on Tuesday.

Mrs. Walter Burroughs and son have come to pass the winter with her mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Roper. Burroughs will drive over as often as the weather permits.

Miss Clare Ellison was obliged to leave high school because of ill health, we understand.

Mr. and Mrs. William Kirkwood of Nashua spent the week-end at the Kirkwood homestead at Lawrence Corner and while returning Sunday afternoon when in Candia the Ford sedan in which they were riding tipped over throwing both out and injuring them both. They hired a man to bring them back to Lee, where Mrs. Kirkwood is confined to her bed and under the care of Dr. George H. Towle of Newmarket. Mr. Kirkwood was able to return to Nashua Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur McDaniel attended the session of the State Grange, held at Nashua last week.

There is to be a Christmas tree at Grange hall next Monday evening, Dec. 22. The school children in town will furnish the program.

Arthur Thompson and family are suffering from severe colds.

December 26, 1924

George Chesley has sold his woodlot on the home farm to Mr. Knight of Berwick, Me. It is estimated that there will be four hundred thousand feet of lumber.

Many young people of the town are home for the holidays.