

## Phillips and Vicinity.

The ice freshet of Tuesday night took about 90 feet of the Field bridge near the center of it. This bridge is about 180 feet long. Since this occurred, G. E. Rideout the rural mail carrier has been obliged to divide his route so that a part of his people can get their mail only every other day until repairs are made. It will probably be some time before repairs can be made.

Mrs. Minnie Spinney of Boston, Mass., formerly of Sanford, Maine, was united in marriage to Andrew M. Aldrich, druggist, of Everett, Mass., at Tremont street, Congregational church, Tuesday evening, November 19, 1907. The bride was beautifully gowned in Alice blue chiffon broad-cloth and carried a bouquet of white roses. The wedding presents were handsome and numerous. After a short honeymoon to New York and Buffalo they will make their home at 7 Dwight street, Boston.

At the annual election of the Phillips board of trade held a few days ago the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, J. H. Byron; secretary and treasurer, W. A. D. Cragin, executive Committee, J. H. Byron, H. B. Austin, S. G. Haley. It was voted to throw open the board of trade rooms on Mondays and Thursdays, both day and evening to the wives and families of the members and to invite them to use the rooms on those days just as they are used by the members and without further special invitation or announcements. The matter of increasing membership was also discussed and it was voted to invite the business men of the town and all others who might be interested to join the board of trade.

At the December term of the Law court convening this week at Augusta, five Franklin county cases will be argued, viz.: Orlando Weeks vs. Fessenden Hackett of New Vineyard; Ed Stetson et als. vs. Ed Grant et als., a Rangeley case; Eliza McCleery vs. Woodman Lewis of New Vineyard; Phillips Village Corporation vs. Phillips Water Co.; State vs. George Barker of Jay. Attorneys J. C. Holman, E. E. Richards, F. W. Butler and C. N. Blanchard have charge of the cases.

Mrs. Harold Libby has been quite seriously ill this week, but at this writing is a little more comfortable.

Ephraim McMullen of Kingfield was in town Thursday.

F. D. Bartlett of Berlin, N. H., General Superintendent of the Berlin Mills Co.'s lumber mills was in Phillips Tuesday.

The arguments in the Phillips water case before the law court at Augusta were made Thursday by Attorney E. E.

## Weather In Maine.

Fishing has not began again, but the weather of the past few days is a gentle reminder of what we may expect next June. Maine is viewing the unusual spectacle of seeing the windows up and the doors kept open on account of the warm weather.

Many small ponds that had frozen over were flooded by the incessant rains of the present week, the ice in the river has broken up and there has been no freezing weather since.

The present weather and season does not permit either fishing or good lumbering conditions as the snow has all melted and teaming in the woods is considerably if not entirely spoiled for the present.

## THIRTY-SIX KILLED.

Dr. J. H. Rollins Put These to Death in Oxford and Franklin Counties.

Dr. J. H. Rollins, state agent of the Humane society, was in town Monday. Dr. Rollins had Elmer Holt of Carthage before John A. Decker, trial justice of Weld, last Tuesday, on complaint of neglect to improve the conditions surrounding his horses and hogs at his farm and he pleaded guilty and it cost him about \$9. Dr. Rollins last September warned Holt that if he did not improve sanitary conditions he would be fined and he refused to do so, hence the arrest.

Speaking of humane matters Dr. Rollins said that since September 10 he had put out of misery in Oxford and Franklin counties 36 horses.

## DR. HILTON ACQUITTED.

### Charge of Unprofessional Conduct In Wilbur Case Dismissed.

Death of Florence Wilbur of Rangeley at Phillips, Nov. 24, Was Cause of Hearing. Father and Sister Reluctantly Testify. Dr. Currier, Principal Witness, Tells of Her Last End. Complete Vindication of Dr. Hilton With Death of Woman.

Dr. John F. Hilton, who appeared before Judge Locke in Farmington, on a charge of malpractice, was acquitted after a brief hearing Tuesday afternoon. The hearing grew out of the death of Miss Florence Wilbur, of Rangeley, at the home of Mrs. Sarah Elizabeth Freese, of Phillips, on November 24 last, the cause of death being returned as "hemorrhage following an abortion," certificate to that effect being signed by Dr. E. B. Currier of Phillips.

At the hearing there appeared as witnesses Drs. Currier and Bell, the latter of Strong, Warren Wilbur, father, and Georgia Ina, sister, of the dead girl and Mrs. Freese. E. E. Richards appeared for the respondent and the State was represented by County Attorney Blanchard.

The case hinged mainly upon the admissibility of the dying declaration, so called, attempted to be introduced by the State which was ineffectual.

The evidence of the doctors disclosed that the girl suffered a miscarriage, but the cause of it was not fully established.

In fact, testimony to this effect was so slight that the court promptly acquitted Dr. Hilton, no connection on his part with this fact having been presented. It was shown that Dr. Hilton had treated the young woman after her coming to Phillips on November 14, where she stayed at a local hotel and had called upon her professionally after she went to her aunt's, Mrs. Freese. Further than that death was due to hemorrhage and evidences of miscarriage, nothing was proven to connect Dr. Hilton with her death.

It was the sad case of a girl who concealed from her parents and friends her true condition, and the father and sister tearfully testified that they knew nothing of her trouble. The sister said she had come from Rangeley soon after Florence came to Phillips in response to a telephone message and that she had called in Dr. Hilton, who had been treating her sister for a severe cold.

The father was visibly affected and told of his hasty summons to Phillips, of his long drive and arrival finding his daughter ill at the home of Mrs. Freese and of his calling in Dr. Currier, who was their family physician at Rangeley years before.

Dr. Currier, who was called to attend the unfortunate young woman, was the principal witness. He had returned the death certificate testifying that death was due to hemorrhage following abortion.

In a critical examination Dr. Currier testified that in his opinion there was a miscarriage and symptoms of pronounced lung trouble—hemorrhages which he saw on several visits but the cause of either he had no knowledge of. The effort of the State to introduce

what purported to be a dying declaration of Miss Wilbur was ineffectual. Dr. Currier said that she had told him the history of her case but what she said was not introduced.

Dr. Currier said that he was called to attend the Wilbur woman early Saturday morning, Nov. 23, and that he found her suffering from hemorrhage and after a digital examination decided, after a talk with her, upon the treatment he followed.

Saturday at 9.30 he saw her again, after calling Dr. Bell from Strong. In the afternoon he found her dying and she died in his presence. She made a statement to him, but the court did not admit it as a dying declaration, the Doctor testifying that neither he nor his patient believed that death was near. The patient was suffering badly from a cold as evidenced by frequent hemorrhages and in his opinion a miscarriage had occurred.

The immediate cause of death was an internal hemorrhage and it was brought on by what he knew of the previous history of her case from what she told him. But the patient never considered herself in danger of death and the Doctor did not at first consider her case hopeless, although he found congestion of the lungs.

On cross examination Dr. Currier said that from the physical examination he made he could assert that there had been a miscarriage, but how recent he would not say.

Dr. Bell corroborated the statements of Dr. Currier.

Warren Wilbur, father of the dead young woman was a reluctant witness and told of his calling in Dr. Currier, who had been their family physician and of discharging Dr. Hilton, who had attended his daughter. He was so grieved over the death that his memory was at fault at times and the court ruled out what he attempted to say his daughter told him, but he said it was nothing in reference to her condition, or the cause of it.

Georgia Ina Wilbur, sister of the dead girl, told about coming to Phillips in response to a phone from her sister and of calling in Dr. Hilton, who visited her sister at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Freese.

Mrs. Sarah Elizabeth Freese, the aunt, said that Florence came to her house Tuesday, Nov. 19, and was suffering from a severe cold.

Recalled, Dr. Currier was asked by the county attorney if Florence Wilbur had ever stated to him anything about the previous history of her case and he said that she had and that his treatment was somewhat dependent upon what she told him. No statement was made by her after 4 p. m. Saturday, when he had given up hopes of her recovery.

Recital, Wilbur hall Jan. 1, '08. Mary Parlin, reader, assisted by Mabel Starbird, soloist and Clara Sibilla pianist.

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## LADIES' SOCIAL UNION FAIR.

Successful Event by This Popular Organization.

The Ladies' Social Union held their annual fair at Wilbur hall Tuesday afternoon and evening and a very enjoyable time was had. The decorations at the hall were very pretty this year, the Christmas colors being artistically carried out. Red and green crepe paper was tastily festooned from the center of the ceiling to the corners of the hall and also draped over the windows.

The domestic table was the first one saw on the left on entering the hall and it boasted of many nice things to eat, and the lunches that were served here were temptingly good. At the right and on the other side of the entrance was the apron table, which always has a ready sale.

Below the apron table was the fancy bag table and many pretty and tastily made ones were exhibited. The fancy work tables were at the foot of the hall and work of all kinds from the twine doll for the den to the more expensive Coronation and Wallachian embroidery, was displayed.

In the foreground of the "Sweet Buy and Buy" were the sweet meats for old and young and this particular table was well patronized.

The center of the hall was used exclusively for the ice cream tables, which were set in the shape of a diamond and were surrounded by fir trees, each table being placed between two trees and bearing a white coverlet and a green and white bouquet. Fir trees were also used in the decorations at the domestic table. The committee on decorations received many compliments for their artistic arrangements of them.

The tables were in charge of the following: Apron; Mrs. H. M. Butterfield and Mrs. Octavia Badger.

Ice cream table; Mrs. Fred Hough, assisted by Misses Blanche Kenniston and Fannie Harlow.

Hall committee; Blanche Kenniston, Elmer Byron, Marion Noble.

Domestic table; Mrs. C. E. Parker, Mrs. C. E. Chandler, Mrs. J. W. Brackett.

Candy table; Mrs. W. S. Schofield, Mrs. A. S. Beedy.

Fancy work table; Mrs. A. D. Grafam, Mrs. E. V. Holt.

Bag table; Mrs. H. B. Austin, Mrs. Coney Allen, Misses Lucile French, Edythe Hatch, Fannie Harlow, Mr. John Russell.

The mystery packages this year were in charge of Mrs. Edward Greenwood and Mrs. H. W. True and at the announcement that they were on sale there was a merry scramble for one until they were all sold.

The selections on the Victor Talking machine by Irving C. Foss, manager of the Cressy & Allen music rooms at Farmington, were much enjoyed by those present and many praises were heard for this well-known machine.

Despite the fact that the weather was most unpleasant and stormy a large number defied the storm and attended this annual occasion. Although the receipts were not as large as usual the union made a good addition to their church fund.

## Strong High School Notes.

Miss Ruth Webster visited in Farmington over Sunday.

Miss Leola Worthley is working at Dr. Bell's and attending school.

Miss Laura Luce has been absent from school the past week on account of illness.

Miss Ethel Brackley spent Sunday at her home in Freeman.

The pupils in the Grammar school not absent a day during the fall term are: Clarence Goodwin, Eunice Goodwin, Milo Lewis, Ardine Richardson, Ethel Rounds, Marguerite Sample, Bernard Toothaker. The pupils obtaining a rank of 100 per cent in at least one final examination are: Charlotte Burns, Florence Goldsmith, Alice Hunter, Edwin Karlson, Milo Lewis, Lula Phillips, Frank Phillips, Ethel Rounds, Catherine Saunders, Nellie Witherell and Clifford Worthley.

## Strong.

Recital, Bell's hall Jan. 2, '08. Mary Parlin, reader, assisted by Mabel Starbird, soloist and Clara Sibilla pianist.

## GROVER KILLED PET COLT.

INSANE FROM DRINK SHOT HIM ON BONES OF "SOCKALEXIS."

Having Announced His Intention to Aged Mother, Avon Man Led Valuable Colt Into Woods and Killed It With Rifle Shot, Then Set Out For the West.

Sent to Jail For 20 Days to Sober Off. An inhuman act, only to be accounted for by temporary insanity, was committed Saturday morning last in Avon, near the Phillips line, by Marshall Grover, a well known one armed man, when he led his valuable 3 year old pet colt for which he had refused an offer of \$175, from his barn into the woods and shot it dead with a rifle, its body falling upon the dead bones of Sockalexix, also a family pet, whose existence had been mercifully terminated there by Grover's father several years ago.

Laying the rifle beside the dead pet Grover wandered about the woods aimlessly for a time and then started down the pike towards Strong, telling an acquaintance that he was bound for the Far West.

The aged mother of Grover, who had feared the worst having been repeatedly told by her son that he would kill his pet colt, called Deputy Sheriff Bell by 'phone and in half an hour Grover was overtaken and placed under arrest, charged with simple intoxication.

Grover had all the appearance of a man insane from drink or drugs and when asked why he had killed his pet colt said that he didn't want it to fall into hands that might abuse it. Then he became morose and silent and refused to speak further. He was tried before Justice D. R. Ross Monday and sentenced to 20 days in jail for intoxication. It is thought that ere his sentence expires his sanity may be inquired into.

The scene in court was quite affecting when his aged mother and his sister from Strong kissed Grover and tears came to eyes of all three while many a spectator were affected knowing the circumstances of the case.

After Justice Ross had read the charge and asked Grover if he was guilty or not of intoxication he promptly said: "Guilty, what's the penalty?"

"The extreme penalty" the court said "for first offense is \$10 or 30 days in jail."

"I'll take 30 days in jail" quickly responded Grover.

The court said that it did not wish to give the extreme and made it 20 days, remarking that the purpose was to allow him to sober up and recover his senses.

Grover said: "I'd rather you'd make it 30 days," but the court refused the strange request.

Grover is well known here and was intoxicated and recklessly driving his pet three-years-old about the streets Friday. His favorite tippie, they say, was a dynamite decoction compounded of hard cider and alcohol or liquor of any sort which produced in him spells of temporary insanity. He was justly proud of his colt and frequently refused good offers.

Grover's wife was divorced from him some time ago and his family affections seemed to center in his colt.

Friday afternoon he drove to his sister's house it Strong remaining until midnight, after having asked her to quit work and come home with him as he had plenty of money. Incidentally, he told her that at 9.30 on the next day he would kill his pet colt. He had told his anxious mother at home the same thing but as he had had frequent erratic drinking spells before she hardly gave credence to the threat.

Saturday morning, before the slaying of the colt, acquaintances met Grover leading the animal on the highway, rifle in hand. They knew of the threat and tried to have him return home but he refused. They were unarmed and Grover was in no mood to cross. So the colt was led to the strange grave beside Old Sockalexix.

## Danger In Asking Advice

When you have a cough or cold do not ask some one what is good for it, as there is danger in taking some unknown preparation. Foley's Honey and Tar cures coughs, colds, and prevents pneumonia. The genuine is in a yellow package. Refuse substitutes. W. A. D. Cragin, Phillips; L. L. Mitchell, Kingfield.



KING'S DAUGHTERS MEETING.  
Year's Work Divided Into Classified Committees.

On Friday evening last the King's Daughters met at the home of Mrs. Cora Beedy to hold their regular meeting. The day and night were all that could be desired and a large number availed themselves of the opportunity of being present.

At a previous meeting earlier in the fall it was suggested by one of the prominent members that the circle of King's Daughters be divided into sets of 10, so to speak, forming in themselves a distinct, classified committee and having as their objects the help and thoughtfulness of others. A committee of two were elected to carry out this suggestion and the report for the several committees and their duties was given at this meeting. The committees as elected were as follows:

Entertainment—Mrs. Josephine Larabee, Mrs. Alena Cragin, Mrs. Vina Allen, Miss Miriam Brackett, Miss Edna True, Mrs. Edith Haley, Mrs. Cora Whittemore, Mrs. May Hopkins, Mrs. Pearl Bubier, Mrs. Georgie Jacobs.

Lookout—Mrs. Evelyn Currier, Mrs. May Bartlett, Mrs. Lois Hutchins, Mrs. Lydia Harnden, Mrs. Nell Parker, Mrs. Cherry Pratt, Mrs. Frances Record, Mrs. Edith Wells, Mrs. Cora Beedy, Mrs. Nellie Hough.

Sewing—Mrs. Mittie Atwood, Mrs. Sarah Bangs, Mrs. Julia Pratt, Mrs. Laura Voter, Mrs. Lura Twombly, Mrs. Marcia Leavitt, Mrs. Eleanor Wells, Mrs. Clara Beede, Mrs. Jennie French, Mrs. Dora Jones, Mrs. Ella Hammond, Mrs. Addie True.

Finance—Mrs. Bertha Chandler, Mrs. Addie Parker, Mrs. Mary McKenzie, Mrs. Lucy Brackett, Mrs. Esma True, Mrs. Ethel Carter, Mrs. Winnie Harnden, Mrs. Josephine Allen, Mrs. Lillian Hoyt, Mrs. Clare Field, Mrs. Emma Greenwood.

Clothing—Mrs. Eva Toothaker, Mrs. Alberta Grover, Mrs. Emma Shepard, Mrs. Maud Beedy, Mrs. Mabel Hoyt,

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Literature—Miss Sarah Toothaker, Miss Cora Wheeler, Mrs. Cora Carlton, Mrs. Dora Granger, Mrs. Ida Leavitt, Mrs. Winnifred Toothaker, Miss Celia Whitney, Miss Annie Bean, Miss Edith Hinkley, Miss Hermia Beal, Mrs. Annie Eastwood.

Visiting—Mrs. Everdene Austin, Miss Milia Bangs, Miss Georgine Wilbur, Miss Cornelia Crosby, Miss Josie Beede, Mrs. Lillian Sedgeley, Miss Lucille French, Mrs. Daisy Beal, Mrs. Vesta Mahoney, Mrs. Jennie Dutton.

The duties of the committees were given as follows:

Entertainment—It shall be the duty of this committee to provide entertainment for each meeting of the circle, and when funds are needed, devise ways and means for procuring the same.

Lookout—This committee shall be ever on the lookout for those opportunities for doing good, which are upheld by the principles of our motto, and to report the needs of each case, as it presents itself, to the committee to which that special work has been assigned.

Sewing—The duty of the Sewing committee is to plan and superintend any sewing that may be done at the meetings, and see that the needs reported by the Lookout committee are attended to.

Finance—The Finance committee shall purchase all articles needed by the various committees and present the bills of same to the treasurer for payment.

Clothing—The clothing committee is to receive and distribute any clothing given to the circle.

Literature—This committee is to receive and distribute any reading matter given to the circle, making a special effort to reach those who have been denied the privileges of magazines and periodicals.

Visiting—The duty of this committee shall be to visit the sick and shut ins and to carry to them fruit and flowers, as it may seem best, but it shall have for its larger duty the planning and executing of our usual Thanksgiving and Christmas charities.

Anything in the clothing or literature line may be given by anyone to the chairman or any member of those committees and they will see that the same is distributed.

The evening passed most pleasantly and the hostess evidently knew the delights of the "inner man" of the Daughters in generously serving them with homemade candies, after which at a late hour they departed for their several homes.

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THE REMEDY THAT QUICKLY EXPELS THEM

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GENTS' FURNISHINGS.

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Kingfield.

We are glad to note J. Willis Jordan as convalescing from an attack of pneumonia.

Miss Edna Scribner has returned from Round Mountain lake where she has had employment for the past seven months.

Last week Mrs. Herbert S. Wing and Master Milton were in Phillips with relatives.

Union revival services for a period of ten days will be held at the Evangelical church beginning Thursday evening, Dec. 12. Workers, Rev. Mr. Ingalls of Lowell, Singing Evangelist Rev. David F. Burns of Boston, Rev. George O. Bruce and Rev. L. Arthur White of Kingfield and others. Services every evening. Song service at seven o'clock and preaching at half past seven. On Sunday at the usual hour services will be held.

The last of the week Henry E. Mayo of Salem was a business caller in this village

Mrs. L. L. Mitchell and children spent several days recently with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Otis Hutchins, in New Portland.

Mrs. Henry McKenny is recovering from a long illness from typhoid fever and is now able to sit up a short time each day.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Heway have returned from Phillips where they have been for several months and have gone to housekeeping in A. A. Dyer's house.

Wednesday and Thursday of this week the fifteenth annual fair and sale given by the ladies of the Universalist church will be held.

A. W. Mayo of Freeman was a caller here on business.

Quite a number of hunters were in the woods last week, but until more snow comes luck will be against them.

Frank Hutchins is scaling lumber for W. B. Small.

Our stores are putting on their holiday attire.

Our public schools opened on Monday with the same teachers as last term with the exception of one of the Primary grades which was taught by Miss Mable Hutchins who is attending the F. S. N. S. this winter. Miss Webster is filling the vacancy.

L. L. Mitchell is having his house wired for electric lights. Electrician R. S. Huse is doing the work.

Last week Mrs. E. W. Simmons was confined to the house by illness.

F. A. Crossman has recently returned from a two weeks' trip to Massachusetts. His family return this week.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Page visited Mrs. Page's mother, Mrs. Furbush, in Freeman over Sunday.

At the vestry of the F. B. church on Sunday p. m. the Loyal Temperance Legion met with a large attendance. During the winter, meetings will be held once a month.

Mrs. Horace G. Winter and Miss Lelia Hunnewell called on friends at North New Portland last week.

John Winter, Esq., and Master Glenn returned Saturday from a two weeks' visit in Boston.

A few days ago Miss Hattie Foss of Fairbanks visited her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. D. N. Foss.

Friday week a most successful twelve weeks term of school closed at West Kingfield, Miss Annie Adams of Lubec, teacher. Lilla Durrell was neither absent or tardy for the term. In behalf of the pupils and their families Master Percy Cummings presented Miss Adams a mirror and silver thimble. In the evening a box social was held which was attended by about 50 people. Games were enjoyed; the trip to Paris being worthy of mention, after which the following programme was most successfully carried out by the pupils:

Vacation Time,	Hilda Bradbury
The Boy Orator,	Charles Smith
The Cobweb,	Florence Cummings
A Small Boy's Wish,	Clyde Watson
It Finished Him,	Teddy Bradbury

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A Child's Fancy,  
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How I'd Like School,  
What the Grandmothers' Say,  
A Boy's Plea,  
Our Stanley,  
Our Flag,  
Grandma's,  
A Four Leaf Clover,  
Just as His Mother Used to Do,  
City Agriculture,  
At the Door,  
A Child's Wonder,  
When Father Files the Saw,  
Only a Pin,  
Er. Skinner's Valentine,  
A Boy's Decision,

Bernice Horn  
Grace Smith  
Barbara Benson  
Elwin Durrell  
Mabel Getchel,  
Alvin Watson  
Walter Smith  
Four Girls  
Teddy Bradbury  
Grace Smith  
Hilda Bradbury  
Percy Cummings  
Barbara Benson  
Charlie Smith  
Mabel Getchell  
Lilla Durrell  
Viola Getchell  
Bernard Doyle

Mr. and Mrs. Nat Luce of the Hammond field, Carrabasset called on friends here recently.

Miss Annie Fentiman spent last week with friends at her home in Freeman.

Rev. Geo. O. Bruce pastor of the Exangelical church was quite ill several days recently.

Last week excellent skating on the the Mill pond was enjoyed by the children and older ones as the weather was perfect for this season.

Miss Mary Lufkin was called to Flagstaff last week by the illness of her brother-in-law, Herbert Rogers, who underwent an operation for amputation of a leg, lameness from which he has suffered greatly the past few months. A permanent recovery is now hoped for.

Master Hazen Alward got a good sized deer near Worthley's camps, Carrabasset a few days ago.

As noted in last week's issue, Mrs Geo. H. Winter was called to Cabot, Vt., by the critical illness of her father, N. S. Hawkes, who suffered a stroke of paralysis from which he never rallied, passing away the fifth inst. Mr. Winter joined Mrs. Winter in Bucksfield, Me., where the remains were taken for interment in the family lot on Saturday.

The Missionary circle of the F. B. church were pleasantly entertained Tuesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. I. N. Stanley. A fine entertainment was listened to with pleasure by the large number who attended.

During the ten days Union Revival services all services with the exception of the Sunday morning preaching service will be discontinued at the F. B. church.

Friends in the Universalist church numbering about 75 for which for some time he has acted as chorister, gave Roscoe C. Tufts a most complete surprise party at the home of his mother, Mrs. Emily Tufts, Thursday evening week. Music and conversation helped the evening pass most pleasantly. Assorted cakes and coffee were liberally served. Rev. L. R. Schafer presented the host a beautiful music cabinet, to which he pleasantly responded.

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Several days recently Geo. M. French was unable to work on account of boils on his neck which were most painful.

LETTER FROM HI HUNTOON.

Former Franklin County Man Now In Greenleaf, Kansas.

GREENLEAF, KANSAS, Dec. 2, 1907.

To the Editor of MAINE WOODSMAN:  
For fear that I shall be forgotten by my many friends in "dear old Maine," I will venture jotting down a few thoughts that may be of interest to some one.

The year of 1907 has been a fairly good one in Kansas, although crops have not been as good as some years, but better prices for all kinds of farm products give us a money value equal to any previous year.

MAINE WOODS and WOODSMAN come to me every week, more newsy than ever and it's better than a personal letter from home and I was quite surprised to read of one patron that is very fond of MAINE WOODSMAN but don't care for the other.

To me it would be like discovering man and wife, for I love to read of others enjoying the fishing and hunting if I can't.

I was glad to read the communication from the "Weldite" on prohibition and I concur with him that I am proud of the honor of being born in Maine, and in Franklin county.

I am prohibition to the core and all through my life I have always made it my duty to go to the polls and in a legal way give the rum traffic a black eye. I would not stoop so low as to go into a saloon and get a drink for the purpose of securing evidence of its unlawful sale. I would consider myself just as guilty as the man behind the bar. I suppose that I can say something that not many can say at my age. I am past 72 years of age and never drank a glass of liquor in my life.

The usual kick comes to you that the banking system is mighty poor and no one knows when his savings are safe. I have heard of no one losing a dollar yet. Our banking is good and sound. If you have a dollar it is worth a dollar either in paper or silver and business and prosperity is traveling hand in hand as it has in recent years.

I read in the WOODSMAN some time this summer of the finding of a new pond that had never been discovered before. Perhaps I can tell you of another one when a boy at home on the old homestead in Madrid, a chum playmate of mine in the person of Putnam Hankerson (now dead) came over after me to go with him to help find some lost sheep about Christmas time. We struck out over the hill west from the old Hankerson homestead and walked on until we went into a valley between two ridges of high land and found the lost sheep near a small pond of water and as near as I can remember it must have contained about five or ten acres and in all probability some trout. I have never heard of its being

Cough Caution

Never, positively never poison your lungs. If you cough—even from a simple cold only—you should always heal, soothe, and ease the irritated bronchial tubes. Don't blindly suppress it with a stupefying poison. It's strange how some things finally come about. For twenty years Dr. Shoop has constantly warned people not to take cough mixtures or prescriptions containing Opium, Chloroform, or similar poisons. And now—a little late though—Congress says "Put it on the label, if poisons are in your Cough Mixture." Good! Very good! Hereafter for this very reason mothers, and others, should insist on having Dr. Shoop's Cough Cure. No poison marks on Dr. Shoop's labels—and none in the medicine, else it must by law be on the label. And it's not only safe, but it is said to be by those that know it best, a truly remarkable cough remedy. Take no chance then, particularly with your children. Insist on having Dr. Shoop's Cough Cure. Compare carefully the Dr. Shoop package with others and note the difference. No poison marks there! You can always be on the safe side by demanding

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Cough Cure  
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visited by anyone and the only person living that would be apt to know anything about it would be my old school-mate, Orin Hinkley, of Madrid.

If I were to express my sentiments on the Searles murder case, I would say if Searles had shot his brother instead of his wife, he would have done a better job.

With best regards,  
HI HUNTOON.

G. A. R. Officers Chosen.

At the election of officers of C. B. Clayton Post No. 134, of Strong the following officers were chosen: C., Comrade Prescott; S. V., Comrade Boston; J. V., Comrade Vining; chaplain, Comrade Hunter; Surgeon, Comrade Gilman; O. D., Comrade Thurston; O. G., Comrade Gates; committee to procure speaker for Memorial day, Comrade Bell; committee on music, Comrade Hunter; delegate to encampment, Comrade Welch, alternate, Comrade Thurston.

Eustis.

Mary and Willie Guinard have come to attend school. Willie is going to board at Harry Sylvester's and Mary has gone to Stratton to board with her sister, Mrs. Elvar Jones.

George Douglass and wife have gone down to George Scribner's house to cook for Sargent and Wyman who are logging there.

Scott Lockyer has returned home for his vacation from the University of Maine.

Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Stubbs have come out from Alder Stream farm where they have been for a few weeks.

Public Speaker Interrupted

Public speakers are frequently interrupted by people coughing. This would not happen if Foley's Honey and Tar were taken, as it cures coughs and colds and prevents pneumonia and consumption. The genuine contains no opiates and is in a yellow package. W. A. D. Cragin, Phillips; L. L. Mitchell, Kingfield.

Wilton.

Mr. F. J. Goodspeed was in Livermore Falls on business Tuesday.

Miss Flora Carleton returned to her home in Troy Tuesday.

Ernest Mosher with his mother spent Thanksgiving with his brother in Weld.

Misses Lettie and Julia Ellis of Weld were in town a few days last week, the guest of their brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Ellis.

Mr. Carl Hall was in Lewiston Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Blanchard and family spent Thanksgiving with her brother, Will Savage, in Farmington.

The many friends of Viola Calden will be pleased to learn that she is able to sit up a little each day, though still in Portland and in care of a trained nurse.

H. G. Staples returned from Hartford, Conn., Saturday and reports a fine trip and a large attendance at the National Grange.

THE VOTING GONTEST.

Mrs. I. L. Eldridge of Kingfield Makes a Good Start.

In the voting contest inaugurated by the MAINE WOODSMAN in which a \$72.50 Model Hub range will be given to the lady of Kingfield or New Portland receiving the largest number of votes, Mrs. I. L. Eldridge of Kingfield has started off with 120 votes.

Now, there must be some lady of New Portland, in fact there must be several in both Kingfield and New Portland, who would like such a useful gift but are too modest, perhaps, to

ask their friends to work for them.

Vote coupons may be obtained by payment of old or new subscriptions. This is the time of the year to get your friends working for you. The conditions are printed in each issue of the MAINE WOODSMAN.

Get a move on, and let's have a warm contest from now on!

Salem.

E. R. Heath has returned to Massachusetts.

Delbert Plaisted has gone to New York.

Mrs. Ena Perry and Mrs. Blanche Seavey visited in New Portland this week.

Mrs. May Elwell and son, Harry, of Wilton have been visiting here.

Fred Childs is working at Starks for a few weeks.

Fred Ellsworth has a crew cutting birch in the east part of the town.

Harry Elwell shot a deer a few days ago. Linwood Reed, a lad of 13, also secured a good one.

West Freeman.

Indian summer weather prevails.

F. W. B. Quarterly meeting will be held here this week. We hope the weather and traveling will remain as favorable as now.

I. P. Savage saw a flock of wild geese pass northward one day last week. Isn't that another sign of a mild winter?

Grandma Hamblet passed a pleasant birthday last Friday. Mrs. E. J. Savage came to dine with her. An old-fashioned boiled dinner was served in the old-fashioned way. The table was covered with a home woven cloth of a handsome pattern, the filling for which grandma spun when a child of 12 years. The plate on which her dinner was served was one from a set on which the Thanksgiving dinners were served in the far away days of her childhood. Her niece and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Osten Will, came to take supper with her and spend the evening. Several letters and gifts from absent relatives and friends helped to brighten the day.

Christmas comes as our next holiday, the birthday of the Christ child, God's most blessed gift to man. Let us not fill it so full of the burden of forced gift making that the joyousness all slips out of the day. But let us remember to make happy some one who seldom, if ever receives a gift.

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Freeman Center.

Mr. C. E. Blackwell from Massachusetts spent a few days with his brother, C. N. Blackwell and family, also his sister, Mrs. F. M. Weymouth, of this place. He also visited relatives in Salem, Farmington, and New Portland.

We understand that Allen Eustis has sold his farm to Alonzo Richards.

Miss Annie Fentiman from Kingfield visited at T. J. Pennell's a few days last week.

People are very busy lumbering now but some are wanting a little more snow to make better hauling.

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Franklin County Officers.  
Clerk of Courts—Byron M. Small, Farmington.  
County Attorney—Cyrus N. Blanchard, Wilton.  
Judge of Probate—Josiah H. Thompson, Farmington.  
Register of Probate—Albion L. Fenderson Farmington.  
Register of Deeds—George D. Clark, New Vineyard.  
Treasurer—Carleton P. Merrill, Farmington.  
Sheriff—Dana O. Coolidge, Jay.  
Deputies—Joseph A. Witham, Weld; W. B. Small, Kingfield; James H. Howes, New Sharon; A. J. Merriman, Jay; Herman Sanborn, Wilton; George M. Esty, Rangeley; Harry E. Bell, Phillips; David Richardson, Strong; Lester D. Eaton, Farmington; Charles S. Robbins, Chesterville; W. S. Morrow, New Vineyard.  
County Commissioners—Charles R. Hall, East Dixfield, B. F. Beal, Phillips; Sherman I. Bean, Jay.  
Terms of Supreme Judicial Court, the first Tuesday of February, third Tuesday of May and fourth Tuesday of September.  
Terms of Probate Court, the third Tuesday of each month.  
Regular session of County Commissioners court, last Tuesday of April and last Tuesday of December.

The President's Message.  
THERE are some 30,000 words in President Roosevelt's recent message to Congress and we do not expect that all of our readers waded through the lengthy document. It has well received throughout the country, being a continuation of the Roosevelt policy of reform.  
Following are the prominent recommendations in the message:  
Law to regulate the issue of securities of interstate corporations.  
Law for railroad valuation.  
National incorporation or license or the two methods in cooperation.  
Amend the Sherman act, so as to outlaw not combination but industrial conspiracy.  
Legislation for an elastic currency.  
Inheritance tax. An income tax if a constitutional plan can be devised.  
Limitation of the abuse of injunction.  
Compulsory investigation of strikes.  
National grain inspection.  
Expansion of forest reserves.  
Storage of water power; deepening of navigable rivers and canalization.  
Free wood pulp; land law reform.  
Legislation to promote American ocean shipping; the establishment of quick mail American ships by amending the law of 1891 in favor of 17 knot ships.  
Limitation of campaign funds.  
Four new battleships.  
Tariff revision at an extra session in 1909.

Phillips's Sidewalks.  
THE dangerous condition in which the sidewalks in the business part of the town were permitted to remain after

recent snow storm is unworthy of the spirit of progress of a New England town and would be excusable only in Alaska settlements. With one exception, ice and snow were permitted to remain in front of business places and customers approached from the middle roadway, few venturing on the icy walks.  
A little elbow grease would have easily removed the snow and ice. Until the town authorities took a hand in scattering sawdust on the walks the public preferred the road way. Such neglect should not be permitted to continue during the winter. Clear of your walks after a storm and keep them safely passable.  
THE new \$20 gold pieces, minus the motto, "In God We Trust," are out. We have not yet heard of any of them being refused in Phillips, for the reason that the religious motto is missing.

MAINE WOODS and WOODSMAN, 16 pages, Maine's most unique newspaper combination, covering Maine generally and Franklin county specially, is the most acceptable gift for an absent friend of Maine, for 1908 only \$1.50.

Approves Auditor Hatch.  
ONE of our democratic exchanges declares it to be "inconceivable" that a republican state government would continue state Auditor Hatch in power. On the contrary we would remind our friend that it was a republican legislature which created the office, a republican Governor who, after diligent searching, made the appointment, and we are all, barring a very few State officials, as pleased as we can be with the work Mr. Hatch is doing. Strength to his nerve! He is the sort of stuff we want to find in our next republican candidate for Governor.—Farmington Chronicle.

Rangeley.  
The little child of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Peary is ill with pneumonia.  
Miss Edith Nutting has been spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. Reuben Wilbur.  
At the monthly conference of the Free Baptist church last Thursday evening the following delegates were chosen to attend the Quarterly meeting at West Freeman, Dec. 10, 11 and 12. Mr. and Mrs. Eben Rowe, Miss Hazel Rowe and Mrs. George Kempton.  
Mrs. Vaughn of Stratton and Mrs. Williamson of Coplin were in town Wednesday of last week.  
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Harris are in Salem for a few days, guests of Mr. Harris's parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. P. Harris.  
Mr. Jarvis Tyler of Farmington was in town last week.  
Rev. Mr. Freeman is boarding at F. E. Russells during his stay in town.  
The Ladies' Aid met last week with Mrs. Frank Stewart. They will hold their annual Christmas sale of fancy articles on Dec. 14, at the Library rooms.  
At Entwistle Lodge, I. O. O. F. last Friday night, the imitative degree was conferred, after which a supper was served. It had been expected that the Kingfield and Phillips lodges would be present, but owing to sickness among some of the out of town members their visit has been postponed.  
Mrs. Colby is visiting her son, Dr. Fred Colby.  
Harry Huntoon is coo ing in the woods for Lee Haley.  
Miss Gilbert, who has been caring for J. Sherman Hoar returned to Lewiston Monday.  
Misses Sadie Jacobs and Doris Oliver

spent several days at Eugene Soule's camp at Gull pond recently.  
Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ross are the proud parents of a baby boy born Dec. 6.  
Mrs. Austin Hinkley was in Farmington Monday night on her way to Lewiston where she will spend a few days.  
H. A. Furbish and P. Richardson were in Augusta last week.  
Harold B. McCard, who is employed at the bank, is enjoying a two week's vacation.  
At the Grange Saturday evening the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Worthy Master, Sylvader Hinkley; Overseer, Austin Hinkley; Lecturer, Mrs. Sylvader Hinkley; Steward, Leslie Doak; Assistant Steward H. B. McCard; Chaplain, Ella Rowe; Secretary, William Tomlinson; Treasurer, Eben Rowe; Ceres, Thalie Hoar, Pomona, Lulene Pillsbury; Flora, Sadie Jacobs; Gatekeeper, Lynwood Carlton; Janitor, E. L. Toothaker.  
Miss Lucille Harris is ill with the measles.  
There is a great deal of sickness in town and the physicians are kept very busy.  
Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Bridgman are visiting relatives in East Lamoine for a few days.  
Mr. Thomas Harnden of Phillips is the guest of his daughter, Mrs. Maurice Toothaker.

At the concert given by Mr. Foss last week, over \$12 was cleared which will be used for the benefit of the library.  
The K. of P's admitted several new members into their lodge last Monday night.  
Several ladies in town gave a whist party at the K. P. whist hall last Friday evening. About 40 invited guests were present. The first prizes were won by A. D. Cragin and Mrs. Charles Barrett and the consolation prizes by Axel Tibbetts and Mrs. Walter Oakes. Cake and ice cream were served.  
Rangeley lake froze over last week.  
The High school which was to have begun Monday will have to be postponed for a while, as the principal, H. L. Bradford, has the whooping cough.

Mr. William Wilcox, whose death was noted in last week's paper, was born in Lubec, Maine, April 21, 1839; and passed from this to a better life, Nov. 26, 1907. He was the son of Charles and Prudence Parker Wilcox. He married Miss Belzara Ross of this town, who with five children, Ruel R., James E., George H., Leaman W. and Clyde F. Wilcox survives him. Hewas a kind husband and loving father and will be greatly missed in the home circle.  
For over 20 years he has been a faithful member of the F. B. church, though for the past few years sickness has prevented him from attending church services. He bore his suffering with great patience and was most tenderly cared for by his devoted wife and children.  
The funeral services were held at the church Friday, Nov. 29. Rev. M. S. Hutchins of Phillips officiating.  
"Dear father, thou hast left us here Alone to stem life's tide. No guardian hand to guide the helm As down life's stream we glide. We miss the father, Oh! so much, We miss thy kindly smile Thy ever ready sympathy Which long sad hours beguile."

A Real Wonderland.  
South Dakota, with its silver mines, bonanza farms, wide ranges and strange natural formations, is a veritable wonderland. At Mound City, in the home of Mrs. E. D. Clapp, a wonderful case of healing has lately occurred. Her son seemed near death with lung and throat trouble. "Exhausting coughing spells occurred every five minutes," writes Mrs. Clapp, "when I began giving Dr. King's New Discovery, the great medicine that saved his life and completely cured him." Guaranteed for coughs and colds, throat and lung troubles, by W. A. D. Cragin, Phillips; L. L. Mitchell, Kingfield; Chas. E. Dyer, Strong; E. H. Whitney, Rangeley, druggists. 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

Maine Woods.  
Five cents a whiff, steady breeze all the year \$1.

DENTIST  
Dr. L. J. Holt of Phillips will be at the residence of A. E. Blodgett, Rangeley, from  
Monday, Jan. 6, to  
Saturday, Jan. 11, 1908  
Holt's offices will be closed from Tuesday, Nov. 26, to Saturday Nov. 30.

# For Lung Troubles

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Aurora Grange.  
A regular meeting of Aurora grange, Strong, was held on Tuesday evening, Dec. 3, Worthy Master Ernest Vining

## Holiday Announcement.

I have just unpacked a nice line of goods for the Holiday trade. A cordial invitation is extended to all to come in and see my new store and examine the new Christmas goods.

DRY GOODS DEPARTMENT.

In my Dry Goods department you will find a choice assortment of towels, tray cloths, napkins, center pieces, ladies' handkerchiefs, neckwear, white aprons, golf gloves, fancy combs, Teddie Bears, etc.

CLOTHING DEPARTMENT.

I am showing a well assorted line of coat sweaters, Negligee shirts, night robes, ties, gloves, initial handkerchiefs, silk mufflers, suspenders, arm bands, cuff buttons, pocket books, etc. You can find appropriate presents here for the whole family at prices within the reach of all.

S. J. WYMAN,  
French Block, Kingfield, Maine.

## WINTER IS NEAR.

Don't shiver these cold days but come to our store and buy some good warm underwear.  
We are now selling Gents \$1.00 and \$1.25 Underware at 79c.  
Boy's 25c and 50c Underware at 19c while it lasts.  
When your ears are cold don't forget that you can buy Men's \$1.00 and \$1.25 Caps at 75c. Boys' 25c and 50c Caps at 19c and a large assortment to choose from.  
Don't wait until the bargains are all taken and then kick because you did not get your choice, unless you wear the Bass shoe, to protect your feet, which is the best for men and boys. We keep them in all sizes.

NEAL, OAKES & QUIMBY, Rangeley, Maine.

## PHONOGRAPHS

Edison Phonographs and all the latest records carried in stock.  
Also a good line of General Merchandise can be found at this store.

H. A. LOOK, Rangeley.

Just received a line of Johnson Pants \$2.50, \$2.75, \$3.25, \$3.50  
Johnson's Waterproof Pants at \$3.50.  
Winter Caps 50c. to \$2.25.  
H. V. KIMBALL'S, Rangeley, Maine.  
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### AMONG THE CHURCHES.

The pulpit of the Union church was, as usual, occupied by Rev. M. S. Hutchins. Introducing his sermon Mr. Hutchins said that this criticism was spoken of some ministers. They have but one sermon, and that is made to do duty upon all occasions. Whatever the subject they assume to have chosen they say practically the same thing. Now this criticism is launched forth as fault finding, but in reality it may be praise, for the topic upon which one continually speaks may be such that it is worthy of constant use. The theme which I wish each sermon of mine to present is that of the life of Jesus and the power of that life to help humanity.

The text this morning is in the twelfth chapter of Hebrews, the last part of the first verse and the first part of the second: "Let us run with patience the race that is set before us, looking unto Jesus the author and finisher of our faith."

Our human life is often compared to a walk. In that most beautiful psalm, the twenty-third, it is spoken of in that way: walking through the valley of the shadow of death, walking in green pastures, and beside the still waters. In the Old Testament are numerous references to our walking with God, and to God's walking with man. Paul speaks of the necessity of walking circumspectly. It takes patience to walk as well as patience to run. Something beyond us may beckon for hastening steps, while near us in the path are duties that bid us walk and we must needs be patient as we keep on with our tasks. In the history of the world's development there have been periods when progress has been made only by walking. Such were the centuries of persecution when cruelty and intoler-

ance held the world in their grasp. Such were the Dark Ages when ignorance darkened the land and carnage deluged it with blood, when superstition hid much of the true light and men seemed to have forgotten that all are brothers.

But the present is the age of running. In all departments of human interests men are going forward rapidly. It is thus keeping life symmetrical. Science, literature, invention, all kinds of intellectual activity, including religious thought are showing that they are running in the race.

Picture the runner prepared for the race. He stands at the appointed starting place, bending forward ready for the word of command that shall bid him go. Every nerve is tense, every muscle is ready for action, every sense alert. At the word of command he is away. But it requires patience to hasten. You rightly question the wisdom of a driver who having a long distance to travel urges his horse at the beginning of the journey to his utmost speed. He too quickly uses the reserve force of the animal. The runner, who uses at the very first the limit of his available strength will find himself quickly exhausted. But beginning carefully, running with patience, he will be able before the race is ended to draw upon the reserve strength which is at the command of those thus run.

Pastor Wagner the advocate of the "Simple Life," and whose book of that title has made his name prominent, declares that by the "Simple Life" is not meant a life of ease. Rather it is a life of activity, but its activities are not expended in attempting to secure so many of the non-essentials to human comfort as great numbers of people seem to think it necessary to obtain. Living the simple life one does not rush

after those things which have no lasting value. There is need to run with patience.

The question of interest then is, How may we run with patience? The answer is, Look to Jesus. His is the perfect life, never falling back or stopping in the race. In whatever way we consider the life of Jesus we shall have an example that will help us.

Think of him as our friend. We are fond of speaking of Jesus as friend and of his teaching of friendship.

I think we often fail to attach the right significance to the term friend. We think of it as meaning one whose companionship we enjoy; but that is far from being all that friend signifies. We speak of the friendship of David and Jonathan as a type of the highest friendship. That friendship meant more to Jonathan than joy in presence of David. It meant sending him away for his greater good, it meant yielding his own prospects of advancement for the sake of his friend; it meant giving even his own life if necessary for the good of that friend. This is the primary meaning of friendship; sacrifice, giving of one's self, forgetting one's self for another. Jesus was, Jesus is our friend, looking to him, seeing this proof of his friendship, while ours to him was yet ungiven we learn patience.

When one is in training for a race sometimes another, the coach, a helper, runs by his side. This one is called the pace-setter, and in the race he sometimes runs for a time helping the runner to gauge his speed and to run in such a way that he may continue. Jesus it is who in the race of life is by our side to set the pace we may take. Well does he know how to do this. He has known all the experience of human life save such alone as come through yielding to sin.

To the runner who is nearing the goal having made the last circuit of the course, and who feels his strength and endurance about to fail, may come the saving consciousness of his reserve strength upon which he may draw when all other has been used. So in our race of life having seen Jesus as our friend, having run in the race according to the pace he has set for us, we may find our strength failing, but we may look unto Jesus as the source of our power. Astronomers tell us that upon the planet Mars there are discovered signs indicating that it is inhabited. During a part of the year the regions around the poles of the planet are white, evidently owing to snow which has fallen there. The other portions of the planet have the appearance of arid deserts. But after a time the whiteness of the snow gives place to indications of open water, great polar oceans. Then as they watch through the most powerful telescopes they see lines of verdure crossing the tracts from ocean to ocean. The cause seems to be found in canals which have been cut across the arid wastes and through which the polar waters send their life-giving moisture. We infer, then, that beings of intelligence inhabit Mars, and by the construction of these canals have made a way for the coming of vegetation and life which could not otherwise flourish.

Jesus has infinite power upon which we may call, and which will fill our lives as the waters of the polar oceans of Mars fill the channels that are open to them and carry beauty and life to the land. The channel by which this power will come is prayer, a way that is open to us if we will but use it.

Then we are to look upon Jesus as the author and finisher of our faith. He has revealed unto us, God: we see God in him. He is the author of our faith that God will dwell with man, and as we look unto him our faith is perfected.

If Jesus be our friend, if life has set the pace by which we walk in, if he has power to help and to save, if by prayer this power may be brought into our lives, then by looking unto him and praying into him we shall receive that power which will enable us to run with patience the race set before us.

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Five cents a week, steady for the year \$1.

### THE GREATEST WEDDING.

Over Twenty Thousand Persons Were Married by One Ceremony.

The biggest wedding ever known to history was when Alexander the Great and over 10,000 of his soldiers took part in a wedding in the court of Darius, king of Persia, after the latter's conquest by Alexander. Twenty thousand two hundred and two persons were made husbands and wives in one ceremony.

The facts are these: After conquering King Darius, Alexander determined to wed Statira, daughter of the conquered king, and issued a decree that on that occasion 100 of his chief officers should marry 100 women from the noblest Persian and Median families. He further stipulated that 10,000 of his Greek soldiers should take to wife 10,000 Asiatic women.

For this purpose a vast pavilion was erected, the pillars being sixty feet high. One hundred gorgeous chambers adjoined this for the 100 noble bridegrooms, while for the 10,000 soldiers an outer court was inclosed. Outside of this tables were spread for the multitude.

Each pair had seats and ranged themselves in a semicircle round the royal throne. As it would have taken several weeks for the few priests to have married this vast number of couples had the ceremony been performed in the ordinary way, Alexander invented a simple way out of the difficulty. He gave his hand to Statira and kissed her, and all the remaining bridegrooms did the same to the women beside them, and thus ended the ceremony that united the greatest number of people at one time ever known.

Then occurred a five days' festival which for grandeur and magnificence never has since been equaled.

### MAN AND HIS HORSE.

The Way to Show Approval That the Animal Will Appreciate.

Caress plays no small part in developing the best in any horse, but this is never to be by word of mouth. You may as well curse as bless for all your horse knows or cares. The caress of the hand addressed to the part with which the animal has just performed some feat is always appreciated—the expression shows that—and one loves to see a good man as he lands safe over a big place just reach back and give the clever horse a loving pat or two on that swelling muscular loin which has been the chief agent in negotiating the obstruction.

Do not pat neck or shoulder or part not actively engaged in the undertaking. Caress may do no good, but it is pleasant to believe that it does, and we are quite positive that the voice simply diverts attention. The former mode of address is at least worthy of trial if only as a mark of appreciation between two gentlemen. The threatening tones appear sometimes serviceable, but this is so only if horses have been abused and punishment with the stern wild horse is as indifferent of affection as to that of a "Schooling" horse. Ware in Outing Magazine.

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### A Domestic Break.

A well known lord discovered in his London house. Aided by butler, he secured the man and then rang the bell. A servant appeared, whom the peer requested to "go into the kitchen and bring up a policeman or two." The domestic said there were no policemen in the house.

### DEATH OF SUPT. PIERCE.

Prominent Educator In Charge Of Franklin County Schools.

C. W. Pierce, who died suddenly at his home in Farmington recently, fitted for college at Westbrook Seminary and graduated from Colby in the class of 1894 with most creditable standing, and possessed the respect, esteem and friendship of everyone with whom he came in contact during his college course.

He at once entered upon the profession of teaching, and for three years served as principal of the Norridge-week high school, the next year going to the high school at Bourne, Mass., from which position he was recalled to Maine by the death of his father, a practicing physician in Yarmouth.

He next served five years as principal of Pennell Institute, and then for two years was principal of Greely Institute, filling both position with signal ability. The next year he was elected to superintendence of the district comprising Yarmouth, Cumberland, Falmouth and North Yarmouth.

Mr. Pierce was chiefly instrumental in forming his district, and his work here was of such excellence that when in the spring of '07, the district comprising Farmington and Wilton was formed, he was unanimously chosen to take charge of the work, where his experience, educational training and executive ability were rapidly making themselves felt upon the school system of the two towns.

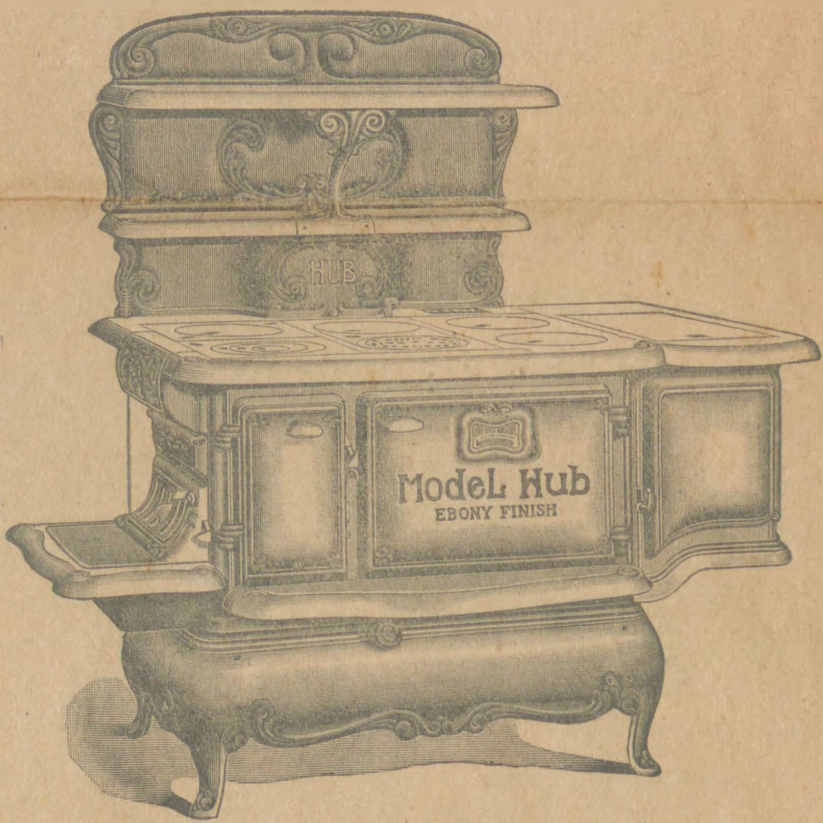
His most untimely death is a distinct loss to the educational interests of the State.

Mr. Pierce was married in 1891 to Myrtie Chapman of Oakland, and two small children survive. He was a member of the Zeta Chapter at Colby and the funeral was held in Farmington and Oakland. The Masonic fraternity of the district was 36 years old.

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## VOTING CONTEST

### A MODEL HUB RANGE.

The MAINE WOODSMAN has purchased a handsome \$72.50 Model Hub Range and will give it away absolutely free to the lady receiving the largest number of votes.

The Model Hub Range is unexcelled as a sure and easy baker and cooker, and an economical consumer of either coal, coke or wood. The Model Hub Range is world-famous, and is well-known to the good cooks of New England, who have always lead and will lead the world. This Range is made by the Smith & Anthony Co., of Boston, which, in itself is a guarantee of good, faith, and is sold by leading dealers everywhere.

This range will be given to the lady in Kingfield or New Portland who receives the most votes.

### Conditions of the Contest.

The Model Hub Range will be given to the lady receiving the highest number of votes. There must be two or more contestants.

Vote coupons can be obtained only by payment of yearly subscriptions, old or new, at the office of the MAINE WOODSMAN or sent in by mail. To prevent trading among contestants, those receiving coupons should fill them out at once, preferably with pen and ink. No coupon will be counted upon which two names have been written, even if one of these has been erased.

Any contestant, or any friend of contestants, is at liberty to canvass for subscriptions, no matter where they may reside.

Collections may be made on old subscriptions by contestants or their friends, and a certificate will be issued for every dollar so collected or turned in.

Subscription blanks, receipt blanks and other printed matter will be furnished the contestants for use in making a canvass or for making a collection, as well as lists of old subscribers, free of charge upon application.

The Range to be given away is a full size Model Hub Range, of the latest pattern, and will be delivered at the freight depot nearest the residence of the winner. The value of this range, at retail, is \$72.50.

Don't wait for somebody else, but send in your votes at once and hustle for a range that is well worth your effort. Begin today.

One of the principal objects being the securing of new subscribers, we will give double value or forty coupons on every dollar paid on all new subscriptions. No coupons will be printed in the MAINE WOODSMAN. The only way to get votes will be by payment of subscriptions. If you pay at the MAINE WOODSMAN office ask for your coupons. If you send by mail request that the coupon be sent you.

The date of the close of the contest will be announced later. Address all inquiries to Contest department, MAINE WOODSMAN, Phillips, Maine.

### Standing of Contestants.

Mrs. I. L. Eldridge, Kingfield,

120 Votes

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## MAINE ITINERANTS.

## Thirty Clergymen In Attendance At Wilton.

The December meeting of the Maine Conference Itinerants' institute closed Wednesday at Wilton. Thirty or more ministers were present to profit by the program prepared and enjoy the hospitality of this pleasant village. Some are students in the Conference course of study taking their mid-year examinations; others are interested in discussing the books of the post-graduate reading course; all are giving close attention to the excellent addresses on the program which are also attracted a large attendance of the village people. Excellent dinners were served in the church vestries each day.

The addresses of Rev. J. M. Frost of St. Johnsbury, Vt., on the "Gospel of John" and on "Prolific Parents of Modern Substitutes for Christianity" were rich treats. Other speakers were Rev. A. T. Craig of Westbrook; Rev. H. E. Dunnack of Augusta on "The Science of Conversion." Rev. D. B. Holt of Bath on "The Missionary Problem of the Maine Conference;" Rev. T. P. Baker of Berwick on "The Relations of Pulpit and Pew;" Rev. Fred Leitch on "The Majesty and Mission of Methodism."

The address by Rev. F. L. Haywood of Auburn and the devotional service under his leadership were rich in helpful suggestion.

At the business session it was voted to print the paper on the local missionary problem presented by Rev. D. Holt and take measures to get a copy into the hands of every pastor and leading member of the conference preparatory to the discussion and action at the conference in April.

## Mixed Up.

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said the father may morning and re- won't," said the young Doctor says he won't, and shows what he's given father."—Liverpool Mercury.

## ANXIOUS WAGNER.

## The First Performance of "Rienzi" at Dresden.

In Ludwig Frankenstein's Wagner year book Gustav Kietz tells this story in connection with the first performance of "Rienzi" at Dresden: "On the day of the first performance Wagner asked me to meet him in front of the theater after the box office had been opened, so that he could give me and my friend Schuster, the butcher, tickets for the performance. Wagner was in a state of great excitement, and when he gave me the two tickets Heine whispered to me, 'Take some one with good big hands with you.' He watched the people as they came toward the theater, and every time one went in he would make some remark to his wife which showed his satisfaction. I had to go within, but I shall never forget the childish joy of the composer when he saw groups enter the house and the disappointment when others passed the open doors. I thought of it even that evening when the enthusiasm was the greatest. How happy Wagner and his wife must have been at the following two performances, when the house was so filled that even his relatives, who had come to Dresden for that purpose, could not be admitted to the theater!"

## THE DESERT SANDS.

## Why the Arabs of Sahara Lose the Use of Their Eyes.

"I shall winter in the Sahara," said a traveling man. "With a caravan I shall traverse under a blinding sun and an endless plain of snow white sand, but none of my Mohammedan attendants will wear any kind of shade over his eyes.

"Against that dazzling glare the backs of their necks will be swathed in white linen, and even their ears will be protected. Nothing, though, will keep the sun out of their faces.

"Wondering about this, I said one day to the kaid of an Algerian village: "Why don't you Arabs wear a cap of some sort? You live in the world's worst sun glare, but neither fez nor turban under any circumstances has a peak."

"The Koran," the kaid answered, "forbids all true believers to shade their eyes. Obeying the Koran implicitly, we dwellers in the desert avoid like poison brims to our headgear. In consequence there is more blindness among us than among any other people in the world."—Los Angeles Times.

## A Popular Play Indeed.

Shakespeare's "Julius Caesar" has been translated into German nine times, into French seven, into Italian six, into modern Greek three, into Latin and Swedish twice and into Croatian, Danish, Dutch, Frisian, Polish, Roumanian, Russian, Magyar, Portuguese and Yiddish. There are seven or eight English acting editions of the tragedy. But one attempt actually to alter and improve it has ever been made. This was in 1722, when the duke of Buckingham, into two parts at the death of the king, calling it "The Tragedies of Julius Caesar and Marcus Brutus," and other changes. To enrich the play, rather, these poor poets of ill got served only

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said the father may morning and re- won't," said the young Doctor says he won't, and shows what he's given father."—Liverpool Mercury.

## Irish Wit.

As Sir Walter Scott was riding with near Abbotsford he came to a near, opened for him.

## Madrid.

Good weather is yet ours.

The Ladies' circle will give a conundrum supper Saturday, Dec. 14, at Fred Ladd's.

Lee Pickering is working for George Heath.

Warren Young and wife and Ella Conant visited at J. C. Well's recently.

All regret that Mr. and Mrs. Warren Young depart soon for California and best wishes go with them.

## Mile Square.

A crew of men are making shovel blocks for S. H. Beal.

Blaine Morrison visited his sister, Mrs. Harold Worthley a few days recently.

Frank Worthley of Strong is running a singing school on the Hill this winter.

The young people are enjoying the skating on the pond.

Millions of bottles of Foley's Honey and Tar have been sold without any person ever having experienced any other than beneficial results from its use for coughs, colds and lung troubles. This is because the genuine Foley's Honey and Tar in the yellow package contains no opiates or other harmful drugs. Guard your health by refusing any but the genuine. W. A. D. Cragin, Phillips; L. L. Mitchell, Kingfield.

## Estate of Vernon E. Blodgett.

FRANKLIN, SS. At a Court of Probate holden at Farmington, within and for the County of Franklin, on the third Tuesday of November, A. D. 1907.

Charles H. Noyes, Guardian of Vernon E. Blodgett of Phillips, in said County, having presented his first account of administration of the estate of said ward for allowance:

Ordered, That the said Guardian give notice to all persons interested, by causing this order to be published three weeks successively in the MAINE WOODSMAN, printed at Phillips, that they may appear at a Probate Court to be held at Farmington, in said County, on the third Tuesday of December, next, at ten of the clock in the forenoon, and show cause, if any they have, why the same should not be allowed.

J. H. Thompson, Judge.

Attest, A. L. Fenderson, Register.

## Estate of Frank Beedy.

FRANKLIN, SS. At a Court of Probate holden at Farmington, within and for the County of Franklin, on the third Tuesday of November, A. D. 1907.

A. H. Webber, Guardian of Frank Beedy of Madrid, in said County, having presented his account of administration of the estate of said ward for allowance:

It was Ordered, That said Guardian give notice to all persons interested, by causing this order to be published three weeks successively in the MAINE WOODSMAN, printed at Phillips, that they may appear at a Probate Court to be held at Farmington, in said County, on the third Tuesday of December, next, at ten of the clock in the forenoon, and show cause, if any they have, why the same should not be allowed.

J. H. Thompson, Judge.

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## Estate of William S. Norton.

FRANKLIN, SS. At a Court of Probate holden at Farmington, within and for the County of Franklin, on the third Tuesday of November, A. D. 1907.

Lucy M. Norton, administratrix of the estate of William S. Norton, late of Freeman, in said County, deceased, having presented her second account of administration of the estate of said deceased for allowance:

Ordered, That said Administratrix give notice to all persons interested, by causing this order to be published three weeks successively in the MAINE WOODSMAN, published at Phillips, that they may appear at a Probate Court to be held at Farmington, in said County, on the third Tuesday of December, next, at ten of the clock in the forenoon, and show cause, if any they have, why the same should not be allowed.

J. H. Thompson, Judge.

Attest, A. L. Fenderson, Register.

## Estate of Alonzo S. Pease.

FRANKLIN, SS. At a Court of Probate holden at Farmington, within and for the County of Franklin, on the third Tuesday of November, A. D. 1907.

Emma H. Pease, administratrix of the estate of Alonzo S. Pease, late of Avon, in said County, deceased, having presented her first account of administration of the estate of said deceased for allowance:

Ordered, That said Administratrix give notice to all persons interested, by causing this order to be published three weeks successively in the MAINE WOODSMAN, published at Phillips, that they may appear at a Probate Court to be held at Farmington, in said County, on the third Tuesday of December, next, at ten of the clock in the forenoon, and show cause, if any they have, why the same should not be allowed.

J. H. Thompson, Judge.

Attest, A. L. Fenderson, Register.

## Estate of Samuel W. Soule.

FRANKLIN, SS. At a Court of Probate holden at Farmington, within and for the County of Franklin, on the third Tuesday of November, A. D. 1907.

Newell P. Noble, executor of the last will and testament of Samuel W. Soule, late of Phillips, in said County, deceased, having presented his final account of administration of the estate of said deceased for allowance:

Ordered, That said Executor give notice to all persons interested, by causing this order to be published three weeks successively in the MAINE WOODSMAN, published at Phillips, that they may appear at a Probate Court to be held at Farmington, in said County, on the third Tuesday of December, next, at ten of the clock in the forenoon, and show cause, if any they have, why the same should not be allowed.

J. H. Thompson, Judge.

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## William S. Norton.

At a Court of Probate holden at Farmington, within and for the County of Franklin, on the third Tuesday of November, A. D. 1907.

Lucy M. Norton, administratrix of the estate of William S. Norton, late of Freeman, in said County, deceased, having presented her second account of administration of the estate of said deceased for allowance:

Ordered, That said Administratrix give notice to all persons interested, by causing this order to be published three weeks successively in the MAINE WOODSMAN, published at Phillips, that they may appear at a Probate Court to be held at Farmington, in said County, on the third Tuesday of December, next, at ten of the clock in the forenoon, and show cause, if any they have, why the same should not be allowed.

J. H. Thompson, Judge.

Attest, A. L. Fenderson, Register.

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## Estate of Eliza Welts.

FRANKLIN, SS. At a Court of Probate, holden at Farmington, within and for the County of Franklin, on the third Tuesday of November, A. D. 1907.

Whereas, a petition has been presented praying that administration on the estate of Eliza Welts, late of Phillips, in said County of Franklin deceased, may be granted to Charles F. Chandler, or some other suitable person:

Ordered, That said petitioner give notice to all persons interested, by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in the MAINE WOODSMAN, published at Phillips, that they may appear at a Probate Court to be held at Farmington, in said County, on the third Tuesday of December next, at ten of the clock in the forenoon, and show cause, if any they have, why the same should not be allowed.

J. H. Thompson, Judge.

Attest, A. L. Fenderson, Register.

## Estate of Frank Beedy.

FRANKLIN, SS. At a Court of Probate holden at Farmington, within and for the County of Franklin, on the third Tuesday of November, A. D. 1907.

Adelbert H. Webber, guardian of Frank Beedy of Madrid, in said County, having filed his resignation of said trust:

Ordered, That said guardian give notice to all persons interested, by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in the MAINE WOODSMAN published at Phillips, that they may appear at a Probate Court to be held at Farmington, in said County, on the third Tuesday of December next, at ten of the clock in the forenoon, and show cause, if any they have, why the same should not be allowed.

J. H. Thompson, Judge.

Attest, A. L. Fenderson, Register.

## Estate of Ann Pinkham.

FRANKLIN, SS. At a Court of Probate holden at Farmington, within and for the County of Franklin, on the third Tuesday of November, A. D. 1907.

Whereas, a petition has been duly filed praying that administration de bonis non, with the will annexed, of the estate of Ann Pinkham, late of Freeman, in said County of Franklin deceased, may be granted to Joseph C. Holman or some other suitable person:

Ordered, That said petitioner give notice to all persons interested, by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in the MAINE WOODSMAN, published at Phillips, that they may appear at a Probate Court to be held at Farmington, in said County, on the third Tuesday of December next, at ten of the clock in the forenoon, and show cause, if any they have, why the same should not be allowed.

J. H. Thompson, Judge.

Attest, A. L. Fenderson, Register.

## Estate of William W. Kempton.

FRANKLIN, SS. At a Court of Probate holden at Farmington, within and for the County of Franklin, on the third Tuesday of November, A. D. 1907.

George W. Voter, administrator of the estate of William W. Kempton, late of Phillips, in said County, deceased, having presented his first account of administration of the estate of said deceased for allowance:

Ordered, That said Administrator give notice to all persons interested, by causing this order to be published three weeks successively in the MAINE WOODSMAN published at Phillips that they may appear at a Probate Court to be held at Farmington, in said County, on the third Tuesday of December next, at ten of the clock in the forenoon, and show cause if any they have, why the same should not be allowed.

J. H. Thompson, Judge.

Attest, A. L. Fenderson, Register.

## Estate of Herbert O. Wyman et als.

FRANKLIN, SS. At a Court of Probate holden at Farmington, within and for the County of Franklin, on the third Tuesday of November, A. D. 1907.

Charles Wyman, guardian of Herbert O. Wyman, Leon W. Wyman, Harriet M. Wyman and Effie M. Wyman of Eastis in said County, having presented his first account of administration of the estate of said wards for allowance:

It was Ordered, That the said Guardian give notice to all persons interested, by causing this order to be published three weeks successively in the MAINE WOODSMAN, printed at Phillips, that they may appear at a Probate Court to be held at Farmington, in said County, on the third Tuesday of December next, at ten of the clock in the forenoon and show cause, if any they have, why the same should not be allowed.

J. H. Thompson, Judge.

Attest, A. L. Fenderson, Register.

## Given Up to Die

B. Spiegel, 1204 N. Virginia St., Evansville, Ind., writes: "For over five years I was troubled with kidney and bladder affections which caused me much pain and worry. I lost flesh and was all run down, and a year ago had to abandon work entirely. I had three of the best physicians who did me no good and I was practically given up to die. Foley's Kidney Cure was recommended and the first bottle gave me great relief, and after taking the second bottle I was entirely cured." W. A. D. Cragin, Phillips; L. L. Mitchell, Kingfield.

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## Estate of Vernon E. Blodgett.

At a Court of Probate, held at Farmington within and for the County of Franklin, on the third Tuesday of November in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and seven.

Charles H. Noyes, Guardian of Vernon E. Blodgett of Phillips, in said County, having presented his Petition for License to sell and convey certain Real Estate of said ward as described in said Petition,

It was Ordered, that the said guardian give notice to all persons interested, by causing notice to be published three weeks successively in the MAINE WOODSMAN printed at Phillips that they may appear at a Probate Court to be held at said Farmington, on the third Tuesday of December next, at ten of the clock in the forenoon, and show cause, if any they have, why the same should not be granted.

J. H. Thompson, Judge.

Attest, A. L. Fenderson, Register.

## Estate of Mary A. Lufkin.

FRANKLIN, SS. At a Court of Probate holden at Farmington, within and for the County of Franklin, on the third Tuesday, of November, A. D. 1907.

Eva E. Davenport, administratrix of the Estate of Mary A. Lufkin late of Madrid, in said County, deceased, having presented her second account of administration of the estate of said deceased for allowance:

Ordered, That said Administratrix give notice to all persons interested, by causing this order to be published three weeks successively in the MAINE WOODSMAN, published at Phillips, that they may appear at a Probate Court to be held at Farmington, in said County, on the third Tuesday of December next, at ten of the clock in the forenoon, and show cause, if any they have, why the same should not be allowed.

J. H. Thompson, Judge.

Attest, A. L. Fenderson, Register.

## Estate of Elijah W. Blodgett.

FRANKLIN, SS. At a Court of Probate holden at Farmington, within and for the County of Franklin, on the third Tuesday of November, A. D. 1907.

Silas A. Blodgett administrator of the estate of Elijah W. Blodgett, late of Phillips, in said County, deceased, having presented his second account of administration of the estate of said deceased for allowance:

Ordered, That said Administrator give notice to all persons interested, by causing this order to be published three weeks successively in the MAINE WOODSMAN, published at Phillips, that they may appear at a Probate Court to be held at Farmington, in said County, on the third Tuesday of December next, at ten of the clock in the forenoon, and show cause, if any they have, why the same should not be allowed.

J. H. Thompson, Judge.

Attest, A. L. Fenderson, Register.

## Estate of Isaac D. Newman.

FRANKLIN, SS. At a Court of Probate holden at Farmington, within and for the County of Franklin, on the third Tuesday of November, A. D. 1907.

Joel Wilbur, administrator of the estate of Isaac D. Newman late of Phillips, in said County, deceased, having presented his first account of administration of the estate of said deceased for allowance:

Ordered, That said Administrator give notice to all persons interested, by causing this order to be published three weeks successively in the MAINE WOODSMAN, published at Phillips, that they may appear at a Probate Court to be held at Farmington, in said County, on the third Tuesday of December next, at ten of the clock in the forenoon, and show cause, if any they have, why the same should not be allowed.

J. H. Thompson, Judge.

Attest, A. L. Fenderson, Register.

## Estate of Mary I. Smith.

FRANKLIN, SS. At a Court of Probate holden at Farmington, within and for the County of Franklin, on the third Tuesday of November, A. D. 1907.

Whereas, a petition has been duly filed praying that administration on the estate of Mary I. Smith late of Avon in said County of Franklin, deceased, may be granted to Samuel Trask or some other suitable person.

Ordered, That said petitioner give notice to all persons interested, by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in the MAINE WOODSMAN, published at Phillips, that they may appear at a Probate Court to be held at Farmington, in said County, on the third Tuesday of December next, at ten of the clock in the forenoon, and show cause, if any they have, why the same should not be allowed.

J. H. Thompson, Judge.

Attest, A. L. Fenderson, Register.

The neighborhood newspaper is the one read by families. The MAINE WOODSMAN is the best neighborhood paper in Franklin county. If you want to talk to the families advertise in the WOODSMAN. They will listen.



## West Farmington.

Mr. James Huse who has been spending the summer and fall with friends in this place returned to his home in Evanston Ill. last Thursday; his wife will remain through the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Merchant are working for N. E. Ranger.

Rev. I. P. Barrett preached at the Red schoolhouse last Wednesday night.

Lilla May Norton has been spending a few days with her aunt, Mrs. Nellie Hamlin in Temple Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Norton spent Thanksgiving day at C. A. Norton's in Temple.

It is expected that Rev. E. S. Longly will remain with the Church at West Farmington and Temple the same as last year commencing with the new year. He is now holding revival meetings with Elder Saunders.

The funeral of Mr. Fred Niles was held at his residence Monday Nov 25. Attended by Rev. I. P. Barrett. The day was stormy but a goodly number were present to pay the last tribute of respect to one who was very highly esteemed by all who knew him, and will be very much missed. He was financially successful through his life and a good farmer. He was a kind companion, a loving father and an obliging neighbor. He leaves a wife and two children to mourn his loss, and was 48 years 22 days old. He had lately purchased the Bass place and made very extensive repairs on the buildings making an elegant home and all that heart could wish but death has taken him away from it all. We deeply sympathize with the afflicted family.

## Reed's Mill.

The Ladie's Circle will serve a conundrum supper at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ladd Saturday evening Dec. 14. All are invited.

Miss Anna Sargent is nursing Mrs. Carrol Knapp.

Charles Dunham visited friends in Phillips recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred McLaughlin of Phillips are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bonney Webber this week.

Miss Nellie Reed of Phillips High school was at home over Sunday.

Mrs. Minnie Kinney and children, Carrol and Laura and also Mrs. Rose Harden and Miss Manette were guests of Mrs. Zennie Webber recently.

Mrs. Mary Dunham and Mr. Reuben Sargent were guests of Mrs. A. H. Webber recently.

Miss Myrtie Heath is working for her sister Mrs. Fred Leavitt.

Rev. M. S. Hutchins gave us a very earnest helpful sermon Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Hathaway spent Thanksgiving with relatives in Wilton, returning Monday, Dec. 2.

E. L. Welts visited at Geo. Sargent's and F. H. Hathaway's Saturday and Sunday.

■Glorious weather and nice sleighing yet a little more snow is needed.

## TORTURING PAIN.

Half This Man's Sufferings Would Have Killed Many a Person, But Doan's Cured Him.

Thousands of grateful people are telling every day how Doan's Kidney Pills cured them of distressing and dangerous kidney and bladder troubles.

Yet other thousands are suffering every day from these same ills. Why? They are either very negligent or very skeptical. Neglect of kidney disorders leads to dropsy, diabetes, Bright's disease and other fatal diseases.

Sincere, honest testimony like the following should convince every skeptic.

A. C. Sprague, stock dealer, of Normal, Ill., writes: "For two whole years I was doing nothing but buying medicines to cure my kidneys. I do not think that any man ever suffered as I did and lived. The pain in my back was so bad that I could not sleep at night. I could not ride a horse and sometimes was unable even to ride in a car. My condition was critical when I sent for Doan's Kidney Pills. I used three boxes and they cured me. Now I can go anywhere and do as much as anybody. I sleep well and feel no discomfort at all."



A. C. SPRAGUE.

A FREE TRIAL of this great kidney medicine which cured Mr. Sprague will be mailed on application to any part of the United States. Address Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y. Sold by all dealers; price, fifty cents per box.

## A CLEVER RUSE.

The Way an Ingenious Paris Merchant Saved Cable Tolls.

A wealthy merchant in Paris who does an extensive business with Japan was informed that a prominent firm in Yokohama had failed, but the name of the firm he could not learn. He could have learned the truth by cabling; but, to save expense, instead he went to a well known banker who had received the news and requested him to reveal the name of the firm.

"That's a very delicate thing to do," replied the banker, "for the news is not official, and if I gave you the name I might incur some responsibility."

The merchant argued, but in vain, and finally he made this proposition: "I will give you," he said, "a list of ten firms in Yokohama, and I will ask you to look through it and then tell me, without mentioning any name, whether or not the name of the firm which has failed appears in it. Surely you will do that for me?"

"Yes," said the banker, "for if I do not mention any name I cannot be held responsible in any way."

The list was made. The banker looked through it and as he handed it back to the merchant said, "The name of the merchant you have failed is there."

"Then I've lost heavily," replied the merchant, "for that is the firm with which I did business," showing him a name on the list.

"But how do you know that is the firm which has failed?" asked the banker in surprise.

"Very easily," replied the merchant. "Of the ten names on the list only one is genuine—that of the firm with which I did business. All the others are fictitious."

## STRANGE DISHES.

Lion's Flesh, Tiger's Meat and Baked Elephant's Foot.

Lion's flesh is said to furnish a very good meal. Tiger meat is not so palatable, for it is tough and shewy. In India nevertheless it is esteemed, because there is a superstition that it imparts to the eater some of the strength and cunning that characterizes the animal. This notion is not, of course, held by the followers of Brahma and Buddha, whose religion forbids the eating of flesh.

There appears to be considerable difference of opinion among authorities on the subject as to the merits of elephant's flesh as an article of diet. By some it is considered a dainty, but there is the authority of at least one European against it. Stanley said that he frequently tasted elephant's flesh and that it was more like soft leather and glue than anything else with which he could compare it. Another explorer, however, declares that he cannot imagine how an animal so coarse and heavy as the elephant could produce such delicate and tender flesh. All authorities agree in commending the elephant's foot. Even Stanley admitted that baked elephant's foot was a dish fit for a king. It is the greatest delicacy that can be given to a Kafir. —St. Louis Republic.

## Sincerity.

In life sincerity is the sure touchstone of character. The good and valuable man is he who strives to realize day by day his own sincere conceptions of true manhood. Thousands are struggling to exhibit what some one else admires to reach the popular standard, to be or appear to be respectable and honorable, but few make it their aim to live thoroughly up to their own individual convictions of what is right and good.

Carlyle well says: "At all turns a man who will do faithfully needs to believe firmly. If he have to ask at every turn the world's suffrage, if he cannot dispense with the world's suffrage and make his own suffrage serve, he is a poor eye servant, and the work committed to him will be misdone."

## A Historic Golfer.

The following entries in the accounts of James Graham, marquis of Montrose, when he was a student at the University of St. Andrews are quite in Falstaffian vein:

"Item: for two goffe balls, 10sh.  
"Item: my Lord taking an drink in Jhone Gams before he went out and after he came from the golfe, 45sh. 4d.  
"Item: to the boy who carried my Lord's clubs to the field, 3sh."

With every allowance for change of tariff, the most completely refreshed giants of modern gold dwindle into abstinence beside that "ane drink."

—London Athenaeum.

## Innocent Childhoood.

Little William—My father has charge of over twenty men. Little Jimmy—Hub! That's nothing! My father has charge over your father! Little William—Well, my father makes more money than your father. He doesn't own the shop.—Bohemian.

## A Wife's Dream.

"Step up, wife, you and the children," bawled Mr. Goodfellow, "and have a pair of shoes apiece on me. Have another pair. They won't hurt you any."

And then Mrs. Goodfellow awoke.—Pittsburg Post.

## SIGNS OF OLD AGE.

How a Man May Know When He Is No Longer Really Young.

They were arguing about the signs of approaching old age.

"Well, I'll tell you one thing," said one. "When a girl ceases to take a lively interest in you and doesn't mind your seeing her with her hair slightly untidy and listens to your conversation indulgently where formerly she manifested interest and sympathy, then you may know you are growing old."

"No," said another. "That isn't an infallible sign, because some young women show interest and sympathy to everybody. It's when your bones creak slightly on arising from a chair and you no longer swing on a moving car with full confidence and you walk up a flight of stairs a step at a time, then you are growing old."

"Not so," chimed in a third, "for young people with rheumatic diseases sometimes exhibit these signs. When the workings of your liver come to be of more importance than the affairs of your heart, then you are growing old." "You are all wrong," announced a fourth. "When in pulling on your trousers in the early morning you are compelled to gain the support of the bedstead when you slip on the other leg—then—then—you are growing old!" —New York Press.

## MADE ONE BLUNDER.

But to Square It an Offer of Generous Restitution Was Made.

In one of the northwestern states they like nothing better than to tell how a few years ago there came to that section of the Union a Boston newspaper man whose mission it was to "write up" lynching in that quarter, although it appeared that there had not been an illegal execution in the state for a long time. The natives took the questions of the eastern scribe in good part and even "lollied" him into believing that for downright lawlessness the community wherein he was for the moment sojourning was about the most conspicuous portion of the United States.

"Don't you ever make a mistake in these lynchings?" glibly asked the Bostonian—"that is, don't you ever lynch the wrong man?"

"That happened once," put in some one, "but we tried to do the square thing by the widow."

"Indeed!"

"Yes; we appointed a committee to inform the widow that the joke was on us, and we gave her the choice of the crowd for her second husband." —Lippincott's Magazine.

## How She Rests.

In Germantown there dwells a family of ancient lineage which for years every summer has employed a colored woman named Liza as a cook while the family was at the shore. Sons and daughters have married and migrated, reared children and added to the branches of an already luxuriant family tree. On one occasion a number of these signified a desire to assemble again under the old roof. The old lady who now is the head of the family, seeing that special help was necessary, sent for Liza to come and help cook the dinner. Liza's answer was brief and dignified. "De winter an my vacation," she said, "an' den I don't cook for nobody. In de winter I rests, an' all I does is washin' an' ironin'." —Philadelphia Record.

## A Curt Reply.

A story is told of Professor Masson when editor of Macmillan's Magazine. It refers to the days when Kingsley and Newman were engaged in their famous pamphlet war. Conscious of the excellence of an article on the subject of the controversy which he had written in the magazine, Masson ventured to bring it under the notice of Newman, but he was not prepared for the reply he received, although he afterward spoke of it with philosophic humor. Newman's laconic message was in words such as these: "I have not heard of your magazine, and your name conveys no impression to my mind." —Westminster Gazette.

## Heartfelt.

Lord Carrington when governor of New South Wales made his first public appearance at the mayor's dinner at Sydney. Having committed a few words to paper, he delivered them in reply to the toast of his health and then sat down, feeling very much satisfied with himself. Opposite to him there sat an M. P. who had suffered long from the abundant eloquence of the new governor's predecessor. When Lord Carrington sat down the man filled his glass to the brim and said, "Thank the Lord, he can't speak!"

## Just a Spill.

"Beg pardon, sir," said the awkward waiter, "but was that last meal on you?"

"Not all of it, garcon," replied the guest as he meekly rubbed his much spattered trousers; "only the soup." —Pittsburg Press.

While the world lasts fashion will lead it by the nose.—Cowper

## STATE OF MAINE.

Treasurer's Office.

Augusta, Nov. 16, 1907. Upon the following townships or tracts of land not liable to be taxed in any town, the following assessments for the State tax of 1908 were made by the Legislature on the 28th day of March, 1907.

FRANKLIN COUNTY WILD LANDS.

T. NO. 4, WASHINGTON PLANTATION, so called, part of, being lot 5, in the first range of lots in said township, containing one hundred nineteen acres, more or less. . . . . \$ .80

T. NO. 4, WASHINGTON PLANTATION, so called, part of, being lot 6, in the first range of lots in said township, containing one hundred eighteen acres, more or less. . . . . .80

T. NO. 4, WASHINGTON PLANTATION, so called, part of, being lot 7, in the first range of lots in said township, containing one hundred seventeen acres, more or less. . . . . .79

T. NO. 4, WASHINGTON PLANTATION, so called, part of, being lot 8, in the first range of lots in said township, containing one hundred sixteen acres, more or less. . . . . .78

T. NO. 4, WASHINGTON PLANTATION, so called, part of, being lot 9, in the first range of lots in said township, containing one hundred sixty acres, more or less. . . . . .82

T. NO. 4, WASHINGTON PLANTATION, so called, part of, being lot 5, in the second range of lots in said township, containing one hundred sixty acres, more or less. . . . . 1.08

T. NO. 4, WASHINGTON PLANTATION, so called, part of, being lot 6, in the second range of lots in said township, containing one hundred sixty acres, more or less. . . . . 1.08

T. NO. 4, WASHINGTON PLANTATION, so called, part of, being lot 7, in the second range of lots in said township, containing one hundred sixty acres, more or less. . . . . 1.08

T. NO. 4, WASHINGTON PLANTATION, so called, part of, being lot 8, in the second range of lots in said township, containing one hundred sixty acres, more or less. . . . . 1.08

T. NO. 4, WASHINGTON PLANTATION, so called, part of, being lot 9, in the second range of lots in said township, containing one hundred sixty acres, more or less. . . . . 1.08

T. NO. 4, WASHINGTON PLANTATION, so called, part of, being lot 10, in the second range of lots in said township, containing one hundred sixty acres, more or less. . . . . 1.08

T. NO. 4, WASHINGTON PLANTATION, so called, part of, being lot 11, in the second range of lots in said township, containing one hundred sixty acres, more or less. . . . . 1.08

T. NO. 4, WASHINGTON PLANTATION, so called, part of, being lot 12, in the second range of lots in said township, containing one hundred sixty acres, more or less. . . . . 1.08

T. NO. 4, WASHINGTON PLANTATION, so called, part of, being lot 13, in the second range of lots in said township, containing one hundred sixty acres, more or less. . . . . 1.08

T. NO. 4, WASHINGTON PLANTATION, so called, part of, being lot 14, in the second range of lots in said township, containing one hundred sixty acres, more or less. . . . . 1.08

T. NO. 4, WASHINGTON PLANTATION, so called, part of, being lot 15, in the second range of lots in said township, containing one hundred sixty acres, more or less. . . . . 1.08

T. NO. 4, WASHINGTON PLANTATION, so called, part of, being lot 16, in the second range of lots in said township, containing one hundred sixty acres, more or less. . . . . 1.08

T. NO. 4, WASHINGTON PLANTATION, so called, part of, being lot 17, in the second range of lots in said township, containing one hundred sixty acres, more or less. . . . . 1.08

T. NO. 4, WASHINGTON PLANTATION, so called, part of, being lot 18, in the second range of lots in said township, containing one hundred sixty acres, more or less. . . . . 1.08

T. NO. 4, WASHINGTON PLANTATION, so called, part of, being lot 19, in the second range of lots in said township, containing one hundred sixty acres, more or less. . . . . 1.08

T. NO. 4, WASHINGTON PLANTATION, so called, part of, being lot 20, in the second range of lots in said township, containing one hundred sixty acres, more or less. . . . . 1.08

T. NO. 4, WASHINGTON PLANTATION, so called, part of, being lot 21, in the second range of lots in said township, containing one hundred sixty acres, more or less. . . . . 1.08

T. NO. 4, WASHINGTON PLANTATION, so called, part of, being lot 22, in the second range of lots in said township, containing one hundred sixty acres, more or less. . . . . 1.08

T. NO. 4, WASHINGTON PLANTATION, so called, part of, being lot 23, in the second range of lots in said township, containing one hundred sixty acres, more or less. . . . . 1.08

T. NO. 4, WASHINGTON PLANTATION, so called, part of, being lot 24, in the second range of lots in said township, containing one hundred sixty acres, more or less. . . . . 1.08

T. NO. 4, WASHINGTON PLANTATION, so called, part of, being lot 25, in the second range of lots in said township, containing one hundred sixty acres, more or less. . . . . 1.08

T. NO. 4, WASHINGTON PLANTATION, so called, part of, being lot 26, in the second range of lots in said township, containing one hundred sixty acres, more or less. . . . . 1.08

T. NO. 4, WASHINGTON PLANTATION, so called, part of, being lot 27, in the second range of lots in said township, containing one hundred sixty acres, more or less. . . . . 1.08

T. NO. 4, WASHINGTON PLANTATION, so called, part of, being lot 28, in the second range of lots in said township, containing one hundred sixty acres, more or less. . . . . 1.08

T. NO. 4, WASHINGTON PLANTATION, so called, part of, being lot 29, in the second range of lots in said township, containing one hundred sixty acres, more or less. . . . . 1.08

T. NO. 4, WASHINGTON PLANTATION, so called, part of, being lot 30, in the second range of lots in said township, containing one hundred sixty acres, more or less. . . . . 1.08

T. NO. 4, WASHINGTON PLANTATION, so called, part of, being lot 31, in the second range of lots in said township, containing one hundred sixty acres, more or less. . . . . 1.08

T. NO. 4, WASHINGTON PLANTATION, so called, part of, being lot 32, in the second range of lots in said township, containing one hundred sixty acres, more or less. . . . . 1.08

T. NO. 4, WASHINGTON PLANTATION, so called, part of, being lot 33, in the second range of lots in said township, containing one hundred sixty acres, more or less. . . . . 1.08

T. NO. 4, WASHINGTON PLANTATION, so called, part of, being lot 34, in the second range of lots in said township, containing one hundred sixty acres, more or less. . . . . 1.08

T. NO. 4, WASHINGTON PLANTATION, so called, part of, being lot 35, in the second range of lots in said township, containing one hundred sixty acres, more or less. . . . . 1.08

T. NO. 4, WASHINGTON PLANTATION, so called, part of, being lot 36, in the second range of lots in said township, containing one hundred sixty acres, more or less. . . . . 1.08

T. NO. 4, WASHINGTON PLANTATION, so called, part of, being lot 37, in the second range of lots in said township, containing one hundred sixty acres, more or less. . . . . 1.08

T. NO. 4, WASHINGTON PLANTATION, so called, part of, being lot 38, in the second range of lots in said township, containing one hundred sixty acres, more or less. . . . . 1.08

tract of land in the southwest part of said township, bounded and described as follows: Beginning on the east line of the town of Madrid one mile north of the north line of the town of Madrid, thence north along the east line of the town of Madrid 228 rods, more or less; thence easterly along the line of land said to be owned by C. Burleigh, et als., one mile; thence south 228 rods, more or less; to the north line of the town of Madrid; thence west one mile, more or less, to the point begun at. Said land is reputed to be owned by one Farmer, and contains four hundred fifty-six acres, more or less. . . . . 5.47

T. NO. 4, R. 2, B. K. P., W. K. R., (Mt. Abram), part of, being a lot of land in the southwest corner of said township, bounded and described as follows: On the north by the Farmer lot, so called; on the east and south by the town of Madrid; on the west by the town of Madrid. Said lot is reputed to be owned by the J. F. Prescott estate and contains two hundred fourteen acres, more or less. . . . . 2.57

T. NO. 4, R. 2, B. K. P., W. K. R., (Crocketown), part of, being a tract of land in the north-east part of said township on both sides of the Carrabasset river, bounded and described as follows: Beginning on the west line of T. No. 4, R. 2, B. K. P., W. K. R., 180 rods, more or less; thence west parallel to the north line of said T. No. 4, R. 2, B. K. P., W. K. R., 640 rods, more or less; thence southerly 500 rods, more or less; thence easterly 527 rods, more or less, to the west line of the Public Lot, numbered 2, thence north along the west line of the Public Lot, numbered 2, 320 rods, more or less to the Carrabasset river; thence easterly along the Carrabasset river to the point of beginning. Said described land is reputed to be owned by Prouty & Miller and contains two thousand acres, more or less. . . . . 48.00

T. NO. 4, R. 2, B. K. P., W. K. R., (Crocketown), being the entire township, exclusive of the Public Lot and the 2,000-acre tract, so-called, lying in the north-east corner of said township, bounded and described as follows: On the north by the south line of T. No. 4, R. 2, B. K. P., W. K. R., on the east by the west line of T. No. 3, R. 2, B. K. P., W. K. R., on the south by the north line of T. No. 4, R. 2, B. K. P., W. K. R., on the west by the east line of townships 1, R. 2, W. B. K. P., and R. 3, W. B. K. P. Said township, with the exceptions noted, is reputed to be owned by the Great Northern Paper Co. and contains twenty thousand forty acres, more or less. . . . . 270.54

T. NO. 4, R. 3, B. K. P., W. K. R., (Wyman), part of, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at the northwest corner of T. No. 4, R. 2, B. K. P., W. K. R.; thence east along the north line of said T. No. 4, R. 2, B. K. P., W. K. R., 1 mile, 233 rods, to the west line of the Public Lot; thence northerly along the west line of the Public Lot, 320 rods to the north line of the Public Lot; thence east along the north line of the Public Lot, and the State Lot, so called, 320 rods; thence south along the east line of the State Lot, so called, 320 rods to the north line of T. No. 4, R. 2, B. K. P., W. K. R.; thence east along the north line of T. No. 4, R. 2, B. K. P., W. K. R., 2 miles, 197 rods, to the west line of T. No. 3, R. 2, B. K. P., W. K. R.; thence north along said west line to the south line of Bigelow Plantation; thence west along the south line of Bigelow Plantation to the east line of T. No. 1, R. 3, W. B. K. P.; thence south along the east line of said T. No. 1, R. 3, W. B. K. P., to the point of beginning. Said described land is reputed to be owned by Philbrick & Butler, et als., in common and undivided, and contains ten thousand two hundred acres, more or less. . . . . 168.39

T. NO. 4, R. 3, B. K. P., W. K. R., (Wyman), part of, being a lot of land in the south part of said township bounded and described as follows: Beginning at the southeast corner of the Public Lot on the south line of T. No. 4, R. 3, B. K. P., W. K. R., 2 miles, 277 rods, from the southwest corner of said township; thence north along the east line of the Public Lot, 320 rods; thence east 80 rods; thence south 320 rods to the town line; thence west along the town line, to the point of beginning. Said lot, known as the State Lot, is reputed to be owned by S. W. Philbrick and contains one hundred sixty acres, more or less. . . . . 2.64

T. D. R. 1, according to a survey and plan of said township made by A. M. Carter in 1838. Said township is reputed to be owned by the Berlin Mills Co., and contains, exclusive of Public Lot, eighteen thousand five hundred forty acres, more or less. . . . . 307.41

T. NO. 1, R. 2, W. B. K. P., (Redington), according to a survey and plan of said township made and returned to the Land Office of the State of Maine by Thomas Sawyer, Jr., in 1835. Said township is reputed to be owned by Lewis & Maxey, in common and undivided, and contains, exclusive of Public Lot, twenty-three thousand eight hundred seventy-six acres, more or less. . . . . 250.70

DALLAS PLANTATION, (formerly T. No. 2, R. 2, B. K. P., W. K. R.), containing twenty-two thousand forty acres, more or less. . . . . 363.66

COPLIN PLANTATION, (formerly T. No. 1, R. 3, W. B. K. P.), containing twenty-two thousand forty acres, more or less. . . . . 396.72

LANG PLANTATION, (formerly T. No. 2, R. 3, W. B. K. P., W. K. R.), containing twenty-two thousand forty acres, more or less. . . . . 264.48

T. NO. 3, R. 3, W. B. K. P., (Davis), according to a survey and plan of said township made by Neal & McKechnie in 1811. Said township is reputed to be owned by Coe & Pingree, in common and undivided, and contains, exclusive of Public Lots, twenty thousand nine hundred twenty-five acres, more or less. . . . . 502.20

T. NO. 3, R. 2, B. K. P., W. K. R., (Jerusalem), part of, being a tract of land in the southwest part of said township, being the same premises that were set off to K. Kershaw Treadwell in the partition of the said Jerusalem by Turner & Buswell, Isaac W. Green and Abner P. Gordon. Commissioners appointed by the S. J. Court for Franklin County as appears by their report, recorded in the Franklin County Registry of Deeds, in book 148, page 536. Said tract is reputed to be owned, in common and undivided, by Prouty & Miller, and contains, exclusive of Public Lot, four thousand two hundred sixty acres, more or less. . . . . 102.24

T. NO. 3, R. 2, B. K. P., W. K. R., (Jerusalem), part of, being the entire township, with the exception of the Public Lot, the set-

tract of land in the southwest part of said township, bounded and described as follows: Beginning on the east line of the town of Madrid one mile north of the north line of the town of Madrid, thence north along the east line of the town of Madrid 228 rods, more or less; thence easterly along the line of land said to be owned by C. Burleigh, et als., one mile; thence south 228 rods, more or less; to the north line of the town of Madrid; thence west one mile, more or less, to the point begun at. Said land is reputed to be owned by one Farmer, and contains four hundred fifty-six acres, more or less. . . . . 5.47

T. NO. 4, R. 2, B. K. P., W. K. R., (Mt. Abram), part of, being a lot of land in the southwest corner of said township, bounded and described as follows: On the north by the Farmer lot, so called; on the east and south by the town of Madrid; on the west by the town of Madrid. Said lot is reputed to be owned by the J. F. Prescott estate and contains two hundred fourteen acres



