

PELHAM, N. H.

Steel Lookout Tower Just Completed—Wage Increase for Street Railway Men.

Pelham, N. H., Sept. 3.

The forestry department of this state has just completed a 55 foot steel look-out tower erected on the crest of Jeremy hill in the western part of the town. The tower affords an exceptionally fine view of the surrounding country for a radius of 20 miles. The 54 acre lot on which it is located was purchased by the state about a year ago of Mansfield brothers for this purpose. The property is to be developed with forestry work and a caretaker will later be assigned a position there whose chief duty, throughout the dry season of the year, will be to watch the country for forest fires.

Miss Lillian F. Lewis of South Royalton, Vt., formerly of this town, and Mr. Clyde H. Swift of Nashua, were married, Aug. 24. They will make their home in Nashua.

Mrs. Eva Richardson Saltmarsh and son, Frederick, are enjoying the summer at the Richardson homestead.

An increase of five cents per hour beginning July 1, has been granted the employees of the Massachusetts Northeastern Street Railway Co., and the men, this week, received their back pay at this rate. The new agreement has been accepted and signed and all questions under dispute were amicably adjusted, satisfactory to both the company and its employees.

The three Currier children, Edward, Herbert and Gertrude, are still suffering with the whooping cough. Alice L. Gage and Alice M. Carleton are now nearly recovered from the disease.

All the schools in town will open for the fall term Monday, Sept. 9. Teachers have been assigned as follows: District 1, Miss Alice McDermott of Lowell; 2, Miss Catherine Boddy of Lowell; 3, Miss Nellie Jones of Nashua, although, as yet, this assignment is not positive; 4, Miss Mary Maguire of Lowell; 5, Miss Alice Dacey of Lowell. Miss Katherine Farley of Dracut has been re-assigned the graded school at the Centre. Additional desks have been installed in this school room this week, in anticipation of a number of new pupils.

Town Clerk Charles W. Hobbs, assisted by Sherman Hobbs, will register all males in this town for the selective service draft between the ages of 18 and 45 years in accordance with the official proclamation. Government notices have been forwarded for distribution to all men between these ages and both are inclusive, dating the day set for the registration. The only exception applies to those who have already registered in the previous draft or who are now in the U. S. army or navy. Ignorance of the law is no excuse for not registering and the penalty for such failure is one year imprisonment.

Primary election for the selection of candidates for state and town offices comes this week, Tuesday.