

Pease Family News In Plymouth, N.H., *Record*, 1940-44

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There is some family news beginning in 1887, mostly from Wentworth, with some random items from Ellsworth, Plymouth, Warren and occasionally an Orford report. In February 1899, there begins to be a report from East Orford almost every week. It only lasts until early 1900, but there is some material I have not seen, such as that there was a Clifford and another Sherburn family in that part of Orford. There are also sporadic Orford reports in later years. I'll move the specific East Orford, Camps, Sherburn and Goodwin items to those compilations but otherwise, there is so much Pease family material that I won't transfer.

When an item concerns East Orford, I have written that even though it usually just says Orford. I also got sick of making name corrections, so have written the correct name when I know it. For example, Dorice and Mabel Pease, instead of Doris and Mable.

All moved to Compilations

1940

1/6/1940 Atwell Hill

•Hubert Carpenter and C.W. Lowd of West Boylston, Mass., brought up a load of goods for Mr. Lowd, who is going to live with his sister, Mrs. F.A. Howard. [*Seems to make sense – both have lost their spouses within the last year and are in their 70s, where they shouldn't be living alone.*]

1/6/1940 Haverhill

•The Misses Shirley and Frances Huckins of Orfordville were weekend guests of Miss Ellen Swan.

1/6/1940 S. Wentworth

•Mrs. W.J. McKee has been on the sick list for several days.

1/6/1940 Warren

•Mrs. Eva Pike is moving into the Arthur Batchelder house.

1/6/1940 Wentworth

•Richard and Herbert Moses and William Ray were recent guests of the Kelleys in Center Harbor.

•Mrs. Fred Mack of Orford was a Friday guest of Mrs. C.H. Pease

•Mr. and Mrs. Dean Simpson, son and daughter, of St. Johnsbury, were Monday guests of her sister, Mrs. Addie Pease.

•Norman Downing has been having trouble with an infected thumb. Dr. Samuel Feiner of Ashland is caring for it.

1/6/1940 West Rumney

•[Among the winners at this weeks' breano was: Guy Burnham, free admission to next beano.]

1/13/1940 Warren

•A muskrat was trapped on the piazza at the I.B. Cushing store Saturday afternoon. Irving Cushing, Jr., and Bruce Graves were working hard to exterminate the animal when Mrs. E.R. Lupien happened on the scene just in time to be of assistance to the lads. [*Oh, c'mon – don't spare us the gory details!*]

1/13/1940 S. Wentworth

•Miss Olive McKee of Rumney Depot spent the week with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Livermore.

•Miss Elinor Foster is helping Mrs. W.J. McKee of West Rumney.

1/13/1940 Wentworth

•R.A. McLaughlin is looking after the cutting of ice for Camp Pemigewasset.

•Wilfred Tatham was in town Sunday. Donald Tatham, who met with an accident and has been a patient in Plymouth hospital, was able to be discharged Tuesday.

1/13/1940 West Rumney

- [Among the winners at this weeks' beano were: Amon Burnham, 1 doz. eggs; Vernie Burnham, 2 cans peaches; *[Hmmm – maybe a peach pie, Aunt Vernie?]*
- We are glad to report that Mrs. W.J. McKee is on the mend.
- Marjorie Burnham spent the weekend in Lyme Center. *[Twice in three weeks . . . They don't even need to say who she is visiting.]*

1/20/1940 Atwell Hill

- Our R.F.D. carrier came by the way of Orford with the mail Monday and Tuesday. Roads badly drifted over by Lake Tarleton and in East Piermont. Thermometer was 14 below at 9 am Wednesday.
- The work of burning brush was started Wednesday morning on the Atwell Hill road.
- Mrs. Helen Goodwin has been quite ill the past week with an attack of influenza.

1/20/1940 West Rumney

- Mrs. Timson of Ashland is working for Mrs. Kenneth McKee.
- [Among the winners at this weeks' beano were: Ethel McKee, 3 lbs. C. sugar; Guy Burnham, 2 lbs. crackers and 1 lb. peanut butter; Vernie Burnham, 1 lb. coffee; Amon Burnham, jar peach preserves.] *[If Guy played his cards right, he might get some coffee and jam to go with his crackers and peanut butter!]*

1/27/1940 Plymouth

- Lorenzo B. Pease is ill at his home on Highland street.

1/27/1940 Warren

- What is the cause of so much disturbance on the radios in this vicinity? Many people are complaining of it. This is the time of year when "The stay-at-homes" at least would like a good program in the evening but not so now. What can be done to remedy the trouble?
- A bad chimney fire was in progress in the early evening Wednesday at the Sam Allesandrini store. No damage.

1/27/1940 West Rumney

- Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth McKee are rejoicing over the birth of a daughter, Ethel Jane.
- Richard Moses is loading pulp on the landing for S.B. Manning.
- [Among the winners at this weeks' beano were: Pearl McKee, dinner; Vernie Burnham, 2 lbs. cheese; Guy Burnham, bowl covers.] *[If I were Guy, I trade them for my mother's cheese.]*

2/3/1940 S. Wentworth

- Mrs. Charles Livermore, who has been on the sick list for some time, was able to go to Plymouth Saturday afternoon. She was accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. Gordon McKee of Rumney.

2/3/1940 Warren

- Reginald Evans, Everett Goodwin and William Hight are in Boston, Mass., this week in the interest of the New Hampshire Fish and Game Department. They are assisting in getting the exhibit ready for the Sportsman's show beginning this Saturday.

2/3/1940 Wentworth

- Mr. and Mrs. Guy Adams of Fairlee were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. C.H. Pease.

2/3/1940 West Rumney

- [Among the winners in this weeks' beano were: Vernie Burnham, crackers and peanut butter, free admission to next beano party; Guy Burnham, crackers and peanut butter; Ethel McKee, roaster.]
- Mrs. Timson has finished work at Kenneth McKee's.
- Miss Marjorie Burnham spent the weekend in Lyme Center.

2/10/1940 Atwell Hill

- Miss Juliet and Geraldine Brown, who has been spending their mid-winter vacation at their respective homes, returned U.N.H. Monday. Mrs. Oscar Brown took them.
- Mr. and Mrs. Herbert H. Lowd of Franklin were Sunday guests of his brother and sister, C.W. Lowd and Mrs. F.A. Howard.

- Leon Chase and Henry Rollins were in Plymouth Tuesday.
- The roads were sanded on the hills Tuesday. About 3 inches of snow fell Tuesday afternoon and evening. This Wednesday morning it is raining a little.
- Some lumber men have moved into Mrs. M.A. Keneson's house on her farm.
2/10/1940 Haverhill
- Mrs. Herbert Swan attended her club meeting at Orfordville on Thursday. [*Likely the Ladies' Society.*]
2/10/1940 Warren
- Mrs. Alanson Pike is confined to the house with a heavy cold.
- The folks at the lower end of the village are literally on the "water wagon" now. No water available from the Keysar supply, so water is being brought to the patrons in cans on a truck. Those of you who have water at the upper village don't leave the faucets open and let the water run to waste or you will be carrying the liquid. Better thaw out a pipe.
2/10/1940 West Rumney
- [Among the winners at this weeks' beano party were: Vernie Burnham, soap; Amon Burnham, crackers and cheese; Ethel McKee, soup spoons; Pearl McKee, towels.]
- Miss Marjorie Burnham has been home a few days on the sick list.
2/17/1940 Wentworth
- Frank Marcou and Norman Downing were Lebanon business visitors Tuesday.
- Mrs. Alice Downing entered the Plymouth Memorial Hospital the first of the week for observation and treatment.
- Mr. Winston Breck, who is teaching in Orford, spent the weekend in Plymouth, where he attended the State College carnival. He was one of the soloists at the evening festivities.
- Mrs. Mary Tatham has closed her home on the East Side and moved to Ashland.
- Wilfred Tatham of Ashland was in town Monday.
2/24/1940 Wentworth
- Mrs. Alice Downing, a patient it the Plymouth Memorial Hospital, is reported to be some improved.
2/24/1940 West Rumney
- [Among the winners at this weeks' beano were: Vernie Burnham, 20 lbs. sugar; Amon Burnham, breakfast; Pearl McKee, dish.]
- 3/2/1940 Atwell Hill
- There are some men cutting fallen timber on the former H.E. Howard farm. They are boarding at Amos Reade's.
- C.D. Keneson and children and C.W. Lowd were in Warren and Glenclyff Tuesday afternoon.
- Mr. and Mrs. C.D. Keneson and daughters, also Mrs. F.A. Howard were business visitors in Plymouth Wednesday pm. Mrs. Howard called on Mrs. Julia Nutting and Miss Eva Pease.
- Mr. and Mrs. John Houlne of Manchester and Howard Wright called on Mrs. M.A. Keneson Saturday.
3/2/1940 Warren
- Lawrence Pike and Bernice Libbey of Waterville spent the weekend at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Otis Libbey.
- Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Pike and daughter, Roberta, of Bradford, spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Eva Pike.
- Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Batchelder and granddaughter, Beverly Bennett, of Waterville, are spending the week with her mother, Mrs. Eva Pike.
- Jean Goodwin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Everett Goodwin, has been confined to the house the past week with abscessed ears.
- [Among those who braved the storm to attend the meeting on the 'use of tomatoes in family meals', were Bertha and Helen Goodwin.]
- Conservation officers Harry Goodwin, Everett Goodwin, Reginald Evans and William Hight of this town have been in New York this week with the New Hampshire exhibit of the Fish and Game Department at

the Sportsmen's show. ['Spose the boys got to spend a little time 'East side, West side, all around the town?' ; -0]

•Conservation officer Harry Goodwin returned home Tuesday morning after being in attendance at the New Hampshire Fish and Game Department exhibit at the New York Sportsmen's show.

3/2/1940 Wentworth

•Robert Bass, who is at Camp Pemi through the summer season, was in town Sunday and called on some of his old friends. [*Related to the Peterborough, NH, Progressive Republicoan Basses?*]

•[R. Pease [*must be Russell*, W. Giffhorn, C. Stevens, H. Evans and Monoply played for the Wentworth basketball team vs. Bristol. Game ended 38 to 33, in favor of Bristol.]

•Miss Ina Huckins, Mrs. Mertie Atwood with their guest Mrs. Glen Sturtevant called on Mrs. Alice Downing at the Memorial Hospital on Sunday.

3/2/1940 West Rumney

•[Among the winners at this weeks' beano were: Pearl McKee, 10 lbs. sugar; Ethel McKee, table mats.]

•Among the winners at the Baker A.A. bingo this week was: Pearl McKee, aluminum pan.]

•Miss Marjorie Burnham is spending the week in Lyme.

•Roger Kelley of Center Harbor spent a few days last week with Herbert Moses.

3/9/1940 Warren

•Mr. and Mrs. Edwin S. Pease have just completed a beautiful braided rug, 7 by 11 feet, for a customer in Claremont. The colors are blue and gray, blue predominating. In the making of this rug, they have used 3400 yards of thread or 17 spools of 200 yards each. They are now working on two companion rugs, 2 ¼ X 4 and 3 x 6. Both Mr. and Mrs. Pease are experts in the art of rug making.

•Mr. and Mrs. John Taylor of West Rumney were callers at Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Pease's Thursday afternoon.

•Mr. and Mrs. Harry Goodwin were in Lebanon Friday.

3/9/1940 Wentworth

•Mr. and Mrs. Roy DeCotis made a business trip to Winchester, Mass., Monday.

•Norman Downing and Franklin Snelgrove attended the basketball game in Fairlee Monday evening.

3/9/1940 West Rumney

•[Among the winners at this weeks' beano were: Betty Burnham, 2 lbs. peanuts; Richard Burnham, dinner; Amon Burnham, shears; Ethel McKee, dish.]

•Miss Marjorie Burnham is spending the week in Lyme Center.

•Mrs. Charles Middlehurst has been quite ill. She is being cared for by Mrs. Gordon McKee and Mrs. Leon Pratt.

3/23/1940 Haverhill

•[Mrs. Herbert Swan and little daughter, Ellen, were among those from here attending the comedy, "The Man In The Green Shirt," at Orfordville Wednesday evening.

•Chester Pierce of Orfordville was a caller in town Tuesday.

3/23/1940 Warren

•Conservation officers Harry Gale, Everett Goodwin, Harry Goodwin, Reginald Evans, Everett Barry and William Hight, with superintendent of the Warren Fish Hatchery, Daniel McLinn and Dana Hunkins attended the funeral of Robert H. Scobie at the St. Pauls' Episcopal Church at Concord Sunday.

3/23/1940 West Rumney

•Pearl McKee has been sick with a hard cold.

•[Hazel Burnham from Mont View school was a Prize Speaking contestant at the Rumney primary grades contest.]

•A very attractive shower was given Miss Marjorie Burnham Wednesday night after Grange meeting by the Grange. Outside guests were invited. The stage was decorated to a yard with the family wash hanging on the line. The curtain was pulled and she was requested to get in her clothes as a shower was coming. She received many beautiful and useful gifts, one of which was a large decorated cake with a bride and

groom which was made by Mrs. Lillian Ray. Refreshments of cake, coffee and sandwiches were served. A very delightful time was enjoyed by all.

•[Among the winners at this weeks' beano were: Guy Burnham, dinner; Vernie Burnham, coffee.]

3/30/1940 Warren

•Mr. Morse from the Timber Salvage office in Lebanon announces that anyone may obtain slabs that were piled last winter at the Cleale lumber yard, if they will take them as they come and not select the best and leave the small ones.

•The Warren Fire department with volunteers were called to Pike Saturday shortly after noon to assist at the fire that destroyed the Moosilauke Bobbin Mill.

3/30/1940 Wentworth

•Charles Gilbert is working for R.A. McLaughlin at Camp Pemigewasset.

•Mrs. Leslie Donnelly of Orford was a recent guest of Mrs. Roy DeCotis.

3/30/1940 West Rumney

•[Among the winners at this weeks' beano were: Ethel McKee, 5 lbs. sugar; Pearl McKee, apples and free admission to next game; Guy Burnham, table cover.]

•Vernon Perkins attended the Teachers' Institute at Plymouth Monday afternoon.

4/6/1940 Atwell Hill

•Mr. and Mrs. Thorne, Ruth Keneson, Gwendolyn and Llewellyn Brown went to Rumney to a meeting in the church there Monday evening.

•C.D. Keneson has tapped his sugar trees. Sap is running well.

•Mrs. F.C. Thorne visited Mrs. F.E. Wright and Mrs. C.D. Keneson Wednesday.

4/6/1940 Glencliff

•Mrs. Inez Perry of Orford is spending some time with her daughter, Mrs. Helen Belyea.

4/6/1940 Warren

•Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Randall of Concord called at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Pease Tuesday. Mr. Randall is a cousin of Mr. Pease.

4/6/1940 Wentworth

•The many friends of Mrs. Alice Downing are pleased to learn that she is again at her home, much improved in health.

•Dr. Edgar Fauver and son, Alfred, of Middletown, Conn., were at Camp Pemigewasset Saturday.

•Mrs. Lottie M. McLaughlin is busy taking the census of the town of Wentworth.

•Wilfred Tatham is in town for a few days, replenishing his woodpile.

4/6/1940 West Rumney

•[Among the winners at this weeks' beano were: Dorothy Burnham, 5 lbs. sugar; Guy Burnham, 4 lbs. lard; Marjorie Burnham, broom; Ethel McKee, writing paper and ink.]

4/13/1940 Wentworth

•Leo Gove and Misses Juliet and Geraldine Brown returned Sunday to their studies at New Hampshire State College after a weeks' vacation spent at their respective homes. [It was UNH by then but many still referred to it as 'the State college.']

•Mrs. Flora Howard was a guest on Wednesday of Mrs. A.V. Butts. Mrs. Howard also attended the meeting of the Wentworth Woman's club.

4/13/1940 West Rumney

•Richard Moses has gone to East Orford to work for Glenn Pease.

•[Among the winners at last weeks' beano were: Amon Burnham, 10 lbs. sugar, cookies; Vernie Burnham, crackers and cheese; Guy Burnham, Beano chips; Pearl McKee, 5 lbs. sugar, breakfast; Ethel McKee, teapot and tea.]

•Mrs. Kenneth McKee has been quite sick with a hard cold.

4/20/1940 Warren

- Richard and Robert Pike, Richard Gardner and Weston Gardner of West Rumney, motored to Boston, Mass., Sunday, where Richard Gardner had several x-rays taken of the knee that was injured several weeks ago. Mr. Gardner is secretary of the White Mountain Regional Association.
- 4/20/1940 Wentworth
- H.D. Chase has leased his mill to Carl Fellows for one year.
- Mrs. Walter Downing was in Ashland several days last week, a guest of Mrs. Florence Sanborn. Mrs. Sanborn returned to Wentworth with Mrs. Downing for a short stay.
- 4/20/1940 West Rumney
- [Among the winners at this weeks' beano were: Guy Burnham, flour; E.I. Moses, tea kettle; Marjorie Burnham, towels; Amon Burnham, grapefruit juice.]
- 4/27/1940 West Rumney
- [Among the winners at this weeks' beano were: Amon Burnham, 2 quarts maple syrup; Guy Burnham, 2 lbs. coffee; Ethel McKee, cake tin.]
- Richard Moses is working for Glenn Pease in East Orford.
- Marjorie Burnham is spending the week in Lyme Center.
- 5/4/1940 Plymouth
- Mrs. Chester Pease, Mrs. Frank Gould and Master John Foster visited relatives in South Windsor, Conn., last weekend.
- 5/4/1940 Wentworth
- H. Dewey Chase has moved with his family into the house of Chester Downing.
- [Julia Pease was among the Sunday School teachers who attended a Sunday School convention in Woodsville, Thursday, April 25.]
- 5/4/1940 West Rumney
- [Among the winners at this week's beano were: Ethel McKee, writing paper and ink; Pearl McKee, dish towels and cloth.]
- Among the winners at the Baker A.A. Bingo this week were: Amon Burnham, flour; Ethel McKee, candy.]
- Vernon Perkins is quite ill at the Rutland, Vt., hospital. Mrs. Dorothy Davis of Plymouth is substituting in his absence. His many friends hope for a speedy recovery. *[I wonder why he went to Rutland? Perhaps they specialize in treating cases of cold feet – think about it! ;-0]*
- 5/11/1940 Warren
- Burton Pike, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Pike, is a patient at the Hanover hospital.
- Mrs. Alanson Pike and Mrs. Eva Pike were in Bradford Friday afternoon.
- Edward B. Shortt is working at Orford for Henry Horton.
- 5/11/1940 West Rumney
- We are glad to report that Mr. Perkins is on the gain.
- [Among the winners at this weeks' beano were: Vernie Burnham, 10 lbs. sugar; Betty Burnham, 3 lbs. cherries; Guy Burnham, bank; Ethel McKee, 5 lbs. sugar.]
- 5/18/1940 Atwell Hill
- Mr. and Mrs. F.C. Thorne and Mr. Burchfield, also C.W. Lowd and Mrs. F.A. Howard attended the Meredith-Sandwich association at the Rumney Baptist church last Wednesday evening.
- Donald Burchfield spent Wednesday with C.D. Keneson and family.
- C.W. Lowd and Mrs. F.A. Howard were in Plymouth Wednesday afternoon.
- Mrs. M.A. Keneson and Mrs. F.A. Howard thank the Wentworth village church for the beautiful flowers sent them on Mothers' Day.
- Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Pease and family and Mrs. Mabel Pease of East Orford called on Mrs. F.A. Howard Sunday pm.
- 5/18/1940 Warren

- Callers at Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Pease's Sunday afternoon were his sister, Mrs. Frank Young and husband of Franconia and their son, Robert Young and Mrs. Young of Lyme.
5/18/1940 Wentworth
- Dr. Edwin Fauver and Mrs. Fauver are now at Camp Pemigewasset.
5/18/1940 West Rumney
- W.J. McKee has been on the sick list.
- Friends of Vernon Perkins will be pleased to know that he is back home again somewhat improved.
5/25/1940 Atwell Hill
- Laurence Daige was taken very sick last Wednesday. A doctor was called who pronounced it intestinal flu. He is gaining slowly at the present writing.
- Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Daige of Windsor, Vt., were at Mrs. A.L. Chase's Sunday.
5/25/1940 Warren
- Never before has the arrival of Philip Morse in town created such a furore as it did about 4 pm Monday afternoon when he came as a passenger in a Taylorcraft plane with pilot Novell of Lowell, Mass. They circled over the Morse estate to announce their arrival before landing in a field on the Parks' farm. They intended to remain only a short time but due to zero ceiling remained as guests at the Morse home overnight.
5/25/1940 Wentworth
- Mr. and Mrs. Dean Simpson of St. Johnsbury were Sunday callers on her sister, Mrs. C.H. Pease. Mrs. Catherine Bedell returned to St. Johnsbury for an extended visit.
5/25/1940 West Rumney
- [Among the winners at this weeks' Beano were: Guy Burnham, raisins; Dorothy Burnham, 2 lbs. crackers and 1 lb. peanut butter; Amon Burnham, 3 fruit cocktail;
6/8/1940 Atwell Hill
- Mrs. A.L. Chase and son, Leon, were called to Haverhill to attend the funeral of Mrs. Chase's mother, Mrs. Ella Cutting. Mrs. Cutting was a member of the Atwell Hill church.
- C.W. Lowd and Mrs. F.A. Howard returned home Monday pm after spending a week in Warren, Worcester and Boylston, Mass., with relatives.
- Mr. and Mrs. C.D. Keneson were business visitors in Plymouth Wednesday afternoon.
6/8/1940 Wentworth
- Fred Leonard of Middlefield, Conn., called at Clarence Pease's recently.
- [Among the children baptized at the morning service were: Ruth and Glen Stafford Smith, children of Mr. and Mrs. Stafford Smith and Carol Jeanne DeCotis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy DeCotis.]
6/8/1940 West Rumney
- [Among the winners at beano this week were: Amon Burnham, 15 lbs. sugar.]
6/15/1940 [There was a notice on the front page that the paper will no longer print the lists of beano winners, saying it took up too much space and forces out other items.]
- 6/22/1940 Atwell Hill
- Mr. and Mrs. William Daige and Mrs. Kenneth Ramsdell and children of Windsor, Vt., were Saturday guests of their mother, Mrs. A.L. Chase.
- Mr. and Mrs. M.K. Newton and children called on his brother, Philip Newton, who is in the Veterans' Hospital at White River Jct., Sunday pm. They also called on Charlie Ladd of East Orford, who is in Hanover hospital.
- C.W. Lowd and C.D. Keneson called on Charlie Ladd, who is in Hanover hospital. They found him somewhat improved.
- C.D. Keneson and son and daughters, also C.W. Lowd, went to the High School graduation at Orford Friday evening.
- Mr. and Mrs. C.D. Keneson and Mrs. F.A. Howard were business visitors in Plymouth Wednesday afternoon.

•Mr. and Mrs. Rudlin of New York are spending a few weeks on the H.E. Howard (so-called) place, which they recently bought.

6/22/1940 Warren

•Mrs. Charlotte Adams and daughter of West Thornton were guests of her grandmother, Mrs. Eva Pike, on Sunday.

•Mrs. Eva Pike and Mrs. Charlotte Adams of West Thornton attended the graduation exercises of the former's grandson, Burton Pike, at Bradford, Vt., last week.

6/29/1940 Atwell Hill

•Mrs. Walter Piper and son, Hartwell Piper, of Quincy, Mass., called on Mrs. Amos Reade and Mrs. A.L. Chase last Wednesday. The Pipers used to live on the Reade place.

•Mr. and Mrs. H.D. Chase and Edith were at his mother's Sunday. Edith visited her chum, Ruth Keneson and attended church with her in the afternoon.

•Mrs. L.M. Wright of Plymouth and son, Earl Wright, of Campton were on the Hill Tuesday. They called on Mrs. M.A. Keneson and Mr. and Mrs. F.E. Wright.

•All the friends of Charlie Ladd of East Orford are glad that he is slowly improving at the Hanover hospital.

6/29/1940 Haverhill

•Miss Mary Cantefield had as guests Thursday for dinner at Elms House in Orford, Mrs. Herbert Swan, Mrs. Elmer Blake, Mrs. N. Della Carbee and Miss Mary Beken.

6/29/1940 Plymouth

•In 'Maynard's Call'Em' column: Found out where there is a ski tow for sale in Orford. If you are interested come in and we will tell you about it. [*Likely the one on Lower Street, behind the Verandah, based on 1939 item.*]

6/29/1940 Wentworth

•Vernon Pease is spending a week in Lyme at Camp Pinnacle [*4-H, I think.*]

[*From Bernie Allesandrini, 6/17/23: "don't know how long Vern lived there, but I remember riding with my father early one morning and stopping by the Pease residence there on the corner to pick up Vern. I'm not sure how old Vern was, but Dad was about 28 and I thought Vern was about the same age or a few years younger maybe. Anyway, you'll like this - I was about 7 or 8 and it was the first time Dad agreed to let me go to work with him so I could follow him around and see what he did all day. We picked up Vern and he sat in front with Dad while I sat in the back seat. They were laughing at one thing or another, when Vern turned to me and said: "You want to hear a joke?" I remember asking him this and I'm not kidding. I asked: "What's a joke?" Truthfully, I'd never heard of a "joke" before and didn't know what he was talking about. Vern said: "It's easy. I'll ask you a question and you give me the answer." I said "okay" and my father turned the radio down, then Vern asked: "What's green, has wheels, and you walk on it?" I thought about it for a minute or so and had no idea, so I answered: "I don't know. What is it?" Vern says: "Grass." I said, "But, grass doesn't have wheels," and Vern replied: "So I lied about the wheels." And they both laughed and then I laughed too. I'll never forget it because it was the first "joke" anyone ever told me.*]

•George Randall of Waterbury, Vt., called on Mrs. Catherine Bedell the first of the week.

6/29/1940 West Rumney

•Mr. and Mrs. William McKee and Pearl were Woodsville visitors Monday.

•Mrs. Ethel McKee has returned from Quincy, Massachusetts.

•Sheldon Woodard of Quincy is visiting at the home of his aunt, Mrs. E.I. Moses.

•Guy Burnham cut his foot quite badly with an axe.

7/6/1940 Warren

•Mr. and Mrs. Harry Goodwin and Miss Lila Goodwin are at the Goodwin cottage at Brown's Pond [*Upper Baker*] for the months of July and August.

7/13/1940 Atwell Hill

- Leon Chase moved Roy Bixby and family to East Piermont the 4th.
- Charlie Ladd of East Orford came home from Hanover hospital last week. He is improving slowly. The cast is still on his leg.
- Mr. and Mrs. W.M. Bauer and daughters, Phyllis and Shirley, from Washington, D.C., spent the holiday and weekend with her father, C.W. Lowd and aunt, Mrs. F.A. Howard. Monday they went to Worcester to visit relatives on their way home.
- C.W. Lowd and Mrs. F.A. Howard were in Concord and Franklin Tuesday.
- Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Lowd of Franklin were at the Howard farm Sunday.
- C.D. Keneson and family, W.M. Bauer and family, C.W. Lowd and Mrs. Glenn Pease and children of East Orford made a trip to the mountains Friday. They visited the Flume, Lost River and the Tramway. *[Dad's diary: 7\5\40 Thed and kids went round mountains with her folks. Got out 9 load shit.]*
- 7/13/1940 Warren
- The Pemigewasset Camp band will give a concert on the bandstand Friday evening, July 19, from 8 to 9 o'clock.
- 7/13/1940 West Rumney
- Mrs. Kenneth McKee entertained her aunt from Warren Wednesday.
- Dorice Pease and little Dale spent Thursday with her sister, Mrs. A.B. Burnham.
- 7/20/1940 Plymouth
- Mr. and Mrs. Harold Sherburn and son, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Eastman were among those from Plymouth attending the American Legion parade in Concord Sunday.
- 7/20/1940 Warren
- Mrs. Arthur Batchelder, granddaughter Beverly Bennett, and Mrs. Eva Pike visited Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Pike at Bradford, Vt., last Thursday.
- 7/20/1940 Wentworth
- Robert Batt, formerly of Camp Pemigewasset, was in town Sunday. *[An earlier item spelled it 'Bass.']*
- 7/27/1940 Atwell Hill
- Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Ramsdell and children of Windsor, Vt., spent one day last week with her mother, Mrs. A.L. Chase.
- Miss Gretchen Noack, of Springfield, Mass., is spending her vacation with her friend, Mrs. Alson Brown.
- Mr. and Mrs. Lionel Kipling of Norwood, Mass., called on friends in this vicinity recently.
- 7/27/1940 Haverhill
- Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Metcalf and children of Alstead were Sunday guest of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hardy.
- Mrs. F.I. Becton and Mrs. A. Peach of East Orange, N.J., and Mrs. Charles Cushman of Orfordville were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Swan Sunday evening.
- 7/27/1940 Wentworth
- Thursday of last week several met at the home of Mrs. R.A. McLaughlin to sew for the A.R.C. Fifteen dresses were cut in the morning and much work done through the day. Mrs. McLaughlin has kindly opened her home for this work and this week there will be an all-day meeting with five machines and many workers. This is to be continued Thursdays as long as this line of work is needed. Needless to say, all are welcome.
- 7/27/1940 West Rumney
- Mr. and Mrs. Jay Donnelly of Massachusetts were weekend callers of her sister, Mrs. A.B. Burnham.
- Marjorie Burnham was home from Lyme a few days last week.
- Mr. and Mrs. Willard Crosby and son, Donald were visitors of her sister, Mrs. A.B. Burnham the first of the week. *[They were at their camp on the Pease farm from 7/13 to 7/28.]*
- 8/3/1940 Haverhill
- Harold Swan and two sons, Clarence and Russell, of Orford, were visitors at Herbert Swan's Wednesday.

8/3/1940 Warren

•The concert given by the Camp Pemigewassett band was very much enjoyed by a large audience that gathered on the Common, Friday, July 19. These concerts that are an annual event are greatly appreciated. The young men and their counselors give their time and service that the community may enjoy their music. Several people have remarked that "This was the best ever." We would say they have all been excellent. At the close of the concert the band was invited to the vestry where the ladies served them punch and assorted cakes.

•Mrs. Charles Pease of Colebrook and her daughter, Wilhelmina, were visitors at Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Pease's from Thursday until Saturday. Miss Pease is a Registered Nurse at the hospital in Barre, Vt.

8/3/1940 Wentworth

•Camp Pemigewassett will attend the village church in a body August 11. The Camp has made this a yearly custom and the church greatly appreciate their help.

•There will be a dance at the Wentworth Town Hall Tuesday evening, August 13, for the benefit of the Red Cross. Music by Libbey's Swing Students, with dancing from 9 to 1:00. Adm 20¢. Attend this dance and help a worthwhile cause. *[I wonder if these aren't students of Joe Libbey's father.]*

•Mr. and Mrs. Perley Pease of Exeter were Wednesday callers at the home of C.H. Pease. *[Perley was Henry's son and a career teacher. I knew of him teaching at Fork Union Military Academy in PA and perhaps he also taught at Philips Exeter.]*

•Mrs. Charles Pease and daughter, Wilhelmina, were business visitors in town recently.

•Mrs. Guy Adams of Fairlee, Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Adams and Mrs. Benson, Pawtucket, R.I., were Monday callers at Clarence Pease's.

•Mr. and Mrs. Paul R. Merrill and daughter, Patricia of Waltham, were recent callers on Mrs. C.H. Pease.

8/10/1940 Wentworth

•Camp Pemigewassett will be at the church in a body Sunday morning. There is no Sunday School all through August.

•Mrs. Richard Downing has returned from her stay at Plymouth Memorial Hospital, bringing young Junior with her. Peggy Lumsten is assisting in the home. *[This must be Dicky, right?]*

8/10/1940 West Rumney

•Vernon Perkins, sister and friend of Lyme were visiting friends in town Sunday. We are glad to report that Mr. Perkins is gaining and expects to be back for school in September.

8/17/1940 Atwell Hill

•Alson Brown and son have painted the schoolhouse.

•Mr. and Mrs. C.D. Keneson, C.E. Lowd and Mrs. F.A. Howard were in Plymouth Wednesday afternoon.

•C.D. Keneson is doing some repair work on W.A. Rudlin's buildings, which he bought of the H.E. Howard estate last spring.

•Mr. and Mrs. W.A. Rudlin have friends visiting them from New York.

8/17/1940 West Rumney

•Vernon Perkins of Lyme was in town Sunday. We are glad to report him as gaining.

•[Betty and Hazel Burnham were among those who attended little Grace Taylor's birthday party Friday. After games and refreshments, Mr. and Mrs. Taylor took them all to the Morse Museum.

8/24/1940 Atwell Hill

•Mr. and Mrs. C.D. Keneson celebrated their 20th wedding anniversary by taking a trip to Massachusetts starting Friday. They spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Lionel Kipling in Norwood, Mass. Saturday they visited Plymouth Rock and other places of interest. Monday they motored to Worcester to spend the night with Mr. and Mrs. V.G. Richardson. Tuesday they started home and visited Benson's Animal Farm on the way. They stopped in Franklin and took supper with Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Lowd, arriving home at 9 pm. They report a good trip and pleasant visit.

•Mr. Rudlin had a chimney fire at his house Wednesday morning. No damage done.

8/24/1940 Glenclyff

•Mrs. Inez Perry has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Will Belyea.

8/24/1940 S. Wentworth

•Cars bearing Maine, New Hampshire, Vermont, Massachusetts, New York, Wisconsin, Connecticut, Illinois and Missouri number plates have been seen by the roadside opposite the home of Mrs. Walter Foster. The occupants of these cars are either enjoying a swim in the old swimming pool, fishing for trout or having a picnic on the ledges. There is a grand place for swimming in Nature's pool and shallow water too for the children. One Sunday last year this writer counted fifty bathers there. This seems quite a lot for so small a vicinity and a place not advertised – just as nature made it. Once a year the people of the neighborhood gather in the evening and have a weenie roast on the rocks and sing songs until the evening vanishes into the night.

8/24/1940 Warren

•Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Pease attended the Arts and Crafts Fair at Holderness last week. They had many of their handsome braided rugs on display.

8/31/1940 Glenclyff

•Mrs. Inez Perry has gone to her daughter's, Mrs. Stanley Chase in Orford. *[Based on other news items, I think Stanley and Eleanor were living in what I knew as the Mary and Dick Smith house in Orford. The first item listing them as East Orford is from 3/12/43. From Tim Chase, 6/17/23: "Thanks Art, as usual for the news! I remember Mom and Dad talking about their first years out here in East Orford. My sister, Shirley, was born on Oct 21, 1942, and they moved onto the farm here on that date you mentioned. I remember them saying how the floor in the house had cracks in it that allowed them a view into the basement where they could see frogs swimming around and hear them croaking! Mom said the wind used to howl through the house until she thought it was going to blow it off the foundation! At some point, Dad hired on to work in a lumber camp over on Mt. Cardigan for the whole winter, and of course, that meant that Mom and Shirley were left alone at the house to tend fires and whatever else needed to be done. Those were hard days!!]*

8/31/40 Warren

•Twenty-six workers met at "The Barn" Tuesday for the weekly Red Cross sew. The quota for the last quarter has been filled and the following articles sent to headquarters for shipment" 10 layettes, 6 boys' shirts, 8 hospital bed shirts, 2 operating gowns, 12 children's dresses, 4 beanies, 1 pair wristers, 3 women's dresses. [These are likely going to England, for folks bombed out during the Blitz.]

8/31/1940 Wentworth

•Camp Moosilauke attended church Sunday morning. Music was by the local quartette, Carroll Stevens, Grover Breck, Mrs. R.A., McLaughlin and Peggy Lunstrun. Mrs. Breck at the organ. *[Seems as if Moosilauke is a devout as Pemi but not as musical!]*

•Julia Pease is spending her vacation in Waltham and Worcester and reports "having a wonderful time."

8/31/40 West Rumney

•Mrs. W.J. McKee has returned from Reading, Mass., where she was called by the serious illness of her mother, Mrs. Annie Armstrong.

9/7/1940 Atwell Hill

•Mr. and Mrs. Chester Hathaway and daughter, Ruth, also Mr. and Mrs. Earl Gendron of Springfield, Mass., were guests of Mr. C.W. Lowd and Mrs. F.A. Howard on Monday.

•Ruth Keneson is attending the Orford High School.

•School opened Tuesday with Miss Carole Lavoie of Pike as teacher with an enrollment of 19 pupils.

9/7/1940 Haverhill

•Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Swan and friends, Mr. and Mrs. J.L. Bohn of Philadelphia, Pa., returned Friday from a fishing trip to the Laurentian Park north of Quebec, Canada.

9/7/1940 Warren

•There is an exhibit of shop work in the Asquamschumaukee club room made by the boys during the school year under the guidance of Theodore Lylis. The various articles were made as a combined 4-h and school project and great care was taken by each lad to create the best he could. The articles on exhibit were made by William Hight, Irving Cushing, Stanley Clark, James Godville, H.E. McIssac Jr., Richard Sawyer, Edward Chase, George McCrillis and Bernardino Alsandrani. The articles are being entered at the Plymouth Fair in competition with those of other clubs throughout this section of New Hampshire.

•A hike to Waternomee Falls on Mt.Carr was made by the following boy: John McDonald, Irving Cushing, Stanley Shortt, Stanley Clark, James Godville “Sonny” Alsendrini, Floyd Evans and Bruce Graves. Richard Gardner, leader, gave a demonstration of trail blazing, tree identification and outdoor cooking without utensils.

9/7/1940 Wentworth

•Mr. and Mrs. Eugene C. Randall of Concord visited recently in town and Wednesday they with Mrs. Mertie Atwood and Miss Ina Huckins made a trip around the mountains.

9/14/1940 Atwell Hill

•Geraldine Brown has finished work at Lake Tarleton Club and returned to her home last week.

•Mr. and Mrs. Verne Richardson of Worcester, Mass., were weekend guests of Mr. C.W. Lowd and Mrs. F.A. Howard. Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Lowd of Franklin were also Sunday guests.

•C.W. Lowd and Ray Keneson went to the Plymouth Fair Wednesday.

•J.F. Keneson of Andover was a guest of his mother, Mrs. M.A. Keneson Sunday.

•Mrs. F.A. Howard visited Mrs. Julia Nutting and Miss Eva Pease Tuesday and Wednesday.

9/14/1940 Glenclyff

•Mrs. Stanley Chase and Miss Edna Perry of Orford have been spending a few days with their sister, Mrs. William Belyea.

•Mrs. Helen Belyea has been confined to the house the past week by an infected ankle caused by a bite.

9/21/1940 Atwell Hill

•Miss Randolph and Miss Wright of Mount Vernon, N.Y., called on Mr. C.W. Lowd and Mrs. F.A. Howard Monday afternoon. They have been spending their vacation in Bradford, Vt.

•Alson Brown, Jr., went to Durham the 18th to enter the University of New Hampshire as a freshman.

•Several from the Hill attended the Missionary meeting in the chapel in West Rumney last Friday evening. Mrs. F.A. Howard went to the village and called on Mrs. A.V. Butts. [*Mrs. Butts is moving to Maine – too bad that Grammy Howard is losing one of her friends.*]

•Mr. and Mrs. William Rudlin have closed their summer home and returned to Bronxville, N.Y.

•Mr. and Mrs. C.D., Keneson were business visitors in Plymouth Wednesday afternoon. They also called on Mrs. F.C. Thorne and the new baby at the Plymouth Memorial hospital.

9/21/1940 Haverhill

•Mr. Herbert Swan, Mr. Frank Campbell, Mr. Watson Pike and Mr. Chester Pierce of Orford were weekend visitors in Boston.

9/21/1940 S. Wentworth

•Recent visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Livermore were Mr. and Mrs. Gordon McKee and family of Rumney Depot.

9/21/1940 Rumney

•[There are 33 students in Mont View school this fall. [*Vern has by far the most pupils of any classroom in the town.*]]

9/21/1940 Wentworth

•Dr. and Mrs. John Nichols of Camp Pemigewasset left early in the week for their home in Oberlin, Ohio.

9/28/1940 Plymouth

•Mrs. Chester Pease, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Frank Gould, and grandson, John Foster, motored to Hartford, Conn., over the weekend. Her sister, Mrs. Raymond Downing of Hartford, who has been visiting her, returned with them and Mrs., Gould remained for a few weeks visit with her daughter.

•[Harold Sherburn *[Jr.]* is a freshman member of the PHS football team.]

10/5/1940 Atwell Hill

•Born to Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Brown, a son, at the Plymouth Memorial Hospital last week. *[Gilbert?]*

•Mr. and Mrs. Lionel Kipling of Norwood, Mass., were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alson Brown. They called on other friends Saturday afternoon.

•C.W. Lowd dug a potato from his garden which weighed 2 lbs., 1 ounce. *[Some spud!]*

10/12/1940 Atwell Hill

•Mrs. Oscar Brown returned home from Plymouth hospital Saturday. 0

•Oscar Brown, Jr., called on his sister and cousins in the University of New Hampshire Friday.

•C.W. Lowd, Mrs. C.D. Keneson and Mrs. F.A. Howard were business visitors in Plymouth last week.

On their way home by way of Quincy, they saw a moose in the field a little south of the Quincy schoolhouse. It was dark colored with light colored hind legs, had horns and the “bell” hanging from under his neck. He trotted across the field toward the R.R. track, paused a second, then stepped one foot after the other over the fence, and crossed into the woods toward the river.

•Mrs. C.D. Keneson and Ray were in Warren Saturday evening.

10/19/1940 Atwell Hill

•Oscar Brown is hauling pulp for Leon Chase.

•C.W. Lowd and Mrs. F.A. Howard were in Warren Friday am. Mrs. Howard called on Mrs. George I. Wright.

•Mr. and Mrs. C.D. Keneson, Ray, Ruth and Alice, also C.W. Lowd, motored to Franklin and took supper with Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Lowd. Mrs. M.A. Keneson went with them to Andover to visit her son, J.f. Keneson.

•Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Lowd and son, Billy, of Boylston, Mass., spent the weekend with his father, C.W. Lowd, at the home of Mrs. F.A. Howard.

•Mrs. M.A. Keneson has sold her farm buildings and what land is in Wentworth to Mr. and Mrs. John Latty of Springfield, Mass., who expect to move in next spring. *[The Latty's were friends of the minister at the Atwell Hill church, F.C. Thorne.]*

10/19/1940 Warren

•Mr. and Mrs. Harry Goodwin attended Sandwich Fair.

•Fayne Anderson, Jane Anderson, Everett McIssac and Everett McIssac, Jr., went to Errol Sunday to try their luck at duck hunting. *[No more news about the trip, so the ducks likely ducked!]*

•The Asquamschumaukee Girl Pioneer's Club gave a Leap Year party in the club house and invited a group of the Open Road Pioneers as their guests. Games were enjoyed and two teams were formed that competed in them *throughout* the evening. The “All-Americans” downed the “Detroit Tigers” in total points scored. The hall was very artistically decorated with corn stalks and shades for the lights gave an enchanting glow to the festivities. Forfeits were collected before the refreshments were served, to be redeemed later, by doing stunts as directed by sealed orders drawn from a box. Each boy and girl received a box that contained the refreshments and judging by the rapidity of their disappearance, they were very tasty. The following boys were the guests, who were called for and escorted by the girls: Lyle Moody, Irving Cushing, Weston Gardner, Jr., William Hight Danny Washburn, Lloyd Stevens, Fay Wright. The party was staged by the following girls: Dorothy Libbey, Laura Hazzard, Laura Philbrook, Estella Cushing, Committees on games, decorations and refreshments. The clean up after the party was attended to by Patty Allesandrini, Alberta Anderson, Elizabeth Clark. More such good times are being planned by both the boys and girls' clubs for the winter. *[Any of these ever marry?]*

10/19/1940 Wentworth

•Mrs. C.B. Evans and Mrs. Addie Pease were in Ashland Wednesday.

- Mr. and Mrs. William Leonard of Belmont, Mass., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence H. Pease.
10/26/1940 Atwell Hill
- Leon Chase and C.A. Wright went to Boston Saturday night.
- C.W. Lowd and Mrs. F.A. Howard were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Pease Monday evening in East Orford.
- The baby of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Brown was brought home from Plymouth hospital last Saturday.
- Mr. and Mrs. C.D. Keneson were business visitors in Plymouth Tuesday pm. They also called on Mrs. Julia Nutting.
10/26/1940 Wentworth
- Warren Breck arrived in Wentworth on Monday after fifteen months in the tropics of Central America. He is employed by the United Fruit Company, in the Republic of Honduras, and at the present time is enjoying six weeks' vacation at home from the duties of his position in that country. Mr. Breck expects to return to Honduras the latter part of November.

- 11/2/1940 Wentworth 11/2/1940 Glencliff
- Miss Edna Perry has gone to Hartford, Conn., to work.
11/2/1940 Plymouth
- [Lavina Sherburn was among those who attended the banquet in honor of Mrs. Lillian Trombley of Meredith, newly elected Department President of the American Legion Auxiliary Wednesday evening.]
11/2/1940 Warren
- The chief of police with the assistance of the selectmen of the town are seeing that the riders of bicycles conform to the laws in regard to lights and riding on the sidewalks. Posters are being posted in public places. Read them and act accordingly.
- Last Sunday evening between 9:00 and 9:30 o'clock, Mrs. Dorothy Clark with the assistance of State and Federal officers made a raid at "The Willows" operated as a lunchroom by Mr. and Mrs. Leon Davis, and holding a license for the sale of malt beverages. A quantity of intoxicating liquors was found. Mr. and Mrs. Davis were arraigned before Judge Bunker at the Municipal Court in Rumney Monday morning and were given a 60 days suspended sentence, license revoked, were fined \$50 each and costs amounting to \$45.40.
- Mrs. Marsha Anderson, Mrs. Bertha Goodwin, Mrs. Helen Goodwin and Miss Lila Goodwin motored to Manchester Tuesday.
11/9/1940 Wentworth
- Mrs. Mary Tatham has closed her Wentworth house for the winter and will be in Ashland.
- Elmer Johnson, owner of the "Viking Cabins," was home from his work in Hyde Park, Mass., over the weekend.
11/9/1940 West Rumney
- Francis Burnham shot a deer the first of the week.
11/16/1940 Atwell Hill
- Mrs. F.A. Howard visited Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Sunbury in Orfordville Wednesday.
- Mrs. L.M. Wright, Mr. and Mrs. John Houlne and son of Manchester, also Howard Wright, called on Mrs. M.A. Keneson Sunday.
- Mrs. F.A. Howard spent last Thursday in East Orford with her daughter, Mrs. Glenn Pease and family.
11/16/1940 S. Wentworth
- Miss Olive McKee of Rumney Depot spent the weekend with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Livermore.
11/16/1940 Warren
- Amos Judkins of Pike was the guest of his sister, Mrs. Eva Pike over the weekend.
- Mrs. Arthur Batchelder, Mrs. Eva Pike, Mrs. Kathleen Philbrook, Mrs. Ethel Collier and Miss Beverly Bennett attended the beano party at Glencliff last Wednesday evening.

- Mrs. Rose Pike and Larry Jones of Bradford, Vt., were at Mrs. Eva Pike's Saturday.
- Mrs. Dorothy Pike, Mrs. Eva Pike and Mrs. Kathleen Philbrook were dinner guests of Mrs. Charlotte Adams of Holderness last Wednesday.
- [Bertha Goodwin was among 18 people who attended a three-day upholstery school in town. Six chairs and a sofa were upholstered.]
- 11/16/1940 Wentworth
- Russell Pease was home from his N.Y.A. work in Concord over the holiday.
- 11/16/1940 West Rumney
- Mr. and Mrs. Richard Burnham and family are moving this week to Natick, Mass., where he has work.
- 11/23/1940 Wentworth
- Warren Breck sailed from New York November 16 for Tela, Honduras, Central America, to resume work for the United Fruit Co., after a vacation spent in New Hampshire and Massachusetts.
- Mrs. Clarence Pease is in St. Johnsbury for a few days.
- 11/23/1940 West Rumney
- Mr. and Mrs. Richard Burnham and family have moved to Natick, Mass. W.J. McKee and Kenneth Wheet moved them.
- Mrs. Thomas Hartley of Woodsville called on her sister, Mrs. Amon Burnham, one day last week.
- 11/30/1940 Warren
- Richard Pike met with an accident last Friday while working on Atwell Hill. Six men were trying to pry out a boulder where they are constructing a water hole. A large stone was loosened above the workmen and landed on Richard's head. He lost his balance and went over backwards, striking the back of his head on a stone. About this time the iron bar decided to take a whack at him in the mouth and one front tooth was knocked out and two broken.
- 12/7/1940 Atwell Hill
- Miss Juliet Brown and Alson W. Brown were home from U.N.H. to spend Thanksgiving with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alson Brown. Miss Geraldine Brown also came home to be with her parents, Mr. and Mrs., Oscar Brown. They all returned back to the University Sunday.
- C.W. Lowd and Mr. and Mrs. C.D. Keneson were business visitors in Plymouth last Friday morning.
- Thanksgiving dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. C.D. Keneson were Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Sunbury of Orfordville, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Lowd of Franklin, Mrs. M.A. Keneson and Mr. C.W. Lowd. They had turkey with all the fixin's.
- 12/7/1940 Haverhill
- Mr. and Mrs. James Keith and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cushman of Orfordville were dinner guests Thursday of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Swan. [*Venison steak, I bet, as Herb had just shot a deer.*]
- 12/14/1940 Plymouth
- Mrs. Julia Nutting, who has been confined to her bed for the past nine weeks, is improving slowly.
- 12/14/1940 Wentworth
- Leon Chase and Frank Marcou drove to Boston Tuesday evening delivering Christmas trees and wreaths.
- Wilfred Tatham was home from Ashland over the weekend.
- 12/21/1940 Haverhill
- Herbert Swan entertained the following friends at a venison steak dinner Thursday evening. Messrs. Fred Eastman and Fred Jones of Haverhill, Lewis Colburn and son, George, from Lyme, Gene Cross, Joe Duval, Chester and Charlie Pierce, Henry Horton, Dudley Clough, Elton Woodward and Walter Mack of Orford and Robert Large and Maurice Young of North Haverhill and A.W. Morris of Piermont.
- 12/21/1940 Warren
- Mr. and Mrs. Everett Goodwin, daughter Jean, Mrs. Harry Gale and Mrs. Bertha Goodwin were Christmas shopping in Laconia Wednesday.

- [Among the officers elected by the Minerva Temple Pythian Sisters Wednesday evening, Dec. 11 were: Mistress of Finance, Mrs. Bertha Goodwin and Mistress of records and correspondence, Mrs. Helen Goodwin.]
- Archduke Otto of Austria, accompanied by his aide-de-camp and secretary Henry Count Degenfield, were guests at the Dartmouth Outing Club at Ravine Camp Saturday, where a supper party was arranged. *[See separate article on the Archduke.]*
- 12/21/1940 Wentworth
- Monday the chemical engine was called to the home of Clarence Pease for a bad chimney fire and only prompt action saved the house from being burned beyond repair. The fire spread from the chimney to other parts of the attic. The place is insured with Ayer.
- 12/21/1940 West Rumney
- Mrs. E.I. Moses and son, Herbert, attended the State Grange in Keene last week.
- 12/28/1940 Atwell Hill
- Mr. and Mrs. M.K. Newton and children were invited over to Miss Herrin's in East Orford on Christmas day. *[Interesting that Alice and probably Lucy were here over the winter.] [Dad, Ma and kids were invited later for ice cream according to Dad's diary.]*
- The Sunday School Christmas tree at the vestry Saturday night the 21st, was much enjoyed by all who attended. The room was very prettily trimmed with green boughs and Christmas colors. There was a very interesting program by the children, with remarks by the older ones.
- C.W. Lowd motored to Mass., Monday, to spend Christmas with his daughter, Mrs. Verne Richardson in Worcester and Mrs. C.B. Hathaway in Warren, Massachusetts.
- C.W. Lowd and Mrs. C.D. Keneson were in Plymouth Monday to do some shoippionmg.
- Mr. and Mrs. William Rudlin and friends of Bronxville, N.Y. are spending the holidays at the Rudlin farm on the Hill, formerly the Howard place.
- Mr. and Mrs. C.D. Keneson, Ray, Ruth and Alice, and Mrs. F.A. Howard were invited to the Rudlin farm Tuesday evening. Dainty refreshments were served and a pleasant evening spent by all.
- Mr. and Mrs. John Houlne and son of Manchester, also Mrs. L.M. Wright and son, Howard, of Plymouth, called on Mrs. M.A. Keneson Sunday.
- Mr. and Mrs. C.D. Keneson and family, Mrs. M.A. Keneson and Mrs. F.A. Howard partook of a bountiful dinner on Christmas day with Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Pease and Mrs. Mabel Pease at the Pease home in East Orford.
- 12/28/1940 Glencliff
- Miss Edna Perry is visiting her sister, Mrs. Will Belyea, after being in East Hartford, Conn., several weeks working.
- 12/28/1940 Wentworth
- Margaret Gove, Jesse Gove and Julia Pease spent Monday in Plymouth.

1941

- 1/4/1941 S. Wentworth
- Mrs. Hugh Evans entertained relatives and friends from out of town over the holidays.
- 1/4/1941 Warren
- Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Batchelder and granddaughters Beverly and Marilyn Bennett, and Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Batchelder of Waterville, were guests of the former's mother, Mrs. Eva Pike, Christmas day.
- Mr. and Mrs. Harry Goodwin were guests of his mother, Mrs. Georgie Goodwin and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Burleigh at Lakeport on the holiday.
- Influenza is quite prevalent at the Warren CCC camp.
- 1/4/1941 Wentworth
- Among the New Hampshire University students home on vacation are Richard Evans, Leo Gove, Donald Breck, Geraldine Brown, Juliet Brown and Alson Brown, Jr.

- Russell Pease is home for his recess from NYA work in Concord.
1/4/1941 West Rumney
- Mr. and Mrs. W.J. McKee were called to Quincy, Mass., last week by the death of Mrs. McKee's mother.
- Mrs. Annie Armstrong, the mother of Mrs. W.J. McKee, was brought home here for burial in Pleasant View Cemetery.
- Mr. and Mrs. Richard Burnham and two children of Natick, Mass., were in town at Christmas time.
1/11/1941 Warren
- Mr. and Mrs. John Taylor of West Rumney were callers at Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Pease's Wednesday afternoon.
- Everett McIssac, Myrle Hight, Mabel Wiggett Estella Cushing and Joyce Weeks, students at Plymouth High School, are confined to their homes this week by severe colds and grip.
1/11/1941 Wentworth
- Norman Downing is one of the 32 men ordered to report January 10 in Manchester, where they will take their physical examinations prior to a year of service in the Army.
- Mr. and Mrs. Guy Adams of Fairlee were here recently to call on her sister, Mrs. Catherine Bedell.
1/11/1941 West Rumney
- Miss Marjorie Burnham is visiting her brother Richard and family in South Natick, Mass.
1/18/1941 Warren
- Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Pike of Bradford, Vt., and Amos Judkins of Pike were guests of Mrs. Eva Pike Sunday.
- Mrs. Eva Pike entertained her grandson, Burton Pike, of Bradford, Vt., last week.
- Mrs. Reginald Evans and son, Gerald, have been restricted to the house with severe colds. Wayne, the youngest son, went home Tuesday noon from school with the grip.
- Ralph G. Carpenter, Fish and Game Director, was in town recently and gave veteran superintendent of the Warren Hatchery Daniel H. McLinn, a three-months leave of absence with pay. Dana Huckins, assistant, will have charge of the Hatchery in Mr. McLinn's absence. *[This was a retirement gift – he retired at age 73 on April 1st. He had been superintendent for 23 years and was succeeded by Mr. Huckins, who has been his assistant for 23 years. See separate article.]*
- Frank B. Litte received a box of tangerines and 2 grapefruit from trees at Fred C. Gleason's in Orlando, Fla., and two beautiful rosebuds from the rose garden.
- [Everett Goodwin is to be inducted as the Chancellor Commander of the Warren Knights of Pythias.]
1/18/1941 West Rumney
- Mrs. W.J. McKee and Kenneth Wheet were recent visitors at Natick, Mass.
- Friends of Mrs. Richard Burnham will be very sorry to hear that she is in the Plymouth hospital suffering from an abscess.
- Dickie Burnham is spending some time with his grandparents here.
1/25/1941 Atwell Hill
- Oscar Brown, Jr. has been ill several days with the grip, so he was not able to attend Orford High School.
- Ruth Keneson has been home several days from Orford High School, as school was closed.
- Mrs. Amos Reade is assisting Miss Herrin in East Orford with her housework.
- Wilfred Daige of Windsor, Vt., visited his wife recently at Mrs. A.L. Chase's.
- Mr. and Mrs. C.D. Keneson were business visitors in Plymouth Wednesday.
1/25/1941 Plymouth
- [Mrs. H.G. Sherburn has been appointed to the Committee on World Service of the Congregational Church Committee.]
1/25/1941 Warren

- Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Pike of Bradford, Vt., were at the home of his mother, Mrs. Eve Pike, Wednesday.
- Wilbur Haines attracted a great deal of attention last Thursday afternoon when he rode through the street with two black bear sitting in the rumble seat of his car. They had been shot by Everett Morrison. One was three years old and the other probably a yearling. Wilbur was taking them to Littleton where he will have one mounted and the other made into a rug. *[Anybody ever see the mount or the rug?]*
1/25/1941 Wentworth.
- Mrs. Clarence Pease, who has been quite ill with the flu, is now able to be about the house.
1/25/1941 West Rumney
- Mr. and Mrs. Richard Burnham and two children have moved back from South Natick, Mass. Baker's River Grange held its installation of officers Wednesday night. Leon Bryer was the installing officer, assisted by Mrs. Ethel Moses.
- Vernon Perkins has been sick and Mrs. Thelma Taylor has been substituting for him.
2/1/1941 Atwell Hill
- Mrs. Evelyn Daige has gone to Windsor for a week.
- Mrs. L.M. Wright of Plymouth and son, Howard, of Manchester, also Kenneth Wright of Fort Devens, Mass., called on Mrs. M.A. Keneson and other relatives Sunday. Kenneth expects to go south next month.
- Freeman Wright and C.D. Keneson have been putting in ice this week. *[But, NHEC is putting up poles and stringing wire – suppose they'll have refrigerators at this time next year?]*
2/8/1941 Glenclyff
- Mrs. Inez Perry from Orford is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Helen Belyea.
2/8/1941 Warren
- Robert Pike and Ralph Cotton received injuries to a hand last week while logging. The former had the end of finger crushed and the latter received a broken thumb. *[I hope this was on Robert's left hand – or perhaps it might give him a nasty breaking ball if on the right!]*
- Conservation officer Harry Goodwin and Mrs. Goodwin and Mrs. Everett Goodwin were in attendance at the Sportsmen's exhibit in Boston Thursday.
2/15/1941 Atwell Hill
- C.W. Lowd was a business visitor in Plymouth Wednesday.
- C.W. Lowd spent Tuesday in East Orford visiting at Glenn Pease's and Charlie Ladd's.
- Mr. and Mrs. C.D. Keneson are recovering from an attack of the grip.
- Alice Keneson was able to resume school Monday, after being absent for a week with the grip.
- Ruth Keneson attended a play, "Lincoln In Illinois," at Hanover Monday evening. *[OHS and Grammar students attended.]*
2/15/1941 Glenclyff
- Over thirty from here attended the picture, "Gone With The Wind," in Woodsville this week. *[Frankly, my dears, they must have given a damn!]*
- Mrs. Maurice Witcher of Warren and Mrs. Eva Ball were in Lisbon recently visiting Mrs. Elmer Libbey.
2/15/1931 Plymouth
- Mrs. Julia Nutting observed her 80th birthday on Saturday, February 8th, at her home on High Street. Friends called and she received many cards and other remembrances.
2/22/1941 Warren
- Mrs. Everett Goodwin and daughter, Jean, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Everett Barry at Franconia this week.
- William Giles, an employee of the Fish Hatchery, went to New York with a load of fish from this hatchery for the New York Sportsmen's show.
2/22/1941 Wentworth

- [Mrs. Alson Brown won the consolation prize at the Wentworth Woman's Club whist party at the home of Mrs. Maude Schraff of Woodsville.]
- 3/1/1941 Atwell Hill
- Miss Florence Cutting of Claremont visited her sister, Mrs. A.L. Chase recently.
- Mr. and Mrs. Amos Reade and Leon Chase, also Llewelyn Brown, went to Boston last Friday.
- Mrs. F.A. Howard spent last Tuesday with her daughter, Mrs. Glenn F. Pease, in East Orford.
- Ruth Keneson is having a week's vacation from High School in Orford.
- 3/1/1941 Wentworth
- Mr. and Mrs. Frank Marcou, Mr. and Mrs. Amos Read with Leon Chase were in Boston Friday and Saturday on business and pleasure.
- Julia Pease is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Dean Simpson in St. Johnsbury this week.
- Clarence H. Pease was in Woodsville Tuesday on business.
- 3/1/1941 West Rumney
- Montview School is having a vacation this week and the teacher, Vernon Perkins, is at his home in Lyme Center.
- Lee Wheet and Miss Marjorie Burnham were Laconia visitors one day last week.
- Vernie Burnham spent one day last week with her sister, Dorice Pease, at Wentworth.
- 3/8/1941 Plymouth
- [Alson Brown of Wentworth won a \$10 Purchase Order at the NHEC Annual Meeting.]
- 3/8/1941 Warren
- Fourteen boys met with Rev. B.G. Robbins in the vestry of the Methodist church Tuesday evening to continue the organization known as the Rangers. The following officers were elected for three months: President, Weston Gardner; vice-president, Wilbur Clark; secretary, Irving Cushing, Jr.; chaplain, Stanley Clark. Plans were discussed for further meetings and the evening closed with games. Richard Pike is to continue as assistant councilor in the work of the club.
- 3/8/1941 Wentworth
- Norman Downing had a few days leave from Fort Ethan Allan and called on old friends while in town.
- 3/8/1941 West Rumney
- Miss Olive McKee of Rumney visited her friend, Madeline Brown, one day last week.
- 3/22/1941 Atwell Hill
- Oscar Brown is sick and confined to the house since Sunday.
- Geraldine Brown is home convalescing from an operation for appendicitis at Durham, where she is attending U.N.H.
- 3/22/1941 Plymouth
- [Among those attending the Pemigewassett Woman's Club guest night were Mr. and Mrs. Edward W. Warren of Orford.]
- 3/22/1941 S. Wentworth
- Mrs. Hugh Evans has Massachusetts guests.
- 3/22/1941 Warren
- [The Women's Society of Christian Service were entertained at the home of Mrs. Harry Goodwin on Thursday, February 27. The ladies were busy in the afternoon making patchwork.]
- 3/29/1941 Atwell Hill
- C.W. Lowd was at C.A. Wright's in West Rumney Monday.
- The East Piermont school children were able to attend school only one day last week on account of badly drifted walks. *[In the Wentworth Town Report for the year ending January 31, 1944, it is noted that there are 3 non-resident pupils at Atwell Hill school and receipts show \$111.00 in elementary school tuitions. This must be for East Piermont students.]*
- John Latty of Springfield, Mass., is at his farm which he bought of Mrs. M.A. Keneson last fall. He is getting ready to move here soon.

- Mr. and Mrs. Howard Wright of Boston, Mass., and Mrs. L.M. Wright of Plymouth called on Mrs. M.A. Keneson and Mr. and Mrs. F.E. Wright last Friday.
- 3/29/1941 Glenclyff
- The farmers at the State Sanitorium are working in the sugar place, having tapped about 750 trees. [*I wonder if that isn't the count of buckets, not trees.*]
- 3/29/1941 Wentworth
- Mrs. Daisy Blanchard of Lebanon with friends were callers on Sunday at Mrs. Clarence Pease's and A. King's.
- Mrs. Alex Gershoy of Burlington, Vt., and Miss Hilda Ladeau, Fairlee, were recent visitors at C.H. Pease's.
- 3/29/1941 West Rumney
- Miss Marjorie Burnham has returned from a two week's visit in Lyme.
- Kenneth McKee has gone to work for Arthur Ashley at Cheever.
- 4/12/1941 Atwell Hill
- Mr. and Mrs. C.D. Keneson and family, C.W. Lowd and Mrs. F.A. Howard were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn F. Pease in East Orford Sunday. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Lowd of Franklin and Mr. and Mrs. V.G. Richardson of Worcester, Mass. In the afternoon they were all treated to sugar on snow, which was enjoyed by all.
- C.W. Lowd is doing some carpenter work for Glenn Pease in East Orford. [*Dad writes in his 4/9 diary that Uncle Will is working on his dump cart.*]
- Mrs. C.D. Keneson, C.W. Lowd and Mrs. F.A. Howard were business visitors in Plymouth Saturday.
- Our RFD carrier has to go by way of Orford to deliver our mail on account of bad roads through East Piermont.
- F.E. Wright [*Road Agent*] and men have been putting gravel in the road where it was needed, between the hill and the state road, which is a great improvement.
- Mrs. F.A. Howard visited Mrs. F.C. Thorne last Wednesday afternoon.
- 4/12/1941 Wentworth
- Mr. and Mrs. Howard Campbell of Keene were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. C.H. Pease.
- Word has been received of the serious illness of Mrs. Vance. Rev. J.G. Vance was pastor of our village church for several years. [*Rev. Vance married Ma and Dad. From Ma's 1995 interview: "We didn't know the minister that was down to Wentworth and we didn't know the one out here, but the one, Mr. Vance, that used to be in Wentworth, I knew him because he used to come up on the hill and fish. And Glenn knew him because he used to see him at Grange down in Wentworth, and he had moved to Canterbury a year or so before that. So I say, 'why don't we have him marry us?' So I wrote him and he said yes, so we went down and were married in his house down in Canterbury."*]
- 4/19/1941 Atwell Hill
- C.W. Lowd motored to Franklin Thursday afternoon and spent the night there with his brother, Herbert Lowd. Friday he went to Worcester, Mass., to spend a week with his son and daughter.
- Mr. and Mrs. Alson Brown went to Durham Sunday to take Alson Jr. and Juliet Brown back to U.N.H., after they had a week's vacation at home.
- Mr. and Mrs. Alson Brown were in Concord Wednesday. They took the eighth grade boys from Atwell Hill school with them, Clyde Boardman, Llewellyn Brown and Roland Wright.
- Mr. and Mrs. George Wright of Warren called on Mr. and Mrs. M.K. Newton and Mrs. F.A. Howard Sunday afternoon.
- Mrs. F.A. Howard spent Tuesday with Mrs. Glenn Pease in East Orford.
- 4/19/1941 S. Wentworth
- Miss Winnifred Brown is working for Mrs. Kenneth McKee of West Rumney.
- 4/19/1941 Warren
- Mrs. Harry Goodwin entertained the North End Christmas Club Wednesday afternoon.

4/19/1941 Wentworth

•Members of the eighth grade of the village school were in Concord Wednesday. They attended the legislature while there and were conducted around places of interest in town by Representative Charles Gilbert.

•Mrs. George Hibbard of Piermont is spending several days in the home of Mrs. C.H. Pease as the guest of Mrs. Catherine Bedell.

4/26/1941 Atwell Hill

•Miss Edith Chase of Pike is spending Wednesday and Thursday with Ruth Keneson. Both girls are having a vacation from their High Schools.

•Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Daige and son, also Thelma Ramsdell of Windsor, Vt., were at A.L. Chase's Sunday.

•Mrs. Alson Brown has two new state boys, George and Thomas Roy, boarding with her.

•Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Sunbury of Orfordville were Sunday guests of C.W. Lowd and Mrs. F.A. Howard.

•Mr. and Mrs. C.D. Keneson, C.W. Lowd and Mrs. F.A. Howard visited their aunt, Mrs. Alice Morgan, who is 84 years old, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Edgerly in Gilmanton Wednesday.

4/26/1941 Warren

•[Among those representing Minerva Temple of Warren at the Pythian Sisters Convention in Lakeport Wednesday afternoon and evening were Mrs. Bertha Goodwin and Mrs. Helen Goodwin.]

4/26/1941 Wentworth

•Norman Downing, stationed at Fort Ethan Allan, was at home over the weekend.

•Mrs. Ethel Downing, who has been quite ill at her home, is reported being much better.

•Vernon Pease is spending his vacation in St. Johnsbury, Vt.

•Sunday callers at the home of C.H. Pease were Mr. and Mrs. Dean Simpson, their son and daughter, of St. Johnsbury, Mr. and Mrs. John Hibbard, Lisbon, Miss Marian Chase, Concord, Mrs. Warren Chase and Mrs. Maurice Chase, East Orford.

4/26/1941 West Rumney

•Mrs. Ethel Moses is on the sick list. Her many friends hope for a speedy recovery.

•Mrs. Kenneth McKee and little daughter have returned from the Plymouth hospital.

•A baby shower was given Mrs. Kenneth McKee Monday afternoon. She received many useful gifts. Sandwiches, cookies and punch were served by Mrs. Richard Burnham and Miss Winnifred Brown.

•Olive McKee of Rumney Depot spent Saturday with her aunt, Mrs. Richard Burnham.

•Mrs. Vernie Burnham spent a few days last week with her brother in East Orford.

5/3/1941 Warren

•Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Pease spent Sunday at Franconia.

5/3/1941 Wentworth

•Robert A. McLaughlin has started to get Camp Pemigewasset ready for opening.

•Vernon Pease has returned from his week's vacation spent in St. Johnsbury.

•Mr. and Mrs. Guy Adams of Fairlee, and Miss Hilda Ladeau were Sunday callers at the home of C.H. Pease.

5/3/1941 West Rumney

•We are glad to report that Mrs. E.I. Moses is some better at this writing.

•Mont View school is having a week's vacation. Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Perkins are spending the week in Lyme.

5/10/1941 Atwell Hill

•Fred Goodell of Orfordville was at Leon Chase's Tuesday.

•C.W. Lowd and Mrs. F.A. Howard attended the Meredith/Sandwich Association at Center Sandwich Wednesday.

•C.D. Keneson has been helping Charlie Ladd in East Orford, spraying apple trees. *[Must be Charlie is still renting the Baer orchard.]*

5/10/1941 Warren

•Donald Libbey and Richard Pike spent the weekend in Boston, Massachusetts.

5/17/1941 Atwell Hill

•Mrs. Wilfred Daige has gone to stay with Mr. Daige's mother for a few weeks.

•H. Dewey Chase spent Monday night with his mother, Mrs. A.L. Chase.

•Mr. and Mrs. Edward Dowse of Somerville, Mass., were guest of C.W. Lowd and Mrs. F.A. Howard Monday afternoon. Mr. Dowse lived in this section when a boy. *[I think he as the late Abbie Lowd's brother.]*

•C.W. Howard and Mrs. F.A. Howard were business visitors in Fairlee Wednesday.

•C.D. Keneson has been doing some farm work for Mrs. F.A. Howard.

•Arthur and Howard Sunbury of Orfordville were on the Hill last Saturday.

•Mrs. M.A. Keneson was invited to the home of Mr. and Mrs. F.E. Wright for Sunday dinner.

5/17/1941 Wentworth

•Dr. Edgar Fauver and Mrs. Fauver of Middletown, Conn., were at Camp Pemigewasset over the weekend.

5/17/1941 West Rumney

•Amon and Francis Burnham were among the lucky fishermen Sunday.

5/24/1941 Atwell Hill

•Mrs. Oscar Brown and Mrs. John Latty motored to Bradford, Vt., Friday.

•Mrs. Alson Brown visited her daughter, Juliette, and son., A.W. Brown, at U.N.H. last Saturday.

•C.W. Lowd and C.D. Keneson visited Herbert Lowd in Franklin Sunday afternoon. Mr. Lowd is gaining from his recent illness.

•Mr. and Mrs. George Wright called on Mrs. F.A. Howard last Wednesday.

5/24/1941 Plymouth

•Harold G. Sherburn, who has served at Substitute Postal Clerk for many years, has been appointed regular carrier on route No. 2 to fill the vacancy caused by the transfer of Arthur Bayley.

5/24/1941 Wentworth

•Tommy Reed and his bride are honeymooning at Camp Pemigewasset. Mr. Reed is the youngest son of Dr. and Mrs. D.B. Reed.

5/24/1941 West Rumney

•Mrs. Vernon Perkins has returned from Lyme.

•We are glad to report that Mrs. Ethel Moses is much better. We hope to see her out again soon.

•Mrs. Vernie Burnham visited her sister at Woodsville last Friday.

5/31/1941 Wentworth

•There was a meeting of the Foster Cemetery Association in Wentworth Town Hall Saturday afternoon. The following officers were elected: President, B.B. Foster; Vice President, Lester Hutchins; Secretary, Ellen Foster; Treasurer, Dora Foster; Executive Committee, B.B. Foster, Chester Downing and Charles H. Brown; Caretakers, Frank Dowing, Ray McGinnis and Hazel Morrison; Sexton, Frank Downing. Much work has been done in this Cemetery and it is expected to have further improvements made.

[Sounds as if this is a private cemetery. I assumed it was one of the regular ones of the town.]

•The Wentworth school team played Warren school, beating them 6-5 Thursday afternoon. The Wentworth team is made up of: Donald Morrison, catcher; Daniel Jones, pitcher; William Wigggett, first base; Wesley Muzzey, second base; Arthur Jones, shortstop; John King, third base; Earl Libbey, left field; Arthur Dunklee, center field and Earl Dunklee, right field. In a return game Monday, Warren beat Wentworth 5-3.

•[Charles Gilbert was one of the committee who served supper to the State Conference of Townsend Clubs Sunday.]

6/7/1941 Atwell Hill

- C.W. Lowd and Ray Keneson went to Worcester, Mass., Thursday for the holiday and weekend, returning Sunday afternoon.
- C.D. Keneson and C.W. Lowd were in West Lebanon on business on Wednesday.
- Leon Chase and Henry Rollins were in Haverhill Sunday afternoon.
- M.K. Newton is working for Miss Herrin in East Orford.
- Mrs. F.A. Howard spent Thursday and Friday of last week with her daughter, Mrs. Glenn Pease, at East Orford.
- Mr. and Mrs. Norris Smith, Mrs. M.E. Keneson, and Miss Lois Keneson of St. Johnsbury were callers on Mrs. M.A. Keneson and Mr. and Mrs. C.D. Keneson on Memorial day.
- Mrs. M.A. Keneson called on Mr. and Mrs. John Latty Tuesday evening.
- 6/7/1941 Haverhill
- Mr. Charles Cushman of Orfordville was a Sunday guest of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Swan.
- 6/7/1941 Plymouth
- [In the Congregational church musical skit, Eleanor Sherburn sang “Stars Fell on Alabama” and a duet of “Honolulu Moon” with Marguerite Courtney. Mrs. Harold was in the chorus.]
- Miss Eva Pease is visiting friends in Contoocook.
- 6/7/1941 Wentworth
- Mr. and Mrs. Guy Adams were Memorial day callers at C.H. Pease’s.
- 6/14/1941 Wentworth
- Dr. Edgar Fauver with Mrs. Fauver of Middletown, Conn., were at Camp Pemigewasset for the weekend.
- 6/14/1941 West Rumney
- The graduates from Mont View school this week were: Bernard Ray, Pearl McKee, Guy Burnham, Madeline Clark and Shirley and Beverly Fuller.
- Little Lois McKee has returned home.
- 6/21/1941 Wentworth
- Dr. and Mrs. D.B. Reed, Dr. and Mrs. John Nichols are again at Camp Pemigewasset.
- Mr. and Mrs. Stafford Smith and children are now living in the Harvey Huckins house on the East Side. *[On the right, in the hill just a little east of the Depot?]*
- 6/21/41 West Rumney
- The Amon Burnham family and Malcolm [?] attended the High School graduation at Plymouth Tuesday.
- Francis Burnham went to Old Orchard Beach, Me., on his *[PHS 1941]* class trip.
- Mr. and Mrs. Richard Burnham have moved into the Ashley house.
- 6/28/1941 Plymouth
- James P. Bosence attended the graduation exercises of his grandson, Penrose Chase, from Orford High School last week.
- 7/5/1941 Atwell Hill
- Alson Brown had a cow killed by a car Sunday afternoon.
- Juliet Brown has gone to Pennsylvania to drive Mr. Prettyman’s car to his summer cottage on Upper Baker Pond. *[From Steve Rand, 7/8/23: “The connection to the Prettyman’s went back to my Grandmother, Wilhelmina, who worked for them when she was a new immigrant to the US, from Germany. She accompanied the Prettymans to Upper baker pond, where she met my grandfather, Alson and they married. Juliet evidently had an ongoing relationship and was a logical person to do the car driving detail, maybe 20 years after her Mom was married to Alson.]*
- Mrs. Hood came from Canada with her brother, C.W. Lowd and sister, Mrs. F.A. Howard, when they returned from a 10 day visit to Windsor Mills, Sherbrooke, Cookshire and other towns in that section of Quebec.
- Mrs. Lilla M. Hood of Windsor Mills, Que., took the train at Woodsville Monday pm.

•Herbert Lowd of Franklin spent several days with his brother and sister at the home of Mrs. F.A. Howard.

•C.W. Lowd, Herbert Lowd, Mrs. Lilla Hood motor to Lower Gilmanton Thursday to call on their aunt, Mrs. Alice Morgan, on their way to Worcester, Mass. to visit other relatives. They returned Saturday pm.

•Mr. and Mrs. C.D. Keneson and Mr. and Mrs. John Latty were in Plymouth Friday.

•Mr. and Mrs. C.D. Keneson and Mrs. M.A. Keneson were in Fairlee Friday afternoon. On the way home they called on Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Sunbury in Orfordville.

•During the hard thunder shower Saturday around 4 pm, lightning struck on the back side of the home of Mrs. F.A. Howard. No fire and only slight damage.

7/5/1941 Warren

•Chest clinics were held at the school building Tuesday afternoon. The upper rooms were used for examining and one of the rooms on the first floor for the X-Ray machine. Dr. Robert Kerr of Manchester was the examining physician for the New Hampshire Tuberculosis Association, Miss Ellen Clough of Lebanon, nurse for the Association, with Miss Lottie B. Underhill, school nurse, on the staff. Local group assisting were Mrs. Agnes Rowell, Mrs. India Lupien, Mrs. Pearl Cushing, Mrs. Dorothy Clark, Mrs. Bernice Batchelder. 49 children were examined, 21 adults, 5 x-rays taken, 5 tuberculin skin tests given.

•Chief of Police Mrs. Dorothy Clark serves 'em all alike. One of our Selectmen was caught Friday evening riding down the street on his bicycle without a light. Now Mac was much surprised and chagrined for soon a fair-sized audience gathered for the chastisement that was handed to him. As this is the first offense there is no fine and it is the consensus of opinion that there will be no second offense. Mac was on his way to the railroad station for his automobile and in his own mind he had the chief all placed in another direction.

7/5/1941 Wentworth

•Mrs. August King is assisting Mrs. Addie Pease with her laundry work.

7/12/1941 Atwell Hill

•Mr. and Mrs. H.D. Chase of Pike called on Mrs. A.L. Chase last Friday. Miss Edith Chase visited Ruth Keneson.

•Miss Ruth Keneson is working for Mrs. Oscar Ladd in East Orford part of each week.

7/12/1941 Plymouth

•Mr. and Mrs. George Major and two children of Providence, R.I., are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harold G. Sherburn on Pleasant St.

7/12/1941 Wentworth

•The chemical was called Sunday to a fire at Camp Pemigewasset. The cause of the fire was explosion of an oil heater and the house of Dr. Edgar Fauver was entirely destroyed with no chance to save any of the contents. [From Dave Bischoff, 7/7/23: "It started from some sort of kerosene device where you fill a glass container that has a plunger on the bottom and is supposed to let out just the right amount of kerosene. The plunger jammed open and went all over the floor. When we first went to Grey Shelter we had both a refrigerator and heater that had the glass container."]

7/12/1941 West Rumney

•Kenneth McKee has moved to West Thornton.

•Roger Kelley of Center Harbor visited Richard and Herbert Moses over the weekend and Saturday night was awarded \$20 at the Plymouth theater.

7/19/1941 Plymouth

•Mrs. Stella Pease, who has been visiting relatives in East Hartford, Conn., has returned to her home on Thurlow St.

7/19/1941 S. Wentworth

•Hugh Evans made a business trip to Saugus, Mass., this week.

7/19/1941 Warren

- Your aid is requested in the government's drive for aluminum scrap. Leave your articles at the Warren garage if convenient, otherwise Ronald Graves will call for them if notified.
- 7/19/1941 Wentworth
- Mrs. Jennie Woodward of Orford and Mrs. Menta Sawyer of Bennington, Vt., were Tuesday callers at the home of C.H. Pease.
- 7/26/1941 Atwell Hill
- C.W. Lowd was a business visitor in West Lebanon Tuesday. Mrs. F.A. Howard accompanied him to Orfordville and visited Mrs. Arthur Sunbury.
- Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Ramsdell and Mrs. Wilfred Daige of Windsor, Vt., were at Mrs. A.L. Chase's last Friday.
- Mr. and Mrs. John C. Houlne and son, Robert, called on Mrs. M.A. Keneson Saturday, on their way home from Niagara Falls.
- 7/26/1941 Plymouth
- Mrs. Michael Obrzut and son of Indian Orchard, Mass., are guests at the home of her mother, Mrs. Edna McIntire on Russell street.
- 8/2/1941 Warren
- Zilpha Chase, who made her home here for several years with Mrs. Elizabeth Cotton, and graduated from the Warren Grammar school, class of 1940, has been a patient at the Plymouth Memorial hospital for an operation for appendicitis. Last week her schoolmates and young friends sent her a Sunshine basket. Zilpha was very much pleased with the gifts and with the kindness and thoughtfulness of her former associates.
- The Pemigewasset Camp Band gave their annual concert on the Band stand last week. These events are always looked forward to from a wide area. A collection is always taken for the church society and the ladies served the young men punch and assorted cakes at the Methodist Vestry after the concert.
- 8/2/1941 Wentworth
- Camp Pemigewasset will attend the village church Sunday morning, August 10, in a body. This has become an annual custom and the help given by the camp is much appreciated.
- Wentworth held it "aluminum drive" Tuesday, when a house to house canvass was made. Mr. and Mrs. Oscar [*Brown, I bet*] gave their services and the use of their truck. This aluminum has been placed at Mrs. E.B. Robinson's and several who had pieces to donate promised to bring them there. A large amount was collected.
- 8/2/1941 West Rumney
- Mrs. Thomas Hartley of Woodsville called on her sister, Mrs. Amon Burnham, one day last week.
- 8/9/1941 Atwell Hill
- C.W. Lowd, Mrs. C.D. Keneson, Ruth and Alice were in Plymouth last Wednesday.
- Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Lowd of Franklin were Sunday guests of C.W. Lowd and Mrs. F.A. Howard.
- 8/9/1941 Plymouth
- Mr. and Mrs. Harry Sherburn are entertaining Shirley and Lloyd MacDonald of Megantic, P.Q., at their home on Highland Avenue.
- 8/9/1941 Wentworth
- Camp Pemigewasset will attend church in a body Sunday morning, August 10. The music will be furnished by the camp.
- The "Fred Radford" place, so called, on the Orford Road, has been purchased by out of state people, and is being completely renovated. Charles Gilbert is in charge of the work.
- 8/9/1941 West Rumney
- A.J. Dow is building a log house at Camp Pemigewasset for Dr. Edgar Fauver to replace the one recently burned.
- 8/16/1941 Atwell Hill
- Ruth Keneson is working for Mrs. Gardner Hayes for the month of August at Upper Baker Pond.

- Mrs. F.A. Howard spent last Saturday with her daughter, Mrs. Glenn F. Pease, in East Orford.
8/16/1941 Plymouth
- Miss Eleanor Sherburn is working at the Polar Caves.
8/16/1941 Wentworth
- Camp Pemigewassett attended the morning church service Sunday. Music was by members of the camp, which was much enjoyed.
- Mrs. John Gilmour and daughter, formerly of Camp Moosilauke, are at the Taplin House.
- Sunday callers at C.H. Pease's were Mr. and Mrs. Dean Simpson and daughter, Catherine, of St. Johnsbury and Mr. and Mrs. John Hibbard from Lisbon.
- The family of Horace B. Pease spent the weekend at the home on Ellsworth Hill. Those present beside Miss Maude Pease were Mr. and Mrs. Elmer H. Pease and Forrest, and Mr. and Mrs. Perly Yeaton and Perley, Jr., of Alfred, Me.; Mr. and Mrs. Leon B. Pease and Dorothy H. Pease, Mr. and Mrs., George Kenney, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Eston, Fred Gray, all of Uxbridge, Mass.' Mr. and Mrs. Guy S. Pease of Jacksonville, Fla.; Mr. and Mrs. Walter F. Jackson of Milford, Mass., also Mr. and Mrs. John Ernest of Ashland. [*Uncle Horace is not listed but he didn't die until 1958, so I expect he was there. He didn't live there year-round but perhaps did in the summer.*]
8/16/1941 West Rumney
- Betty and Hazel Burnham spent a few days this week with their aunt, Dorice Pease, in Wentworth.
8/23/1941 Wentworth
- The season of Camp Pemigewassett closes this Friday. Camp Moosilauke stays open another week.
- Mr. and Mrs. Roy Decotis and daughter were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Mason in Kingston.
8/30/1941 Atwell Hill
- Mrs. Chester Hathaway and Mrs. Earl Gendron of Warren, Mass., spent the weekend with C.W. Lowd and Mrs. F.A. Howard.
- Our school opens September 2. Miss [*Carole*] Lavoie of Pike is teacher.
- The electric light company [*NHEC*] have got poles set and some wire strung on the hill.
- Earl Wright and daughter, Olive, of Campton, called on Mrs. M.A. Keneson recently.
8/30/1941 Wentworth
- Recent callers at Mrs. Mertie Atwood's and Miss Ina Huckins' were Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Randall of Concord, Miss Florence Russell of Lyme and Miss Ida Russell of Concord.
8/30/1941 West Rumney
- William McKee has been on the sick list this week.
9/4/1941 Atwell Hill
- Oscar W. Brown Jr., returned home from his work at the Barney Dairy farm in Rumney Saturday.
- School opened here on the hill Tuesday with Miss Carole Lavoie teacher.
- Ruth Keneson has finished her work with Mrs. Gardner Hayes at Upper Baker Pond and is getting ready for High School in Orford, which opens Wednesday.
- Mr. and Mrs. C.D. Keneson and family took a trip to Hampton Beach Tuesday.
- J. Francis Keneson spent the weekend with his mother, Mrs. M.A. Keneson.
9/11/1941 Plymouth
- Miss Eva Pease has gone to Concord where she had employment at the Home for the Aged.
- The many Plymouth friends of Cosma Chellis, the youngest son of Mrs. Benjamin M. Sargent, will be interested to know that he is now a Lieutenant in the U.S. Army and is stationed at Camp Davis, N.C. He is in the only Balloon Barrage division in the Army. Cosma graduated from Virginia Polytechnic Institute at Blacksburg, Va., two years ago. O`
9/11/1941 S. Wentworth
- Mrs. Hugh Evans entertained her parents from Saugus, Mass., the past week.
9/11/1941 Warren

•Joyce and Jessamine Weeks, Estella Cushing, Alice Robbins, Verona Bixby and William Hight are attending Orford High School, going on the school bus from that town. [*From Jane Pierce Hebb, in response to question about when her father, Chet, began to run the bus route from Warren and Wentworth to OHS: "Not sure when he started but around then. He retired in 1972."*]

9/11/1941 Wentworth

•Several children of Wentworth are attending Orford High School, being taken there by bus. [*This bus route continued at least through 1964, when I graduated from OHS; not sure how much longer.*]

9/18/1941 Atwell Hill

•Oscar Brown, Jr., has gone to the University of New Hampshire. This is his first year.

•Alson Brown, Jr., returned Monday to school at U.N.H. for his second year.

•Mrs. F.A. Howard spent several days last week visiting relatives in St. Johnsbury and Woodsville. C.W. Lowd went to Woodsville after her Wednesday evening. When they arrived home they found several people there. During the hard thunder shower that evening lightning had struck the chimney on the main part of the house, came down the stovepipe, out the stove, through the floor into the cellar where it grounded. It also went into a room upstairs and set fire to some clothing which was on a chair. C.D. Keneson came over and smelled smoke, got into the house and put out the fire just in time. The fire engine was called but did not have to do anything. Mrs. Howard and her brother felt thankful to all who helped save their home.

9/18/1941 Plymouth

•[Among the cast of "Bubbling Over," the new college comedy being put on by the American Legion is Eleanor Sherburn, taking the part of coed Judy Tilden.]

9/18/1941 Warren

•School opened in the village on Monday, Sept. 8, with an enrollment of 78. Leroy Smith of Piermont is teaching in the Grammar room with 20 pupils, Miss Lillian Kelly of Milan, Intermediate, with 30 and Miss Helen Chase of Bath, Primary with 28.

•Floyd Ray, Samuel Dreghorn and Edwin Pease attended the funeral of John Z. Taylor at Rumney last Friday.

9/25/1941 Atwell Hill

•Mr. and Mrs. Herbert H. Lowd of Franklin visited C.W. Lowd and Mrs. F.A. Howard Sunday.

•C.W. Lowd, Mrs. C.D. Keneson and daughter, Alice and Mrs. F.A. Howard were business visitors in Plymouth Wednesday afternoon.

•Clyde Boardman and Ruth Keneson are attending High School in Orford.

•Miss A. Gertrude Loverin of Medford, Mass. and Miss Alice Moore of Cambridge, Mass., were weekend guests of Mrs. F.A. Howard.

9/25/1941 Plymouth

•Harold Sherburn has returned to his duties at the local post office following a week's vacation.

9/25/1941 Warren

•Mrs. Everett Goodwin, Mrs. Harry Gale, Mrs. Reginald Evans, and Mrs. Clarence Kemp attended the Rochester Fair last week.

•Three Warren young men, Donald Libbey, Richard and Robert Pike, who left in the Pike car Saturday afternoon to visit friends in Boston, ended in tragedy on the trip home. Donald was driving the car and was nearing Pasquaney Inn at Newfound Lake, when the car failed to negotiate a curve and crashed into a tree and turned over several times. The Pike boys were uninjured. The door on the driver's side opened and Donald was thrown out receiving a fractured skull. He was taken by ambulance to the Franklin hospital and never regained consciousness, dying at 10:00 o'clock Tuesday morning. He graduated from Plymouth high school in 1940 and was salutatorian of the class. Funeral services will be held Thursday afternoon.

•[The prize for the largest squash raised from seeds donated by Fred Gleason was won by Eddie Chase with a 45 pounder and was given a violin.]

9/25/1941 Wentworth

- Among the Wentworth boys and girls attending U.N.H. are Richard Evans, Donald Breck, Harold Brown and both son and daughter [Alson Jr. and Juliet] of Mr. and Mrs. Alson Brown. [*Also Oscar Brown, Jr. – not sure about the other Brown girls.*]
- Russell Pease attended Rochester Fair Thursday, Friday and Saturday. He was with the N .Y.A. exhibit. He was also with the N .Y.A. exhibit at the Plymouth Fair.
- Vernon Pease and Leland Lovering were in Durham on Friday.

10/2/1941 Plymouth

- [Misses Eleanor Sherburn and Peggy Courtney gave a special vocal duet during the production of “Bubbling Over.”]

10/2/1941 Rumney

[There are 25 students in Mont View school. Guy Burnham and Pearl McKee are among those attending Plymouth High School.]

10/2/1941 Warren

- Mrs. Sara Ridge, who was recently called to Manchester by the death of her brother, John French, returned to her home Sunday afternoon accompanied by her son, John Ridge and family of Manchester. Sam Alessandrini and daughter Pamela returned with them.
- Mr. and Mrs. Harry Goodwin attended the Fair at Fryeburg, Me., this week.

10/2/1941 Wentworth

- Mrs. Clarence Pease is visiting her sister, Mrs. Mertie Simpson, at St. Johnsbury. Mrs. August King is caring for the Pease home during the absence of Mrs. Pease.

10/9/1941 Atwell Hill

- Mrs. A.L. Chase and son, Leon, were in Haverhill last Wednesday.
- Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Lowd of Milford [Mass., I think] spent the weekend with C.W. Lowd at the Hoard farm, returning home Sunday evening.
- Oscar Brown was in Franklin one day last week.
- Mr. and Mrs. J.C. Braley and son, James, of Boscawen, also C.C. Reed and Miss Ida Barnum of West Rumney called on Mrs. F.A. Howard Sunday evening.
- Mrs. Mira Savage of Andover called on Mrs. F.A. Howard last Wednesday afternoon. [*At least one and perhaps others of these women boarded with Grammy Howard when she taught the Atwell Hill school.*]
- Mrs. M.A. Keneson spent Saturday with Mrs. John Latty.
- Mr. and Mrs. Aimee Tremblay and children, also Mrs. Mary E. Keneson of St. Johnsbury, called on Mrs. M.A. Keneson and other relatives on the Hill Sunday pm. Wallace Powers of Peacham, Vt., was with them and called on C.D. Keneson.
- Mrs. John Houlne and son, Bobby, of Manchester, Mrs. L.M. Wright of Plymouth, also Mrs. Mary Morrill of St. Johnsbury, called on Mrs. M.A. Keneson Monday evening.

10/9/1941 Wentworth

- Mr. and Mrs. Dean Simpson and daughter, Catherine, called on Mrs. Catherine Bedell, on Sunday.
- Mr. and Mrs. Guy Adams of Fairlee called on her sister, Mrs. Catherine Bedell, on Sunday.
- Mrs. Clarence Pease and son, Bernard [*Butch*], have returned from their visit with relatives in Worcester.

10/9/1941 West Rumney

- Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Perkins spent the weekend in Lyme.
- Dorice Pease and Dale were guests at Amon Burnham’s one day last week.

10/16/1941 Atwell Hill

- Mr. and Mrs. V.G. Richardson of Worcester, Mass., were weekend guests of C.W. Lowd and Mrs. F.A. Howard.
- Harry Kelley of Ashland built a chimney to take the place of the one struck by lightning in September for Mrs. F.A. Howard.

- Monday, while several men were digging potatoes at Glenn Pease's in East Orford, they saw three deer on the edge of the woods. One of them was white. *[Ma must have told Grammy – nothing in Dad's diary.]*
- C.D. Keneson has been sawing wood for different people on the Hill.
10/23/1941 Wentworth
- [Barbara Gove was among those who served refreshments at the Grange on 10/18.]
- Dr. Edgar Fauver and Mrs. Fauver were at Camp Pemigewasset Sunday.
- Miss Dorice Pease, who has been quite ill, is gaining.
- Mr. and Mrs. Guy Adams of Fairlee called Sunday on her sister, Mrs. Catherine Bedell.
- Mr. and Mrs. Waterman are on their way back to Arizona. The Waterman's recently bought the Fred Radford place and have remodeled the house *[Charlie Gilbert did the work]* and landscaped the grounds.
10/23/1941 West Rumney
- Francis Burnham has been having a few days' vacation from his work in Massachusetts.
- Mont View school was closed one day last week to enable Mr. Perkins to attend the teachers' convention.
10/30/1941 Atwell Hill
- C.W. Lowd and Mrs. F.A. Howard were in Orfordville last Wednesday calling on Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Sunbury.
- Mrs. F.A. Howard visited her daughter, Mrs. Glenn Pease, in East Orford Tuesday and Wednesday.
10/30/1941 Glencliff
- Robert Pike of Warren had three fingers cut off at the bobbin mill here Monday morning. Dr. Kasheta rushed him to Woodsville hospital.
10/30/1941 Warren
- Robert Pike met with a bad accident at the Moosilauke Bobbin mill at Glencliff Monday morning. The glove on his left hand came in contact with the edge saw, drawing the hand across the saw, cutting off three fingers. He will be confined to Woodsville hospital for several days.
- Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Pease entertained his sister, Mrs. Goodwin of Lakeport, last week.
11/6/1941 Atwell Hill
- C.W. Lowd is spending some time in Massachusetts with his daughters.
- Charles Wright of West Rumney was a guest of Mrs. F.A. Howard last Thursday afternoon.
11/6/1941 Glencliff
- A beautiful sunshine basket was given Robert Pike at Woodsville hospital by his Glencliff friends the first of the week.
11/6/1941 Warren
- Robert Pike, who recently lost three fingers on the edge saw at the bobbin mill in Glencliff, had to have the fourth one amputated Monday.
- Our chief of police, Mrs. Dorothy Clark, has been presented with a night stick by George T. Fedor of Concord, manager of the Concord branch of Hedge and Hatties Company of Boston. This billy was at one time used by the New York police force.
11/6/1941 Wentworth
- A letter received from Norman Downing states he would be very pleased to receive letters or cards from here. "Any word from home is greatly enjoyed when so far from home." His address is Pvt. W.N. Downing, Co. A, 84th 2nd. Bn. (L.M.) *[Light Mortars?]* A.P.O. 306, Fort Bragg, North Carolina.
- People on Atwell Hill road are enjoying their electric lights. They have had them several days. *[The same NHEC line came to East Orford, This is Dad's diary for 10/25/41: Put up banking front side of house. Bob got a load of sawdust for bedding. Got our lights today. [Interesting to read the low-key response to getting electricity for the first time. I wish I had Ma's diary to read her response. I'd have been hot-diggity-dogging for days!]*
- Russell Pease of N.Y.A. work in Concord was home over the weekend.

- Mrs. Emma Hibbard of Piermont is visiting her old time friend, Mrs. Cathernine Bedell.
11/13/1941 Atwell Hill
- C.W. Lowd came home Saturday noon from his visit in Mass.
- W. Stanley Jones and C.W. Lowd were in Manchester Wednesday.
- Mrs. John Latty and Mrs. F.A. Howard were guests of Mrs. Alson Brown at the Woman's Club that was held here last Wednesday afternoon.
- Mr. and Mrs. James Frye of St. Johnsbury called on his sister, Mrs. M.A. Keneson, last Tuesday afternoon.
11/13/1941 Plymouth
- [Harold Sherburn is among the Sophomores who reported for basketball at P.H.S.]
11/13/1941 Warren
- Mrs. Harry Goodwin and Mrs. Everett Goodwin attended the wedding of Walter Goodwin and Miss Helen LaBranche of Lakeport last Tuesday. [*Must be Walter Jr.*]
- Mrs. Everett Goodwin and daughter, Jean, visited relatives in Lakeport a portion of last week.
- Robert Pike came home from the Woodsville hospital Saturday, where he has been a patient following the loss of four fingers on his left hand.
11/27/1941 Warren
- Robert Pike and Myles Keysar each shot a deer the first of the week. [*Apparently Robert has enough 'stubs' left on his hand to hold the barrel of a rifle.*]
- A dance will be held in the town, hall Friday evening, November 28, for the benefit of war relief. Mrs. Evaline Patterson of London and Somerset, England, who is a licensed worker for the War Relief in England, is in charge of the affair. Jimmy Packard's band [*Dad called squares with Jimmy's band at East Thetford after the war but I don't think he was yet.*] will furnish excellent music for old and new dances. It is hoped a goodly amount will be obtained to aid the homeless and afflicted in England.
11/27/1941 Wentworth
- Russell Pease was home over the weekend from his work on the N.Y.A. in Concord.
- It will be of interest to many to learn that the portion of repairs to the steeple of the Congregational church voted to be done this fall is now completed. In addition sufficient funds were raised so that all new balustrades and urns have been purchased and installed and a coat of paint given the entire steeple. The building committee has inspected the work and pronounce it very satisfactory in every detail. The balance of repairs will be made as soon as sufficient funds are obtained. The response to the letters of appeal has been gratifying.
11/27/1941 West Rumney
- Francis Burnham is having a vacation from his work in Massachusetts.
- Vernie Burnham spent one day last week with her sister Dorice Pease in Wentworth.
12/4/1941 Atwell Hill
- Juliet and Alson W. Brown spent the Thanksgiving recess from N.H.U. at their home.
- Oscar Brown, Jr., from U.N.H., was at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Brown Thanksgiving.
- Dewey Chase of Pike was at F.E. Wright's Monday evening.
- Leon Chase and other men are getting Christmas trees.
- Mr. and Mrs. Earl Wright of Plymouth visited Mrs. M.A. Keneson Wednesday. It being the occasion of her 85th birthday, they brought her a nice birthday cake.
12/4/1941 Plymouth
- Bernard Chase of Concord, former Plymouth resident, had the misfortune to fall down the steps of the Concord post office on Tuesday, receiving severe head injuries. He was taken to Mary Pillsbury hospital where it was found that he had received a broken nose and a concussion. Mr. Chase is a former Chairman of the State Liquor Commission and former secretary to ex-Gov. John G. Winant.
12/4/1941 S. Wentworth

•Mrs. Hugh Evans and children, Robert and Beverly, have gone to Melrose, Mass. to spend Thanksgiving and also attend her sister's wedding.

12/4/1941 Warren

•Mrs. Eva Pike had 18 guests for dinner Thanksgiving day. There were 7 grandchildren and 5 great-grandchildren among the guests.

•Mrs. Doris Wellington of Plymouth spent the holiday with Mrs. Eva Pike.

•Card of Thanks. I wish to express my sincere thanks to all who so kindly remembered me with cards, letter and gifts while I was in the hospital. Also to those who made personal calls to the hospital and to my home. Robert Pike.

[From Bernie Alessandrini, 7/8/23: "Wow, wow, wow! Reading about the Pike family and what happened to Bob brought back a lot of memories. Richie's mom Barbara was my first and second grade teacher. When I was in the first grade, I used to run to my grandfather's house (Sam Alessandrini) for lunch on occasion, and after returning to school for the afternoon, I'd fall asleep at my desk. Barbara contacted my mom (Marion Alessandrini) to ask if I was getting enough sleep. It took them a few days to figure it out. When I was eating lunch at my grandfather's house, he would give me a small glass of red wine. I was used to seeing the men around the table drinking red wine during our Sunday dinners, so I would drink the whole glass. Going back inside the classroom after lunch, where it was warmer than it was outside, made me sleepy and I'd doze off. I remember the "talk" my mother had with my grandfather and that stopped.]

I was also good friends with Richie's grandmother Dot and grandfather Alanson Pike. When Richie was learning to drive, Alanson would load their garbage into his station wagon, then drive to Richie's house to get his garbage. At that point, Richie would take over driving and come to my house to get me and take us all to the dump, where we would unload everything. Then Richie would drive us back to his house where we'd watch the New York Giants football games with his father "big" Rich. Good times.

Richie's grandparents were retired but during the summer they used to do the laundry on weekends for the Camp Moosilauke "city" boys. I worked with Richie and his Uncle Bob for several years helping his grandparent do that laundry on weekends. The Camp "city" boys' clothes had their individual name tags sewn on each article of clothing and after three or four weekends of laundry, I could say a boy's last name and Richie would say their first name from memory. The Warren boys used to play a number of baseball games against the Camp Moosilauke "city" boys in the summer. Richie and I had a lot of fun with them. We'd go up to a group of three or four and I'd ask one of them what his last name was. After he told us, Richie would go through a routine of closing his eyes, scratching his head, and then looking up toward the heavens for a few second, before looking back at them and saying their first name. It freaked them out, especially when we did it to the whole group.

Richie's Uncle Bob also loved to play "Bid Whist" and was part of a group that included, among others, my mother & father, Billy & Nancy Hight, and Mac MacKenzie & Lila Goodwin. Saturday night was "card night" and the group rotated among the three homes, even after the Hight family and our family moved to Plymouth. Uncle Bob had one heck of a sense of humor and was a lot of fun. For over 60 years, Richie has been the older brother I never had and a dear friend and a great guy. Everyone in the Pike family was very kind to me my whole life, including Richie's"]

12/4/1941 Wentworth

•Dr. Edgar Fauver and Mrs. Fauver of Middletown, Conn. and Camp Pemigewassett, were at the camp on Friday.

•Mr. and Mrs. Guy Adams and James Ladeau were Sunday callers at the home of Clarence Pease.

12/4/1941 West Rumney

•Francis Burnham has returned to his work at Uxbridge, Mass. *[I bet he is boarding with Aunt Bertha and Uncle Bill.]*

•The Amon Burnham family spent Thanksgiving in Wentworth with Dorice Pease.

12/11/1941 Plymouth

•Miss Eleanor Sherburn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Sherburn, was a guest at the festivities at the University of New Hampshire last weekend.

12/11/1941 Warren

•Mrs. Everett Goodwin, Mrs. Harry Goodwin, Mrs. Harry Gale and Mrs. William Nichol were in Lebanon last Tuesday shopping.

12/11/1941 West Rumney

•Mrs. Vernon Perkins is in the Plymouth hospital for medical treatment.

•Mr. and Mrs. E.I. Moses are attending State Grange in Nashua this week.

•[Richard Burnham was best man for his cousin, Ken Wheet, at his marriage to Elizabeth Story on November 30.]

12/18/1941 Atwell Hill

•Mrs. F.A. Howard's home was wired for electric lights last Friday.

•C.W. Lowd and Mrs. F.A. Howard were in Plymouth Tuesday.

•C.D. Keneson and family, Rev. W.S. Jones, Mrs. Jones and children and Mrs. Gladys Brown and Gwendolyn went to Laconia Friday evening to a Providence Bible Institute meeting. They reported a very interesting meeting.

•Mr. and Mrs. C.D. Keneson and Mr. and Mrs. John Latty were business visitors in Plymouth last Thursday.

12/18/1941 Plymouth

•[Eleanor Sherburn was part of the choir of the PHS English Department's one-act Christmas play, "The Midnight Clear." Zilpha Chase had the role of First Angel in the play.]

12/18/1941 Warren

•Edwin Pease is again on duty at janitor at the school house after being confined to his home by illness.

12/18/1941 West Rumney

•Mrs. Vernon Perkins has returned to her mother's home from the Plymouth hospital, some improved in health.

12/25/1941 Warren

•Conservation Officer Harry Goodwin was one of 18 officers supervising the hunt of the Elks last _____. Fayne Anderson was the only sportsman from this town to participate in the hunt.

•Mrs. Everett Goodwin and daughter, Jean, and Mrs. Reginald Evans and sons, Gerald and Wayne, were Manchester shoppers Saturday.

12/25/1941 Wentworth

•Mrs. C.H. Pease and Mrs. August King were in Fairlee on Saturday.

•Mrs. Emma Hibbard of Piermont is visiting at the home of C.H. Pease.

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1/1/1942 Atwell Hill

•C.W. Lowd is spending the holidays with his daughters in Worcester and Warren, Mass.

•Leon Chase and Lawrence Daige returned home from Boston Thursday.

•The Sunday School Christmas tree was at church hall last Tuesday evening, the 23rd. The program consisted of speaking by the children, with singing and a pageant, The Manger King, which was very impressive and well-acted.

•Mrs. M.A. Keneson and Mrs. F.A. Howard were Christmas day guests of Mr. and Mrs. C.D. Keneson.

1/1/1942 Grafton Co.

•[Charles Swan of Orfordville was one of two winners in the Junior Division of the Hubbard Egg-Laying Contest and will received 25 baby chicks from Hubbard Farms Walpole. John Currier of Orford will receive 50 chicks as winner of the senior division.]

1/1/1942 Wentworth

- Miss Julia Pease spent the weekend in Warren as a guest of Mrs. Allen Chandler.
1/8/1942 Atwell Hill
- Mrs. John Latty and Mrs. Alson Brown returned from their visit to Springfield, Mass., Wednesday afternoon.
- C.W. Lowd returned from his Christmas vacation with his daughters in Worcester and Warren, Mass., on Friday afternoon. He spent Thursday night with his brother in Franklin on his way home.
- Mr. and Mrs. C.D. Keneson and Mr. and Mrs. John Latty were in Plymouth Saturday afternoon.
1/8/1842 Plymouth
- [Harry Sherburn and Robert Rand are among those taking the Air Raid Warden School which starts next week.]
1/8/1942 Warren
- Richard Pike was called to Manchester Monday and passed a physical examination, enlisting in the Army. He reported to Manchester Tuesday morning and from there will go to Camp Devens.
1/8/1942 Wentworth
- Albert Briggs of New York City and Camp Moosilauke was in town recently.
1/15/1942 Wentworth
- Robert A. McLaughlin with men are at work getting ice in for Camp Pemigewasset.
1/15/1942 West Rumney
- Miss Madeline Brown spent the weekend with Olive McKee at Rumney Depot.
- Mr. and Mrs. Walter Horton of Piermont visited their sister, Mrs. Kenneth McKee, Sunday.
- Word has been received that Francis Burnham has been badly hurt at the factory in Massachusetts where he works. One arm was badly cut.
1/22/1942 Warren
- Mrs. Alanson Pike, Mrs. William Shortt and Mrs. Eva Swain were visitors at the Hanover hospital Tuesday afternoon.
1/22/1942 Wentworth
- [The 4-H club received an invitation to participate in the winter carnival which will take place at Dr. Baker's home, "Ridgewood," in Orfordville, on January 31st.]
1/29/1942 Plymouth
- Miss Eunice Moses and Earl Ramsey of Glencliff were secretly married this past week. We all wish them a long and happy life together.
1/29/1942 Warren
- [The following were among those installed as officers of Minerva Temple No. 40, Pythian Sisters, Wednesday evening, February 4th: Mrs. Helen Goodwin, Mistress of R. & C. and Mrs. Bertha Goodwin, Mistress of Finance.]
1/29/1942 Wentworth
- Donald Tatham and Paul King have enlisted in the Army and at last report were at Devens.
- Mrs. Guy Adams of Fairlee called on her sister, Mrs. Catherine Bedell, Thursday.
- Mr. and Mrs. Paul Merrill and daughter, of Waltham, Mass., were Sunday callers on Mrs. C.H. Pease.
1/29/1942 West Rumney
- Miss Olive McKee of Rumney Depot spent the weekend with Madeline Brown.
2/5/1942 Rumney
- [The following were among those who signed up to work at the Rumney Observation Post. Three-six hour shifts, around the clock. 125 had signed up. Burnham, Amon, Guy Richard; McKee, Gordon, Kenneth, Pearl; Moses, Edward, Herbert; Perkins, Vernon.]
2/5/1942 Warren
- The family of Clarence Tewksbury are under quarantine because of scarlet fever. Miss Grace Tewksbury, student at Orford High School, is the victim.
2/12/1942 Warren

- Mrs. Harry Goodwin and Mrs. Helen Goodwin went to Boston Monday to attend the Sportsman's Show.
2/12/1942 Atwell Hill
- C.W. Lowd and Henry Rollins were in Plymouth Thursday morning.
- Mrs. M.A. Keneson had a card Monday from her grandson, Kenneth Wright, son of Truman [*Freeman?*] Wright, who is in the Service. He is taking medical training.
- Ruth Keneson is back at school in Orford High, after a week's vacation on account of scarlet fever in the school.
2/19/1942 Haverhill
- Mrs. Herbert Swan entertained her Sorosis Club of Orford on Thursday.
2/19/1942 S. Wentworth
- Hugh Evans was in Massachusetts last Friday. His brother Robert returned with him for a few day's visit.
2/19/1942 Wentworth
- Russell Pease was a business visitor in Boston last Saturday.
- While working in his manual training class in Orford High School last Thursday, Roger W. Chelberg was unfortunately cut on a saw. He was taken to Hanover Hospital where it was found necessary to remove his index finger on his right hand to the second joint. William Gifforn and Mrs. Gifforn brought Roger home on Saturday.
2/19/1942 West Rumney
- A farewell party was given Walter B. Foster by W.J. McKee at the Grange hall Friday night. [*He is going in the service.*]
- Mrs. Vernon Perkins has returned to her home after spending a few days with her mother.
2/26/1942 Atwell Hill
- C.D. Keneson and son Ray are running the snowplow.
- Saturday the 21st the people of Atwell Hill and East Orford had a wood cutting bee to chop and haul wood to the church. They got up around 3 cords, which later on will be sawed and put in the church shed. The ladies' furnished dinner in the church hall to 29 people and a social time was enjoyed by all.
2/26/1942 Wentworth
- Mrs. Edna McIntire of Plymouth has been visiting at Lester Gove's.
- The funeral services for William E. Learned were held in Orfordville church Friday, February 20. For many years Mr. Learned lived in Orfordville [East Orford] and was a familiar figure in Wentworth. He died at Belmont, Mass., and burial was in Orford cemetery. He is survived by his widow and seven children.
- Mr. and Mrs. C.H. Pease attended the services in Orfordville on Friday for his uncle William. [*Clarence's mother Julia was a Learned.*]
- Recent guests at C.H. Pease's were Mrs. Ida Learned, Fred Learned, Mrs. Christina Richmond and two children of Belmont, Mass., and Miss Florence Learned.
- Marie Richmond of Belmont, Mass., is spending the week with Julia Pease.
- Miss Eva Pease of Plymouth was in town Friday and called on old friends.
2/26/1942 West Rumney
- W.J. McKee is busy filling the ice houses in town.
- E.E. Ray is hauling ice from Orford Pond [*Must be Upper or Lower Baker.*]
3/5/1942 Atwell Hill
- Oscar Brown Jr. was home from U.N.H. for the weekend.
- Mr. and Mrs. John C. Latty, C.W. Lowd and Mrs. C.D. Keneson were business visitors in Plymouth last Friday.
- C.D. Keneson was ill two days last week.
- Wilfred Tatham has been helping Ray Keneson cut lumber several days last week.
3/5/1942 Haverhill

- Charles Cushman of Orford was a dinner guest Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Swan.
3/5/1942 Wentworth
- Mrs. William Randall is recovering from her recent illness and will soon be out once more.
3/5/1942 West Rumney
- Richard Moses and Miss Anna Collins were united in marriage last week. Congratulations.
- Harry Moses was a Sunday visitor at E.D. Moses'. His mother, Mrs. A.J. Moses, returned home with him. [*Haverhill, I think.*]
3/12/1942 West Rumney
- Francis Burnham spent the weekend at his home here.
- Mr. and Mrs. Willard Crosby of Uxbridge, Mass., called on her sister, Mrs. Amon Burnham, Friday.
3/19/1942 Plymouth
- [The Women's Society of the Congregational Church met March 17th. Mrs. Harold Sherburn opened the meeting by asking the members to sing a hymn and then read a very inspiring poem, "Our Church."]
- John Archibald of Boston University Medical School spent the weekend with his mother, Mrs. F.G. Archibald at the home of Miss Eva Pease.
3/26/1942 Atwell Hill
- Leon Chase and C.D. Keneson are sugaring.
- Arthur Wright of Warren is working for Leon Chase.
- Mr. and Mrs. C.D. Keneson and daughter, Alice, also Mrs. F.A. Howard, were business visitors in Plymouth last Wednesday.
- Freeman Wright was confined to his bed for several days with quinsy sore throat but is better at the present writing.
- Ray Keneson is doing Freeman's Wright's chores while he is sick.
3/26/1942 S. Wentworth
- Hugh Evans was in Saugus, Mass., last week and Mrs. Albert Williams and little son returned with him to visit her sister, Mrs. Evans, for a while.
3/26/1942 Wentworth
- Wedding bells rang at Adrian, Mich., Saturday, March 21, when Hugh Downing of this town was united in marriage with Miss Delight Davis of Adrian, Mich.
4/2/1942 Atwell Hill
- Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Lowd of Franklin visited at the home of Mrs. F.A. Howard and C.W. Lowd over the weekend.
- Mr. and Mrs. C.D. Keneson and Mr. and Mrs. John Latty were in Plymouth Saturday morning.
4/2/1942 Warren
- Mr. and Mrs. Alanson Pike and son, Robert, were in Concord Monday. Mrs. Mildred Whitcher accompanied them to Bristol.
- Beginning Tuesday, March 31, the Red Cross will hold the sewing meetings every Tuesday afternoon at the Defense Headquarters. The work completed the first three months of 1942 is 53 girls' dresses, 28 girls' skirts, 24 pajama coats, 23 boys' shirts, 34 sweaters, 10 pr. stockings, 1 cap, 4 scarves, 25 layettes and 254 extra pieces for layettes.
- The members of the Fire Department are raising money for the purchase of a resuscitator. The town has been canvassed for subscriptions and the East Warren Christmas club sponsored a beano party Friday evening at the Knights of Pythias hall with over 100 people in attendance. This was a success socially as well as financially, as the club turned over \$50 to the treasurer, Floyd Ray. The firemen greatly appreciate the support given by the ladies of the club. It was surely a fine act of community cooperation.
4/2/1942 Wentworth
- Mr. and Mrs. Roy DeCotis spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Chase of East Orford.
- Oscar Brown, Lewellyn Brown and Lawrence Stevens drove to New York for goods for the people who recently bought the Crane place.

- Sunday callers at Miss Dorice Pease's were Mr. and Mrs. Ed Clough of Campton, Mrs. Richard Burnham and two children and Mrs. Vernon Perkins of West Rumney.
- Finished garments delivered from Wentworth A.M.C. for the month of March were 40 sweaters, 11 pairs stockings, 9 beanies, 1 pr. mittens, 23 shirts, 2 dresses, 15 skirts.
- 4/2/1942 West Rumney
- Mrs. Richard Moses visited her husband at the Army camp near Boston recently.
- Mr. and Mrs. Amon Burnham and family spent the weekend at Glenn Pease's in Orford. [*Hmm – a little sugaring help for Dad.*]
- 4/9/1942 Atwell Hill
- Mrs. Oscar Brown went to Durham Thursday, then she and Oscar Brown, Jr., went to Providence, R.I., and spent the weekend with her relatives there. She returned home Sunday night.
- Miss Geraldine Brown was home Sunday from her work in Windsor, Vermont.
- Juliet Brown and brother, Alson W. Brown, came home from UNH Friday pm and spent the weekend with their parents.
- C.W. Lowd is gaining after his recent illness.
- Ruth Keneson was not able to attend school Tuesday due to a bad cold.
- 4/9/1942 S. Wentworth
- Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Evans entertained her mother and brothers over the weekend.
- 4/9/1942 Warren
- Private Richard A. Pike, of Bowling Field, Washington, D.C., arrived here Friday afternoon. He returned to Boston Saturday evening and proceeds to Washington Sunday morning. Richard is doing military police duty inside the Security building. He entered the service January 6 and this is his first visit home.
- Clarence Pike of Tilton was the guest of his mother, Mrs. Eva Pike, on Saturday.
- 4/9/1942 Wentworth
- Mrs. Mary Tatham is now making her home with her sister, Mrs. Walter Downing.
- 4/16/1942 Atwell Hill
- Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Daige and son, of Windsor, Vt., visited her mother, Mrs. A.L. Chase Friday, returning home Saturday.
- Mrs. Mary E. Keneson of St. Johnsbury, is spending a few days with her aunt, Mrs. F.A. Howard and other relatives on the hill.
- Elaine Jones is spending this week with Alice Keneson while her parents are away.
- 4/16/1942 Warren
- Work on repairing the Town Hall, which was badly damaged by fire several week ago, began on Monday morning with Kenneth Moody in charge.
- 4/16/1942 Wentworth
- Mrs. Ellen Foster, who is 84 years young, has not been idle this past winter but has kept her hands busy. In this short time she has knit 15 pairs mittens, 2 pairs boys' long-legged stockings, 2 pairs socks, besides knitting for the Red Cross 7 sweaters, 9 pair men's socks and has also done a large amount of sewing for the Red Cross. Now she feels for a little change she will knit a bedspread.
- Miss Dorice Pease is vacationing in Massachusetts for two weeks and will be visiting her two sisters.
- 4/23/1942 Atwell Hill
- M.K. Newton is working for Miss Herrin in East Orford.
- Our R.F.D. carrier has to make his trip by way of Warren on account of bad roads in East Piermont.
- Mr. and Mrs. John Houlne and son, Mrs. Houlne's daughters, and Mrs. L.M. Wright of Manchester called on Mrs. M.A. Keneson and other relatives on the hill Friday.
- 4/23/1942 Plymouth
- Harold was one of several PHS boys who helped bring food upstairs for the Men's Club Ladies' Night. His mother, Mrs. Harold G. Sherburn, was in charge of the supper.]

•Mrs. Amanda Gould is visiting a few weeks at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Raymond Downing, in South Windsor, Conn. She was accompanied to Connecticut by her daughter, Mrs. Stella Pease and grandson, John Foster, who spent the weekend, returning Sunday.

4/23/1942 Warren

•Everett McIssac Jr. [*Pat*] spent Friday night with his father at the Weirs and enjoyed the roller skating that evening at the Faverou skating rink. [*I wonder if Pat's father was leading a band at the Weirs.*]

4/23/1942 Wentworth

•Miss Pauline Webb has accepted the position as teacher of the first three grades at the Haverhill Corner school. Miss Carole Lavoie, who has successfully taught the Atwell Hill school for several terms, will teach the primary room of the village school.

•Mr. and Mrs. Guy Adams, James Ladeau and daughter, Hilda, of Fairlee, were Sunday callers at the Pease home.

4/30/1942 Atwell Hill

•Mrs. Alson Brown and Mrs. Oscar Brown were in Durham Saturday, it being Mother's Day at UNH. [*Juliet Brown married Robert Rand of Rand Hardware in Plymouth. From Steve Rand, 7/15/23: Julie met Bob when she came to town with Mrs Prettyman on errands. Dad was working at the store, and mom was barefooted, as the story goes. Courting ensued. Mom graduated, Dad was inducted into the military and she went out to Oklahoma in 1943 to marry him.*"]

•C.W. Lowd has gone to Worcester and Warren, Mass., to visit his daughters and to attend the wedding of his granddaughter May 2.

•Mr. and Mrs. C.D. Keneson and daughters, Ruth and Alice, also Mrs. F.A. Howard and C.W. Lowd were in Plymouth Wednesday.

•Mrs. F.A. Howard is spending a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Glenn Pease, in East Orford.

•The many friends of Mrs. Mabel Pease of East Orford will be sorry to learn she is in Mary Hitchcock Memorial Hospital in Hanover suffering from eye trouble.

[*From Glenn Pease's Diary:*

4\21\42 Bob took Ma down to Hanover to see Dr. Coil [Coyle?] about her eye.

4\23\42 Bob took Ma down to Hanover p.m. She stayed down there.

5\17\42 [S] Ma came home today.]

•C.D. Keneson was a business visitor in Warren Monday.

•Ruth Keneson visited Edith Chase in Pike Friday.

4/30/1942 Warren

•The new siren was installed at the Town Hall Sunday afternoon.

4/30/1942 Wentworth

•Miss Dorice Pease and Dale have returned from visiting her relatives in Massachusetts.

4/30/1942 West Rumney

•Francis Burnham was a weekend guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Amon Burnham.

5/7/1942 Wentworth

•Dr. Fauver with Mrs. Fauver were at Camp Pemigewasset the last of the week.

•Wilfred Tatham is another Wentworth boy who has joined the forces of Uncle Sam. [*From David Tatham, 7/15/23: The last entry is wrong, my Dad did not join the military. This was written when he was going for his induction physical but he didn't pass it. But I expect that is why it says my Grandmother Tatham was going to live with her sister because they were expecting he would be gone. He did later work at the navy yard in San Francisco.*

My parents were married a few days after she graduated high school in 1944. I think at that time my Dad was working at Scott & Williams in Lakeport. Have seen a newspaper article saying they would live in Lakeport. Later that year they, along with Bill & Nita (Juanita) Randell traveled to San Francisco for Dad and Bill to work at Hunters Point Navy Yard there. Nita was my Dads first cousin. Randell children, Gary and Joan, with them. Gary was about 3 yrs older than me and Joan about 1 yr older, it's possible

she wasn't born yet but would have been very little if she was. I was born there Aug 31, 1945 between the cease fire (Aug 15) and official signing of the surrender Sept 2. They would have returned almost immediately but doctors didn't want them traveling cross country with me only a few days old so waited until I was 6 weeks.

About San Francisco, Westley Muzzey from Wentworth was in the navy. At some point his ship was in to Hunters Point for repairs. Somehow, through letters from home I guess, Dad learned Westley was there and he looked him up. I didn't know Westley until I started working at Thermal Dynamics in 1979, he was there for several years until he retired. He would often tell me about that Dad was the only person from Wentworth that he saw during all the time he was in the navy.

Dad's eyes were fine. I understood they rejected him because of nerves. Don't really understand it, never seemed especially nervous to me. I've know of people you couldn't walk up behind the without speaking before you got close or they would jump and likely swing at you before they even realized what they were doing. He wasn't like that. Anyway it was a good thing, he wouldn't have been there when my Grandmother Tatham's house was washed away later in 1942. And who knows, maybe he wouldn't have survived the war and I wouldn't have been born. Looking forward to you coming across the newspaper articles about that flooding.”]

5/7/1942 West Rumney

•The sugar ration cards are being given out at Mont View school by Vernon Perkins, assisted by Shirley Chamberlain and Edward I. Moses.

5/14/1942 Atwell Hill

•C.W. Lowd returned home Wednesday from his visit to Massachusetts. He stopped with his brother, Herbert Lowd, in Franklin Tuesday night.

•Mr. and Mrs. Alson Brown attended the graduation of their daughter, Juliet Brown, at U.N.H. Sunday.

•Ruth Keneson and some of her schoolmate at Orford High School went to Hanover hospital Wednesday as part of their training.

•Mr. and Mrs. C.D. Keneson visited Arthur Sunbury at the Veterans' Hospital in White River Jct., Vt., Wednesday.

•C.D. Keneson and son Ray worked for the Ladd's in East Orford Friday and Saturday spraying apple trees.

5/14/1942 Haverhill

•Mrs. Herbert Swan attended her Sorosis club in Orfordville Wednesday.

5/14/1942 Plymouth

•[Among those representing the Plymouth Congregational church at the New Hampshire Congregational Christian Conference in Keene this week was Mrs. Harold G. Sherburn.]

5/14/1942 Wentworth

•Wentworth graduates from the University of New Hampshire were Mr. and Mrs. Leo T. Gove, Donald W. Breck, Richard Evans and Juliet Brown. Mrs. Leo Gove, Donald Breck and Juliet Brown were honor students. *[There were 12 graduates of the eighth grade in 1934. Having 4 or 5 graduate from college eight years later was likely a record.]*

•William Randall has obtained work in Boston and Mrs. Randall is there with him for the week.

•Repairs are being done on the Webster place. Work is being done by Charles Gilbert.

•Russell Pease has finished his course in the N.Y.A. and is in Boston on business.

5/21/1942 Atwell Hill

•Oscar Brown, Jr., has gone to Providence, R>I.

•C.W. Lowd and Mrs. F.A. Howard were business visitors in Plymouth Wednesday.

•Mr. and Mrs. C.D. Keneson and daughter, Ruth, also Wilfred Tatham, were in Bradford Saturday pm *[Hmmm – Ruth and Wilfred's first date?]*

5/21/1942 Warren

- Graduation honors have been announced for the eighth grade of the Warren Grammar school: 1st. Jessie Weeks; 2nd, Alberta Anderson; 3rd, Bernadette Kashita.
- 5/21/1942 Wentworth
- Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hartley of Woodsville were recent callers on her sister, Miss Dorice Pease.
- 5/21/1942 West Rumney
- Richard Moses recently enjoyed a three-day furlough from his duties in the U.S. Army, visiting his wife and his parental home in Rumney.
- 5/28/1942 Atwell Hill
- C.W. Lowd has been doing some carpenter work for W.S. Jones the past week.
- Once more wedding bells rang out when on Friday last, Lena Belle Dunbar and Leon Chase, son of Mr. and Mrs. Amos Chase, were united in marriage by Rev. Jones.
- Word has been received that Mary (Howard) Keneson was married to Wallace L. Powers of Peacham, Vt., May 13, at Danville, Vt.
- C.D. Keneson and son Ray were spraying apple trees for the Ladd's in East Orford Monday and Tuesday.
- 5/28/1942 Warren
- Harry Henderson and William McKee of West Rumney were in Manchester Monday.
- Miss Lillian Goodwin and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Goodwin of Dover were weekend visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Henderson.
- 5/28/1942 Wentworth
- [The graduates of the Wentworth eight grade will be: Village School – Eleanor Marie Brown, Richard Louis Dunklee, Carl Dennis Gove, John Maurice King, Harold Leroy Libbey, Willis Robert Lott, Lola Mary Lovering, Robert Fay McGinnis, Lillian Frederika Von Duhn, Florence Elmede Wiggett, William Wiggett. Atwell Hill – Mary Sinforosa Genovese.]
- 5/28/1942 West Rumney
- Private Richard Moses was home last week on a few days' furlough.
- W.J. McKee, Pearl and Mrs. Richard Burnham were recent visitors in Reading and Clinton, Mass.
- W.J. McKee was a business visitor in Laconia Monday.
- The children of Mont View school gave a very pleasing musical program at Grange hall last Monday night.
- Mrs. Amon Burnham and Mrs. Richard Burnham spent one day last week with Mrs. Mabel Pease in East Orford. Mrs. Pease has just returned from the Hanover hospital.
- 6/4/1942 Atwell Hill
- Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Lowd of Franklin spent the weekend at the home of Mrs. F.A. Howard.
- J.F. Keneson of Groton, Conn., visited his mother, Mrs. Mary A. Keneson, Saturday afternoon.
- Mr. and Mrs. C.D. Keneson and daughter Ruth were in Bradford, Vt. Monday pm
- 6/4/1942 Wentworth
- Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Donnelly of Orford visited at Roy DeCotis' recently.
- Mrs. C.H. Pease and daughter, Julia, were business visitors in Concord on Friday.
- Russell Pease has signed up with the "Trainee Repairman Signal Corps" and left on Monday for Medford, Mass.
- Mr. and Mrs. Paul Merrill and daughter of Waltham, Mass., were Sunday callers at the home of Clarence H. Pease.
- Mr. and Mrs. Norman Schofield, of Reading, Mass.; Ernest Schofield and Willie Randall were in town over the long weekend.
- 6/4/1942 West Rumney
- W.J. McKee was a business visitor in Pittsfield Monday.
- 6/11/1942 Warren
- Robert Pike and Everett Stone entertained the mumps last week.

6/11/1942 West Rumney

•Mrs. Amon Burnham and daughters Betty and Hazel visited Mrs. Mabel Pease in East Orford Sunday.

6/18/1942 Warren

•Sgt. Richard Pike is now located in the South.

6/25/1942 Atwell Hill

•C.W. Lowd and Mrs. F.A. Howard were in Bradford last week Wednesday.

•Mrs. Mary Tatham is staying with her sister, Mrs. Walter Downing on Atwell Hill road, since her home on the East Side in Wentworth was washed away by the flood of the 14th of June.

•Electric lights have been installed in the church here on the hill by the REA.

•Mrs. M.A. Keneson had a letter from her great-grandson, Kenneth Wright, son of Freeman Wright, who is in Australia. He was well.

•Ruth Keneson is assisting Mrs. Glenn Pease of East Orford with her extra summer work.

6/25/1942 Glencliff

•Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Ladd and daughter, Avis, of East Orford, were callers at William Belyea's Monday evening.

6/25/1942 Haverhill

•Mrs. Mae Pierce returned to her home in Orford on Friday.

6/25/1942 Wentworth

•Miss Barbara Gove has employment at Stinson Lake for the summer.

•Norman Downing is enjoying a short furlough.

•Donald Tatham is enjoying a few days in town. He thinks it worthwhile to come all the way from Michigan to see the home folks.

•Russell Pease spent the weekend at home. He is employed in Medford, Mass.,

•Jesse Pease and Floyd Gove are the two boys enjoying their 4-H week at Camp Pinnacle, Lyme.

6/25/1942 West Rumney

•Vernon Perkins spent last week in Lyme.

7/2/1942 Atwell Hill

•Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Sunbury of Orfordville were Sunday guests of Flora A. Howard and C.W. Lowd.

•C.W. Lowd and Mrs., F.A. Howard called on the Pease's in East Orford Friday evening.

•Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Daige and son of Windsor, Vt., are spending a few days with Mrs. A.L. Chase.

•Geraldine Brown is spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs., Oscar Brown, before she goes to Hartford, Conn., where she has a position.

•Mr. and Mrs. C.D. Keneson and Ray Keneson were Warren business visitors Tuesday am.

7/2/1942 Plymouth

•Harold G. Sherburn, Jr., has enlisted in the U.S. Navy and has reported for duty at the Naval Training Station at Newport, R.I.

•George Dawson of the Plymouth High School faculty is employed at Camp Pemigewasset in Wentworth during his summer vacation.

7/2/1942 Warren

•Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Pike quietly celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary Sunday.

•[Rowell Randolph Ray, son of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Ray, was christened at the Methodist Church Sunday, wearing his mother's christening robe.]

7/2/1942 Wentworth

•Miss Julia Pease is a guest of her aunt, Miss Eva Pease, in Plymouth.

•Clarence Pease has been detained at home on account of illness.

7/2/1942 West Rumney

•Mrs. Mabel Pease of East Orford is spending a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Amon Burnham.

•Mrs. Frank Hanley and Mrs. Amon Burnham, Betty and Hazel were Plymouth visitors Monday.

7/9/1942 Wentworth

- Grover Breck and Clarence Pease are detained from section work by illness.,
7/16/1942 Atwell Hill
- Oscar Brown, Jr., who is working in Providence, R.I., spent the weekend at home.
- Mrs. Verna McVetty of Ayer's Cliff, P.Q., is visiting her uncle and aunt, C.W. Lowd and Mrs. F.A. Howard.
- The deer are destroying things in some gardens on the hill.
7/16/1942 Plymouth
- Mr. and Mrs. Oliver K. Sherburn and daughter Patricia and niece Irene are spending this week at the Sherburn summer home at Ellsworth Pond.
- George Ray Jr., has been employed at Camp Pemigewasset in Wentworth during the summer vacation.
7/16/1942 S. Wentworth
- Hugh Evans and children went to Massachusetts Sunday. He returned home Monday night. The children stayed to visit their grandparents.
7/16/1942 Wentworth
- Camp Pemigewasset will attend church in a body Sunday morning, July 19. Music will be by the Camp choir.
- Wentworth Red Cross workers are busy in relief work as the report on Wentworth from December 1 to June 1 is as follows: 9 beanies, 1 mittens, 2 mufflers, 98 children's sweaters, 6 women's sweaters, 11 pair stockings, 35 girls' cotton dresses, 54 girls' wool dresses, 22 children's dresses, 1 woman's cotton dress, 19 women's wool dresses, 24 hospital pajamas, 48 boys' shirts, 6 hospital lap robes, 5 layettes. The June shipment is not included in this amount.
7/16/1942 West Rumney
- Albert J. Dow is working at Camp Pemigewasset. [*He is the man who built the new Fauver cabin after the fire. I wonder if he is building another one.*]
- The Northern Feldspar Co. have started work on the mine on the Buffalo Road.
- Mrs. Mabel Pease has returned to her home in East Orford after spending a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Amon Burnham.
- Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Perkins have returned from Lyme Center.
7/23/1942 Haverhill
- Charles Ladd of East Orford was a caller Friday on Harry Pike
7/23/1942 Plymouth
- Mrs. Stella Pease is entertaining her uncle, Byron Davis, from Hartford, Conn., at her home on Thurlow Street.
7/23/1942 S. Wentworth
- A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Evans Thursday evening, weight 7 lbs., 6 ½ oz.
7/23/1942 Warren
- The following is a list of articles made by the Warren branch of the Red Cross from December 1, 1941 to June 1 of this year: 1 beanie, 4 mufflers, 14 children's sweaters, 24 men's sweaters, 10 prs. stockings, 35 girls' wool dresses, 1 woman's cotton dress, 24 hospital pajamas, 23 boy's shirts, 51 girls' skirts, 28 children's dresses, 40 layettes, 426 pieces, parts of layettes.
7/23/1942 Wentworth
- Camp Pemigewasset attended church in a body Sunday. The following program was given: Doxology; Invocation; hymn, "Come Thou Almighty King"; responsive reading, Mr. Pettit; scripture reading, Prof. Pollard; prayer, Mr. Pettit; offering; baritone and tenor duet, "How Beautiful Upon The Mountains", by Harker, Pete Held and Ted Valentine, accompanied by Mrs. R.A. McLaughlin; sermon, Prof. Pollard; hymn, "Fairest Lord Jesus"; benediction, Mr. Pettit; male quartette, "Grace Be With You," Camp Pemigewasset male quartette, Ted Valentine, Pete Held, Tom Reed and Alfred Fauver.
- Mrs. Anna Johnson and Mrs. Jesse Currier of Mt. Cube, Orford, were dinner guests of Miss Mary E. Pillsbury on Friday.

•Russell Pease, who is employed in Medford, Mass., was home over the weekend.

7/30/1942 S. Wentworth

•Mrs. Hugh Evans and infant son have returned home from Plymouth hospital.

•The Texas Ramblers came Tuesday afternoon to help Mrs. Ellen Foster celebrate her birthday. They all enjoyed a picnic supper under the trees and Grammie was presented with a large cake decorated with our patriotic colors. It had ten small flags on it. Grammy was 84 years young. We all wish her many more to come.

7/30/1942 Wentworth

•Card of Appreciation. We hereby wish to express our deepest appreciation and thanks to all our friends who have helped bear the loss of our home by giving so freely of their homes, money, materials, and time. Mrs. Arthur Tatham, Pvt. Donald Tatham, Wilfred Tatham

7/30/1942 West Rumney

•Mrs. W.J. McKee and Pearl are visiting relatives in Reading, Mass.

•Francis Burnham and friend of Uxbridge, Mass., have been spending his vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Amon Burnham.

8/6/1942 Atwell Hill

•Miss Randolph and Miss Wright of New York called on C.W. Lowd and Mrs. F.A. Howard last Wednesday.

•Mrs. Kenneth Ramsdell and Mrs. Wilfred Daige of Windsor, Vt., were at Mrs. A.L. Chase's last week. While there they picked berries

8/6/1942 Plymouth

•Harold G. Sherburn, Jr., of the U.S. Navy, is enjoying several days furlough at his parental home on Pleasant Street.

•Miss Eva Pease is in Concord caring for Dr. Thomas M. Dudley's mother, Mrs. Harry Dudley.

8/6/1942 Warren

•[Helen Goodwin was among those who assisted at the Child Health clinic Tuesday.]

8/6/1942 Wentworth

•Mrs. Roy DeCotis visited her sister, Mrs. Malcolm Cayes, in Plymouth recently.

•Russell Pease spent the weekend at home from his work in Medford, Massachusetts.

8/13/1942 Atwell Hill

•Mr. and Mrs. C.D. Keneson and Mr. and Mrs. John Latty were business visitors in Plymouth last Wednesday.

•Mrs. F.A. Howard spent last Wednesday with her daughter, Mrs. Glenn Pease, in East Orford.

8/13/1942 Plymouth

•Oliver K. Sherburn concludes his work at the Record office this week and will report to the Samuel Eastman Co. in Concord Monday, where he will be engaged in defense work. Within the near future Mr. and Mrs. Sherburn will move to Concord. Mr. Sherburn has been a valued and faithful employee at the local printing and newspaper office the past 11 years. Mrs. Sherburn is a member of the Board of Directors of the Pemigewasset Women's Club and is president of the Plymouth Garden Club. Both Mr. and Mrs. Sherburn will be greatly missed in the community where they have received their education and taken their part in the life of the town.

8/13/1942 Warren

•The "regular Wednesday night sing" at the Town Hall was well-attended and those in attendance listened to a very fine program presented by a colored trio, Messrs. Simms, Graham, and Green, employed at Camp Pemigewasset. The Rev. Stanley Jones, pastor of the Atwell Hill church was present and told a very interesting story. These get-togethers are proving a source of great enjoyment to many music lovers.

8/13/1942 Wentworth

•Wilfred Tatham is busy putting up a house to replace the one washed away by the flood. He expects to have it ready to live in by fall.

- Mrs. Addie Pease entertained an old schoolmate, Mrs. Amos Sawyer of Burlington, Vt., on Friday.
8/20/1942 Wentworth
- A frequent visitor to Wentworth is Mrs. Marguerite Trader-Harris of Darien, Conn. Mrs. Harris places her bicycle in the baggage car of a train and rides to Fairlee, Vt. From there she rides the bicycle to Wentworth to spend a weekend at the Viking Cabins. Mrs. Harris has traveled extensively both in this country and abroad but still feels there is no more scenic beauty anywhere that surpasses the beauty of New Hampshire. Mrs. Harris is a re-writer for a large publishing house.
8/20/1942 West Rumney
- Pvt. Richard Moses was home a few days last week from camp.
- Mrs. Richard Moses and Mrs. E.I. Moses accompanied Pvt. Richard Moses to Boston.
- Roger Kelley of Center Harbor is spending a few days with Herbert Moses.
- Mr. Edna McIntre of Plymouth was a visitor of her sister, Mrs. Amon Burnham a few days last week.
8/27/1942 Wentworth
- The 1942 season of Camp Pemigewasset closes Saturday and most of the boys returned to their several homes.
- Mr. and Mrs. Eugene C. Randall of Concord were guest at the Viking Cabins for three days over the weekend.
- Mr. and Mrs. John Reynolds of Akron, Ohio, called on Mr. Reynolds' old school teacher, Mrs. Clarence Pease, Friday of last week.
- Julia L. Pease is working at Tobey's Motor Court in Plymouth for a short time.
- Jesse W. Pease spent Friday night with his cousins at East Orford.
8/27/1942 West Rumney
- Sheldon Woodward of Quincy, Mass., has been visiting his aunt, Mrs. E.I. Moses.
9/3/1942 Atwell Hill
- Juliet Brown has a position in Pittsfield, Mass., which she likes very much. [*From Juliet's son, Steve Rand, 7/28/23: "Juliet graduated from UNH with a degree in bacteriology. She worked in a lab in Pittsfield looking for the little buggers."*]
- Callers on Mr. and Mrs. John Latty were Mr. and Mrs. Trumbull of Etna and Mr. and Mrs. Donald Trumbull of Springfield, Mass., Mr. and Mrs. C.D. Keneson, Mrs. M.A. Keneson, also Mr. and Mrs. Brown.
- Mr. and Mrs. Lionel Kipling of Norwood, Mass., called on friends on the hill recently.
- Miss A. Gertrude Lovering, R.N., of Medford, Mass., returned to her home Friday, after spending a week with Mrs. F.A. Howard.
- Harry Kelley of Ashland made over a chimney for Mrs. F.A. Howard.
9/3/1942 Haverhill
- Miss Shirley Huckins of Orfordville is spending a few days at the home of H.R. Swan.
- Miss Fern Aremburg returned home recently from Stoneham, Mass.
- Rodney Aremburg, who has finished his course in the N.Y.A. in Boston, is home for now.
9/3/1942 S. Wentworth
- Mr. and Mrs. Robert Evans of Saugus, Mass., are visiting their son, Hugh Evans. [*Come to see the new grandson.*]
9/3/1942 Warren
- William Whitcher has the contract to transport the children to the village school. One bus will do the work where for a number of years three autos have been used.
9/3/1942 Wentworth
- Mrs. Alice Downing has returned from a three-weeks visit with her sister in Portland, Me.
- Word had been received of the serious illness of Wesley Downing, son of Chester Downing. All hope for a speedy recovery.

- Jesse Pease had the misfortune to fall on a saw while playing and cut his arm badly. A doctor is caring for him.
- Mrs. Mertie Simpson of St. Johnsbury visited her sister, Mrs. C.H. Pease early this week, called here by the very serious illness of their mother, Mrs. Catherine Bedell.
- 9/10/1942 Atwell Hill
- Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Lowd of Franklin spent Sunday night and Monday with C.W. Lowd and Mrs. F.A. Howard. They were all invited to supper with Mr. and Mrs. C.D. Keneson, it being the occasion of Mrs. Keneson's birthday. Mrs. M.A. Keneson was also a guest. Ice cream with apple pie and cake were served.
- Amos Chase called on Verne Bixby in East Piermont Saturday evening.
- Oscar Brown and son Llewellyn are doing some trucking to Rhode Island.
- Wilfred Tatham went to Arlington, Mass., Tuesday.
- Elaine Jones is staying with Alice Keneson while her parents are attending a meeting at New London.
- F.C. Thorne, Mr. and Mrs. John Latty and Mrs. C.D. Keneson were in Plymouth last Wednesday.
- 9/10/1942 Glencliff
- Mrs. Inez Perry of Orford has been spending a week here with relatives.
- 9/10/1942 Haverhill
- Mr. and Mrs. Chester Pierce, Mrs. Mae Pierce and Miss Elsie Pierce of Orford were Thursday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. H.R. Swan.
- Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cushman of Orfordville were Thursday callers on Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Swan.
- 9/10/1942 S. Wentworth
- Robert McGinnis has gone to Wentworth to board while attending Orford High School [*this way he can ride the bus which picks up Warren and Wentworth students.*]
- 9/10/1942 West Rumney
- Miss Ruth Kelley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Kelly and Herbert Moses, so of Mr. and Mrs. E.I. Moses, were united in marriage Saturday by Rev. A.B. Thompson at Plymouth Congregational Church.
- Pvt. Richard Moses is home for a short furlough from Lynn, Massachusetts.
- Mr. and Mrs. E.I. Moses spent a few days recently at the Weirs.
- Mont View school opened Tuesday with Vernon E. Perkins as teacher. [*This is Jim's 4th or 5th year there.*]
- Madeline Brown and Betty Burnham returned Saturday from Camp Joy in Rumney.
- 9/17/1942 Warren
- Mrs. Everett Goodwin has an infection in her left thumb. [*Almost down to the level of reporting on hangnails! And then they do – see 12/3/42.*]
- The men that are operating the steam shovel dredging the river for flood control are now working two shifts.
- Irving Cushing, Jr., is enrolled at New Hampton School for Boys which opens September 22.
- 9/17/1942 Wentworth
- Norman Downing was on furlough from Fort Ethan Allen last week, so was in town a few days.
- Mrs. Catherine Bedell passed away Tuesday after a long illness. She made her home with her daughter, Mrs. C.H. Pease, for the last two years. Burial will take place in her former home of Fairlee, Vt.
- Mrs. Dean Simpson of St. Johnsbury has been a guest of her sister, Mrs. C.H. Pease.
- 9/17/1942 West Rumney
- Mrs. A.J. Moses recently visited her grandson, Charlie Downing, in Concord.
- 9/24/1942 Glencliff
- Mr. and Mrs. William Belyea and Wilma were at Oscar Ladd's in East Orford one day recently.
- 9/24/1942 Wentworth
- Mrs. Leroy DeCotis is visiting relatives in Manchester.
- Russell Pease spent the weekend at home. On Friday, September 24, he received his diploma from the Medford Vocational school, as a signal corps repairman.

9/24/1942 West Rumney

- Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Moses have returned from their wedding trip.
- Amon Burnham is having his house painted. Charles Dawson of Rumney Depot is doing the work.

10/1/1942 Wentworth

- Born to Mr. and Mrs. William Randall at Plymouth hospital, September 25, a 6 ½ pound son [*likely Gary.*]

•Mr. and Mrs. Stafford Smith have moved from the East Side into the Maurice Carpenter house which they recently purchased. [*Is this house just up the hill from the Depot, across from Roy DeCotis?*]

10/1/1942 West Rumney

- Mrs. Ellen Foster, a native of Wentworth and 84 years young, has just completed a flag which she crocheted, 34x24 inches, red, white and blue, with 96 stars, 48 on each side. This flag was made in a little over three weeks. Mrs. Foster is a busy, industrious lady, her hands are always busy sewing, knitting or crocheting, and many nice things have been made by her busy fingers.

10/8/1942 Atwell Hill

- Our pastor, W. Stanley Jones and C.W. Lowd are attending the annual United Baptist Convention in Nashua.
- C.W. Lowd was in Plymouth Thursday.
- C.D. Keneson, son Ray and Roland Wright sawed wood for W. Stanley Jones last Thursday. Friday they sawed some for Alson Brown.
- Oscar Brown, Jr., was home from Providence, R.I., over the weekend.
- Mrs. F.A. Howard is spending a week with her daughter, Mrs. Glenn Pease, in East Orford.

[*Glenn Pease Diary:*

10\6\42 Got out manure. Mrs. Howard came over tonight

10\7\42 Finished up manure. Went to Fairlee, got some grain. Took Thed, May, Florence and Mrs. Howard out to rummage sale.]

- Mr. and Mrs. H. Chesley of East Orford called at the Howard farm Monday.

10/8/1942 Warren

- Mr. and Mrs. John Nichol, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Ray, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Alessandrini and James Breer attended the OPA meeting at the Rice-Varick hotel in Manchester Monday where war price ceilings, their operation and enforcement were discussed.

10/8/1942 Wentworth

- Mrs. Clarence Pease is visiting relatives in Worcester, Mass.
- Mrs. William Randall and young son returned from Plymouth hospital on Monday.

10/8/1942 West Rumney

- Mrs. A.J. Moses has returned from a two-weeks visit with her son in Haverhill.
- W.J. McKee was in Manchester Monday to attend the grocers' meeting.
- Mrs. Lee Wheet and Mrs. Amon Burnham were Manchester visitors Thursday.

10/15/1942 Warren

- Mr. and Mrs. Reginald Evans, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Jesseman and Mr. and Mrs. Everett Goodwin motored to Franconia Saturday evening and were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Everett Barry.
- Harry Gale and daughter, Mrs. Everett Goodwin, Mrs. Floyd Ray and son, Rowell, were in Meredith at Dr. Turley's Monday afternoon.

10/15/1942 Wentworth

- The First Aid project that was sponsored by the Grange has been completed and a First Aid Kit has been placed in the following homes for emergency: Edward Livermore, South Wentworth; Elsie Libbey, East Side; Flora Howard, Atwell Hill; Eleanor Flanders, village; Hazel Morrison, Buffalo Road; Beatrice Gove, State Road. Owing to the cost, there was only one thermometer and one water bottle with attachments purchased but is available to everyone at the home of Beatrice Gove. It is hoped that everyone will take advantage of this in case of emergency.

- Mrs. Clarence Pease has returned from her visit to Worcester, Mass.
10/22/1942 Atwell Hill
- C.W. Lowd returned home Friday pm from his visit in Worcester and Warren, Mass.
- C.W. Lowd and Mr. and Mrs. John Latty were business visitors in Plymouth Monday am.
10/22/1942 Plymouth
- Harold G. Sherburn is enjoying his two weeks' vacation from his duties at the post office and with Mrs. Sherburn returned Monday from several days visit with their son, Harold Jr., at the Newport Naval Station, and daughters, Mrs. George Majors in Providence, R.I., and Miss Barbara Whitehead in Newport, R.I.
- [Mrs. Harold Sherburn, president, conducted the Congregational Women's Society meeting Tuesday.]
- Mrs. Lorenzo B. Pease left Monday for Tilton where she will spend the winter months at the home of her brother and sister.
10/22/1942 Wentworth
- Mrs. Alson Brown is visiting friends in Boston.
- Mrs. Mary Tatham has entered the Deaconess hospital in Boston where she submitted to an operation for goitre. Friends hope for better health for her.
- Pauline Belyea, Barbara Gove and Vernon Pease are among the sick ones this week.
- Russell Pease is home from Boston for a few days. He leaves Saturday for the University of Maine, Orono, Me., for further training in radio.
- Miss Julia Pease is in Concord where she is attending the NYA school.
- Dorice Pease visited her sister, Mrs. Tom Hartley, in Woodsville over the weekend.
10/29/1942 Atwell Hill
- Mrs. Alson Brown visited Mr. and Mrs. Lionel Kipling in Norwood, Mass., last Tuesday and Wednesday.
- Mrs. A.L. Chase, who had been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Kenneth Ramsdell, in Windsor, Vt., returned home Saturday evening.
- Leon Chase was in Woodsville Saturday for medical examination for Army service.
- Mrs. L.M. Wright is spending some time on the hill with her mother, Mrs. M.A. Keneson and son, F.E. Wright.
10/29/1942 Warren
- A group of men, led by William Whitcher and Myles Kesar built a new observation post on the old mill site last Sunday. The old post, in the Defense building, was condemned by A.W.S. authorities as inadequate. Wilbur Clark loaned his hunting camp for the project and the building was placed on the solid cement foundation. Soon the telephone and lights will be installed and a complete corps of observers, led by chief observer B.G. Robbins, will take over.
10/29/1942 Wentworth
- Miss Julia Pease was home Saturday from Concord, where she is studying with the NYA.
- Miss Eva Pease of Plymouth was a recent guest of her brother, Clarence H. Pease.
10/29/1942 West Rumney
- Francis Burnham is home on vacation from his work in Uxbridge, Massachusetts.
11/5/1942 Wentworth
- Albert Briggs of New York, formerly of Camp Moosilauke, was in town Saturday.
- [Charles Gilbert was elected representative to the General Court.]
- Miss Dorice Pease visited relatives in East Orford on Saturday.
11/5/1942 West Rumney
- Pvt. Richard Moses was home Tuesday for a few hours.
- W.J. McKee was a business visitor in Woodsville Monday.
11/12/1942 Atwell Hill

- The ladies of the Atwell Hill Baptist church met on November 3 in the church vestry to organize the Ladies' Night Society. Mrs. Miniver Beal of Rumney village was guest speaker and advisor during the reorganization [*Nothing more about this – perhaps a version of the Mite Society?*]
- C.W. Lowd is carpentering on Glenn Pease's barn in East Orford [*this is the addition Dad put on this year. Uncle Will and Charles Gilbert both helped on it, doubling the size of the main barn.*]
- Leon Chase went to Boston Monday with Wilfred Tatham. Mr. Tatham expects to bring his mother, Mrs. Mary Tatham, home Monday afternoon from the N.E. Deaconess hospital where she has been for several weeks for treatment and an operation.
- Mr. Currier from Arlington, Mass., has been at Leon Chase's over the weekend.
11/12/1942 Haverhill
- Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Metcalf and sons of Alstead and Mrs. Charles Whitcomb, Mrs. Burton Campbell and sons of Conway spent the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hardy.
- [Herbert Swan and Raymond Aremburg are among the successful deer hunters so far.]
11/12/1942 Warren
- Four steam shovels and a bulldozer are working in the river making a new channel. [*Did old man river agree to stay in this channel over the years?*]
11/12/1942 Wentworth
- Roy DeCotis shot his first deer Monday afternoon. After hunting through many deer seasons, much to his surprise, he was rewarded at last.
11/12/1942 West Rumney
- Amon Burnham was taken very sick one day last week and moved to the Sceva Speare hospital. He is reported as some better at this writing.
11/19/1942 Plymouth
- Mrs. Stella Pease has employment at the White Mt. Mfg. Company.
11/19/1942 S. Wentworth
- Mrs. Hugh Evans and children have been in Melrose, Mass., to attend the wedding of her oldest brother.
- Hugh Evans made two trips to Boston for mink food last week.
11/19/1942 West Rumney
- Amon Burnham has returned from the hospital much improved.
11/26/1942 Atwell Hill
- C.W. Lowd, Mrs. F.A. Howard, Mrs. C.D. Keneson and daughter, Alice, were in Plymouth Wednesday. C.W. Lowd has gone to Worcester, Mass., to spend the Thanksgiving holidays with his daughters.
- Leon Chase was in Nashua Saturday.
- Pvt. Donald Tatham attended the Atwell Hill church Sunday.
- About 25 people from Atwell Hill and East Orford attended the pound party given Mrs. Mary Tatham and sons, Wilfred and Donald, on the East Side, on the Warren road, in their new home. A social time was enjoyed by all. Refreshments of cocoa and assorted cookies were served. It was a complete surprise to them.
- Walter Downing got a deer recently.
- C.D. Keneson is building a garage.
11/26/1942 Rumney Depot
- Gordon McKee has been quite ill.
11/26/1942 Warren
- Robert Pike, younger son of Mr. and Mrs. Alanson Pike, has been inducted into the Army and left on Monday, November 16, for Camp Devens.
11/26/1942 West Rumney
- Roger Kelley of Center Harbor has been spending a few days with Herbert Moses.
- Mr. and Mrs. Francis Burnham are spending their honeymoon at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Amon Burnham. [*Francis was working in Uxbridge, MA. I wonder if Dot was from there.*]

12/3/1942 Plymouth

•Mrs. Harold Sherburn and daughter, Miss Eleanor Sherburn, are spending a few days in Newport, R.I., where the former's daughter, Miss Barbara Whitehead is employed and Harold Sherburn, Jr., is stationed with the U.S. Navy. They also visited her oldest daughter, Mrs. George Major and family in Providence, R.I.

12/3/1942 Atwell Hill

•Juliet Brown from Pittsfield, Mass., Alson W. Brown from New Hampshire University, Oscar Brown from New Hampshire University and Geraldine Brown were at their homes for Thanksgiving weekend. Mrs. Oscar Brown accompanied her daughter, Geraldine, back to her work in Hartford, Conn. Mrs. Brown returned home Monday morning.

•Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Daige were at Mrs. A.L. Chase's over the weekend.

•Burt Currier of Lawrence, Mass., was at Leon Chase's Saturday.

•Leon Chase is cutting Christmas trees in F.A. Howard's pasture.

•C.D. Keneson and son, Ray, are helping Wilfred Tatham get out some lumber on Ellsworth Hill.

•Ray Keneson and Kenneth Newton went to Woodsville to be examined for the service last Friday. Mrs. C.D. Keneson and daughter, Alice, accompanied them. They came home by way of Bradford, Vt., and stopped there a little while.

•Thanksgiving dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. C.D. Keneson and family were Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Sunbury of Orfordville, Mrs. M.A. Keneson and Mrs. F.A. Howard.

•Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Pease of East Orford were at C.D. Keneson's Monday evening.

•Mr. and Mrs. Earl Wright of Campton, daughter and son, also Mrs. L.M. Wright called on Mrs. M.A. Keneson Sunday.

12/3/1942 Warren

•Everett McIssac, Jr. and Reginald Evans each shot a deer on the last day of hunting. [Pat's father got a 15 pointer earlier in the season.]

•Little Miss Jean Goodwin has an infected finger causes from a hangnail.

12/3/1942 Wentworth

•Miss Julia Pease was at home from her work in Waltham, Mass., over the weekend.

•[The Wentworth Woman's Club held their regular meeting November 18 at the home of Mrs. Wilhelmina Brown with Mrs. Gladys Brown assistant hostess.]

12/10/1942 S. Wentworth

•Hugh Evans has started pelting some of his mink [*killing and skinning them?*]

12/10/1942 Warren

•Mrs. Eva Pike entertained 22 relatives for the Thanksgiving dinner.

12/17/1942 S. Wentworth

•Hugh Evans made a trip to Boston, Mass., for mink food last week.

•Hugh Evans purchased a ton and a half truck and is taking a load of Christmas trees to Boston this week.

12/17/1942 Wentworth

•Mrs. Glenn Stevens, Lawrence Stevens, Llewellyn Brown, Mrs. Oscar Brown and Clarence Pease were among the Wentworth people who went to Woodsville Monday to see the boys start for camp.

•Five more Wentworth boys left for active duty in the United States Army. They are Carroll Stevens, Charles Derward Brown, Russell Pease, Harold Jewell and George Brown.

•Llewellyn Brown has made three trips to Boston with Christmas trees. On one trip he took a 25 foot Christmas tree for the hospital for crippled children.

•Alson W. Brown, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alson L. Brown, was awarded a varsity letter in cross-country by the Faculty Senate Committee on Athletics at the University. Mr. Brown is a Junior in the College of Agriculture.

•Mr. and Mrs. Frank Marcotti and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Pease were business visitors in Barre, Vt., recently.

12/24/1942 Atwell Hill

•C.W. Lowd, Mrs. F.A. Howard and Ray and Ruth Keneson were in Plymouth Christmas shopping Saturday.

•Mr. and Mrs. M.K. Newton, also Alice Keneson, were shopping in Plymouth Saturday evening.

12/24/1942 Plymouth

•Holiday guests at the home of Mrs. Stella Pease on Thurlow St. include John Taylor of Waterloo, New York, Marvin Hunt of West Hartford, Conn., and Mrs. Pease's sister, Mrs. Raymond Downing of West Hartford, Connecticut.

12/24/1942 S. Wentworth

•Robert Evans, Jr., of Saugus, Mass. is helping his brother cut wood.

12/24/1942 West Rumney

•Mrs. Mabel Pease has returned to East Orford after spending a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Amon Burnham.

12/31/1942 Atwell Hill

•Leon Chase was a business visitor in Boston last week.

•C.D. Keneson and family, Mrs. M.A. Keneson and W.A. Tatham were Christmas dinner guests of Mrs. F.A. Howard and C.W. Lowd.

•Oscar Brown, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Brown, was home from Durham for the holiday and following week.

•Oscar W.L. Brown Jr., who is a student at the University of New Hampshire, took charge of the church services Sunday morning.

•Juliet Brown was home for the holiday and weekend from her position in Pittsfield, Mass. She came by way of Durham and brought her brother, Alson W. Brown, home from the University of New Hampshire for the weekend and holidays. They returned Sunday.

12/31/1942 Haverhill

•Miss Fern Aremburg was home from Warren for the day Christmas.

12/31/1942 Plymouth

•A family gathering was held at the home of Mrs. Stella Pease on Thurlow street on Christmas day, which was also the 58th wedding anniversary of her uncle, Charles L. Davis and Mrs. Davis, who were among those present. Mr. and Mrs. Davis moved to Plymouth about seven years ago, into their attractive newly constructed home on Thurlow street, built by Mr. Davis himself, who was a contractor and builder in Goffstown for 51 years. Relatives present included his brother, Byron Davis, formerly of East Hartford, Conn.; his sister, Mrs. Amanda Gould, two nieces, Mrs. Stella Pease and Mrs. Beatrice Downing of East Hartford, Conn.; two grandnieces, Mrs. Helen Mitchell of North Saco, Me, and Mrs. Madeline Labbe of Plymouth, and a great-grandnephew, John Foster. Friends and neighbors of the family were also present.

12/31/1942 Warren

•Mrs. Harry Goodwin fell in front of the garage Friday morning and injured her right arm. She was taken to the Sanitarium in the afternoon for an x-ray but no bones were broken.

12/31/1942 Wentworth

•Ice is being cut to fill the ice houses of Camp Pemigewasset.

•Dorothy Libbey of Warren was a guest of Julia Pease while Miss Pease was at home last week.

12/31/1942 West Rumney

•Pvt. Richard Moses is home on a short furlough.

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1/7/1943 Plymouth

•S2/c Harold G. Sherburn, with the U.S. Navy, stationed at Brooklyn, N.Y., enjoyed a 48-hour leave at the home of his parents on Pleasant St.

- Miss Eleanor Sherburn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Sherburn, is a business visitor in Boston this week.
- 1/7/1943 Glencliff
- Mrs. Leon Gould is in St. Johnsbury, Vt., at Brightlook hospital for a couple of weeks. Miss Edna Perry of Orford is working for Mrs. Gould during her absence.
- 1/14/1943 Atwell Hill
- C.W. Lowd, who suffered a slight shock last Monday, January 4, has been confined to his bed since then. He is gaining slowly at present writing.
- Mrs. Wilfred Daige is spending some time with her mother, Mrs. A.L. Chase, who is quite poorly.
- Mr. and Mrs. C.D. Keneson went with their son, Ray, to Woodsville Friday, where he will take the train for Fort Devens to go into the service.
- Freeman Wright and C.D. Keneson were in South Wentworth Monday at Ben Foster's.
- Mr. and Mrs. John Houlne of Manchester were on the hill Thursday. They called on Mrs. M.A. Keneson.
- 1/14/1943 Plymouth
- S2/c Harold G. Sherburn, Jr., of the U.S. Navy, enjoyed a weekend furlough at the home of his parents on Pleasant St.
- 1/21/1943 Plymouth
- Miss Eleanor Sherburn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Sherburn, who has been working at the dental office of Dr. H.S. Kaplan and at J.J. Newbury's, started work this week at the General Electric Corp. in Lynn, Mass., and is living in Saugus, Mass.
- 1/28/1943 Atwell Hill
- Mrs. A.L. Chase has gone to the Deaconess Hospital in Boston for medical treatment.
- Mrs., V.G. Richardson of Worcester, Mass., is assisting in the care of her father, C.W. Lowd, at the home of Mrs. F.A. Howard.
- Pvt. Ray Keneson is stationed in Atlantic City, N.J. at the present time.
- 1/28/1943 West Rumney
- Mr. and Mrs. W.J. McKee and Mrs. Clara Colburn were Plymouth visitors Monday afternoon.
- Miss Olive McKee of Rumney was a recent visitor of Madeline Brown.
- 2/4/1943 Haverhill
- Rodney Aremburg, Seaman third class, U.S. N., is home on a ten day furlough.
- 2/4/1943 Warren
- [The Women's Society of Christian Service met with Mrs. Bertha Goodwin Thursday afternoon, January 28, for their regular meeting.]
- 2/4/1943 Wentworth
- Miss Pauline L. Belyea and Miss Barbara M. Gove entered Plymouth Teachers College February 1, having accepted the accelerated course offered High School Seniors by the State Board of Education.
- 2/4/1943 West Rumney
- Mrs. Esther Mackey is working for Mrs. W.J. McKee.
- 2/11/1943 Atwell Hill
- C.W. Lowd wishes to thank all of his friends for the very nice Sunshine basket which was presented to him recently. Mr. Lowd is slowly improving and is able to come to the table for all his meals.
- Mrs. V.G. Richardson returned to her home in Worcester, Mass., last week.
- Mrs. A.L. Chase is still in the New England Deaconess Hospital in Boston, Mass.
- Mr. and Mrs. Leon Chase and F.E. Wright were in Bradford Monday afternoon.
- Alson Brown called at C.D. Keneson's Tuesday am.
- Wilfred Tatham and his mother, Mrs. Mary Tatham, have gone to Boston this week.
- Ruth Keneson is home from Orford High School sick with German measles but is improving at the present writing.
- C.D. Keneson was a business visitor in Plymouth one day last week.

2/11/1943 Warren

•Billy Hight, at student at Orford High School, has been confined to the house several days with the measles.

2/18/1943 Atwell Hill

•Mrs. A.L. Chase returned home Thursday evening from the N.E. Deaconess Hospital in Boston.

•Mrs. C.B. Hathaway of Warren, Mass., spent the weekend with her father, C.W. Lowd, at the home of Mrs. F.A. Howard. She returned home Monday.

•Mrs. Verna McVetty of Windsor Mills, Que., who has been assisting at the home of Mrs. F.A. Howard in the care of C.W. Lowd, was a guest of Mrs. Glenn Pease in East Orford Sunday and Monday.

•Wilfred Tatham, Mrs. C.D. Keneson and daughter were in Warren Tuesday afternoon.

2/18/1943 Glencliff

•Miss Edna Perry spent the weekend in Warren with Mrs. Earline Derosia.

2/18/1943 Plymouth

•Mrs. Harold G. Sherburn announces the engagement of her daughter, Miss Barbara Aletea Whitehead, of Newport, R.I., to Ensign Lawrence Evans Scott of Buffalo, Tex. The wedding will take place in the near future. Miss Whitehead is a graduate of Plymouth High School, Class of 1934, and has been employed by the New England Tel. & Tel. Company for the past six years. Ensign Scott is a graduate of the University of Texas, '41, and is with a PT Squadron of the U.S. Naval Reserve.

2/18/1943 Wentworth

•Miss Julia Pease, who has been working in Waltham, Mass., for several weeks, has returned home and entered Plymouth Teachers College.

2/25/1943 Atwell Hill

•Mr. Walker and C.D. Hathaway of Warren, Mass., came by motor to Mrs. F.A. Howard's Wednesday morning. C.W. Lowd, who has improved from his recent illness, was able to return home with them. He will remain with his daughter, Mrs. C.B. Hathaway until he is well again. Word has been received that he stood the trip very well.

•Mrs. Verna McVetty of Windsor Mills, Que., returned to her home Thursday by train and bus.

•Oscar W.L. Brown went to Fort Devens Sunday to go into the service.

2/25/1943 S. Wentworth

•Robert McGinnis is home from Orford High School entertaining the German measles.

•Robert Evans of Saugus, Mass., is spending his vacation with his brother, Hugh Evans.

•Little Arnold Evans has been quite sick with the German measles.

2/25/1943 West Rumney

•Francis Burnham was operated on for appendicitis at the Milford, Mass., hospital the last of the week. He is reported as getting along fine.

3/4/1943 West Rumney

•The Misses Olive and Marietta McKee of Rumney Depot spent Saturday with Madeline Brown.

•Miss Madeline Brown spend Sunday with Olive McKee in Rumney Depot.

•Miss Pearl McKee visited the Rumney Depot school on Wednesday.

3/11/1943 Rumney

•[At the Rumney Town Meeting, Herbert Moses was elected chairman of the Hog Constables *[mostly a joke position, given to newly married men]* and E.I. Moses served as Moderator pro tem in the absence of Leon N. Bryar, who was unable to attend owing to sickness.

3/11/1943 Wentworth

•Sgt. Richard Evans is now in Scott's Bluff, Neb.

•Roy DeCotis has returned to work from his recent illness.

•Mrs. Amon Burnham and two daughters of West Rumney, visited her sister, Dorice Pease, Tuesday of last week.

- Mrs. Edna McIntire of Newport, Mrs. Mabel Pease of Orford and Pvt. Robert Donnelly, Camp Totten, N.Y., were visitors at Charles Gilbert's recently.
3/11/1943 West Rumney
- Mr. and Mrs. Francis Burnham of No. Uxbridge, Mass., are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Amon Burnham. Francis is convalescing from an appendix operation.
3/18/1943 Atwell Hill
- Mr. and Mrs. Leon Chase were in Bradford the 9th.
- Charles Wright of West Rumney is working for Leon Chase. Monday they tapped around 300 trees. The sap ran some.
- Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Brown were in White River Junction, Vt., last Thursday.
- Llewellyn Brown went to Maine Monday.
- Word has been received from Ray Keneson that he is at Drew Field, Tampa, Fla.
- Freeman Wright and C.D. Keneson were business visitors in Plymouth last Friday.
3/18/1943 S. Wentworth
- Robert Evans, Jr., has returned to his home in Saugus, Mass., after spending three weeks with his brother, Hugh Evans.
3/18/1943 West Rumney
- Richard Moses is enjoying a furlough from army camp.
- Mrs. Richard Moses of Plymouth was a recent guest at the home of E.I. Moses.
- Mr. and Mrs. Francis Burnham returned to North Uxbridge, Mass., Tuesday morning.
3/25/1943 Wentworth
- Mr. and Mrs. Sorg were in town Saturday and expect to do business at their Camp Lauroweld later in the season.
4/1/1943 Atwell Hill
- Freeman Wright and Leon Chase were in Woodsville last Friday.
- Wilfred Tatham is working in Laconia for Scott and Williams.
- So far there has not been but a little good sap weather. The past few days have been too cold. Monday morning was only 10 above and did not thaw much during the day.
- Mr. and Mrs. C.D. Keneson and Mrs. F.A. Howard were in Bradford and Fairlee last Tuesday. They also called on Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Sunbury in Orfordville.
- Ruth Keneson, who has home sick with the grip last week, was able to attend her school Monday at Orford High.
4/1/1943 Wentworth
- Sgt. Norman Downing returned to Aberdeen, Md., Sunday, after a two week furlough
- The class in surgical dressings met eight times during the month of March. There was a total attendance of 115 and 3323 dressings were made. The workers wish to express their thanks and appreciation to Lester Gove for his generous gift of wood, of which the class was very much in need and to the unknown donor of several boxes of split wood, which had been left in the work rooms. The chairman wishes to take this opportunity to say that the women of the class not only have given generously of their time but also of their money. All women are urged to join in this very necessary part of the war work.
4/8/1943 Atwell Hill
- Mr. and Mrs. Oscar W. Brown announce the marriage of their daughter, Geraldine Frances, to William K. Hanley on Saturday, March 29, 1943, at the Episcopal church in Hartford, Conn. Mr. and Mrs. Hanley will make their home in Kansas City, Kansas.
- Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Daige, who were at Mrs. A.L. Chase's for a short time after Mr. Daige came from the hospital in Concord, recovering from a broken arm, are now with his folks in Canaan until he is able to return to his work on the railroad.
- Mrs. A.L. Chase is able to get around the house and do light work.
- A.L. Chase visited his son, Leon, one day last week.

- Mrs. F.A. Howard spent Monday with her daughter, Mrs. C.D. Keneson.
- Mr. and Mrs. C.D. Keneson and Mrs. F.A. Howard were at Glenn Pease's in East Orford last Wednesday.
- 4/8/1943 Wentworth
- Mr. and Mrs. Donald DeCotis and little son, "Bobby," of Manchester, were guests of his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Decotis last week.
- Mrs. Guy Adams of Fairlee was a recent visitor at the home of Mrs. C.H. Pease.
- One more Wentworth boy makes good. PFC Russell E. Pease has satisfactorily completed a 200 hr. course of instruction in the Division Radio School and now is qualified as Radio Operator. This certificate of completion has been received by his parents.
- 4/22/1943 Warren
- Mrs. Goodwin and daughter, Jean, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Irving Prebbles in Dorchester, Mass., this week.
- Edwin Pease has been confined to the house the past week by illness.
- 4/22/1943 Wentworth
- Mrs. Clarence Pease is ill at home and under the care of a doctor.
- 4/29/1943 Atwell Hill
- Mrs. Oscar Brown spent several days last week with relatives in Providence, R.I., returning home Sunday afternoon.
- The sugar season seems to be about over. It has been a very poor season.
- Mr. and Mrs. C.D. Keneson, Ruth and Alice, were in Plymouth last Wednesday.
- Mr. and Mrs. C.D. Keneson and daughters, also Mrs. F.A. Howard, went to Arthur Sunbury's home at Orfordville last Saturday to an auction. Mr. Sunbury has sold his farm and is moving to Danbury, Vt., soon.
- Miss Elaine Jones is staying with Alice Keneson at the home of Mrs. F.A. Howard.
- 4/29/1943 Plymouth
- Mrs. Lorenzo B. Pease, who has been spending the winter months with relatives in Tilton, has returned to her Highland street home.
- Mrs. George Major and young daughter, Carol, of Providence, R.I., are spending a few days at the home of her mother, Mrs. Harold G. Sherburn.
- Miss Eleanor Sherburn of Saugus, Mass., was a weekend visitor at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold G. Sherburn, on Pleasant street.
- 4/29/1843 Warren
- Mrs. Harry Gale and Mrs. Harry Goodwin were guest over the weekend of Mr. and Mrs. Irving Prebbles at Dorchester, Mass.
- 4/29/1943 Wentworth
- [Members of the Congregational Church choir for Easter Sunday included Miss Barbara Gove and Mrs. Mildred DeCotis.]
- Clarence Pease is confined to home with the prevailing distemper.
- 4/29/1943 West Rumney
- Mrs. W.J. McKee is visiting relatives in Massachusetts.
- Dale Gilbert of Wentworth spent a few days last week with his aunt, Mrs. Vernie Burnham.
- 5/6/1943 Atwell Hill
- Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Daige have gone to Canaan to his people's home.
- C.D. Keneson has a cow who has done her part in the production line, giving birth to a pair of male twin calves. They look very near alike and are doing nicely at two weeks old.
- Mrs. John Houlne and son, Bobby, also Mrs. Herbert Wright motored here from Manchester last Friday. They also brought Mrs. L.M. Wright from Campton to see her mother, Mrs. M.A. Kenson, who is rather poorly this Spring. They returned home Saturday. F.E. Wright accompanied them home.

- 5/6/1943 Plymouth
- [Mrs. Harold G. Sherburn was one of the organizers of the annual May Tea sponsored by the Congregational Women's Society.]
- 5/6/1943 Wentworth
- Little Ruth Smith went to Plymouth last Tuesday and had five teeth extracted. Her aunt, Mrs. Walter Wheeler, went with her. *[This is likely the future Ruth Gilbert, Dale's wife.]*
 - Mr. and Mrs. Pease were Sunday callers in Fairlee at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Adams.
- 5/6/1943 West Rumney
- Mrs. Richard Moses spent her vacation at E.I. Moses.
 - Mrs. Mabel Pease of East Orford is spending a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Amon Burnham.
- 5/13/1943 Haverhill
- Earl Aremburg and William Robinson left Monday for Boston, Massachusetts.
- 5/13/1943 Plymouth
- Bertram Allen is ill with pneumonia at his home on the Fairgrounds road. *[I think this is the one who later moved to Orford.]*
- 5/13/1943 S. Wentworth
- Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Evans entertained over the weekend Mr. and Mrs. DeLory and son, Pvt. Paul DeLory, also Mrs. Albert Williams and two children of Melrose, Mass.
- 5/13/1943 Wentworth
- T.Sgt. Norman Downing, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Downing, returned to his duties on Tuesday.
 - Miss Dorothy Von Duhn left Saturday for Springfield, Mass., where she visited her father and then went to Pittsfield, Mass., to meet Sgt. Norman Downing. She accompanied him home.
- 5/13/1943 West Rumney
- W.J. McKee and two daughters, Mrs. Richard Burnham and Pearl McKee, are spending a few days in Boston and vicinity.
 - Mrs. Mabel Pease has gone to Wentworth to visit her daughter, Dorice Pease.
- 5/20/1943 S. Wentworth
- Jimmy Darling has been plowing and harrowing for Hugh Evans.
- 5/20/1943 Warren
- Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wetherbee announce the birth of a son, Bernard Orin, at the Woodsville Cottage hospital May 12.
- 5/20/1943 Wentworth
- Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy DeCotis are now settled in their new home in the tenement of J.C. Davis. The DeCotis family spent the weekend in Manchester.
 - Mica Mining Resumed. Pliny D. Bromley has sold out his interest in the Granite State Mica Company to Helen C. Ryan, wife of Fred W. Ryan of Wentworth. The company established a mica business here a year ago and has operated two mines, the Brown Mine on the edge of Orford and the Fellows mine in Wentworth. The trimming and rifting of the mica was done on a home industry plan by twenty people in Wentworth, Warren and Rumney. The mica was sold to the Colonial Mica Corporation of Newport, the government agency in charge of mica production. Mining operations, which were closed in December because of winter weather and transportation problems, are being resumed this week under the supervision of Mr. Ryan.
 - A new crop of measles has broken out. Jesse Pease, Charles Gove and Mary Gove are the latest cases.
 - PFC Russell E. Pease of Fort Jackson, S.C., is enjoying his few days furlough at home, having arrived Tuesday morning.
- 5/27/1943 Haverhill
- Pvt. Raymond Aremburg of Camp Maxey, Tex., is home on a twelve-day furlough.
- 5/27/1943 Wentworth

- The Granite State Mica Company has resumed work and have six men busy getting out this much-needed item.
- Robert A. McLaughlin is busy at Camp Pemigewasset, getting the place ready for summer business.
- PFC Russell Pease left town Tuesday morning to return to Camp in South Carolina.
- Miss Eva Pease of Plymouth was a guest of her brother's family on Tuesday.
- 5/27/1943 West Rumney
- Mrs. Kenneth McKee had the misfortune to fall, fracturing her elbow.
- 6/3/1943 Plymouth
- Miss Eva Pease, who has employment in Concord, is spending a few weeks at her home on High street.
- 6/3/1943 Rumney Depot
- Gordon "Jake" McKee, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon McKee, is in the Plymouth hospital suffering from a double fracture of the skull as a result of a bicycle-automobile accident in Rumney Village Saturday evening.
- 6/3/1943 Wentworth
- Mrs. Clarence H. Pease returned from St. Johnsbury Tuesday, where she was called by the death of her brother-in-law, Dean Simpson.
- Ernest Schofield, who is a work in Melrose, Mass., was at home over the long weekend. [*He worked for Dad off and on for some years.*]
- 6/3/1943 West Rumney
- Mr. and Mrs. Francis Burnham of Uxbridge, Mass., are spending their vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Amon Burnham.
- 6/10/1943 Haverhill
- Mr. and Mrs. H.R. Swan entertained Miss Elsie Pierce, Mrs. Mae Pierce and Mr. and Mrs. Chester Pierce of Orford to supper on Saturday night in honor of Miss Pierce and George Swan's birthday.
- 6/10/1943 Plymouth
- [Harold G. Sherburn, Jr., has been promoted to S1/C.]
- [Hospital Notes: A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Perkins of West Rumney Thursday, June 3. [*Calvin.*]]
- 6/10/1943 West Rumney
- Mr. and Mrs. Francis Burnham returned to Uxbridge, Mass., Saturday.
- 6/17/19/43 Wentworth
- Mrs. Maurice Chase of East Orford was a recent guest of Mrs. Roy DeCotis.
- Mrs. Fred Mack of East Orford spent the day Wednesday with Mrs. C.H. Pease.
- Charles Gilbert is much better and able to be out once more.
- Miss Dorice Pease is a guest of her sister, Mrs. Burnham, in West Rumney.
- 6/24/1943 Warren
- Mrs. Everett Goodwin and daughter, Jean, were in Laconia Saturday shopping.
- Robert Pike, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alanson Pike, who is in the Quartermaster Corps, is home on a 15-day furlough. This is his first visit home since he left for the service on Nvember 16.
- Richard Pike, the older son of Mr. and Mrs. Alanson Pike, who is a Staff Sergeant in the Ferrying Squadron, is now in the hospital for the 4th time with an attack of malaria.
- 6/24/1943 West Rumney
- Mrs. Richard Moses is visiting at Ed Moses'.
- Mrs. Vernon Perkins and little son have returned home from the Plymouth hospital.
- 7/1/1943 Atwell Hill
- Mrs. A.L. Chase and son, Leon, were in Plymouth this past week.
- Edward Chase, who has been in Warren for several years, is now living with his father, Leon Chase.

- Wilfred Tatham had the misfortune to have piece of steel get into one eye last Monday night while working for Scott & Williams in Laconia. The doctor removed it Wednesday. It now seems to be doing well. We hope he receives no ill effect from the accident.
- Mr. and Mrs. C.D. Keneson were at Glenn Pease's Saturday.
- Mrs. F.A. Howard has been ill the past ten days with a grip cold.
- 7/1/1943 N. Dorchester
- Miss Olive McKee of Rumney visited Mrs. Pearl Clogston one day last week.
- 7/1/1943 Plymouth
- Elwin M. Smith Jr., is enrolled at Camp Pemigewasset in Wentworth for the summer months.
- Robert J. Ernst is at Camp Pemigewasset this summer in the capacity of counselor in charge of accounting.
- Robert E. Sutherland is enjoying a week's vacation from his duties at the local post office. Harold G. Sherburn has been having three days' vacation from his rural route duties.
- Mrs. Lawrence B. Scott is spending a week or ten days at the home of her mother, Mrs. Harold G. Sherburn, on Pleasant street. She has been transferred by the N.E. Tel. & Tel. Company, from whom she has had employment the past few years in Framingham, Mass., to Austin, Tex., which is near the home town of her husband's parents. Mrs. Scott's husband is an Ensign in the U.S. Navy in foreign service.
- Mrs. Harry Sherburn is visiting her mother and sister in Megantic, P.Q., for a few weeks.
- Mrs. Stella Pease is entertaining her sister, Mrs. Beatrice Downing and friends, Mrs. Mortimer Harlow and Miss Fannie Mariner, all of East Hartford, Conn., at her home on Thurlow street.
- 7/1/1943 S. Wentworth
- Visitors at the home of Lester Hutchins Monday were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Sanborn and family of Orford and Mrs. Everett Blake and son of Springfield, Vt. [*I think Everett is working at a factory in Springfield.*]
- 7/1/1943 Warren
- Clarence Pike of Tilton and Mrs. Arthur Batchelder of Plymouth were weekend guests of their mother, Mrs. Eva Pike. Other visitors were Mrs. Charlotte Adams of Thornton and Beverly and Patricia Bennett of Plymouth.
- Robert Pike, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alanson Pike, returned to the service at Miami Beach, Fla., Saturday afternoon after a 15-day furlough.
- 7/1/1943 Wentworth
- The classes in surgical dressings held nine meetings during the month of June, with a total attendance of 140. We feel gratified that so many of our workers have come to the parsonage twice each week, despite the fact that all are so busy this time of year. Our quota of 3500 has been more than reached, for we have gone over the top by several hundred dressings the past few months. From our penny collection box, the proceeds of which are used for the maintenance of the work rooms, we are buying a cord of wood in preparation for the coming winter. Although the attendance and number of dressings made has been satisfactory, we are hoping more women will feel they can join us in this essential work. We were glad to have with us Tuesday Mrs. Raymond Tilton, the local supervisor.
- 7/8/1943 Atwell Hill
- Mr. and Mrs. C.D. Keneson and daughter, Alice, also Mrs. F.A. Howard, were in Plymouth last Wednesday.
- C.D. Keneson and John Latty have begun haying. The grass is heavy this year.
- 7/8/1943 Plymouth
- Announcements have been received by Plymouth friends of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Corpieri, formerly of Plymouth, of the birth of a son, Stuart Carleton, on June 26, in Springfield, Vt.
- Miss Eleanor Sherburn of Saugus, Mass., is spending a few days at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold G. Sherburn on Pleasant street. Her sister, Mrs. Lawrence Scott, who has been visiting at her

parental home, returned to Newport, R.I., on Tuesday and expects to leave for Austin, Tex., next week where she has been transferred by the N.E. Tel & Tel. Company/

7/8/1943 Warren

•Mrs. Eva Pike, Mrs. Belle Smith, Mrs. William Little and Mrs. Marion Weeks were in Bradford, Vt., last Friday.

•Patricia Alessandrini, Helen Hildreth, Estella Cushing and Margaret Moody are working at the Moosilauke Inn. Mrs. Eugene Witcher is employed again this season as cook.

7/8/1943 West Rumney

•PFC Richard Moses has been home on a short furlough.

•Mrs. Richard Moses has been spending a few days at E.I. Moses'.

7/15/1943 Haverhill

•Robert Burbank and Earl Aremburg returned to Stoneham, Mass., Monday after spending several days with their parents.

•Miss Alice Aremburg is working for Mrs. Clyde Foot in North Haverhill.

•Miss Fern Aremburg leaves on Thursday for Boston where she has employment.

7/15/1943 Plymouth

•Horace Pease has gone to Pike for the summer months. [*Aunt Nellie Young, his sister, may be living there.*]

7/15/1943 Rumney

•Mrs. Marie Atherton of Westmoreland will teach at Mont View school, Mr. Vernon Perkins having declined to teach another year. [*I think Vern started there in the fall of 1937 – see 9/25/37.*]

7/22/1943 Glencliff

•Mrs. Inez Perry of East Orford is spending two weeks here with her daughter, Mrs. William Belyea.

7/22/1943 Haverhill

•Mr. and Mrs. Chester Pierce and mother of Orford were callers in town Saturday.

7/22/1943 Warren

•The Pemigewasset Camp Band will give one of their excellent concerts on the band stand Thursday evening, July 29. The concert begins soon after eight o'clock in the evening. A collection will be taken as has been the custom for the benefit of the Methodist church.

7/22/1943 Wentworth

•Mr. and Mrs. Von Duhn and daughter, Mrs. Norman Downing, were at their Wentworth cottage for the weekend. Miss Priscilla Downing returned home with her sister-in-law for a short stay.

•Miss Dorice Pease has entered the hospital at Plymouth for surgical treatment.

7/29/1943 Atwell Hill

•Mrs. John Houlne and son, Herbert Wright and several others, all friends from Manchester, are spending some time at their farm, the former Henry Chase place.

Mr. and Mrs. C.D. Keneson and daughter, Ruth, were in Bradford, Vt., Monday afternoon. Mrs. F.A. Howard accompanied them to East Orford and spent the afternoon with her daughter, Mrs. Glenn Pease.

7/29/1943 Plymouth

•Miss Dorice Pease returned home to Wentworth on Wednesday after two weeks convalescing after surgical treatment.

7/29/1943 Wentworth

•Miss Julia Pease is carrying the mail for M. Harlow Jones, while he assists Elmer Brown with his haying.

8/5/1943 Atwell Hill

•Fay Newton and Alice Keneson called on Mary Genovese in East Piermont Sunday afternoon.

•Mrs. C.D. Keneson has a night blooming cereus which had a beautiful blossom eight inches across. It blossomed Sunday evening and is very fragrant. It closes as soon as it comes daylight and does not open

again. Last evening there were two more opened. The plant is six years old and never blossomed before. Several of the neighbors came in to see it blossomed.

•Charles A. Wright called on Mrs. F.A. Howard on his way home from East Ryegate, Vt., Saturday.
8/5/1943 Haverhill

•Master Russell Swan of Orfordville is spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. H.R. Swan and family.
8/5/1943 Wentworth

•Mrs. William Hosmer and two children were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy DeCotis a few days last week.

•Clarence Pease is enjoying a week's vacation from his work on the railroad.

•Miss Dorice Pease has returned from the Plymouth hospital after being there for surgical treatment.
8/5/1943 West Rumney

•Private Richard Moses of Salisbury, Mass., is having a few days furlough and with Mrs. Moses, is spending it with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E.I. Moses.

•Twenty-six guests enjoyed a lawn party at the home of Amon Burnham recently, the occasion being the birthday of Mrs. Burnham.

8/12/1943 Atwell Hill

•Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Ramsdell of Windsor, Vt., were at Mrs. A.L. Chase's Friday. Mr. Ramsdell returned home Saturday. Mrs. Ramsdell and two children remained with her mother for a few days.

•Wilfred Tatham and Mrs. Mary Tatham, his mother, went to Boston Monday.

8/12/1943 Wentworth

•Miss Barbara Gove is spending a few days in Peabody, Mass., with Mrs. Leo Gove and Miss June Gove.

•Mrs. Bertha Goodwin and Mrs. Edna McIntyre visited Miss Dorice Pease Friday.

•Little Bernard Pease was taken to the Plymouth hospital Monday afternoon where he underwent an operation for appendicitis.

8/19/1943 Atwell Hill

•Mr. and Mrs. C.D. Keneson and daughter, Alice, and Mrs. John Latty were in Plymouth last week Wednesday.

8/19/1943 Haverhill;

•Daniel Metcalf and son, Junior, of Alstead were Friday callers on Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hardy.

8/19/1943 Plymouth

•Mrs. Stella Pease and Mrs. Beatrice Downing are visiting friends and relatives in Hartford, Conn., and Newburgh, N.Y. Mrs. Horace Mitchell of Portland, Me., is staying with her son, John Foster, during the absence of his grandmother, Mrs. Pease.

8/19/1943 Warren

•Richard Pike, who has been confined in a hospital in Brazil for several months with malaria, is at his home here for a 30-day rest.

•The Women's Society of Christian Service have received a check for \$100 from E.W. Edward, owner of the Moosilauke Inn. This is to be expended on the parsonage.

8/19/1943 Wentworth

•Sgt. Norman Downing passed through here Saturday night on the way to Springfield, Mass., to see his wife.

•Misses Barbara and June Gove have returned home after visits in Peabody, Mass.

•Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Cayes and two children of Portland, Me., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy DeCotis.

•Little Bernard Pease is slowly recovering from his recent operation.

•Mrs. Thomas Hartley and Mrs. Edna McIntyre were recent guests of Dorice Pease.

8/19/1943 West Rumney

•William McKee and Miss Pearl McKee were Franklin visitors Monday.

•Betty Burnham is the guest of Ruth Lewis at Cheever.

8/26/1943 Atwell Hill

•Mrs. Mabel Pease of East Orford called on Mrs. F.A. Howard Sunday afternoon.

8/26/1943 Plymouth

•Mrs. Maud M. Harris of the faculty of the State Industrial School was a guest last week at the home of Miss Margaret Brown on Highland Avenue.

8/26/1943 Wentworth

•Little Bernard Pease, who has received surgical treatment at Plymouth hospital, is doing well and will soon be coming home.

8/26/1943 West Rumney

•W.J. McKee has bought the stock of the John Taylor store.

9/2/1943 Plymouth

•Mrs. Amanda Gould is seriously ill at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Stella Pease, on Thurlow street. She is under the care of Mrs. Mildred Merrill.

9/2/1943 S. Wentworth

•Mr. and Mrs. Robert Evans and son, Robert, Jr., have returned to Saugus, Mass., after spending their vacation with their son, Hugh Evans.

9/2/1943 Warren

•Conservation officer Everett Goodwin, Mrs. Goodwin and daughter, Jean, have moved to Newport.

•Mrs. Eva Pike observed her 69th birthday last week. She had as guests her son, Clarence and wife of Tilton; her daughter, Mrs. Arthur Batchelder and granddaughters, Beverly and Patricia Bennet of Plymouth. Mrs. Pike received some nice gifts and a sum of money. A granddaughter, Mrs. Louis Bennett of Plymouth, sent a birthday cake.

9/2/1943 Wentworth

•[Teachers for 1943-44 are Mrs. Louise Downing, Miss Carole Lavoie and Mrs. Minnie Blodgett (Atwell Hill).]

•Bernard Pease returned home Sunday from the Plymouth hospital, where he was for surgical treatment. The little boy is gaining strength every day.

9/9/1943 Atwell Hill

•Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Brown were in St. Johnsbury last Wednesday.

•Corp. Harold Jewell, who is stationed in East Boston, Mass., was on furlough last week and spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Brown.

•Alson Brown is doing some carpenter work for John Latty.

•Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Lowd of Franklin, also C.W. Lowd of Warren, Mass., spent Sunday and Monday at the home of Mrs. F.A. Howard. Monday afternoon, they, with Mrs. Howard, were invited to C.D. Keneson's where they were served ice cream and cake. Mrs. M.A. Keneson was also invited. Mr and Mrs. H. Lowd returned to Franklin in the evening. C.W. Lowd will spend some time at the home of his sister, Mrs. F.A. Howard.

9/9/1943 Haverhill

•Miss Fern Aremburg left recently for Shelburne, Me. [*likely NH*], where she has employment.

•Mrs. Jessie Baird of Gorham and Miss Dorothy Hayes of Shelburne, Miss Colleen Hayes of West Bethel, Me., were visitors last week of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Aremburg.

9/9/1943 Warren

•Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Pike are entertaining his brother, Herbert Pike, of Springfield, Mass.

•Staff Sergeant Richard Pike who has been home on sick leave, left Tuesday afternoon to report to Coral Gables, Florida.

•Mr. and Mrs. Harry Gale were in Newport Sunday and spent the day with their daughter, Mrs. Everett Goodwin and family.

9/9/1943 Wentworth

- Sgt. Norman Downing of Fort Ethan Allen, Vt., and Mrs. Downing, of Springfield, Mass., spent the weekend at W.A. Downing's.
 - Mrs. Alice Downing returned from Hartford, Conn., Sunday, where she has been visiting her son, Raymond Downing.
 - Raymond Downing and son, Alden, of Hartford, Conn., visited relatives and friends in town over the weekend.
 - Mr. and Mrs. Roy DeCotis are rejoicing over the birth of a son, Wayne Leroy, September 4, at Plymouth Memorial hospital.
 - Recent guests at Charles Gilbert's were Mr. and Mrs. Alberda of Whitinsville, Mass., Mrs. Donald Crosby and Mrs. W. Crosby of Uxbridge, Mass., also Mr. and Mrs. Jay Donnelly of North Attleboro, Mass.
 - Miss Judy Pease is spending a few days with her friend, Miss Pearl Pashley, in Tilton.
 - Card of Thanks. We wish to thank each and every one who were so kind to our son, Bernard, age six, when he was a patient in the Plymouth hospital. To the doctors and nurses also, our sincere thanks. Mr. and Mrs. Clarence H. Pease.
- 9/9/1943 West Rumney
- Mr. and Mrs. E.I. Moses are spending the week at the Weirs.
 - Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Moses were at the Weirs Sunday.
 - Mrs. A.J. Moses is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Frank Downing.
 - Betty and Hazel Burnham were recent guest of their aunt [*Gladys*] in Woodsville.
- 9/16/1943 Atwell
- Mrs. Robert Rand, who has been spending a few weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alson Brown, called on Mrs. F.A. Howard Thursday morning. Mrs. Rand started for her home in Enid, Okla., Monday.
 - C.W. Lowd spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Pease in East Orford.
 - Mr. and Mrs. C.D. Keneson and daughters, Ruth and Alice, C.W. Lowd and Mrs.F.A. Howard, were invited to the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Latty Sunday. A chicken dinner was served. All had a very nice time. Many thanks to Mr. and Mrs. Latty.
 - Mr. and Mrs. C.D. Keneson and Alice were in Plymouth last Wednesday evening.
 -]•Mr. and Mrs. Earl Wright of Campton and their daughter, Esther Wright, of Rochester, and Mrs. L.M. Wright of Campton, called on Mrs. M.A. Keneson Sunday p.m.
- 9/16/1943 Warren
- School opened September 8 with the following teachers in charge of the Village schools: Mrs. Rachel Wright of Thornton, Grammar room with an enrollment of 19; Miss Gertrude Gilman of Warren, Intermediate, with 20 pupils and Miss Annie Knapton of Henniker, Primary, with 30 children.
- 9/16/1943 Wentworth
- Mrs. Roy DeCotis and infant son returned home from Plymouth Memorial hospital Tuesday.
 - Barbara Gove, Pauline Belyea and Judy Pease returned to Plymouth State College Tuesday.
 - Mrs. Mabel Pease of East Orford spent Wednesday with Mrs. C.H. Pease.
- 9/16/1943 West Rumney
- Private Richard Moses was home over the weekend.
 - Mr. and Mrs. Francis Burnham were recent guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Amon Burnham. Francis left one day last week to join the Seabees.
- 9/23/1943 Atwell Hill
- Wilfred H. Lowd, C.M. 1/c U.S. N.R., and Mrs. Lowd, who is home on a furlough from somewhere in the South Pacific, has been spending several days with his father, C.W. Lowd, at the home of Mrs. F.A. Howard, returned to his home in Worcester, Mass., Wednesday.
 - C.W. Lowd, who has been spending the past two weeks with his sister, Mrs. F.A. Howard, returned to the home of his daughter (where he makes his home,) in Warren, Mass. Wednesday morning.

- Mr. and Mrs. Louis Bradley of Danville, Vt., spent the weekend at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C.D. Keneson. [*I bet this is Dorothy, mother of Lester Bradley of Campton. I know that she was Ma's cousin.*]
9/23/1943 Haverhill
- Mr. and Mrs. Chester Pierce and Mrs. Mae Pierce of Orford were Sunday callers on Mr. and Mrs. H.R. Swan.
9/23/1943 S. Wentworth
- Maryette McKee of Rumney Depot spent the weekend with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Livermore.
9/30/1943 Plymouth
- [Mrs. Harold G. Sherburn was at Milford Tuesday and Wednesday attending the Field Day meeting of the Women's Department of the New Hampshire Congregational Christian Conference.
- Harold G. Sherburn, Jr., S 1/C of the U.S. Navy spent the weekend at the home of his parents on Pleasant street.
- Miss Eva Pease has gone to Contoocook for the winter where she has employment.
9/30/1943 Wentworth
- Miss Eva Pease spent Monday at C.H. Pease's.
- Sgt. Russell Pease of Fort Jackson, S.C., arrived home Monday night for a several days furlough.
10/7/1943 West Rumney
- The McKee auction [*of the Taylor Store contents*] was well attended and will be continued this Saturday.
- Vernon Perkins was in Manchester Wednesday to take the final examination for induction.
10/14/1943 Haverhill
- Mr. and Mrs. Chester Pierce, Mrs. Mae Pierce and Aux. Elsie Pierce of Orford were Wednesday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. H.R. Swan.
10/14/1943 Warren
- Mr. and Mrs. Sam Alessandrini announce the engagement of their daughter, Patricia, to Donald Willis, who is now a Technical Sergeant and located at Camp Chaffee, Ark. No date is set for the wedding.
- Staff Sergeant Richard Pike, located at Reading, Pa. arrived home Tuesday and left again for Pennsylvania on Thursday. [*Do they have the brothers mixed up – in early September, Richard is listed as returning to Coral Gables, FL.*]
- Mr. and Mrs. Everett McIssac and son, Everett, spent the weekend at Fassett, Que., the guests of her father, Thomas Gallant and Mrs. Gallant.
10/14/1943 Wentworth
- Alba Randall met with an accident Tuesday afternoon which resulted in having to have one of his fingers amputated.
- Mrs. Clarence Pease and son, Bernard, returned Wednesday from a few days visit in Worcester, Mass.
10/21/1943 Plymouth
- Miss Eleanor Sherburn of Lynn, Mass., spent the weekend at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold G. Sherburn on Pleasant street.
- Mrs. Lorenzo Pease has gone to Tilton where she will spend the winter months with relatives.
10/21/1943 Wentworth
- Mr. and Mrs. T.A. Hartley of Woodsville and Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Donnelly of Orford were Sunday guests at C.H. Gilbert's.
- Charles Gilbert is in Littleton and Concord this week, a juror at the U.S. Court.
10/28/1943 Atwell Hill
- Mr. and Mrs. Howard Wright and twin babies, and Mrs. Wright's brother and wife of Charlestown, Msss., called on Mrs. M.A. Keneson Sunday p.m.
10/28/1943 Warren
- After November 1, the stores of I.B. Cushing, Royal Keysar and Sam Alessandrini will close at one o'clock in the afternoon.

- "Bud" (Floyd) Ray, after clerking for 7 ½ years at the IGA stores for I.B. Cushing, concluded his services Saturday night and is now employed at the H.J. Sevigny sawmill on defense work.
- Mrs. Floyd Ray motored to Hanover hospital Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Maurice Whitcher and daughters, Barbara and Marlene, and brought back the little son, Maurice, Jr., who has been a patient since he was four days old. The baby is gaining.
11/4/1943 Haverhill
- Miss Frances Huckins of Orfordville was a Sunday night guest of Miss Ellen Swan.
11/4/1943 Plymouth
- [Mrs. Harry Sherburn was a member of the committee who put on the rummage sale for the Women's Society of the Congregational church Saturday.]
- Mr. and Mrs. Harry Sherburn are visiting relatives this week in Franconia [*probably Joe and Mary Sherburn.*] Mr. Sherburn is enjoying a week's vacation from his duties for Frank W. Kendrick.
11/4/1943 Wentworth
- Pauline Belyea, Barbara Gove, Judy Pease and Elmer Brown attended the Halloween banquet at Plymouth Teachers College Monday night.
- PFC Donald Tatham of Selfridge Field, Mich., is enjoying several days furlough at the home of his mother, Mrs. Mary Tatham.
- Charles Gilbert, Dale Gilbert and Dorice Pease were Sunday guests of Glenn Pease and family in East Orford.
11/11/1943 Atwell Hill
- The Mite Society met with Mrs. John Latty last Thursday afternoon, with a good program and a pleasant social time. The next meeting will be with Mrs. F.A. Howard December 2.
- Freeman Wright of Charlestown, Mass., is having a week's vacation and is staying at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C.D. Keneson and calling on other friends.
- Mr. and Mrs. C.D. Keneson and Alice, also Mrs. F.A. Howard were business visitors in Plymouth Wednesday.
11/11/1943 Haverhill
- Miss Fern Aremburg is working for Mrs. Claude Foote in North Haverhill.
11/11/1943 Warren
- Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Whitcher were in Lebanon on business. Mr. Whitcher is now in charge of the lumber mill here for Herbert Sevigny of Lebanon.
- Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Ray accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Haven Little to Hanover and attended the Dartmouth-Columbia game.
11/11/1943 Wentworth
- Weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Downing are: Sgt. Alphonse Vaillant of Camp Grant, Ill., and Mrs. Grant of Ashland; Sgt. Norman Downing of Camp Devens and Mrs. Downing of Springfield, Mass.; Mrs. Florence Sanborn and son, Earl and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Newton of Ashland.
- Dorice Pease and Mrs. C.H. Pease were in Plymouth Saturday.
11/11/1943 West Rumney
- Guy Burnham got a small deer the first of the week.
11/18/1943 Atwell Hill
- Clark Wright, who has been cutting pulp for Amos Reade, finished his job recently and has been doing some work for Mrs. F.A. Howard. He went to his home in West Rumney Tuesday afternoon.
- Mrs. Eleanor Wright of Long Island, N.Y., was at C.D. Keneson's a few days this week.
11/18/1943 Warren
- Mrs. Dorothy Pike has an infected finger from a bite by a calf she was teaching to drink. [*Yup, their little teeth are sharp – I remember!*]
11/18/1943 Wentworth

- Lucky deer hunters for this week are Ira Stickney of Lakeport, Roger Fillian, R.A. McLaughlin and David Breck.
- Mr. and Mrs. August King have received word from their son, Paul, who is stationed with the Paratroops at Fort Benning, Ga., that he has received his “Wings,” having made his five successful jumps.
- Dorice Pease was a business visitor in Laconia Monday.
11/18/1943 West Rumney
- Francis Burnham of the Seabees has been spending a few days at Amon Burnham’s.
11/25/1943 Plymouth
- [Mrs. Harry Sherburn was a member of the committee in charge of the rummage sale sponsored by the Enterprise Rebekah Lodge last Saturday.
- Mrs. Stella Pease has been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Hoy of Newport.
11/25/1943 S. Wentworth.
- Gerald Hutchins and Earl Gove, Selectmen of Wentworth, with the Selectmen of Orford have been running the Orford-Wentworth town line.
12/2/1943 Atwell Hill
- Mrs. Wilfred Daige and son, Roland, of Springfield, Mass., who spent the Thanksgiving holidays with her mother, Mrs. A.L. Chase, returned to her home Saturday p.m.
- Mr. and Mrs. Earl Wright of Campton and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Wright of Charlestown, Mass., called on their grandmother, Mrs. M.A. Keneson on Friday, the 26th. It was Mrs. Keneson’s 87th birthday. Mrs. Keneson was able to go to her son’s for Thanksgiving dinner.
- Mr. and Mrs. C.D. Keneson and Mrs. F.A. Howard attended the funeral of Miss I.L. Grant at the village Sunday afternoon.
- Miss Ruth Keneson was in Laconia Saturday afternoon.
- C.D. Keneson was a business visitor in Fairlee Saturday afternoon. Mrs. F.A. Howard went with him as far as her daughter’s, Mrs. Glenn Pease of East Orford. Francis Pease, who has been ill for some time, is much improved in health. [*Glenn Pease Diary, 11/25/43: “Took Francis over to the Dr. last night.”*]
12/2/1943 West Rumney
- Pvt. Richard Moses of Salisbury, Mass., and Mrs. Moses are spending a few days at E.I. Moses’.
- Amon Burnham shot a nice deer the first of the week.
- Richard Burnham, Kenneth Wheet and Frank Simpson each got a deer last week.
12/9/1943 Atwell Hill
- The pupils of Orford High School were not able to attend last Tuesday on account of the heavy snow storm.
- The Ladies’ Mite Society met with Mrs. F.A. Howard last Friday afternoon. Ten ladies were present. They made surgical dressings for the White Cross [*“For generations, American Baptists’ helping hands have been reaching out to people in need. During World War I, women in the church assisted the American Red Cross by providing surgical dressings, bandages and other medical supplies for U.S. service personnel. As they met these needs, the women became convinced that similar methods would be of great help in the work of Christian mission. In 1919, following the end of the war, American Baptist women organized the White Cross Service League, “channeling the war effort into support for Baptist mission,” to use their words.” Apparently this continued into WW II.*] As they were preparing to have a light lunch the meeting quickly changed into a birthday celebration, by the ladies singing Happy Birthday to Mrs. Howard, it being her seventy-eighth birthday. Two birthday cakes with lighted candles were brought to the table, also several presents from the ladies. Mrs. Howard wishes to thank all who had a part in the surprise.
- Rev. W. Stanley Jones, daughter Elaine and Alice Keneson were in Warren last Wednesday.
12/9/1943 S. Wentworth

•Lester Hutchins and Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Hutchins and family were called to Orford Sunday to see their uncle. Joseph Sanborn, who is very ill. Lester Hutchins remained until Monday night. Glen Rodiman took them over.

12/9/1943 Warren

•The children of the village have purchased \$244.75 worth of Defense Stamps since the beginning of the school year in September.

12/9/1943 Wentworth

•Dorice Pease visited her sister, Mrs. T.A. Hartley, of Woodsville over the weekend.

•Charles Gilbert was at Glenn Pease's in East Orford Monday and Tuesday. [*Helping Dad butcher his and several other folks' pigs.*]

12/9/1943 West Rumney

•Pvt. Richard Moses has returned to Salisbury, Mass.

12/16/1943 Plymouth

•Mrs. Stella Pease has been visiting the past two weeks at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Horace Mitchell in Saco, Me. She is now visiting Miss Geraldine Tracy in Portland, Me.

12/23/1943 West Rumney

•Mrs. Deane Carr and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth McKee were Plymouth visitors Saturday.

•Harry Moses and son, Pvt. Roland Moses of Haverhill, were guests at Ed Moses' one day last week.

•Word has been received of the birth of a son [*Roger*] to Mr. and Mrs. Francis Burnham.

12/30/1943 Atwell Hill

•Leon Chase spent several days last week in Boston, selling Christmas trees. [*From Glenn Pease' 1943 dairy: "12\4 yarded Christmas trees for Leon Chase 327 at 50¢ each."*]

•Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Brown were in Providence, R.I., last week.

•Mr. and Mrs. John Latty and Teddy Wright, Mrs. M.A. Keneson and Wilfred Tatham, partook of a bountiful Christmas dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C.D. Keneson on Christmas day. It was also Mr. Latty's 70th birthday. He was presented with a pretty birthday cake to take home with him, by Mrs. C.D. Keneson.

12/30/1943 Haverhill

•Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Metcalf and two sons of Alstead were holiday guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hardy.

•Rodney Aremburg of the U.S. Navy was home for Christmas day.

12/30/1943 Plymouth

•Miss Eleanor Sherburn of Lynn, Mass., and brother, Harold G. Sherburn, S1/c of the U.S. Navy, enjoyed Christmas at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Sherburn on Pleasant street.

•Mr. and Mrs. Harry M. Sherburn spent the holiday weekend at the home of his brother in Franconia.

•John C. Foster of Tilton is spending his Christmas vacation at the home of his grandmother, Mrs. Stella Pease, on Thurlow street.

12/30/1943 Warren

•Mrs. Harry Goodwin has been very ill the past week with the flu and came very near having pneumonia.

•Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Pike and daughter, Roberta, of Bradford, Vt., called on his mother, Mrs. Eva Pike, Monday afternoon.

•Mrs. Eva Pike was in Plymouth Tuesday visiting her daughter, Mrs. Arthur Batchelder.

12/30/1943 Wentworth

•Mr. and Mrs. Richard Downing entertained 19 for Christmas dinner.

•Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Downing Christmas were Mr. and Mrs. Richard Newton and children, Mrs. Alphonse Valliant, and Mrs. Florence Sanborn and son, Earl, of Ashland, also Mrs. Downing's sister, Mrs. Tatham.

•Barbara Gove was a guest last week of her uncle, Charles Downing and family, of Concord.

•Mrs. Frank Snelgrove, Mrs. C.H. Pease and Louisa Marcou were in Plymouth Friday.

- Judy Pease visited Dorothy Libbey of Warren Thursday.
- Margaret and Mary Gove and Judy Pease visited in Warren Saturday.
- Dorice Pease, Charles and Dale Gilbert were weekend guests of Glenn Pease and family of East Orford.

1944

1/6/1944 S. Wentworth

- Mrs. Gordon McKee of Rumney was a recent caller at the home of her mother, Mrs. Charles Livermore.

1/6/1944 Wentworth

- Sgt. Harold Jewell of South Boston is at the home of Oscar Brown for a several days furlough.
- Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Brown are in Melrose, Mass. and Bridgeport, R.I., on business this week.
- [Listed among those who were awarded pins in recognition of their satisfactory service on the Observation Post were Mrs. Wilhelmina Brown and Alson Brown.]
- Judy Pease and Mary Gove were in Concord last week Wednesday.

1/6/1944 West Rumney

- Mr. and Mrs. W.J. McKee were recent Concord visitors.
- Mrs. Amon Burnham has had a telephone installed in her home.

1/13/1944 Haverhill

- Mrs. Roy Aremburg was called to Boston, Mass., Wednesday on account of the serious illness of her son, Rodney, who is in the hospital in Chelsea, Mass., returning Monday, leaving him more comfortable.
- PFC Raymond Aremburg is home from Camp Swift, Tex., for a few days furlough.
- Mrs. Wilson of Shelborne, Me., is a guest of her daughter, Mrs. Roy Aremburg and family.
- Miss Fern Aremburg has finished work at the home of Mrs. White in Bradford, Vt.

1/13/1944 Wentworth

- Judy Pease spent the weekend with Dorothy Libbey in Warren.

1/13/1944 West Rumney

- Corp. and Mrs. Richard Moses have been spending the weekend at E.I. Moses.

1/20/1944 Wentworth

- Mr. and Mrs. Walter Downing have received word from their son, Sgt. Norman Downing, of his arrival in England.

- Mrs. Warren Chase visited Mrs. C.H. Pease Tuesday.

1/20/1944 West Rumney

- Mrs. Amon Burnham was in Woodsville Sunday to see her sister, Mrs. Gladys Hartley, who has been very sick.

1/27/1944 Atwell Hill

- Several from the community attended the Senior Play of the Orford High School last Tuesday, the 18th, which all enjoyed very much. [*Actually, two one-act plays.*]
- Mrs. F.A. Howard, who has been spending the past two weeks with her daughter, Mrs. Glenn Pease in East Orford, returned to the home of her daughter, Mrs. C.D. Keneson Sunday afternoon, where she is making her home for the winter.
- Irene Pease of East Orford visited Ruth and Alice Keneson Sunday afternoon.
- Mr. and Mrs. Earl Wright and Mrs. L.M. Wright of Campton called on Mrs. M.A. Keneson recently.
- The community was shocked to hear of the death of Mrs. Bertram Bean of Orfordville, They used to live in Dorchester before being burned out.
- Robert Sanborn and son, David, also Bernard Sanborn, of Orford, were at the home of Gerald Hutchins one day last week.

1/27/1944 West Rumney

- Mrs. Archie Ray and Mrs. Vernie Burnham were in East Orford Friday.

2/3/1944 Atwell Hill

- Rev. W.S. Jones has been called to attend the funeral of Mrs. Woods at the Orfordville church Wednesday. Mrs. Woods formerly lived in East Orford. She was 102 years old. *[She was Alphonse Fillian's mother-in-law. They lived on the first farm up the Piermont Heights road beyond the bridge.]*
2/3/1944 Plymouth
- Harold G. Sherburn, S1/c, was home on a few days furlough this week, having recently returned from his sixth convoy across the Atlantic, rounding out a year's service at sea. His last trip was to Ireland.
2/3/1944 Wentworth
- Pvt. Howard Evans of Camp Phillips, Kan., is spending a furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claude B. Evans.
- Mr. and Mrs. Willard Crosby, Mrs. Donald Crosby of Uxbridge, Mass. and PFC Donald Crosby of Fort Bragg, N.C., were Sunday guests at Charles Gilbert's. *[Don was 6'4" or 6'5" and a generally 'big boy,' just what the M.P.'s like for their outfit.]*
- T/4 Russell E. Pease of Fort Bragg, N.C., is home on a short furlough.
2/3/1944 West Rumney
- Mr. and Mrs. William McKee and Pearl were Boston visitors last week.
- Miss Hazel Burnham cut her chin quite badly while skating. She spent one night in the hospital and several stitches had to be taken.
- Mrs. Vernon Perkins underwent an operation at Plymouth hospital last week.
- Mrs. Vernie Burnham is caring for little Calvin Perkins during his mother's stay in the hospital.
2/10/1944 Atwell Hill
- Leon Chase and Mrs. Amos Reade were in Woodsville last week.
- Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Daige and son, Roland, spent the weekend with her mother, Mrs. A.L. Chase.
- Edward Chase was absent from school for several days last week from the prevailing distemper.
- A/S Oscar W.L. Brown, Kelly Field, San Antonio, Tex., son of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Brown, has earned his pilot's license. *[Nope – see item on 3/9/44.] [From Sheila Hornocker, 8/16/23: "Grandma's Bible says Oscar Wallace Lincoln Brown born February 23, 1923.]*
- Llewellyn R. Brown, son of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Brown, was called to Manchester Thursday for a medical examination for the Army. He was rejected for physical disabilities.
2/10/1944 Haverhill
- Ellen and George Swan were visitors in Orfordville Saturday.
- Miss Frances Huckins of Orfordville spent the weekend with Miss Ellen Swan.
[From Barbara Huckins White, 8/16/23: "I have a Swan story, too. Russell (son of Harold & Ruth of Orfordville) with his wife Lynne and young children Cherie & David were stationed in Kaiserslautern, Germany about the same time we were there in the early 1960's. Russ was an officer in the Army and Milt was an NCO in the USAF. We would get together quite often then and kept in touch for years.]
2/10/1944 Wentworth
- Walter Downing, is a patient at Mary Hitchcock Memorial hospital in Hanover, with an infected finger.
- T/4 Russell E. Pease returned to Fort Bragg, N.C. Tuesday.
- Mrs. Myrtie Simpson and daughter, Catherine, were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. C.H. Pease and family.
- C.H. Pease has been unable to work the past week because of illness.
2/17/1944 Wentworth
- Walter Downing returned from Hanover hospital Wednesday of last week.
- Weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Downing were Mr. and Mrs. Richard Newton and family, Mrs. Alphonse Valliant, Miss Priscilla Downing, Mrs. Norman Downing, Mrs. Florence Sanborn and son and Earl Berry, all of Ashland, to celebrate the twenty-first birthday of Mrs. Norman Downing.
- Barbara Gove returned Tuesday from several days in Portsmouth.
- Roy DeCotis entered the Margaret Pillsbury hospital in Concord last week Wednesday for surgical treatment.

- Sgt. Richard L. Evans has been appointed an Aviation Student and has reported to the 314th College Training Detachment (Air crew) at Ellensburg, Wash., for preliminary training as an air crew member. Aviation Students undergo a rigorous training program in technical phases of aviation designed to qualify them as Pilot Officers.
- A daughter, Joan Juanita, was born to Mr. and Mrs. William Randall February 13, at Plymouth Memorial hospital.
- Mrs. Amon Burnham and Richard Burnham of West Rumney, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Pease and children and Mrs. Mabel Pease of East Orford, were at Charles Gilbert's Sunday.
2/24/1944 Plymouth
[Mrs. Harry M. Sherburn was among those who assisted in serving the dinner for the Congregational Men's Club last week.]
- 2/24/1944 Warren
- Jean Goodwin of Newport is spending the week with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Gale.
- Joyce Cutting, who makes her home with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Horton of Orford during the school year and attends Orford High School, is spending her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cutting.
2/24/1944 Wentworth
- Walter Downing returned to Mary Hitchcock hospital Wednesday for surgical treatment. *[I wonder if the infection in his finger got out of control and he had his hand amputated. David Tatham says: "No, Walt Downing's missing hand was result of childhood accident where he was playing with a blasting cap that exploded.]*
- Mrs. Roy DeCotis and Mrs. Chester Downing visited Roy DeCotis at Margaret Pillsbury hospital in Concord Saturday.
- Dorothy Libbey of Warren was a guest of Judy Pease Saturday.
- Jesse Pease, Mary and Charles Gove were in Plymouth Wednesday.
- Dorice Pease is visiting her sister, Mrs. Amon Burnham, in West Rumney.
2/24/1944 West Rumney
- Cpl. Richard E. Moses has been transferred from Salisbury, Mass., to Fort Ruckman, Nahant, Mass.
- Kenneth McKee has moved his family to Tamworth.
- Dale Gilbert of Wentworth spent Tuesday at Amon Burnham's.
3/2/1944 Atwell Hill
- Mrs. Oscar Brown was called to Providence, R.I., by the illness of her father.
- Mrs. M.A. Keneson is poorly at the present time.
- C.D. Keneson, Henry Rollins and Mrs. F.A. Howard attended the funeral of Tilden B. Wright of Pike, Monday afternoon. Mr. Wright used to live on the hill on the farm now owned by Frank Newton.
3/2/1944 Wentworth
- Mr. and Mrs. Benton Evans recently received a letter from their son, Pvt. Howard Evans, of Camp Phillips, Kan., stating that he was in the hospital for surgical treatment. His friends wish him a speedy recovery.
- Dorice Pease visited her sister, Mrs. T. Hartley, of Woodsville, Friday.
- Mrs. Edna McIntire of Newport visited her sister, Dorice Pease, last week. *[Perhaps Aunt Edna is living with Helen and Vern while Roger is in the service – yup. From Vern McIntire, 8/16/23: "My Father didn't talk much about the war or being stationed in New Guinea for three and a half years.....I knew I had a Father but it wasn't until 1944 that I got to see him....My Mother was teaching school and my Grandmother McIntire lived with us up over Pickett's store in Newport, NH and took care of me."]*
3/2/1944 West Rumney
- Mrs. Edna McIntyre of Newport and Miss Dorice Pease and Dale of Wentworth spent a few days last week with their sister, Mrs. Amon Burnham.
3/9/1944 Atwell Hill

- A/C Oscar W.L. Brown writes from San Antonio, Tex., that a recent item erroneously stated that he had earned his pilot's license at Kelly Field, Tex. He states that while he appreciated the extra credit given him, the report should have read that he had only qualified for Pilot Training in the Army Air Force at San Antonio, Texas.
- 3/9/1944 Glenclyff
- Miss Edna Perry is working in the telephone office in Warren.
- 3/9/1944 Warren
- Mrs. Floyd Ray, Mrs. Alanson Pike and Mrs. Frank Wright observed their birthdays on Monday the 6th.
- [Bertha Goodwin was among those who took part in a "Hunches For Lunches" meeting conducted by Miss Una Rice, Grafton County Home Demonstration Agent, March 2nd.
- 3/9/1944 Wentworth
- Mrs. C.H. Pease and Dorice Pease visited Glenn Pease and family of East Orford Wednesday of last week.
- Howard, Gerald and Francis Pease of East Orford visited at Charles Gilbert's Sunday.
- Wentworth Grange worked the 3rd and 4th Degrees on Charles Gilbert, Osceola [*Dido*] Dunklee and Wesley Muzzey. Lunch was served by the committee, Dorice Pease, Florence Dunklee and Judy Pease.
- 3/16/1944 Atwell Hill
- J.F. Keneson of West Springfield, Mass., spent Friday and the weekend with his mother, Mrs. M.A. Keneson and C.D. Keneson and family. Mrs. Keneson has been poorly the last ten days.
- 3/16/1944 S. Wentworth
- Hugh Evans went to Manchester last week for examination but was rejected.
- 3/16/1944 Warren
- Miss Edna Perry of Orford has taken over management of the Warren telephone exchange.
- 3/23/1944 Haverhill
- Mrs. Herbert Swan and Mrs. Edna Coult attended the Sorosis club at Orfordville on Wednesday.
- 3/23/1944 Plymouth
- Hi Harold! Just a card to let you know my new address, so I can get my Record quicker. I am in New Guinea. Hot as heck and plenty of rain. Will take New Hampshire any time for this place. Hope this finds you O.K., and as well as I am. Best of luck. Roger MacIntyre.
- 3/23/1944 Wentworth
- A/S Richard L. Evans from Ellensburg, Wash., recently won the ping-pong tournament at the U.S.O. in Washington, the prize being a phone call to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claude B. Evans.
- Roy DeCotis was a business visitor in Plymouth Monday.
- Roy DeCotis and daughter, Carol, were in Concord Thursday.
- Dorice Pease was in Plymouth on business Friday.
- Charles Gilbert is in Concord this week as Representative to the N.H. Legislature.
- 3/23/1944 West Rumney
- Miss Madeline Brown spent Friday night with Pearl McKee and with Mrs. W.J. McKee, Mrs. Amon Burnham and Mrs. Richard Burnham, attended the beano party in Wentworth. [*I bet they cleaned up!*]
- 2nd Lieut. Harriet Bean, R.N., has been visiting at Howard Milton's. She reports for duty April 5 at Camp Devens.
- Vernon Perkins is working on the railroad section.
- Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Wheat and little son visited his parents over the weekend and ate Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Perkins.
- Mrs. Amon Burnham and Mrs. Archie Ray were Plymouth visitors Friday.
- Mrs. Archie Ray and Mrs. Amon Burnham called on Mrs. John Hanley in Cheever recently.
- 3/30/1944 Plymouth
- [Mrs. Harry Sherburn won the basket dinner at the military whist party sponsored by the Odd Fellows and Rebekah lodges on Monday evening.]

3/30/1944 Warren

- To correct an error: At the annual town meeting Reginald Evans was elected one of the fire wardens instead of the fire chief.
- Mrs. Harry Gale and Mrs. Harry Goodwin were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Everett Goodwin last week in Newport.
- Staff Sergeant Richard Pike is at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alanson Pike for ten days. He comes from North Carolina.
- Irving B. Cushing, Jr., of New Hampton School for Boys, is home for spring vacation. At the annual winter sports banquet last week he was awarded his letter for the varsity ski team.

3/30/1944 Wentworth

- [At the regular meeting of the Wentworth Woman's club, Mrs. Alson Brown presided in the absence of the president and Mrs. Gladys Brown was one of the hostesses.]
- Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Chase and daughter, Connie, of Springfield, Vt., visited friends in town Sunday.
- Mr. and Mrs. Roy DeCotis and two children were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Myron Ostrander of Wells River, Vt., Friday night and Saturday.
- Mrs. Frank Marcou and Mrs. C.H. Pease were in Plymouth Thursday.

3/30/1944 West Rumney

- Corp. Richard Moses has been transferred to Texas.
- Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Perkins and little son spent Sunday with his mother in Lyme.
- Word has been received that Francis Burnham of the Seabees is in the Hawaiian Islands.
- Mrs. Mabel Pease of East Orford spent Thursday afternoon with her daughter, Mrs. Amon Burnham.

4/6/1944 Atwell Hill

- H. Dewey Chase is helping his brother, Leon, sugaring.
- Mrs. F.A. Howard is visiting her brother and orfe, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Lowd, in Franklin.
- Miss Fay Newton, on her way home from Orford High School, is stopping in East Orford to assist Miss Herrin during the illness of Miss Worthington.
- C.A. Wright of West Rumney is working for C.D. Keneson during the sugar season.
- Sap is not running at all well so far. C.D. Keneson has made a few gallons of syrup.
- PFC Ray Keneson is now stationed at Camp Pinedale, Fresno, California.
- The Ladies' Mite Society will meet with Mrs. Glenn Pease in East Orford next Thursday, the 6th, at 2 p.m.

4/6/1944 Plymouth

- Mr. and Mrs. John Taylor and Mrs. Stella Pease have returned from a week's visit to relatives in Hartford, Conn. Mrs. Pease also visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John (Buster) Driscoll, former Plymouth residents, in Collinsville, Connecticut.

4/6/1944 Wentworth

- Roy DeCotis, who has been unable to work for several weeks, returned to work Friday.
- Barbara Gove, Pauline Belyea and Judy Pease are having a week's vacation from their studies at Teachers college.
- Mrs. William Randall and little daughter, Joan, spent Tuesday night with her sister in Ashland.
- Dorice Pease visited her sister, Mrs. Edna McIntire and other relatives in Newport Sunday.
- Dorice Pease spent Friday with her sister, Mrs. Tom Hartley in Woodsville.
- Miss Maude Pease of Beverly, Mass., is spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. George Schulze.

4/13/1944 Plymouth

- Miss Eleanor Sherburn of Lynn, Mass., spent the Easter weekend at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold G. Sherburn on Pleasant street.
- Harold G. Sherburn, Jr., S1/c, gunpointer on a gun crew, enjoyed a 60-hour leave at the home of his parents on Pleasant street.

4/13/1944 Wentworth

- Master Dale Gilbert spent the weekend at Glenn Pease's in East Orford.
 - Miss Dorothy Libbey of Warren spent Friday afternoon and evening with Judy Pease.
 - Mrs. Clarence Pease and two sons returned Tuesday from their visit with relatives in Worcester.
 - Charles Brown, Earl Gove, Gerald Hutchins and Charles Gilbert attended the meeting of the Dartmouth and Lake Sunapee Region given at the Elm House in Orford Friday evening.
- 4/20/1944 Atwell Hill
- Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Lowd of Providence, R.I., spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. C.d. Keneson and family.
 - Mrs. F.A. Howard, who has been spending the past two weeks with her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Lowd in Franklin, returned home Monday evening.
 - Earl Wright and Mrs. L.M. Wright of Campton called on Mrs. M.A. Keneson Sunday.
 - Rev. and Mrs. W.S. Jones spent some time last week in Providence, R.I. While there he attended the pastor's conference and visited friends. Miss Elaine Jones stayed with Alice Keneson while her parents were away.
 - PFC Ray Keneson of Camp Pinedale, Fresno, Cal., surprised his parents when he arrived home unexpectedly last Friday evening. He has to return to camp next week.
- 4/20/1944 Warren
- Mrs. Elmer Heath and little son, Raymond, of Keene, and her grandmother, Mrs. Isabel Hayes of Lebanon, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Andrews recently. Esther Heath, the former's daughter, who has been with her grandparents all winter, returned home with her mother.
- 4/20/1944 Wentworth
- Several from here attended the prize speaking at Orford High School Tuesday evening.
 - Miss Dorice Pease was a business visitor in Plymouth Tuesday.
 - Miss Dorice Pease is spending a few days with her brother and family in East Orford.
 - Mrs. C.H. Pease visited relatives in Fairlee Saturday afternoon.
- 4/20/1944 West Rumney
- Mr. and Mrs. Amon Burnham and two girls and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Burnham and two sons were Sunday callers at Glenn Pease's in East Orford.
 - Mrs. Vernon Perkins and little son spent one day last week with her mother, Mrs. Amon Burnham.
- 4/27/1944 Atwell Hill
- We had two soldier boys at church Sunday morning. Corp. Harold Jewell of New London, Conn. and PFC Ray D. Keneson of Camp Pinedale, Fresno, Cal. Ray has to start for camp this Tuesday afternoon as it takes between four and five days to make the trip.
 - PFC Ray D. Keneson and Ruth Keneson spent Tuesday evening with Edith Chase in Pike.
 - Mrs. F.A. Howard has returned home, after spending the winter with her daughter, Mrs. C.D. Keneson and family.
- 4/27/1944 Plymouth
- Roger McIntyre, SF2/c writes home from New Guinea that he has met Henry "Hank" Fling in that country and they have had a great time talking things over. Winston W. Staples, CM1/c, has also met "Hank" over there. A small world, after all.
- 4/27/1944 Warren
- Mrs. Eva Pike entertained Herbert Blair and son over the weekend.
 - Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Batchelder spent a week with her mother, Mrs. Eva Pike.
 - Mr. and Mrs. Harry Gale spent the weekend in Newport with Mr. and Mrs. Everett Goodwin. Their granddaughter, Jean, returned with them to spend her vacation.
- 4/27/1944 Wentworth
- Mrs. Edna McIntyre of Newport visited her sister, Dorice Pease, on Friday.
 - Miss Judy Pease spent the weekend in Plymouth, the guest of Mrs. Rich.
 - Jesse Pease visited Plymouth High School Thursday.

4/27/1944 West Rumney

- Plymouth visitors last week included Mrs. W.J. McKee.
- Mrs. Amon Burnham and two daughters were on the sick list a few days last week.

5/4/1944 Warren

- Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Bennett and children of Plymouth called on Mrs. Eva Pike Sunday.
- Irving Cushing of New Hampton School for Boys went to Concord to the Civil Air Patrol meet last Saturday. A patrol has been organized at the school of which Irving is a member.

5/4/1944 West Rumney

- W.J. McKee and daughter, Pearl, Guy Burnham and Mr. Henderson of Warren were Boston visitors one day last week.

5/11/1944 Warren

- Robert Bixby and Edward Lupien were among the group of boys from Orford High School who attended the meeting of the Future Farmers at Raymond High School Friday. From Raymond they journeyed to Durham and spent Saturday visiting the University of New Hampshire farm. They reported an interesting trip.

5/11/1944 Wentworth

- Mr. and Mrs. Richard Newton and two children and Mrs. Florence Sanborn of Ashland were Sunday guest of Mr. and Mrs. W.A. Downing.
- Mr. and Mrs. Willard Crosby of Uxbridge, Mass., and PFC Donald Crosby of Fort Bragg, N.C., with Mrs. Crosby called on Miss Dorice Pease Friday.
- Dorice Pease was a business visitor in Plymouth Tuesday.
- PFC Carrol Stevens returned Thursday to New Mexico after spending several days with his sister, Mrs. Stafford Smith and family.

5/11/1944 West Rumney

- Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Moses spent Sunday in Center Harbor.
- Betty Burnham has been quite sick and has been absent from school two weeks. She is under the care of Dr. Kasheta.
- Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Perkins have moved to the Ivan Nichols place.
- Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Perkins were in Lyme Sunday.
- Mr. and Mrs. Willard Crosby and PFC and Mrs. Donald Crosby of North Uxbridge, Mass., were recent callers at Amon Burnham's.

5/18/1944 Atwell Hill

- Zilpha Chase of East Orford visited her father and brother Sunday.
- Amos Chase has moved to Warren to live with his nephew, Bert Heath.
- George Gove and Llewellyn Brown are working on the road.
- Rev. Stanley Jones and Mrs. Jones, and Mrs. F.A. Howard attended the business meeting at the Baptist church in Campton Monday evening.
- Those to attend the Meredith-Sandwich Association at Holderness Wednesday were Rev. Stanley Jones, Mrs. Jones and son, Bradford, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Ladd, John Ladd and Mrs. F.W. Howard, all from the Atwell Hill church in Wentworth.
- Mr. and Mrs. C.D. Keneson and daughters, Ruth and Alice, also Mrs. John Latty, were in Plymouth Wednesday p.m.
- C.D. Keneson attended the Fire Wardens meeting at Rumney Friday. Mrs. F.A. Howard accompanied him as far as Wentworth village and spent the day calling on friends. She took dinner with Mrs. E.B. Robinson.

5/18/1944 Plymouth

- Miss Eva Pease of Contoocook is spending days at her home on High street.
- Mrs. Richard E. Moses, the former Anna Collins, has gone to North Camp Hood, Tex., where her husband is stationed.

5/18/1944 Warren

- Charles Wright of West Rumney was a recent guest of his brother, George Wright.
- Amos Chase of Wentworth spent Thursday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Wright.
- Born May 9, to Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Weeks, a son, David Merrill.

5/18/1944 Wentworth

- Mrs. Flora Howard was a dinner guest Friday of Mrs. Effie B. Robinson. Mrs. Howard also called on several friends in the afternoon.
- Charles Gilbert, Dale, and Dorice Pease were Sunday guests of Mrs. Mabel Pease and Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Pease and family in East Orford.
- C.H. Pease returned to work Monday after an absence of a week from work due to illness.
- Julia Pease spent Friday night with Dorothy Libbey of Warren.

5/18/1944 West Rumney

- Mrs. Richard Moses left Monday for Texas to be near her husband who is stationed there.
- Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Perkins and little son spent Sunday at Amon Burnham's.
- Miss Betty Burnham is again able to go back to school.
- Mrs. Richard Burnham and two sons, Mrs. Jay Lavanway and Henry Wilkins were Plymouth visitors Tuesday.
- Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Pease of East Orford called at Amon Burnham's Monday night en route to Campton. Mrs. Amon Burnham accompanied them.

5/25/1944 Plymouth

- A banana truck, a rarity in this section, was seen in Plymouth this Thursday, and quantities of the fruit were distributed at the various stores in town. The large supply, which in normal times would probably have lasted several days, was sold out within three hours.
- Mr. and Mrs. George Sherburn spent the weekend with their sons, Frank and Oliver Sherburn, and families in Bow.
- Mrs. Orrin Sherburn has been visiting at the home of her daughter, Mrs. David Smith, in Laconia.

5/25/1944 Wentworth

- Mrs. Norman Downing and Mrs. Richard Newton and 2 children of Ashland are visiting at W.A. Downing's.
- Mr. and Mrs. George Schulze, Charles Gilbert, Dale and Dorice Pease visited Glenn Pease and family in East Orford Sunday evening.
- Dorothy Libbey of Warren spent Saturday night with Judy Pease.

5/25/1944 West Rumney

- Jay Lavanway has moved to the house he recently purchased from W.J. McKee.
- Mrs. Francis Burnham and little son are at Amon Burnham's for the summer.

6/1/1944 Atwell Hill

- Leon Chase was a business visitor in Boston several days last week.
- Mr. and Mrs. C.D. Keneson, with Alice and Mrs. F.A. Howard, were in Plymouth Wednesday afternoon.

6/1/1944 Wentworth

- Mrs. Earl Gove and daughter, Barbara, were in Concord Friday to attend the dance recital of Mrs. Gove's niece.
- Barbara Gove, Pauline Belyea and Judy Pease returned to Plymouth Teachers College Wednesday after enjoying the Memorial recess.
- Miss Maude Pease and Miss Ruth Rand of Beverly, Mass., were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Schulze.
- Glenn Pease and family and Mrs. Mabel Pease visited at Chas. Gilbert's Sunday.

6/1/1944 West Rumney

- Mrs. Richard Burnham is spending a week with relatives in Boston.

•Richard Burnham and son, Royal, are staying with his sister, Mrs. Vernon Perkins, while Mrs. Burnham is away. Dickie is staying with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W.J. McKee.

6/8/1944 Wentworth

•Mrs. Chester Downing, who has been in Plymouth hospital for surgical treatment, was able to resume her duties as teacher Tuesday. Burton Robbins of Warren substituted during Mrs. Downing's absence.

•Mr. R.A. McLaughlin, Mrs. E.B. Robinson and Mrs. C.H. Pease were in Plymouth Tuesday.

•Dorothy Libbey of Warren spent the weekend with Judy Pease.

6/8/1944 West Rumney

•Mrs. Richard Burnham has returned from Massachusetts.

6/15/1944 Atwell Hill

•Leon Chase had an attack of pleurisy [*Pleurisy is an inflammation of the lining of your lungs (pleura) that causes sharp chest pains.*] last week. A doctor was called and he is better at the present writing.

•C.W. Lowd of Warren, Mass., is spending the summer months with his sister, Mrs. F.A. Howard. Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Howard of Franklin were at the Howard farm recently.

•Mrs. Robert Rand is spending some time with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alson Brown.

•Mr. and Mrs. C.D. Keneson and daughter, Alice, were in Bradford last Saturday. They also called on the Pease's in East Orford.

•C.D. Keneson and daughters, Ruth and Alice, also Laurence Paige, attended the High School exercises at Haverhill Corner on Monday evening.

•School closes here the 16th. We understand there will be no school here next year. [Looks as of this was the last year of a school on the Hill: *[I think there was never a 'school' on the Hill again. Here are some excerpts from Wentworth Town Reports -*

•1947, *Supt.'s Report*, pg 43 - *"Transportation problems in this town have increased in the past few years. The Atwell Hill route, the wearing out of transportation conveniences and the increased cost of services and materials of operation have furnished those problems. . . So as all Wentworth pupils can be adequately housed in the Village School, it is my opinion that no thought should be given to re-opening any school now closed. . . "*

•1950, *School Warrant Article 9*, pg 41 - *"To see what action the District will vote to take relative to the sale of the Atwell Hill and Buffalo Road Schoolhouses, and the land on which they stand, if owned by the Wentworth School District." I don't have the 1951 Report but Muzzey writes that the Atwell Hill school was sold to the church in 1951,*

•1950, *Supt.'s Report*, pg 43 - *"The item of greatest interest to us all is the addition to the Village School. This addition was made necessary by the rapid growth of school population. When all work is completed, the addition will provide for a third classroom, central heating, flush toilets and a large entrance room in which lunches can be served eventually. The third classroom and central heating are already in operation."*

From David Tatham, 8/28/23: Muzzey's booklet on Atwell Hill Farms doesn't say when the school closed but it says the town voted to dispose of the school in 1951 and was sold to Baptist Church across the street the same year."]

6/15/1944 Haverhill

•Miss Fern Aremburg of Bradford, Vt., spent the weekend at her home here.

6/15/1944 Plymouth

•Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Sherburn and daughter, Myra, of Franconia, were weekend guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry M. Sherburn on Highland street [*brothers, I'm pretty sure.*]

6/15/1944 Warren

•Mrs. Arthur Batchelder, Mrs. Marguerite Blair, Beverly, Marie and Marilyn Bennett of Plymouth were guests of the former's mother, Mrs. Eva Pike, on Saturday. Marie and Marilyn remained over the weekend with their great-grandmother, Mrs. Pike. [*From Richie Pike, 8/29/23: "Arthur Batchelder is not Bill Batchelder's father. Leona Pike was my grandfather Alanson's younger sister and daughter of*

Arthur and Eva Pike. When Arthur and Eva legally separated, Arthur lived with my grandparents for the remainder of his life (and frequently stayed by himself in a small cabin directly across from the Harold Sanford Memorial Field on Lund Lane) and Eva moved in with Harvey Hosford in Warren. Leona married Lawrence Batchelder. So the visit to Plymouth was Mother and companion visiting Daughter and husband. My great-grandmother Eva also frequently visited my grandfather's older brothers, Clarence Pike in Tilton, NH and Lawrence Pike in Bradford, VT.]

•Mrs. Lawrence Pike and Mrs. Mary Pratt of Bradford, Vt., were at Mrs. Eva Pike's last week.

6/15/1944 Wentworth

•Cpl. Donald Tatham of Selfridge Field, Mich., and Mrs. Tatham are visiting this mother and other relatives. [From David Tatham. 8/28/23: "The notice of Donald Tatham and Mrs Tatham visiting this (his?) mother makes me wonder if he had married Virginia (my aunt Ginny) by this time? But you haven't come across a notice of that so maybe not. Or perhaps it was supposed to say "visiting his mother, Mrs. Tatham"?"]

6/15/1944 West Rumney

•W.J. McKee and Lawrence Foster were in Boston one day last week after a load of horses.

•Mrs. Mabel Pease of East Orford is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Amon Burnham.

•Mrs. Amon Burnham and Mrs. Archie Ray were Plymouth visitors Thursday.

6/22/1944 Atwell Hill

•Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Lowd of Springvale, Me., were guests of C.W. Lowd and Mrs. F.A. Howard for several days. They attended the graduation exercises and wedding of their second cousin, Ruth Keneson.

•Mr. and Mrs. C.D. Keneson attended the graduation of their daughter, Ruth, from Orford High School last Thursday evening. Accompanying them were their daughter, Alice, Edith Chase of Pike, C.W. Lowd and Mrs. F.A. Howard.

•Cpl. Alson W. Brown, Jr., writes frequent letters from "Somewhere in Italy." A recent letter stated that he "came through Rome the other day."

•Aviation Cadet Oscar W.L. Brown is now located at Jones Field, Bonham, Texas.

•Many people from Atwell Hill attended the Commencement exercises of the Orford High School June 15. Miss Ruth Keneson was one of the graduates and spoke on the subject, "Religion in the World Today."

•Mrs. Freeman Wright of Brookline, Mass., spent last weekend in town, visiting her two sons, Herbert and Theodore. She attended the wedding of Mr. Wright's cousin, Miss Ruth Keneson.

•A miscellaneous shower was given recently for Miss Ruth Keneson in the vestry of the Baptist Church. The room was attractively decorated in pink and aqua streamers. Songs were sung and refreshments served. Miss Keneson received many useful gifts.

6/22/1944 Haverhill

•Mr. and Mrs. Roy Aremburg and family were visitors in Bethel, Vt., Sunday, leaving their daughter, Alice, there for the summer where she has employment.

6/22/1944 Plymouth

•Oliver Sherburn of Concord enjoyed a fishing trip at Three Ponds with Henry Hilliard of Beebe River and visited at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Sherburn. He was accompanied to Plymouth by his daughter, Patricia, who was a guest of Miss Elizabeth Volpe, and by his niece, Irene Sherburn, who visited her mother in Ellsworth.

•Harold Sherburn was promoted to GM3/c [*Gunner's Mate.*]

6/22/1944 Rumney

•[Betty Burnham was among the graduates of Rumney elementary schools. So was Roger Winsor, who married June Gove and used to come to the Wentworth dances in the 1990s.]

6/22/1944 Warren

•Patricia Bennett of Plymouth has been visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Eva Pike.

- Dudley Cotton has purchased the roller skating equipment of D. Miclon of Rumney and is conducting skating every Wednesday at Town Hall.
- [High school graduates from Warren include Alice Robbins from Woodsville HS, Estella Cushing and Hazel Buskey from Orford HS and Bernadette Lupien from St. Joseph's Academy in South Berwick, Me., where she received a book prize for general excellence.]
- 6/22/1944 Wentworth
- Dorice Pease visited her sister Mrs. Amon Burnham and family in West Rumney recently.
- Mrs. C.H. Pease was in Concord recently.
- Miss Maude Pease of Beverly, Mass.; Horace Pease of Plymouth and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Pease and family of Alfred, Me., were at the Pease home on Ellsworth Hill over the weekend.
- Joyce Breck, Barbara Gove and Julia [*Judy*] Pease are attending summer school at Plymouth Teachers College.
- Several from here attended the wedding of Wilfred Tatham and Ruth Keneson Sunday p.m.
- 6/29/1944 Atwell Hill
- Miss Zilpha Chase was a member of the graduating class of Orford High School.
- 6/29/1944 Plymouth
- Miss Maude Pease and Miss Patricia Boyce are among the many in town entertaining a severe case of the measles.
- 6/29/1944 S. Wentworth
- Mrs. Harry Sanborn and son, Bernard, of Orford and Mrs. Everett Blake and two children of Springfield, Vt., called at the home of Gerald Hutchins on Tuesday.
- 6/29/1944 Warren
- Mr. and Mrs. Harry Swain of Piermont visited Mrs. Eva Pike on Sunday. The latter accompanied them to Plymouth.
- Clarence Pike of Tilton was a guest of his mother, Mrs. Eva Pike, on Saturday.
- Miss Edna Perry, in charge of the local telephone exchange, entertained her mother from East Orford Saturday.
- 6/29/1944 Wentworth
- Several from here attended the High School graduation exercises in Plymouth Friday morning. Among those graduating were Mary Gove, Priscilla Downing, David Breck and Lealand Lovering. Priscilla Downing was one of the ten Honor students.
- 6/29/1944 West Rumney
- Amon Burnham has been on the sick list but is better and has returned to his work at Beebe River. [*This is the first mention of Uncle Amon working in Beebe River. He worked in a mill there for many years.*]
- 7/6/1944 Plymouth
- Horace Pease is spending the summer months in Pike. [*His sister, Nettie Young, may live there.*]
- 7/6/1944 Warren
- Mr. and Mrs. Harry Gale and Mrs. Harry Goodwin motored to Newport Saturday afternoon, and were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Everett Goodwin, returning Sunday with their granddaughter, Jean Goodwin, who will spend several weeks of her vacation here.
- 7/6/1944 Wentworth
- Mr. and Mrs. Lionel Kipling of Norwood, Mass., former residents of Atwell Hill, have been guests the past ten days at Viking Cabins. They have been entertained each day by their friends on Atwell Hill.
- 7/6/1944 West Rumney
- Mr. and Mrs. Jay Donnelly of North Attleboro, Mass., were weekend guests of her sister, Mrs. Amon Burnham.
- The families of Amon Burnham, Richard Burnham and Vernon Perkins enjoyed a family picnic at the home of Charles Gilbert in Wentworth Tuesday. There were about 30 in attendance [*I have a photo showing 23 of them.*]

7/13/1944 Wentworth

- Raymond Downing returned to his work in South Windsor, Conn., last Wednesday. His son, Allan, remained a few days longer.
- Private and Mrs. Leslie Donnelly and son of Orford spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Leroy DeCotis and family.
- Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Chase, Cornelia and nephew, Stuart Corpieri, of Springfield, Vt. visited Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy DeCotis and family one day last week.
- Barbara Gove and Pauline Belyea enjoyed their weekend vacation from Plymouth Teachers college at their respective homes.
- Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Corpieri of Springfield, Vt., called on friends and relatives in town one day last week.
- Miss Maude Pease with Mrs. Leon Pease and daughter Dorothy, called at Charles Gilbert's Thursday.
- Mrs. Clarence Pease was sick Tuesday.

7/20/1944 Atwell Hill

- C.D. Keneson has bought the hay on the Howard farm and is cutting it now.
- Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Tatham of Lakeport spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C.D. Keneson.
- We have been having a bit of thunder showers the past two weeks, some of them very hard. Our lights were out one night. Our RFD carrier, S. Lange of Pike, said there was a hard hail storm in Pike Sunday afternoon which nearly ruined the gardens in that vicinity.

7/20/1944 Haverhill

- PFC Raymond Aremburg is home from Texas on a furlough.

7/20/1944 Plymouth

- Miss Eleanor Sherburn of Lynn, Mass., enjoyed a week's vacation at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold G. Sherburn on Pleasant street. She was accompanied to Plymouth by her little nephew, George Major, of Providence, R.I., who remained with his grandparents for a longer visit.

7/20/1944 Warren

- Mrs. Harry Goodwin entertained her granddaughter, Jean Goodwin of Newport, at her cottage at Upper Baker Pond last week.
- Mrs. Eva Pike was in Plymouth Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Herbert accompanied her to her home here Sunday evening.

7/20/1944 Wentworth

- Mrs. LeRoy DeCotis and Gwendolyn Brown were in Plymouth Tuesday.

7/27/1944 Warren

- Pemigewassett Camp Band gave their annual concert on the Bandstand Tuesday evening. From the applause the entertainers should know that the music was enjoyed by the quite sizable audience. At the close of the concert they were invited to the vestry, where they were served cake and ice cream.
- The Bronze Star has been awarded to PFC Douglas (Buster) Morrison for heroic action on the Fifth Army front in Italy. Buster writes his sister, Mrs. Wilbur Haines, that "there have been some very hot days, but it cools off at night. Had chicken for dinner July 9, and cucumbers, peaches and apricots are ripe now. The way things are going, is should not be too long before this thing is over. Hope so, anyway."

7/27/1944 Wentworth

- Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy DeCotis and two children visited Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Cayes last week.

7/27/1944 West Rumney

- Mrs. Jennie Perkins of Plymouth has been visiting at Edward Moses.
- Edward Moses has been having trouble with his knee and is unable to work.

8/3/1944 Atwell Hill

- The deer have been in several gardens here on the hill recently. They seem to prefer beets, carrots and Swiss chard but at times they will eat beans.

- Mr. and Mrs. C.D. Keneson and Alice, Mrs. John Latty and Mrs. L.M. Wright were business visitors in Plymouth last Wednesday.
8/3/1944 Warren
- Patsy Bennett of Plymouth is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Eva Pike.
- Mrs. Joseph Pike was in East Haverhill several days last week caring for her brother, Carl Tibbetts, who has been threatened with pneumonia.
8/3/1944 Wentworth
- Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Cayes and two children of Portland, Me., visited Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy DeCotis the first of the week.
- Several from here attended the auction in East Orford Saturday p.m. [*Glenn Pease diary: 7\29\44Went down and got Ma, Dale, Charles and Sal this morn. Got out some logs down on Flat p.m. Bill and Bertha came up to Camp this a.m. All went to Auction p.m. ” But where???*]
- Mrs. Mabel Pease of Orford visited her daughter, Dorice Pease, several days last week.
8/10/1944 Haverhill
- Mrs. G.A. Pierce of Concord and son, Capt. G. Albert Pierce of Portsmouth were recent callers of Mr. and Mrs. H.R. Swan [*the Pierces owned the Marston-Morrison farm east of the Ville, until all the buildings burned in 1938, when they left town.*]
8/10/1944 Plymouth
- Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Ring and son of Brighton, Mass., were weekend visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Sherburn of Pleasant street, Mrs. Ring remaining for a week’s visit. Little George Major of Providence, R.I., has returned to his parental home after spending a month with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Sherburn.
- Mrs. Roy Wright and son, Victor, of Portland, Me., are visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George W. Sherburn.
8/10/1944 Warren
- Mrs. Eva Pike and Harvey Hosford spent the weekend at Plymouth with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Batchelder [*were these folks Bill Batchelder’s parents?*]
8/10/1944 Wentworth
- On Sunday, August 13, Camp Pemigewasset will make its annual visit to Wentworth Congregational church. Two hundred voices will compose the male choir. An Instrumental Ensemble of six pieces will render special selections. Rev. L.J. Pollard will deliver the sermon as usual, with George Davidson assisting in the service. This is always a memorable occasion. Do not forget the date.
- Last Sunday a choir of twelve members from Camp Lauroweld furnished the music for our church service. Their music was under the direction of Miss Sorg and her young friends in Camp Lauroweld, who are much interested in organizing this new chorus which afforded great pleasure to our congregation. The young people are an inspiration and we hope they will visit us again next year.
- Dorice Pease spent Tuesday with her sister, Mrs. W. Crosby, at their camp in East Orford [*the camp, built in 1939, is still at the south end the fields on the Sherburn-Pease farm.*]
8/10/1944 West Rumney
- Miss Pearl McKee is visiting at the home of her brother, Kenneth, in Tamworth.
8/17/1944 Atwell Hill
- Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Daige of Montagne, Mass., and Mrs. Kenneth Ramsdell of Windsor, Vt., were guests of Mrs. A.L. Chase.
- A stork shower was held at the home of Mrs. Charles Ladd in East Orford for Mrs. Juliet B. Rand on Tuesday afternoon.
- Camp Lauroweld on Upper Baker Pond furnished music at the Atwell Hill church Sunday which was much enjoyed by all.
- C.D. Keneson is finished haying.

•Mr. and Mrs. Earl Wright of Manchester visited his mother and grandmother, Mrs. L.M. Wright and Mrs. M.A. Keneson, Sunday. Herbert Wright, who has been boarding with Mrs. Amos Reade, returned to Manchester with them in the afternoon.

8/17/1944 Warren

•Mr. and Mrs. Ray Wright and three sons of Keene were among the 21 guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Shortt on Sunday, August 6.

•Thermometers ranged from 96 to 102 here Tuesday. The gardens are a sorry sight.

•[Mrs. Bertha Goodwin is among those in charge of rummage at the Women's Society of Christian Service summer sale on Thursday, August 24, at the M.E. vestry.]

8/17/1944 Wentworth

•Mrs. Richard Downing recently received a letter from her son, Charles Wahlen, U.S.N. S1/c, stating he had arrived safely in England.

•Mrs. Gertrude Lumsden is assisting at Camp Pemigewasset.

•Mrs. Tom Hartley and Mrs. Paige of Woodsville visited Mrs. Hartley's sister Dorice Pease on Sunday.

•Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Pease of Maine were weekend guests of Horace and Maude Pease at their home on Ellsworth Hill.

•Mr. and Mrs. Guy Pease of Jacksonville, Florida, have been spending several days with Horace Pease and daughter, Maude.

•Judy Pease is spending a few days in Boston.

•The Orford Schools will open as usual in the fall. It is regretted that Miss Twitchell will not be with us but the High School will carry on under a new principal. The buses will run as they did last year.

•The Canning Center at Orford High School is now open. It is for the use of everyone. The OPA will allow extra gasoline to come. Appointments should be made to avoid overtaxing the facilities.

8/17/1944 West Rumney

•Miss Pearl McKee has returned from Tamworth.

8/24/1944 Atwell Hill

•Mrs. Robert Rand called on Mrs. M.K. Newton Sunday afternoon.

•M.K. Newton is painting the Atwell Hill church on the outside.

•Edward A.D. Chase is spending his vacation with his sisters in Claremont, Delaware.

C.D. Keneson is having to draw water for his cattle in his back pasture. The spring is very low on account of the dry weather.

•Cloudy this Tuesday morning. It rained about five minutes this morning.

8/31/1944 Haverhill

•Miss Shirley Huckins of Orfordville was a weekend guest of Miss Ellen Swan.

8/31/1944 Plymouth

•Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Randall of Concord, former residents, called on friends in town last Friday.

8/31/1944 Warren

•Conservation Officer Harry Goodwin and Mrs. Goodwin are on their annual vacation and are in Pittsburgh.

•Mr. and Mrs. Ambrose Welcome of Silver City, N.M., have rented the Bowles Cottage. Mr. Welcome is in charge of the drilling at the Ore Hill mine [*looking for silver?*]

8/31/1944 Wentworth

•We would like to remind all Wentworth's summer folks about the fall rummage sale, usually held some time in October, for the benefit of the Sunday school. When you clean house this fall, why not put your discards into a box and mail it up to somebody in town? You may be sure anything and everything will be greatly appreciated. Please remember us!

•Miss Bertha Jacobs and Dorothy Kitchener of Beverly, Mass., are guests of Maude Pease [*Maude taught in Beverly for many years.*]

8/31/1944 West Rumney

- Mrs. William McKee is spending a few days with relatives in Boston.
- Betty and Hazel Burnham are spending a week at Camp Joy in Rumney [*this may be at the Bible Conference Center.*]
- 9/7/1944 Warren
- PFC Donald Andrews has been home on a 21-day furlough. This is his first visit home since October 1941 and he has not been in the States since December 1941. Pvt. Andrews leaves for Florida Thursday morning.
- Mr. and Mrs. Leighton Perry and his mother, Mrs. Inez Perry, have returned to their home in East Orford.
- 9/7/1944 Wentworth
- [Schools reopened this week Wednesday with Miss Carole Lavoie teacher in the Primary room and Mrs. Minnie Blodgett teaching the Grammar grades.
- Raymond Downing and son, Allan, of North Windsor, Conn., visited relatives in town over the past weekend.
- Mr. and Mrs. Chester Downing and family have moved to Belmont.
- A/S Richard Evans of Santa Ana, Calif., arrived Monday night for several days furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Burton Evans.
- Dr. and Mrs. Edwin Fauver of Rochester, N.Y., and Dr. and Mrs. Nichols of Oberlin, Ohio, have returned to their homes.
- Word was received Saturday evening of the death of Rev. John Vance, formerly the pastor of our Village church. Mr. Vance was pastor of the Oakham church until his retirement in 1934. A native of Ireland, he came to this country at the age of 18, studied for the ministry and held pastorates in New Hampshire, Maine, Vermont and Massachusetts for 50 years.
- Mrs. Howard Campbell and two daughters of Keene were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C.H. Pease Thursday and Friday of last week [*I think she boarded with the Pease's when teaching in Wentworth.*]
- Sunday callers at Charles Gilbert's were Mr. and Mrs. E. Clough and daughter of Plymouth and Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Pease of East Orford.
- 9/14/1944 Warren
- The Royal E. Keysar Water System having, through the Administrator for the estate, filed with the commission a petition for authority to discontinue the operation of said system as a public water utility, it is ordered that a hearing on said petition be held before said Public Service Commission in the Town Hall in Warren, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon on the twentieth day of September 1944. . . .
- Mrs. Eva Pike is visiting her son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Pike, in Tilton.
- 9/14/1944 Wentworth
- Mrs. Leona C. Foster has received word of the safe arrival of her son, S/Sgt. Walter B. Foster. She also received word that her son, Cpl. Irvin N. Foster, was on Saipan.
- T/4 Russell Pease of Fort Bragg, N.C., and PFC Donald Gove of Camp Shelby, Miss., are home on several days furlough.
- Clarence Pease returned to work Monday after a week's vacation.
- 9/14/1944 West Rumney
- Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Moses have returned from a vacation spent at the Weirs.
- Mrs. Francis Burnham and little son have gone to Massachusetts to visit relatives.
- [Betty Burnham is among the new students at Plymouth High School.]
- 9/21/1944 Plymouth
- [Gerald Davis of Orfordville won 1 second and 2 fourths in horse pulling at the Plymouth Fair.]
- [Gerald Davis of Orfordville won 1 first and 1 third in the Matched Pair Work Horses category and 1 fourth in the Wagon Horses category at Plymouth Fair.]
- 9/21/1944 Warren
- Edwin Pease is confined to the house by illness.

9/21/1944 Wentworth

- A/C/ Richard Evans returned to Santa Ana, Cal., Saturday.
- PFC Donald Gove left for Camp Shelby, Miss./, Tuesday a.m.
- T/4 Russell E. Pease returned to Fort Bragg Saturday.
- Judy Pease accompanied her brother, Russell, to Boston., Saturday and also spent the weekend with friends in Waltham.

9/21/1944 West Rumney

- Cpl. Richard Moses is having a furlough with his wife is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E.I. Moses.

10/5/1944 Atwell Hill

•A social gathering was held at the Atwell Hill church Friday evening. A supper was served by the Mite Society to 50 people consisting of baked beans, brown bread, apple pie with ice cream and coffee. The social was in honor of C.W. Lowd and Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Tatham, who leave this week.

Mr. Lowd goes to Worcester and Warren, Mass., to be with his daughters for the winter. He has been with his sister, Mrs. F.A. Howard, the past four months.

Mr. and Mrs. Tatham are going to San Francisco, Cal., where Mr. Tatham has a government job in the Navy yard there. *[From David Tatham, 8/28/23: "My parents, along with Bill & Nita (Juanita) Randell and their kids Gary & Joan (I think Joan less than a yr old, Gary probably 3-4 years), traveled to San Francisco where both Bill and Dad had jobs at Hunters Point Navy Yard. Bill worked as an electrician, my Dad a carpenter and sometimes as electricians helper. You might wonder why a carpenter with the ships being all metal but there was need among other things for wood staging while rebuilding the damaged ships. Parents traveled in 37 Chevy pickup, don't know what Randell's drove. About 6 weeks after the end of the war, there being no more work at the navy yard, they returned home with the Chevy pickup and with me and a dog. My Mom said it was a bit of a tight fit with baby and dog in that very small pickup cab. Not like today's trucks. I think the dog mostly lay on the floor. Actually they acquired the dog first, probably not long after they got there to keep my Mom company while Dad was at work. I came along right at the end, Aug 31, war was officially over Sept 2, 1945. Doctors recommended they not travel across country until I was 6 weeks thus the delay.*

I think I mentioned before that Westley Muzzey from Wentworth was on a ship that came into the yard for repairs. Westley, who worked where I do for several years, often commented that Dad was the only person from Wentworth he saw during his time in the Navy. Dad, apparently through a letter from home, learned Westley's ship would be there and he looked him up.]

- Rev. and Mrs. Stanley Jones and C.W. Lowd attended the United Baptist Convention of New Hampshire at the First Baptist Church in Concord last Tuesday and Wednesday.
- Elaine Jones is staying with Alice Keneson while her parents are away.
- C.D. Keneson runs the school bus from the Hill to the Village school in Wentworth.
- Mr. and Mrs. C.D. Keneson and Alice, also Mrs. L.M. Wright were in Plymouth Friday.

10/5/1944 Plymouth

- The grandstand at the D&M Park, which was practically destroyed during an electrical and wind storm several weeks ago, is being torn down and the timber salvaged. It is hoped by the Plymouth Athletic Club that new bleachers may be erected next Spring.
- Miss Eva Pease is in Ogunquit, Me., where she has employment.

10/5/1944 Warren

•Mrs. Eva Pike and Harvey Hosford were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Batchelder in Plymouth.

•On Thursday while digging potatoes on the Park farm, a bull moose appeared to Harvey Hosford. The beast leisurely walked away into the woods. That night, when Walter Weatherbee was on his way home he evidently saw the same animal on the Heights with Henderson's cattle.

- Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Ray and Mr. and Mrs. Haven Little of Rumney motored to Hanover Saturday to the football game between Dartmouth and Holy Cross.
10/5/1944 Wentworth
- Vernon C. Pease left Wednesday for Manchester to enter the U.S. Navy.
- Mr. and Mrs. C. Burton Evans have received word of their son, Pvt. Howard Evans, of his promotion to T/5.
- The service boys' boxes will be wrapped at the Town Hall Thursday evening at 7:30. Anyone interested in helping is cordially invited.
- Mrs. Frank Norcross and Mrs. C.H. Pease were in Concord Friday.
10/5/1944 West Rumney
- For Sale – 8 Draft Horses. I also have 2 saddle horses I will let out for the winter for their keep. W.J. McKee, West Rumney. Tel. Rumney 18-5 [*Likely ones not sold at his auction a few weeks ago.*]
- Mrs. Francis Burnham and little son have returned from Westboro, Mass., to spend the winter with Mr. and Mrs. Amon Burnham.
- Mrs. Amon Burnham entertained over the weekend: Mr. and Mrs. Walter Brigham, the Misses Deborah and Priscilla Walker and Donald Walker of Westboro, Mass. [*must be Dot Burnham's family.*]
10/19/1944 Plymouth
- Harold G. Sherburn has returned to his duties as rural postal carrier following his annual vacation.
10/19/1944 Wentworth
- Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Fauver are spending a few days at Camp Pemigewasset.
- Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Belyea and daughter, Pauline, and Mrs. Beatrice Gove and daughter, Barbara, attended Parents' Day at Plymouth Teachers College Sunday. [*I think Judy Pease only went to PTC for two years. She did teach in Warren Elementary for at least a year – perhaps the college was still awarding two-year degrees, although one didn't necessarily have to have a degree to teach lower elementary at this time.*]
- Mr. and Mrs. William Randall and two children have gone to California where Mr. Randall has a government job [*as an electrician at the shipyard on San Francisco Bay, where Wilfred Tatham was also working.*]
- Mrs. Effie B. Robinson spent Tuesday with Mrs. F.A. Howard on Atwell Hill.
- Mrs. Clarence Pease is visiting relatives in Worcester, Mass.
- Vernon Pease, who recently enlisted in the Navy, is stationed in Sampson, N.Y.
- Miss M.A. Pease and Miss Ruth Rand of Beverly, Mass., were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Schulz.
- Dorice Pease spent Sunday with her mother in East Orford.
- Dale Gilbert spent the weekend with his cousins in East Orford.
10/19/1944 West Rumney
- Mrs. Richard Moses is stopping at E.I. Moses' for a time.
- Mrs. Archie Ray and Mrs. Amon Burnham were in Center Harbor Saturday.
10/26/1944 Atwell Hill
- Born to Cpl. Robert H. and Mrs. Rand, a boy, Robert Steven, at Hanover hospital, October 17. Weight 8 pounds, 9 ounces.
- Mr. and Mrs. Alson Brown visited their daughter (Juliet) Mrs. Robert H. Rand and their first grandchild at Hanover Hospital Sunday. They found mother and child doing well.
- Mrs. Oscar D. Brown entertained the Wentworth Women's Club recently.
- Several ladies of the Mite Society met with Mrs. Oscar Ladd in East Orford last Wednesday afternoon. All had a very pleasant time. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Oscar Brown.
- Leon Chase was in Fairlee, Vt., Monday.
- Mrs. Glenn Pease of East Orford spent Thursday with her mother, Mrs. F.A. Howard.
10/26/1944 Warren

- Miss Edna Perry, local telephone operator, is spending the week in Glover, Vt., the guest of her father.
- Mrs. Randall and Mrs. Stevens of Concord were recent callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Pease.
- Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Pease entertained his brother, Charles and wife of Bridgeport, Conn., last Saturday. *[There was an item in the Colebrook Sentinel which noted that they were in Bridgeport. Charles Jr. was also there – perhaps Uncle Charlie was working and Aunt Clara babysitting.]*
- 10/26/1944 Wentworth
- Mrs. C.H. Pease returned Saturday from her visit to relatives in Worcester, Mass.
- 11/2/1944 Glencliff
- Mrs. Fred Chasson attended the harvest supper in Orford last week Thursday evening, given by the Seniors of Orford High School.
- 11/2/1944 Warren
- Twelve persons motored to Orford on the bus Thursday night and attended a Harvest supper under the supervision of the Senior class.
- 11/2/1944 West Rumney
- W.J., McKee, Pearl and Mrs. Richard Burnham were Boston and Clinton, Mass., visitors the first of the week.
- Mrs. William McKee returned Monday from a visit with relatives in Boston.
- Mrs. Amon Burnham and Mrs. Vernon Perkins spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cole in Lakeport *[Mrs. Cole was Uncle Ed Pease's second wife.]*
- 11/9/1944 Atwell Hill
- Cpl. Robert Rand, who is home on a furlough from Selfridge Field, Mich., is spending a few days with his wife and baby son at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alson Brown.
- C.D. Keneson sawed wood for Mr. Jones and Alson and Oscar Brown last week.
- Edward Chase and George Roy, who are attending Orford High School, went to the University of New Hampshire with others in the Agriculture class Friday p.m., returning home Saturday evening.
- Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Tatham arrived at San Francisco October 29.
- 11/9/1944 Haverhill
- Mrs. Marion Swan attended her Sorosis club in Orford Tuesday.
- 11/9/1944 Plymouth
- Mrs. O.W. Sherburn has been spending two weeks at the home of her daughter, Mrs. David Smith, in Gilford.
- 11/9/1944 Wentworth
- Walter Downing is home from his work in Baltimore, Md. *[I bet he was working for Alice Herrin and Lucy Worthington at their home there.]*
- Mrs. Mary Tatham is spending some time with her sister, Mrs. W.A. Downing.
- Mrs. R.O. McLaughlin, Mrs. LeRoy DeCotis and Mrs. Alice Downing were business visitors in Plymouth Thursday.
- Mr. and Mrs. C.H. Pease have received word that their son, Russell, of his safe arrival in France.
- Mrs. Frank Snelgrove and Mrs. C.H. Pease were in Plymouth on Thursday.
- Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Tower and family have moved into the William Randall house *[they have gone to San Francisco where Bill has work in the shipyard.]*
- 11/9/1944 West Rumney
- Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Perkins visited his mother in Lyme Sunday.
- 11/16/1944 Plymouth
- Harold Sherburn has been enjoying several days hunting in Franconia. Mrs. Sherburn is visiting her daughters, Miss Eleanor Sherburn in Lynn, Mass. and Mrs. George Major in Providence, R.I.
- 11/16/1944 Wentworth
- Miss Barbara Gove spent the weekend with Miss Wilma Morrison in Hanover.
- Olive McKee of Rumney was the weekend guest of Eileen Lumsden.

- Mrs. Clarence Pease is in the Plymouth hospital for treatment.
11/16/1944 West Rumney
- [Among the officers elected by the Baker's River Grange at their last meeting were: Hugh Evan, Steward; Edward I. Moses, Secretary and Board of Trustees for 2 years; Herbert Moses, Executive Committee for 3 years; Guy Burnham, Gatekeeper and Vernon Perkins, Executive Committee for 2 years.
11/23/1944 Warren
- [Bertha Goodwin was among those in charge of the Silver Tea at the Ladies' Aid meeting last Thursday.]
11/23/1944 Wentworth
- Judy Pease was in Woodsville Saturday having dental work done.
11/30/1944 Atwell Hill
- Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Daige and son, Roland, from Montague, Mass., spent the holiday weekend with her mother, Mrs. A.L. Chase.
- A.L. Chase of Warren was a guest of Rev. and Mrs. W.S. Jones for Thanksgiving dinner.
- Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Brown were Thanksgiving guests of their daughter, Geraldine, in Hartford, Conn., returning home Friday evening.
- Llewellyn Brown went to Lawrence, Mass., Sunday afternoon.
Mr. and Mrs. C.D. Keneson and daughter, Alice, also Mrs. F.A. Howard spent Thanksgiving day with Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Pease and family in East Orford.
- Earl Wright of Manchester called on Mrs. M.A. Keneson Monday. Sunday was Mrs. Keneson's 88th birthday. He also called on C.D. Keneson and family.
11/30/1944 Haverhill
- Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cushman of Orfordville and Mr. and Mrs. James Keith were Thursday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. H.R. Swan and family.
11/30/1944 Warren
- Mrs. Eva Pike and Harvey Hosford were in Plymouth over the holidays.
- Edna Ball of Glencliff has transferred from Orford High school to Woodsville High.
11/30/1944 West Rumney
- Mr. and Mrs. Richard Burnham entertained her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William McKee and Pearl and Gordon McKee's family of Rumney on Thursday.
12/7/1944 Atwell Hill
- Leon Chase got a deer last Tuesday.
- Mrs. F.A. Howard has closed up her home and is spending the winter months with her daughter, Mrs. C.D. Keneson and family.
12/7/1944 Wentworth
- Wesley Downing, who has finished his boot training in the USN at Sampson, N.Y., visited relatives in town Saturday.
- Dorice Pease was in Laconia on business Monday.
12/7/1944 West Rumney
- Mrs. Amon Burnham, Mrs. Richard Burnham, Mrs. Francis Burnham and Mrs. Vernon Perkins were Laconia visitors Saturday.
12/14/1944 Atwell Hill
- C.D. Keneson and Alson Brown dressed a small beef and a pig for John Latty last week.
- Llewellyn Brown motored to Boston with a truckload of Christmas trees Monday night.
- The World Wide Guild for Girls held their monthly meeting at Mrs. Stanley Chase's in East Orford Friday p.m. *[first mention of the Chase's in East Orford but I think they have bene there a year more or less.]*
- Mr. and Mrs. C.D. Keneson and daughter, Alice, were in Bradford, Vt., Monday.
12/14/1944 Wentworth

- Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Decotis and Mrs C.H. Pease attended the funeral of Mrs. Mabel Mack in Orford Tuesday afternoon.
- Several young people from here attended the Senior Play at Orford High School Tuesday night [*“Mr. Bob,” actually held at the Fairlee Town Hall.*]
12/14/1944 West Rumney
- About twenty neighbors and friends gathered at the home of E.I. Moses one day recently for a double baby shower, for Mrs. Richard Moses and Mrs. Herbert Moses. They received many nice gifts. Refreshments of cookies and cocoa were served by the hostess, Mrs. Rupert Ray.
12/21/1944 Warren
- Mrs. Eva Pike attended the surprise birthday party given her granddaughter, Mrs. Stanley Adams, at her home in Plymouth on December 8. Twenty-five relatives and friends assisted in the celebration. She received many fine gifts, including a sum of money. Refreshments were served, including a finely decorated birthday cake made by Mrs. Lamson.
- The following young men in the service have acknowledged the receipt of their Christmas boxes sent by the community: Raymond (Bud) Jesseman, AOM1/c, somewhere in the Pacific; Robert Pike from Florida; Lewis Shortt from Texas; Lewis Whitcher from Texas; Edward Whitcher from Camp Meade, Md., and Lyle Moody, away on another mission. They all express their appreciation. Will quote from one letter and probably all the boys feel the same: “It makes one feel one hundred per cent when you know that the home folks think of you not once, not twice but all the time.”
12/28/1944 Atwell Hill
- Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Daige and son of Montague, Mass., spent the weekend and holiday with her mother, Mrs. A.L. Chase.
- Gilbert Brown is janitor of the Atwell Hill church.
- A group of people were on Atwell Hill and in East Orford Christmas eve singing Christmas carols, which was very nice.
- The ladies’ Mite Society had a Christmas party at the home of Mrs. C.D. Keneson recently. Each one present was remembered with a gift.
- Earl Wright called on Mrs. M.A. Keneson and others on the hill last week.
12/28/1944 Haverhill
- Miss Fern Aremburg returned recently from a visit in Shelburne, Me. [*nope, NH!*]
- Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cushman of Orfordville were dinner guests on Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Swan.
12/28/1944 Plymouth
- Harold Sherburn, Jr., GM3/c of the U.S. Navy is enjoying a 7 day leave at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Sherburn on Pleasant street.
12/28/1944 Warren
- Mrs. Alanson Pike, Mrs. Kenneth Moody and son, Owen and Mrs. Maurice Whitcher were shopping in Plymouth Saturday.
12/28/1944 Wentworth
- Mr. and Mrs. Roger Downing and daughter of Concord, Raymond and Allen Downing of South Windsor, Conn., and Mrs. Alice Downing were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Decotis and family.
- Service boys who were able to spend Christmas at their homes were: Pvt. Earnest Lovering of Aberdeen, Md.; Pvt. Leland Lovering of Camp Devens, Mass.; Pvt. David Breck, University of Connecticut, Storrs, Conn.; Pvt. Paul King of Camp McCall, N.C. and Vernon C. Pease, S2/c, of Camp Endicott, Davisville, R.I.
- Vernon C. Pease, S2/c, who returned to the Sampson Naval Training Center Wednesday of last week, was transferred to the Seabees and is stationed at Camp Endicott, Davisville, R.I.

- Horace Pease of Plymouth and Miss Maude Pease of Beverly, Mass., were holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Schulze.
- Dorice Pease, Charles Gilbert and Dale spent the weekend with Glenn Pease and family in East Orford.
12/28/1944 West Rumney
- Mr. and Mrs. William McKee, Miss Pearl McKee and Richard Burnham's family ate dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Gordon McKee and family in Rumney Depot.
- W.J. McKee was called to Clinton, Mass., one day last week due to the serious illness of an aunt.

