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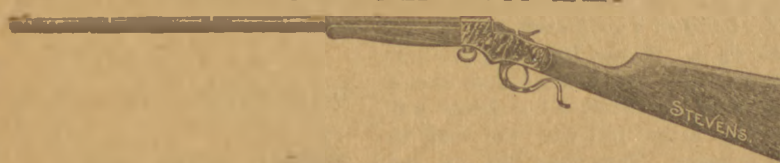
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## OR REST

### DEHORNE THE MOOSE.

Warden Phillips Talks About the Increase of Moose.

(Special correspondence to the MAINE WOODS.)

STRATTON, Nov. 12, 1901.

Mr. Robert Phillips of Stratton, game warden for the entire Dead River region, says that moose are not, as has been many times represented, growing scarcer, but on the contrary, are growing more numerous every year. Mr. Phillips travels in the woods a good deal and not only sees moose signs, but plenty of moose.

He says, "It is poor policy to walk a moose down, for the very reason that it starts them up in the different yards and starts them off. In walking a moose he goes through perhaps a dozen yards. But they are certainly on the increase. An old bull moose, and a big one, came out near Stratton village a short time ago, and one came out to Flagstaff village the other day. Yes, I see moose very often and have known them were increasing for several years. Game is all right but fish are what need better protection now. So many lumbermen are on the streams and take out thousands every year, that this is one reason why they are growing less." Mr. Phillips is much interested in the deer and game of Maine and is a very entertaining gentleman to listen to.

George A. Webster of Dover, N. H., has taken his two deer this fall. He shot one on Poplar hill near Bigelow, which weighed 150 pounds. He shot his second one at Eustis Nov. 6. This was a fine buck with 18 points and weighed 250 pounds. His guides were John W. Sylvester and Davis Moody. Mr. Webster is a very enthusiastic sportsman and is much taken with the woods of Maine, also with the MAINE WOODS.

Edgar Hinds of Stratton caught a fawn last June which weighed 20 pounds. It was fed on milk and hay. It died last week and would weigh 100 pounds. It became as tame as a cat and could be led anywhere.

A. L. Savage made two straight shots at a moose two years ago and took off an antler close to the head at each shot. Al says he shall have a moose, horns and all, this year.

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## EASTERN GAME NOTES.

### Moose Came Out of Bushes and Watched Sportsman Shoot.

### Jackman Hunter Brines Home Big Lot of Game.

L. D. Post of New York, editor and proprietor of the Paper Mill, recently returned from his hunting trip near Stacyville. Mr. Post had his usual good luck and took out with him two nice deer.

R. E. Morse, who lives on the side of Haystack mountain, does not have to go far to find his game. He has it all on his own farm. Only a few days ago he shot a good deer, a 350-pound moose and a fine fox all without going off his own land.

Last week Albert Mudgett and others saw a large moose near Dixmont Centre. The animal was making good time in the direction of Mount Dix.

At Lake Soudanahunk where the U. S. government have a force of three men from Ellsworth, John McDonald, Eugene Carlisle and Mr. Winslow, 100,000 fly have been taken and 631,000 fish eggs. A temporary hatchery has been constructed which one of the men keeps watch of by day and night. The men will remain some time later until the fish can be brought out of the forest by sleds.

Mr. William G. Paine of Boston, who with some friends has been roughing it along the line of the Bangor & Aroostook railroad, had a peculiar experience with a moose while he was in the woods. When they were near Stacyville, Mr. Paine and his guide were attracted by a crashing in the woods at some distance. Shortly a big bull moose came out of the bushes and stood still watching them while both men took aim.

Dr. N. E. Nichols and his guide, Joe Ash of Jackman, have returned from a five weeks' trip on the St. Johns river with two moose heads, one deer head, a sable and a bear. Dr. E. T. Flint of the same town shot a 210-pound buck last week.

Mr. M. V. B. Hersom of Boston returned from his hunting trip to the Norcross region last week, taking with him two deer. He will return later to get his moose.

A party consisting of Dr. C. I. Bemis, C. L. Jones and A. E. Jones of Bangor, returned Thursday of last week from Grindstone where they have been hunting deer. They brought home with them five good deer.

Mr. and Mrs. Sydney Bird of Rockland returned from Libby's camps in Chester with three deer. Mr. and Mrs. Maynard Bird of Lincoln, were also at the same camp, and have returned home with four deer.

Mr. N. M. Jones and his party, who have been hunting at Wysaticook for the past three weeks, have returned, bringing with them one moose and twelve deer.

### A String of Good Bucks.

Possibly the finest "kill" of deer made in the Maine woods by Boston sports was on exhibition at Wheeler's market on Clinton street. The animals numbered eighteen in all and a majority of them were bucks weighing from 210 to 245 pounds each. The party consisted of Messrs. C. A. Currier, Lexington; E. A. Norton, 30 Shirley street, Roxbury; H. M. Munroe, Lexington; J. N. Smart, Arlington; S. L. Noyes, Somerville; E. A. Locke, 24 Blue Hill Ave., Roxbury; G. A. Vickery, Lexington; W. F. Cobb, Allston and J. R. Mann, Arlington Heights. They left Boston on the 24th of October and went to Jackman, Me., where they secured conveyances and penetrated to Henderson's camp, thirty miles farther north. Only six days were spent in gunning, but game was plentiful and the sport was never better. —Boston Post.

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## SHOOTING AT K. AND B.

### Birds and Deer Taken by the Visiting Sportsmen.

Mr. H. M. Pierce, proprietor of King and Bartlett and Kibby Camps, who has been at his home in Farnington for a few days, is back in camp again.

The hunting in his territory continues up to the mark and sportsmen can all get game.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. P. Moore of New York, who have been here for a few weeks' resting and doing a little shooting, found plenty of birds and partridge hunting was their specialty.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Clark of New York have returned home very much pleased with their outing at King and Bartlett. Mrs. Clark shot a nice buck deer and Mr. Clark shot a doe. Joe Knowles was their guide.

Among the late arrivals in camp are Mr. N. P. Proctor of Danbury, Conn., and friend, and Mr. Heald of New York.

## ONE DEER APIECE.

### Man With Muzzle-Loader Stops Plowing to Shoot Deer.

(Special correspondence to the Maine Woods.)

PRESQUE ISLE, Nov. 12, 1901.

Three Massachusetts hunters had a novel adventure last week. There was nothing very startling or thrilling about it, but was simply novel. They were on the Mapleton road on their way to Squa Pan lake when they saw three deer standing very peaceably by the side of the road and but a short distance away. The hunters made no effort to shoot the animals, but sat in the wagon and watched them. As they approached the deer, the beautiful creatures leisurely walked away for a few rods and then waited for the hunters to pass.

It is not everyone who can have the good fortune to be at work and have to stop it for only a moment to get a deer. Millage Craig went to his work, plowing his field last week, and took with him an old muzzle-loading shotgun. Not long after a deer came in sight and was killed with a single discharge of the fowling piece.

## BIG MOOSE SECURED.

### Sportsmen From Brooklyn Carry Home Some Fine Heads.

Messrs. Charles R. Brooks, John Harper and W. R. Covefoot of Brooklyn and Manhattan, returned from a very successful hunting trip a short time ago. They were at Sand's camp on the St. Johns river, whither they came by way of Jackman. From here they went into the "Burnt Land brook" district in canoes.

Two days after going into camp, Mr. Covefoot shot a fine moose with a spread of 58 inches and with 20 points. Mr. Harper went a few better and brought down a grand animal, having a spread of 62 inches and with 24 points. The next day Mr. Brooks brought down a 50-inch head. They saw about forty moose and had their pick of them.

This was Mr. Brooks's twenty-seventh trip to the woods. The trip was so entirely successful that the party is in raptures over it. Their guides gave the best of satisfaction.

## Height of a Salmon's Leap.

A salmon can leap to a height of 20 feet. This has been demonstrated by the fishery commissioners of Norway, who by means of standards erected below waterfalls, have measured the leaps of this agile fish.



## BEAR SIGNS PLENTY.

Oquossoc House to Be Remodelled  
For Next Season's Business.

[Special correspondence to the Maine Woods.]  
RANGELEY, Nov. 12, 1901.

Milton Nile shot a 230 pound buck last week. The deer weighed this dressed, which is the only fair way to weigh a deer.

Harry Quimby, Frank Porter and Lorin Haley, cook, have returned from a trip to their camp at Beaver bog. They are guiding W. M. Condee and J. V. Schieren from Brooklyn, N. Y. The party got two good sized deer.

Ed Lowell, while on his trip in the St. Johns region this fall carried a folding Eastman camera. Among the many camping and game scenes that he got, is one of a young calf moose which came walking towards the canoe, exposing himself to shot after shot from the camera until he was evidently within a distance of twenty feet.

C. L. Harnden is in at Kennebago guiding C. L. Holmer of Waterbury, Conn. When last heard from they had secured one big buck. As this was several days ago and the weather continues fine it is safe to presume that they will have another before they come out.

Ed Lowell and Jim Wilcox came out from their camp at the foot of the boulders on Kennebago stream, where they have been the past two weeks, guiding a hunting party consisting of Murch M. Bronsdon, L. M. Ferry of Milton, Mass., and G. Aldrich of Readville. The party got their full allowance of deer, six in all, which they took home with them. The beechnuts being plenty this fall, the hunter has only to linger about in the open growth until the game comes his way. Every returning hunting party brings tales of bear signs that they see among the beeches. Jim Wilcox started a big one one morning, but the wind was treacherous and so dry and noisy has the travelling been of late that a hunter is indeed fortunate if he gets sight of one of these keen scented and wary beasts. Each one of the party secured a two-point buck. Mr. Bronsdon had the best buck, taking one of eight points. Mr. Aldrich was next with a six-point, and Mr. Ferry's was four points. The gentlemen were enthusiastic over the trip.

Natt Carr, after having removed from the bear which he recently shot, the hide to be made into a rug, and the tusks from its mouth to be made into watch charms, sent the carcass, which most of us would throw away, to the Boston market and got 12 cents a pound for it. There is economy in hunting as well as anything else.

John J. Wilber and Elmer Snowman are trapping at Kennebago. Elmer was in town over Sunday. Thus far they have been bending their energies to setting traps, but will soon begin to visit them and find what they have been catching. They have two bear traps in localities where signs of bears are very plentiful.

John B. Marble has been making improvements on the Oquossoc house. He will enlarge it to quite an extent during the winter. One chimney will be removed and a new one built. The kitchen will occupy the place which has hitherto been the shed, and the dining room will extend across the building and occupy what is now the kitchen. A woodshed will be built and several more sleeping rooms will be finished off on the first and third floors. It is now his plan to put it into first-class condition and operate it next summer, in connection with the Rangeley Lake House.

It is reported that a white deer has lately been killed near Lincoln pond on the Magalloway. A Frenchman coming from there tells about seeing this white deer that was killed "next" week.

D. E. HEYWOOD.

## A New Trout Fly.

The business done in mouse whiskers is considerable this year, for they are used in the making of the wonderful new fly for fishermen—the "new grey gnat." And they are expensive—nearly 2 cents per whisker. Trout rise very much better at mouse whisker flies than at the same "gnat" dressed in jungle-cock hackies, which look very much like them.—Ex.

## The Champion Skunk Hunter.

Mr. S. W. Burnham of Manchester, has been doing a good business this fall hunting skunks. He has had good success, for over 100 have been killed by him so far. In one week he killed 50. Since the skins sell for good prices, he is finding no fault with his luck. His dog is a good skunk chaser, and almost any evening they may be found out on their hunt. After the dog runs them down, the animals are killed with a stick.



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## HUNTERS ON THE MOVE.

"King of the Woodcock Hunters"  
Bags Many Birds.

[Special correspondence to the MAINE WOODS.]  
NORWAY, Nov. 12, 1901.

George E. Richards of South Paris has just returned from a successful hunting trip to the head waters of the Machias river, bringing with him an elegant specimen of moose which he is having mounted by Nash of Maine.

Henry B. Foster and Dr. F. A. Barker have started for Bemis intending to bring out all the deer the law allows. Mr. Foster is an enthusiastic fox hunter and has bagged five foxes and six coons so far this year.

M. W. Samson, engineer of the steamer Rockaway on Lake Pennesseewassee, has just returned from a hunting trip to Missoqui, where he was fortunate enough to capture quite a bag of quail, besides prairie chicken and other birds.

W. C. Gary has had splendid luck this fall with the wild ducks that frequent North pond. His latest achievement was to shoot two big mallards, which are very rare in this section. He is having them mounted by Nash.

"Shorty" Cook is the king of the woodcock hunters, having shot 130 woodcock and 25 partridges this fall, over his dog, Sport. One of the woodcock weighed 8½ ounces.

Col. W. O. Needham and M. W. Samson have started for Stoneham to spend two weeks in camp. Both men are well known hunters in this section. They expect to return with two bucks apiece, as deer have been reported very plentiful around Stoneham this year. Ed Judkins will act as guide.

## WANTED GOOD HEAD.

Moose Came to Camp and Waited  
to Be Shot.

[Special correspondence to the Maine Woods.]  
KINEO, Nov. 9, 1901.

Messrs. Charles S. Foss, Clifton M. Foss and E. J. Chenery, who have been hunting around Chesuncook, have returned to their homes in Portland, after a very much enjoyed trip into the woods. The party was after a set of good heads, so did not shoot at everything they came across. They saw a plenty of does, but did not want them.

Clifton Foss, 16 years of age, shot a nice deer. His father was with him when he made the shot, and they had to carry the animal three miles to camp.

A short time before, Mr. Young of Auburn, shot a moose while standing in the door of his camp. He heard the dog barking and on going out there was a moose with 21 points taking the situation in. Mr. Young ran back and grabbed his rifle. The moose did not seem at all frightened and stood still while the shooting act was done. The animal dressed 350 pounds. It cost over \$20 to get the moose to Auburn.

## INDIAN ROCK CAMPS.

Game Dinner Served to Sports-  
men by Proprietor Holt.

[Special correspondence to the MAINE WOODS.]  
HANOVER, Nov. 11, 1901.

Game was plenty and hunters scarce the past week. A lot of birds have been shot around the camp.

Last Sunday Mr. Holt got up a game dinner for a party of twenty sportsmen from Rumford Falls. The party was composed of the following persons: Stanley Bisbee and wife, C. E. Howland and wife, A. E. Morrison and wife, Superintendent E. L. Lovejoy and wife, Wm. Holley and wife, Walter Morse and lady, A. A. Hall and wife, of Rumford Falls; Frank Thomas and wife, R. L. Melcher and wife, Andover. There was served for dinner venison, partridges, rabbits and coons. It was one of the best dinners that Indian Rock camp affords.

E. E. Howe and party of three from Lowell, Mass., went into Klondyke camp last Monday afternoon after deer. The party was headed by Doctor Solon Bartlett of Lowell. E. E. Howe, the well known guide and cook, will guide the party.

Mr. John Bacon and the well-known sportsman, C. A. Morton of Bramford, Conn., with A. G. Howe of Hanover, were at Indian Rock camp last week. Mr. Morton is a genuine sportsman and a fine shot. We hope to see him in the future.

A number of sportsmen from Rumford Falls will visit these camps on the first snow. It has been very hard hunting on account of the dry leaves in the woods.

## GOOD STORY COMING.

Beechnuts Abundant and All  
Kinds of Game Plenty.

[Special correspondence to the MAINE WOODS.]  
CARRY POND, Nov. 9, 1901.

Mr. W. J. Shattuck of New York has returned home with a fine deer. He got a shot at a bear but it got away. He traced it nearly a mile by the blood which streamed out of both sides, but finally gave up the chase.

Mr. A. F. Donigan of Bingham had a shot at a deer and Mr. Crowell of Oakland got a fine deer.

The New York party that annually comes here is due the first of the week. There are six in the party, Mr. Henry Holding, commissioner of Parks Moebus, son and friend, Dr. Bailey and friend. They will employ as guides, R. V. Ham of Moscow, Oliver Adams and two sons of The Forks, Harvey Givins, Tom Collins of Bingham and H. J. Lane. Their luck will be chronicled in the MAINE WOODS at no late day.

This is the greatest season for game in years. The beechnuts are very plenty and game very abundant.

## "SKUNKS" THAT FARED HARD.

Box Traps That Serve To Catch  
the Animals.Skunk In a Well That Caused  
Young Man Trepidation.

M. W. Harding, the Phillips barber tells a skunk story at the expense of Sam Farmer and Dr. Toothaker. It occurred when Farmer kept hotel in Phillips. He informed the Doctor one morning that he had a skunk in a box trap and he might shoot him. So the Doctor got a gun and the party, including a number of sportsmen (who were about to start for Rangeley with George Picken, the stage driver,) went down back of Wilbur's store; the Doctor got ready to kill the game, Farmer knocked open the trap door very cautiously and out jumped Uncle Emery Worthley's old cat.

Dick Johnson, uncle of Dr. E. S. Johnson of Farmington used to keep a grocery store in Gardiner. He set a box trap for a skunk and the next morning found he had him in the trap. Not caring to be too familiar he put the trap on the back end of his delivery wagon and hauled the wagon off by hand to a convenient place near the river and backed the wagon up close to the waters edge. When everything was ready he kicked the trap off into the water; but when he kicked, the trap flew open and a neighbors cat jumped out and ran away. The trap went into the water however and floated down stream.

C. E. Beedy of Lewiston, who is travelling salesman for Armour & Co., lived in Phillips in his boyhood days and an occasional skunk would visit the farm. One morning they discovered that a big fellow was in the well. This was not at all encouraging, but finally his father went down into the well on a ladder and after grabbing the skunk by the tail carried him to the top of the ladder in a perfectly safe position with his head down. Clarence, who was a youngster, had to hold the top of the ladder and he sincerely hoped that he wouldn't have to touch that skunk. But when his father got to the top of the well he couldn't possibly get through with that skunk in his hand and so Clarence had to take him. But it took only a minute to kill him.

## HUNTERS AND TALLY-HO.

Two Hunters Shot the Same  
Moose at Caribou Bog.

[Special correspondence to the MAINE WOODS.]  
MILO, Nov. 12, 1901.

C. D. Wolcott of Boston, Mass., has been hunting at Sebois lake. He found an abundance of deer there, and also succeeded in getting a large bear within easy range of his trusty rifle. Mr. Wolcott is much pleased with the result of his outing.

L. D. Mitchell, a well-known Maine lumberman, shot a very large moose near Patten this week. The antlers spread about 44 feet, with wide blades and sixteen points.

L. C. Henderson of Boston has sent an English pheasant to William Cooper, the popular Milo taxidermist, for mounting. The English pheasant is a very rare bird in America and this specimen attracts much attention.

W. D. McGregor of East Corinth drove down from Katahdin Iron Works one day recently with a load that attracted much attention. The outfit was a tally ho with four-in-hand, and the load was a party of hunters with four deer. They made merry with horns and flags as they wended their way homeward.

George Foss and Elmer McPherson of Foxcroft have just returned from Caribou bog. They brought home a good sized moose with about four feet spread of antlers. Both fired when the game was sighted and neither can say who shot the moose.

Lewis Doble, teacher of the Milo Grammar school, shot his first deer in a field near his home one morning recently. He was doing some work at the stable before breakfast, when a friend who was visiting him saw the deer a short distance back of the buildings. Hastily running to the house Mr. Doble caught up his father's rifle, a 32, and some cartridges, which he put in the magazine as he ran in the direction of the game. The deer was crossing a field and our friend started to head him off. His only opportunity was a long distance shot, 200 yards at least, but Mr. Doble was equal to the emergency. He was the happiest man in Milo that day.

A. G. Brown and C. F. Hurd of Dover came back from a short hunt near Russell mountain with one deer. Mr. Brown's rifle did the business.

## Phillips Hotel Arrivals.

Recent arrivals at Phillips Hotel are: Tuesday, Nov. 5. E. E. Coombs, Auburn; Wm. E. Pense, Salem; Herbert W. Northey, Salem, Mass.; F. C. Milliken, Wesley W. Bates, L. R. Loring, Portland; F. A. Rich, A. R. Knight, Lewiston; Geo. H. Doane, Portland, Mich.; D. Campbell and wife, Bangor; P. Richardson, Rangeley; E. O. Proctor, E. E. Sawyer, Ayer, Mass.

Wednesday, Nov. 6. W. E. Lawless, E. E. Coombs, Auburn; J. H. Byron, Town; F. A. Rich, Lewiston; C. C. Stinson, H. G. Yates, Boston; W. M. Stephenson, E. P. Whitaker, Portland; Peter Ogden, Cumnup; H. A. Lufkin, Phillips; Clark M. Smith, Ernest D. Peary, Rangeley.

Thursday, Nov. 7. R. G. Jordan, Auburn; N. T. Powell, C. C. Stinson, Boston; Nat. Ellis, W. S. Ingraham, Lewiston; W. B. Adie, Portland.

Friday, Nov. 8. Fred I. Stone, Wakefield; G. G. Witham, Farmington.

Monday, Nov. 11. M. M. Bronsdon, Milton, Mass.; G. Aldrich, Hyde Park; H. W. Sanborn, D. C. Pierce and wife, James Mitchell, Boston; E. M. Berry, C. E. Beedy, Lewiston; J. H. Winslow, Gardiner.

Tuesday, Nov. 12. R. A. Bragg, Portland; J. E. Short, Bangor; Mrs. Elsie Hewey, C. T. Richardson, W. D. Quimby, Geo. M. Esty, L. E. Bowley.



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## MADE HIM SCRATCH.

Boy Had to Hold Hat on While  
He Loaded Rifle.

[Special correspondence to the MAINE WOODS.]  
KINGFIELD, Nov. 12, 1901.

Mr. E. C. Stanley has gone to Bigelow for a three days' hunting trip.

Messrs. S. A. Potter and A. F. Adams of Lowell, Mass., and Flavius Vose of Kingfield have gone to Riverside cottage hunting.

Among those that have secured deer within a few days are Frank Whiteher, Chas. Swett and Dan Cushman, engineer on the Franklin & Megantic railroad.

Eugene Perry, Harold Safford and Robert Saunders took a trip to Indian pond a short time ago and stopped in an old birch camp while they were doing some hunting. One day the other boys took the rifles and went out leaving Saunders at the camp with the shotgun. Soon after, Saunders heard a partridge drumming, and took the gun and went after him.

In a short time he saw, as he went over the ridge, a bear looking back over his shoulder at him. The young man had nothing but bird shot in the gun, and he was considerably shaken up with what they call fright, but he went to work and took out the shells, replacing them with buck shot shells. He says he does not know how in the world he ever got the shells changed. He was so frightened that his hair stood out straight, and he had to put one hand to his hat to keep it on his head, while he was loading the gun. This was all while he was twenty-one feet away from the bear as a measurement afterward showed.

At any rate he loaded the barrels and fired both barrels at once and gave a most unearthly yell. He said the discharge staggered him some. He did not aim at the head but sent the shot at the bear and let them hit anywhere. Bruin just stood there and scratched his side for a minute, then, thinking the place too warm for him, went off on a run. When the other boys returned, they all went on the trail, but did not see anything of the creature.

Mr. Sylvio Sprague and Mr. R. A. Huse went to Carrabassett hunting, Saturday. Mr. Sprague shot a nice, fat doe.

The shipments of game taken down the Franklin & Megantic railroad and transferred at Strong to the Sandy River road is as follows:

J. W. Taylor, Portland,	2 bucks
A. R. Bates, Boston,	1 buck
S. S. Hoyt, Waltham,	1 "
R. H. Wheeler, Waltham,	1 "
L. A. Burr, Wilton,	1 doe
J. R. Jenkins, Wilton,	1 "
John Moody, Wilton,	1 "
J. D. Farnell, Wilton,	1 "
G. H. Starker, Fitchburg,	1 "
W. Chapman, Fitchburg,	1 buck
G. A. Webster, Dover, N. H.,	1 "
J. Pattinson, Boston,	1 "
W. W. Clark, Farmington,	1 "
F. J. Clark, Farmington,	1 bear
S. R. Carley, Kingfield,	1 doe, 1 buck
G. G. Fernald, Boston,	2 bucks
D. Fairchild, Bridgport,	1 bear, 1 buck
S. F. Neff, Boston,	1 doe
W. J. Fuller, Hartford,	1 doe

Game Shipped From Points on  
Phillips & Rangeley Railroad.

The game shipped from points along the Phillips & Rangeley railroad for the past week is as follows:

J. A. Roderick, Farmington,	1 deer.
G. Aldrich, Boston,	1 buck.
L. M. Ferry, Boston,	2 "
M. M. Bronsdon, Boston,	2 "
Mrs. Florence M. Pierce,	1 "
Brookline,	1 "
D. C. Pierce, Brookline,	1 "

## Brings Back Old Times.

In sending in his subscription to MAINE WOODS, Mr. L. B. Moody of Marion, Mass., says reading it set him thinking of old times when he used to go hunting here. The first deer he ever saw wild he killed on Wild river in Gilead. Since that time he has lived ten years in Colorado and hunted in the Rockies, killing all kinds of game from a rabbit to a grizzly.

## Lady Secures Big Buck.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Pierce of Brookline were in Phillips Monday, on their way out from the Megantic Preserve. Mrs. Pierce secured a splendid 6-point buck that dressed 235 pounds. Mr. Pierce shot a small one.

## Deer In West Phillips.

Oscar and Everett Beedy of West Phillips celebrated the first snow for tracking last Wednesday by shooting a 200-pound buck.

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es Deer For Bear.Muskrat Causes False Alarm of  
Wild-Cats.

[Special correspondence to the Maine Woods]  
DEAD RIVER, Nov. 12, 1901.

Still the hunting season goes on and there are no blank days here. Bears have become almost as common now as the deer.

Mr. H. H. J. Hill of Hartford, Conn., is now the winning man as far as the bear season is concerned, shooting the largest and finest bear got here for the season thus far. The funny part of it is Mr. Hill lost a good deer, but gained a bear by it. He and his guide, Herman Harlow, were out hunting and shot a deer. Just as it fell a big buck was seen, shot at and followed for half an hour or more. They gave him up and returned to hang up the deer they had shot. What was their surprise to find it nearly half eaten up and big bear tracks all around. They left it as it was and came home to camp, seeing another bear on their way, but it was too dark to shoot it. The next morning they started out at 3:30 with a lantern for the half eaten deer. When within about one-half mile they blew out their lantern and crept along. When they came in sight of the place nothing was to be seen and the deer was gone. They followed the trail for nearly one-half a mile when Mr. Hill saw the bear finishing his breakfast of venison. Mr. Hill quietly drew up his rifle and the first shot killed the bear. Mr. Hill got two deer and the record bear, while Mr. Fuller got one fine deer, for their eight days' hunt. This is their third year here.

Dr. Guy G. Fernald of Waverly, Mass., who has been here for the past week with a party of four, had the good luck to shoot last Saturday, two as fine bucks as one needs ever to have. He stood right in his tracks and downed them both not four rods apart and could have got a third if he had wanted to. They were all bucks and were challenging each other for a fight. The party got five deer.

Mr. S. S. Neff and son, Clarence A. Neff, of Boston, have been here the past week. Mr. Neff got one fine deer, while Clarence had several good shots at what he said was a buck of over 300 pounds. He says he rather shoot partridges than deer. But next year he is going to shoot a deer as he expects to come for a good long stay.

Mr. David Fairchild of Bridgport, Conn., who has been here the past ten days, also got a good deer to take home. Mr. H. Stevens of New York, who is here for a ten days' hunt, has already downed the finest 200-pound buck that has been shot here thus far this season, and he says he doesn't care if he never sees another deer.

Messrs. E. C. Bump, Roy Funnell and Dr. C. F. Rowell of Wilton, are also here for a two weeks' hunt. This is their ninth annual trip.

Messrs. Mason H. Gray, Howard H. Wheeler of Cambridge, Mass., and J. W. Ronco, Fred W. Pamom of Arlington, Mass., are also here for two weeks' hunting. This is the fourth annual season here for Messrs. Gray and Wheeler.

Wild excitement was caused in camp early one morning last week, when two of the guides rushed into camp and aroused everyone saying that a wild-cat and a bear were having a fight just below the camp. All rushed out and the woods were full of men and rifles and what was discovered made the guides cast hard words against Jim Harlow, the cook. He had set a mink trap and had a muskrat in it and it was calling for help. We won't mention who the guides were as they are two at the head of the list, but Herman and Fred said they never supposed such a small animal could make such a big noise.

Mr. P. A. Rogers, one of our guides, saw three moose one day last week, a spike horn bull, cow and calf. He had a chance to look them over for 20 minutes.

Mr. C. C. Brooks left for East Wilton last Monday after a sixteen weeks' stay at Lodge House and Cabins. He is not sure but he will return again for a week and get another big buck. J. G. H.

## Save the Does.

A suggestion made by a Boston sportsman is at least worthy of consideration. He has done a great deal of hunting in the state and is pained to see the promiscuous carrying of firearms by young and old in certain portions of the state. They go out and shoot, not only the bucks but the fawns and does; this is wasting the game. He thinks that there should be a law prohibiting the slaughter of does. He says that it would serve the double purpose of preserving the animals and making a hunter sure of what he is shooting at, thus protecting human life.

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Up Holeb way they are looking to see a game getting record established within the next few weeks, for Commissioner Carleton and Hon. P. O. Vickery are up there on their annual trip after big game. Both men are anxious to bring

The party, consisting of C. M. Howell, R. H. W. Dwight and H. B. Moore of Boston and S. S. Brown of Cambridge, which has been at Holeb for two weeks, returned home on Saturday all well and happy and full of enthusiasm for Maine as a hunting ground. They had found a deer and a bear. Mr. Howell was the sportsman that killed the bear and he was better pleased with bruin than with the deer he had with him and told the MAINE DEER Woods correspondent that he would rather have shot that bear than to have got a moose. Mr. Moore provided

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Henry Hughey, guide.

## West Phillips People Feeling Pretty Well These Days.

Bearce & Wilson have not yet decided whether to put up a mill to saw out what



ON THE FIRST SNOW.

Ben Hayes of Farmington, who lives

At Kingfield a party of Boston sportsmen, who are camping above the town, secured four very nice ones. Fred Dyer and Eugene Young also secured one each.

Six were killed at Stratton, but we were unable to get the names of the hunters. We were unable to hear from Eustis village.

There is another lot belonging to Blanchard & Twitchell that corners on the public lot and from which probably two millions will have to come through West Phillips. In addition to the above, Bearce & Wilson have a bond of the timber on the public lot estimated at two millions. Some of the West Phillips people estimate that a hundred millions will go out their way. Whatever the amount is, it is certainly large and there will be a very busy time this winter on the

**Suggestion by Reporter Contributed Free of Charge.**

Anent the gossip in regard to new railroads for North Franklin it is suggested that if the Phillips & Rangeley railroad should build around to the north side of Redington township and the Franklin & Megantic should build to Stratton there would then be a link of five miles to build in order to connect the Rangeley track and the Deer River region by rail, and that is what is desired to Greene's.

We are not to be understood that there is any probability of this being done. The suggestion is simply interesting and it is furnished without extra charge.

## Grangers Go to Bemis.

The members of the National grange, now in session at Lewiston, went to Bemis Thursday by courtesy of the Portland & Rumford Falls Railroad company.



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**FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 15, 1901.**

**Accidental Shooting.**

The law relating to accidental shoot-  
ing of human beings by hunters, as  
passed by the last legislature, seems to  
have wholly failed in its purpose. In-  
stead of there being a decrease of such  
accidents this year, the number has in-  
creased. It is supposed that a person  
who knows how to handle a rifle or gun  
could be trusted to hunt with it without  
a guardian. The entire senselessness of  
this promiscuous shooting and this mal-  
ady which some hunters have of think-  
ing that everything in the woods is  
game is evident even to the ones af-  
flicted with the delusion. There is no  
doubt but the author of the accident is  
a great sufferer on account of it, but  
that does not mend the matter. If the  
fear of fine and imprisonment will not  
improve the hunter's sight, some other  
remedy must be sought. Human life  
should be preserved even if the game in-  
terests do suffer. It may be necessary  
to require every one entering the woods  
to hunt to be clothed in green; that will  
at least prevent his being taken for a  
black bear or a white deer.  
The saddest shooting affair was that  
of the Ohio sportsman near Moosehead  
lake, but in this case it was no fault on  
the part of the hunter and the coroner's  
jury freed him from blame. Another  
instance, not given in the list of acci-  
dents, but referred to by our Bangor  
correspondent is certainly lamentable.  
So far as we have learned, action has  
been begun under this law in but two  
cases, and it looks as if it would become  
a dead letter. Let it be enforced, then,  
if it fails of its purpose, repeal it.

ANOTHER Quaker range contest will  
be started for Kingfield, Eustis, Carra-  
basset, Salem and Bigelow, as soon as  
the range arrives. The last one of this  
nature was the most exciting kind of a  
contest. Let those who want a range  
get ready to start as soon as the an-  
nouncement is made.

It will no doubt interest the friends  
of MAINE WOODS to know that for the  
week ending Nov. 8, the increase in new  
subscribers to MAINE WOODS was large  
even for the time of year when people  
are arranging for winter reading matter.  
The increase in circulation during the  
week referred to was twelve times as  
great as it was for the corresponding  
week last year. For the same week,  
MAINE WOODS carried 33% per cent  
more advertising than last year.

**SHOOTING ACCIDENTS.**  
**Terrible Record of Carelessness  
In the Woods.**

Since the game season opened six men  
have been fatally shot in the Maine woods,  
and at least three others seriously wounded  
by the negligence or stupidity of hunters.  
In each case the man killed has been a citi-  
zen of the state, though last year several  
nonresidents were shot. It is a grim record  
and the effect of the new law has not been  
evident. The dead to date are as follows:  
John G. Weeks, Lewiston, mistaken for a  
deer while hunting near Jefferson.  
John G. Leonard, aged 16, of Frankfort,  
killed while hunting near that town by the  
accidental discharge of a shotgun in the  
hands of his companion.  
William Cowley, aged 17, of Skowhegan,  
mistaken for a deer while fishing near Moro.  
Henry McPheters, aged 40, of Milford, mis-  
taken for a bear while gathering apples in  
orchard near a lumber camp in Monson.  
Frank Ripley, aged 45, of Waite, accident-  
ally shot near Brockton.  
Leslie Bowker, Marshfield, shot by hunter  
on Machias river and left alone to die.  
The wounded:  
Eugene Wilston, Jonesboro, mistaken for a  
bear.  
Daniel McInnes of DeWolfe's Corner, N. B.,  
mistaken for a deer while hunting near  
Calais.  
Edward Metcalf of Bucksport, mistaken  
for a deer while hunting near that town.

**HE IS STILL TRYING.**  
**All Things, Even Deer, Come to  
Those Who Wait.**

[Special correspondence to the MAINE WOODS.]  
KATAHDIN IRON WORKS,  
Nov. 11, 1901.

The Chairback Mountain camps of  
Mrs. Helen Brown, on the shore of Long  
pond, are being well patronized by the  
festive hunter.

The deer are now found mainly on the  
hard wood ridges, attracted there by the  
bountiful crop of beechnuts, and they  
are exceedingly hard to shoot because  
warned of the hunter's approach by the  
crackling of the dry leaves. Practically  
the only way to hunt is to take a station  
in some place frequented by deer, wait  
till a handsome buck heaves in sight  
and open fire.

The success of this method Mr. Ar-  
thur F. Estabrook, the well-known Bos-  
ton financier, has proved to his great  
satisfaction. Mr. Estabrook makes no  
claims to being a hunter, and in fact  
had never fired a rifle previous to his  
trip to the Chairback Mountain camps  
and came not to hunt but to better his  
health. Soon after his arrival at camp  
he climbed old Fourth mountain, rifle  
in hand, and was told to sit on a log and  
wait for game. Equipped with cigar  
and magazine, not fifteen minutes had  
elapsed when he heard a slight noise  
and looked up to see a magnificent buck  
rattling the limbs of a tree with his  
antlers not thirty yards away and all  
oblivious of his danger. Down went  
cigar, "Smart Set," and glasses, and  
raising his Savage Mr. Estabrook scored  
a fancy shot behind the big fellow's  
shoulder which ended his career. The  
buck was a splendid specimen weighing  
about 200 pounds.

Contrasted with Mr. Estabrook's good  
fortune is the hard luck of another man  
at camp who has fired at no less than  
eight deer but has made a clean miss  
every time. He is still trying.

Recent departures have been Mrs. O.  
D. Thompson and Misses C. O. LeRoy  
and Anita LeRoy, Philadelphia; Capt.  
E. B. Smith, E. A. Woodbury, Arthur  
F. Estabrook and Dr. Geo. W. Clement,  
Boston; Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Lord, Ken-  
nebunk; Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Cram and  
son, Robert Cram, Biddeford; Mr. and  
Mrs. H. W. Fenn, Boston; Mr. and  
Mrs. L. W. Anthony and W. B. M. Still-  
man, Providence; J. A. H. Elder, J. O.  
Thompson and H. W. Rowe, editor of  
Maine Sportsman, Bangor.

Mrs. Francis Harding of Mansfield,  
Mass., and her companion, Mrs. S. D.  
Brown of Schoodic, are two lady hun-  
ters who have sought this sylvan retreat.  
Among others now at this camp are  
Walter P. Read, A. H. Seaver, J. F.  
Beedle, Boston; Frank M. Montell, Jr.,  
Montclair, N. J.; W. A. Fogg, Bangor,  
and E. D. Jenkins, Waterville.

Mr. John Fletcher of Providence and  
Halkey W. Kent of New York are short-  
ly expected.

**HUNTERS AT REDINGTON.**

**Massachusetts Party Enjoying  
Sport at Varnum Pond.**

[Special correspondence to MAINE WOODS.]  
FARMINGTON, Nov. 12, 1901.

A jolly party from Massachusetts has  
been at the camp of Mr. George McL.  
Presson on Varnum pond for the past  
week. In the party were Mr. Jacob  
Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Pillsbury and  
Mrs. Gertrude A. Bueheana of Boston,  
and Dr. Buffum of Somerville. They  
have spent a very pleasant week, enjoy-  
ing shooting birds, rabbits and other  
small game. They saw a number of  
deer, but did not shoot any. The par-  
tridges are very plenty there and gave  
the party much sport.

Messrs. Fred Adams, Joe Matthien, J.  
A. Roderic and Walker of East Wilton,  
have returned from their trip this side  
of Redington. They camped in the  
"half way shanty." Hunting was noisy,  
so the party only secured one deer.  
The first day they were out they made  
a drive of two bucks and a doe, and that  
within twenty minutes after they start-  
ed out. They made some good drives  
in the beech ridges, but were unable to  
get near enough to the game to shoot it.  
One of the trips taken was over to with-  
in three miles of Bigelow. Many par-  
tridges were found and furnished good  
eating.

**Deer Holds Up Travellers.**

The latest hold-up reported in this  
state was made by a deer over near Dex-  
ter. Henry Allen was passing quietly  
along the road, communing with him-  
self, when, in the gathering twilight,  
he was startled by a loud snort. It  
made the creeps go up and down his  
backbone with a chill for a few minutes.  
When he looked around he saw a large  
buck deer a short distance in advance  
of him. Immediately he threw his axe  
at him, intending to stop the interview  
right there.

The buck was not easily frightened  
and stood his ground, bringing his foot  
down on the hard ground with a bang.  
Mr. Allen then started on a run at him,  
but that only roused the fighting blood  
in him and he started to meet him more  
than half way. They met and the deer  
struck Mr. Allen with his hoof, making  
a good sized scar. This brought the  
yells out of the man, and the snort out  
of this deer as well as from several that  
were in the woods near by. The ani-  
mals then went off down the road leav-  
ing Mr. Allen to recover from his as-  
tonishment.

**Deer Was Stolen.**

Mr. J. A. Perry of Bangor recently  
had a queer experience at Lincoln. He  
had been out hunting and secured a fine  
buck. He took it to the station in the  
afternoon, intending to have it shipped  
on the same train he was to take in the  
evening. His surprise was great when he  
returned, to find that his deer was  
not there. He had to go home without  
it, but it was found the next day a short  
distance away behind a fence.

**Has Some Doubts About the  
Truth of Hunting Stories.**

L. D. Carver, state librarian, con-  
fessed to a Journal reporter, yesterday,  
that deep in his heart he was cruel  
enough to doubt many of the wonderful  
and soul stirring tales that are coming  
from the woods during the hunting sea-  
son. "I am afraid some of them are  
like one that happens to come to my  
mind," he said, "I remember a certain  
Augusta man returned from the woods  
bringing with him a big moose. As the  
carcass was taken from the train, he  
'threw out his chest' and grew six  
inches taller as he stalked proudly along  
the platform gun in hand, with the ad-  
miring multitude looking on.

"The next morning the Kennebec  
Journal came out with an interview  
with the mighty hunter. It was a lurid  
tale—a charge of a mad bull whose eyes  
spit fire and from whose nostrils two  
columns of smoke issued as he charged  
on the Augusta huntsman. Then there  
was buck fever and a recovery just in  
time for the hunter to pour the cold  
lead into the raging animal, bringing  
him to ground and approach his fallen  
game with a 'word is mine' air.

"For about a week that man was  
looked upon as one of the bravest hun-  
ters in Augusta, but alas! The corre-  
spondent of a Bangor paper in the town  
where the moose was killed wrote an  
item to his paper to the effect that Mr.  
So and So had sold a bull moose to Mr.  
Blank of Augusta for \$30. Mr. Blank it  
is needless to say was the hunter named  
above.

"The item was copied in the Augusta  
paper, and on the morning of its publi-  
cation, the mighty hunter walked to his  
office still congratulating himself on his  
sudden rise to fame. His telephone be-  
gan to ring about as soon as he got  
there and all the forenoon a steady  
stream of queries came pouring in until  
the victim was well nigh crazy. It was  
said he had the telephone taken out of  
his office because it bothered him at his  
work.

"It developed that the moose was not  
shot by man after all. A certain man had  
been 'salting' the animal for a long time  
and the night before the law was off he  
rigged a wire across the well beaten  
path, attached the wire to the triggers  
of two rifles correctly adjusted and  
when the moose struck the wire in the  
darkness he was shot.

"Ever since that incident," said Mr.  
Carver, "I have had some doubts about  
the veracity of some of the hunters who  
return from the woods with big game.  
I am afraid some of them are shot by  
the guides and out of pity transferred to  
the employer."—Kennebec Journal.

*This issue of the Maine Woods is in  
many ways a superior number. The arrange-  
ment of the reading matter has been improved  
—the advertisements are more attractive.*  
*J. W. Brackett.*

**CARIBOU ARE MINUS.**

**Killed Moose With a Forty-Four  
Revolver.**

[Special correspondence to the Maine Woods]  
EUSTIS, Nov. 11, 1901.

A party consisting of Prof. D. C.  
Hutchins, J. M. Davis, J. W. Jacobs, J.  
G. Littlefield and H. L. Maxwell, all of  
Wells, Maine, have a hunting camp near  
Alder Stream farm. These gentlemen  
built this camp two years ago and will  
enlarge it this year. These five go to  
camp in a body each year for an outing  
and hunting trip. "While in the woods,  
we live many days in one," says the  
professor. They never fail to take out  
ten deer. I met this jolly five at Eustis  
on their way to camp. Mr. Davis will  
favor the MAINE WOODS with an ac-  
count of their trip when they return  
home.

Gordon Campbell, a noted guide of  
the Dead River region, says, "Moose  
signs are plenty, but caribou are a  
minus quantity." He has seen but one  
caribou track this year. Gordon says  
that bears are more numerous than ever.  
Nine have been shot in the vicinity of  
Eustis this fall, all big ones.

The Shaw House, of which E. B.  
Lambert is proprietor, is headquarters  
for hunters in this region. Mr. Lam-  
bert runs a first-class house and the  
sporting fraternity understand it.

Paul Perry of Eustis once shot a big  
bull moose with a 44 revolver. He fired  
at him 33 times and put 32 bullets into  
his body before bagging him.

Ella Patterson got a small deer and  
ten partridges in a two days' hunt.

Ray Ricker has got some fine foxes  
this fall.

Mr. Wm. Higgins has quite a large  
collection of foxes.

Harl and Walter White got fifteen  
partridges in one day with rifles.

**Clubbed Deer to Death.**

[Special correspondence to the MAINE WOODS.]  
STRONG, Nov. 12, 1901.

There is not very much in the game  
line for news this week, but will be as  
soon as there comes a little snow.

M. Kershner was out in his orchard  
late, picking up apples, when he  
looked up and saw a deer standing in  
the orchard. Mr. Kershner had a shot-  
gun with him and let go at the deer.  
The shot put the animal's eyes out and  
the hunter went up and clubbed the  
deer to death.

**HOUSEKEEPER'S COLUMN.**

Under this heading we shall publish  
each week cooking receipts which have  
been tried and proved good. Will our  
readers please send in receipts for their  
favorite dishes?

**CELERY SOUP WITH RICE.**

Add 1 cup of rice to 3 pints of milk  
and place in a double boiler and cook  
until rice is tender. Rub through a  
sieve. Add 1 quart of white stalk or  
broth to the sieved rice, grate or chop  
fine 2 stalks of celery and cook until the  
celery is tender. Season to taste with  
salt and pepper and serve very hot.

**PRESSED CHICKEN.**

Prepare a chicken (or two) as for pot  
pie, either old or young; cook tender, so  
that meat will fall from the bones; salt;  
cook in enough water that there will be  
about a pint when done of the gravy;  
remove all meat from the bones and  
chop fine; season with butter, pepper  
and sage; take the gravy and pour over  
a pint or more of bread crumbs and beat  
fine; then add chicken; mix and see if  
seasoned properly; then add 3 hard  
boiled eggs, if desired; put in a square  
pan to mold, in a cool place. Will not  
keep long in warm weather.

**FLOAT.**

Take the yolks of 4 eggs and whites  
of 2; beat well; add 1 cup sugar, 4 level  
tablespoonfuls of flour; stir this in 1  
quart of boiling milk and let boil a few  
minutes, stirring constantly until very  
thick; let cool; put in glasses or dessert  
dishes, then add the whites of the 2  
eggs beaten stiff, sweetened and fla-  
vored, in the center of each dish. It is  
very nice.

**GOOD GINGERBREAD.**

Take 2 eggs, beat well; 2 cups of good  
molasses, 1 cup of butter or meat fry-  
ings, 1 cup of sour milk, 2 teaspoonfuls  
of soda, 1 tablespoonful of ginger, cin-  
namon, spice and a little nutmeg. Do  
not bake in a very hot oven.

Will come again if this escapes the  
much dreaded waste basket.

Farmer's Daughter.

**When the Gravy's on the Buck-  
wheats.**

When the gravy's on the buckwheats and the  
sausages are hot,  
When the steam is floating upward from the  
shining coffee pot,  
When the cook sits up the batter that was  
set the night before,

And when little Bob and Clara smack their  
lips and yell for more.  
Oh it's then a man is always feeling pretty  
near his best.  
If there isn't any trouble with the works be-  
neath his vest—  
And it's then he ought to humbly thank the  
Lord for what he's got.  
When the gravy's on the buckwheats and the  
sausages are hot.  
There's a fragrance that comes floating from  
the pancakes on the plate  
That should nerve a man to action—make  
him strong for any fate—  
There is, y, there's inspiration in the smears  
on Bessie's chin.  
And it's good to see dear Willie as he scoops  
the sausage in.  
And what sweeter music is there than the  
rasping, slapping sound  
That the busy cook produces as she stirs the  
stuff around?  
Oh, each precious, luscious mouthful quickly  
When the gravy's on the buckwheats and the  
sausages are hot.

**SWEET MUFFINS.**

1 cup sweet milk, 1 egg, 2 cups flour,  
1 dessertspoon sugar, 1 dessertspoon  
butter, 2 level teaspoon cream tartar, 1  
teaspoon soda. Bake in a hot roll pan.

M. A. D.

**RIBBON CAKE.**

3 eggs, 1½ cups sugar, 1 cup butter,  
1 cup sweet milk, 3½ cups flour, 1 tea-  
spoon cream tartar, ½ teaspoon soda.  
Bake half in two tins. To the rest add  
4 spoons molasses, ¼ cup flour, ½ tea-  
spoon soda, 1 cup raisins, 1 teaspoon  
cloves, cinnamon and allspice. Bake  
dark in the same tins. Put together  
with jelly and press. Grace Whorff.

**Somerset and Kennebec County  
Apples**

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Nov. 9, 1901.

To the Editor of the Maine Woods:

The writer, I. W. Tourtellot, who is  
one of the firm of S. Tourtellot & Co.,  
Providence, R. I., and who is a sub-  
scriber to the MAINE WOODS, read an  
article in last week's issue headed  
"Apple Buyers In Market," and was  
interested as it comes in our line of busi-  
ness.

I, myself, have been a guest for two  
previous seasons of Mr. Washburn's  
hotel at Lake Austin, for recreation and  
fishing. I have been an annual apple  
buyer for our firm in Kennebec county  
for twenty years, operating at the dif-  
ferent points, Vassalboro, Oakland and  
Skowhegan. At Skowhegan we take in  
the territory of Fairfield, Clinton,  
Canaan, Cornville, Madison and Sokon,  
and operate there through and with the  
well known citizen, Geo. W. Fishon. At  
Oakland we operate with G. B. Rey-  
nolds. Mr. Reynolds takes in the terri-  
tory of Sydney, Belgrade, Rome and  
Smithfield. At Vassalboro we operate  
with J. W. Johnson who takes in the  
territory of Vassalboro, North and  
East Vassalboro and China. In all this  
territory we have bought of the farmers  
this fall from 12,000 to 15,000 barrels  
of winter apples and paid to them some  
\$40,000 for the same. These apples  
have all gone forward to Providence and  
gone into cold storage and will be sold  
in the Providence market the coming  
winter.

The apples of Kennebec county are of  
good quality this season and the future  
prospects are that apples, of standard  
varieties especially, will bring as good  
returns to the farmers as anything they  
can raise. Very respectfully,  
I. W. TOURTELLOT,  
With S. Tourtellot Co.

**Good Progress Made on Mill at  
Bigelow.**

[Special correspondence to MAINE WOODS.]  
BIGELOW, ME., Nov. 12, 1901.

The mill is practically finished and is  
turning out dimension lumber, shingles  
and laths. The mill is 191 feet long and  
30 feet wide with loading platform 150  
feet long, addition on side 120 feet long  
24 feet wide and boiler house 33 by 40.  
A waste carrier 250 feet long is being  
constructed across the Carrabasset river  
to burn, in open air, the fifty cords of  
waste made daily. The pulp mill is not  
running. With high prices of lumber it  
is advisable to put everything suitable  
into dimension stuff.

Forty-five men are employed in and  
about the mill and more good mill men  
are much needed but are scarce in this  
vicinity at present.

Carpenters are now at work on the  
storehouse which is 80x24, on the school  
house and the house for the blacksmith.  
In the woods, building roads, camps  
and logging are 175 men and 100 more  
will be at work soon.

Edison Sylvester of Eustis is clerking  
in the store this winter. Frank Adams  
time is wholly taken up with book-keep-  
ing and the duties in that line.

**Greene's Stage Line**  
**Dead River to Eustis.**

The only Stage Line in the Dead  
River region that connects with the  
early train for Boston. Will make  
connections with trains on and after  
May 11, 1901.

I. W. GREENE, Prop'r,  
Coplin, Maine.

**Teams of All  
Descriptions.**

Parties desiring teams of any kind  
to any point in this region can be ac-  
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**HUNTOON & OAKES,**  
PROPRIETORS.  
Stable next to Oquossoc House.  
**Rangeley, - - Maine.**

**This space belongs to the  
Rangeley Lakes  
Steamboat Co.**

Watch it carefully for full  
information about New Steam-  
boat Service etc., for the Sea-  
son of 1902.

H. H. FIELD,  
Gen. Man'g'r, Phillips, Me.

**TRANSPORTATION**

**TIME - TABLE.**  
**SANDY RIVER R. R.**  
**Monday, Oct. 14, 1901.**

North.		Tr'n1	Tr'n3	Tr'n5
		A. M.	A. M.	P. M.
Farmington,.....	lv	11 00	12 10	4 40
So. Strong,.....				
Strong,.....	ar	12 05	12 42	5 10
Phillips,.....	ar	12 30	1 00	5 30
South.		Tr'n2	Tr'n4	Tr'n6
		A. M.	A. M.	P. M.
Phillips,.....	lv	7 30	8 30	1 30
Strong,.....	lv	7 50	9 10	1 50
So. Strong,.....				
Farmington,.....	ar	8 20	10 00	2 20

WESTON LEWIS Pres. F. N. BEAL, Supt.

**Time-Table.**

**PHILLIPS & RANGELEY R. R.**

The only all-rail route to Rangeley Lake.  
The quickest and easiest route to the Dead  
River region via Dead River Station. Stage  
connection with every through train for  
Stratton, Eustis and all points inland.  
On and after Oct. 14, 1901, trains on the Phil-  
lips & Rangeley railroad will run as follows  
until further notice:

EAST.		A. M.	P. M.
Phillips, Lv		7 45	5 30
*Madrid,.....		8 05	5 45
*Reed's Mill,.....		8 15	5 55
*Sanders' Mill,.....		8 30	6 05
Redington Mills,.....	de	9 00	6 30
*Log Track No. 2,.....		9 20	6 40
Dead River,.....		9 40	6 50
Rangeley, ar		10 30	7 05
WEST.		A. M.	P. M.
Rangeley, Lv		11 30	2 00
Dead River,.....		11 42	2 15
*Log Track No. 2,.....		11 54	2 30
Redington Mills,.....	ar	12 05	2 45
*Sanders' Mill,.....		12 25	3 15
*Reed's Mill,.....		12 30	3 30
*Madrid,.....		12 35	3 40
Phillips, ar		12 50	4 00
*Trains stop on signal or notice to con- ductor.			

FLETCHER POPE, Gen. Man'g'r.  
H. H. FIELD, G. P. & T. A.  
A. L. ROBERTSON, Superintendent.

**FRANKLIN & MEGANTIC RY.**  
Shortest and easiest route to Eustis and Dead  
River region.

**TIME-TABLE.**  
**In Effect October 14, 1901.**

SOUTH.					A. M.	P. M.	P. M.
Bigelow, lv					11 00	12 40	6 50
Carrabasset,					11 20	3 10	7 10
Kingfield,	ar				11 30	4 00	7 40
	lv	A. M.			P. M.		
N. Freeman, lv		7 05	17 10		12 10		
Salem,		7 05			12 55		
		7 20	7 40		1 10		
W. Freeman, lv		7 35			1 25		
Strong, ar		7 45	9 05		1 40		
NORTH.					A. M.	A. M.	P. M.
Strong, lv					8 15	10 00	5 15
W. Freeman, lv					8 25		5 25
Salem,					8 40	10 35	5 40
No. Freeman, lv					8 50		5 50
Kingfield,	ar				9 00	11 30	6 00
	lv				P. M.		
Carrabasset,					9 15	12 30	6 15
Bigelow, ar					9 45	1 05	6 35
					10 15	1 40	6 45
*Flag stations. Trains stop on notice to							



## CORRESPONDENCE.

## Weld.

Mr. Roy Swett of Carthage was in town over Sunday.

William Horne has gone to Phillips to work for Austin & Co., this winter.

Mr. Vivian G. Horne and wife of Dixfield were in town over Sunday.

Mr. N. G. Foster is in the law office of C. N. Blanchard, Esq., of Wilton for a few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Witham returned last week from a two weeks visit in Massachusetts.

Mr. R. O. Dolley who has been cooking for Ferguson & Co., in Shelburn, N. H., has returned home and will cook for Pearce & Wilson this winter.

An enjoyable occasion was that of the baked bean supper and sociable given by the Daughters of Liberty last Wednesday evening at Mechanic's hall.

Mr. F. S. Schofield, Mr. H. W. Coburn and Mr. D. B. Swett together with Clarence Young and Mr. Jennings of Byron have been reporting the lines between the two towns the past week.

## Eustis.

Walter White of Canton is visiting his brother's family.

Chapin and Frank Marden of Temple are visiting Mrs. O. White.

H. B. Luce of Farmington has just been here and put a telephone into the house of Thomas Bateman.

Mr. Gordon, the blacksmith, has an immense business, but will sell out at the first opportunity, for the only reason that he wishes to give his children better educational advantages than they can receive here.

Frenchmen are coming over in droves, but the droves are not large enough to supply the demand. Everybody wants to hire men. Sixty millions of lumber will be landed on Dead river and its tributaries this winter. Headquarters for lumbermen and hunters in this region is at the village of Eustis.

About fifty young people met at the home of C. B. Gordon, Thursday evening, Nov. 7. The village schools closed that day and teacher and pupils, with others older, met for a sociable. Candy and popcorn were served and everyone voted it a good time. The handsomest man present was either George Fassett, the genial stage driver, or Colin Campbell, I have forgotten which. The name of the handsomest lady I did not learn.

## Salem.

George Wills is reshingling his house.

Mrs. Emily Will is at work for O. P. Walker.

John Lowell is in Lawrence Mass., for a short time.

Mrs. Fred Mills says little son went to Worcester this week.

John Leadbetter and wife of Farmington visited friends here recently.

L. F. Goodwin and John Dennet of Lynn, Mass., are enjoying a few days sport here.

Calvert Perry recently trapped a large Canada lynx which with two mink he sold for a good price to A. B. Dolbier of Farmington.

## Madrid.

Mrs. Andrew Wyman is still very low. Mrs. John Wing is some improved in health.

William Sargent is yet in a critical condition.

Miss Lizzie Witham is at home attending school.

Miss Carrie Witham returned to Kingfield on the 11th inst.

Seymour Berry has lately purchased the Orren Walker farm.

The Dunham Bros. have bought two steel ranges of a New York company.

Miss Flora Stinchfield is working in the family of John Wing, who is on the sick list.

Solomon Dunham recently sold a matched span of black horses to Elbridge Dill of Phillips.

Ashley Wing of Rumford Falls is cutting lumber for a new house not far from his Uncle John's.

Mrs. Della Vining and Master Clyde are stopping with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John McKenney, for a time.

Mrs. Dora Jones of Weld has been visiting her brother, Charles Heath, and doing dressmaking for her niece, Iona.

Willard Perry, the deaf and dumb boy, has lost five foxes, one skunk and a mink out of his traps, also two traps this fall. It seems as if they were stolen.

William Lufkin has returned from a trip to Vassaboro and other towns and is now making cider, as he and his brother, Frank, have a large quantity of apples.

## North Freeman.

H. P. Durrell is yarding his poplar.

O. C. Record has built an ice house this fall.

T. M. Pinkham has returned home from Rangeley.

Marshall Lander is yarding birch and J. B. Oliver is at work for him.

C. C. Brown is working at Freeman Centre on an ice house for Chas. Richards.

Wesley Tash and Raymond Pinkham have gone into the woods for G. W. Tash at Dallas.

John R. Durrell has finished work for Mr. Gay at Clear Water pond and will go to Bigelow to work in Merrill's boarding house.

The farmers along the route over which cream is collected are nearly all adding more cows to their stock, as selling cream seems to be the most profitable feature of farming at present.

"Last winter an infant child of mine had croup in a violent form" says Elder John W. Rogers, a Christian Evangelist, of Filley, Mo. "I gave her a few doses of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and in a short time all danger was past and the child recovered." This remedy not only cures croup, but when given as soon as the first symptoms appear, will prevent the attack. It contains no opium or other harmful substance and may be given as confidently to a baby as to an adult. For sale by W. A. D. Cragin, Phillips; E. H. Whitney, Rangeley, C. E. Dyer, Strong, and L. L. Mitchell, Kingfield.

## District No. 2, Phillips.

Miss Esther Bryant is working for Mrs. N. P. Noble.

Will Brackett has his ice house up and nearly completed.

Frank Calden has put up a new stable and made other improvements on his lot this fall.

Morrell Wing returned from Rumford last Saturday. His son, Ashley, accompanied him.

Messrs. Henry and Chas. McKenney are at Carrabassett, where they have taken a white birch contract. Dan Moores and Chester Wing are working for them.

## Reed's Mill, Madrid.

Mrs. Ada Barden is visiting relatives in Strong.

Miss Iona Heath has been stopping at home for a while.

Jim Collins of Rangeley was in town last week buying apples.

Nathan Beede has returned home from Rangeley on account of lameness.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Kinney visited Mr. and Mrs. Dan Wells in Phillips the last of the week.

The Ladies' circle met with Mrs. Sarah Voter and the following officers were elected: President, Mrs. Mary Dunham; vice president, Mrs. Cora Stinchfield; treasurer, Mrs. Sarah Voter; secretary, Mrs. Jennie Wing; assistant secretary, Miss Grace Dunham. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Cora Stinchfield, Wednesday, Nov. 20.

## Chesterfield.

Clara Wyman is visiting relatives at Livermore Falls.

Ed Hutchins of Auburn was in town a few days last week.

C. E. Wheeler & Son are doing a good business canning apples.

Mrs. S. F. Crocker is visiting relatives and friends in Massachusetts.

Lewis Gill and wife of North Anson called on relatives and friends here last week.

Mrs. T. J. Wheeler who has been at the Maine General hospital for treatment is expected home this week. Mrs. Wheeler is not improving as fast as her many friends would like to see her.

## Stony Brook, Stratton.

N. C. Burbank of New Portland is in town buying fur.

Edgar Hinds is hauling the lumber from Crockettown for the Russell brothers' mill.

George Briggs has begun work on the camps and new birch mill to be built here this fall.

The fall term of school closed Friday and the teacher, Miss Mary Odell, returned to her home Saturday.

Geo. M. Vose of Kingfield, an engineer, A. M. Jones, Robert Phillips, Oramandal Blanchard and L. T. Hinds of Stratton went over the proposed extension of the Franklin & Megantic railroad from Bigelow to Stratton Saturday.

## Andover.

The Y. P. S. C. E., meets every Sunday evening at 7 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Whitney Roberts have returned from Middletown.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Melcher spent the day in Hanover, Nov. 10.

Rev. J. A. Waterworth is suffering from an attack of sciatic rheumatism.

Mr. John Newton is at home from the lakes for a few days. He returns this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Porter who have been away on a business trip returned Saturday.

Mr. Henry V. Poor and family left for their winter home in Brookline, Mass., Monday, Nov. 8.

Walter Barnes has his steam mill in operation and we expect to see great developments.

We are having a taste of winter. A flurry of snow Sunday morning and a high wind all day.

Miss H. E. Hall is having the cellar dug for her new house. Mr. Asa West has the superintending of it.

Nov. 24, Knowledge and Self-control: Dec. 1, Patience and Godliness: Dec. 8, Brotherly Kindness and Love.

Mr. F. Barrett has his blacksmith shop nearly completed. It will be a large and convenient building.

Mrs. Albert Crossman arrived from Salem, Mass., Friday evening where she attended the wedding of her sister Miss Low.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Milton have gone to the Provinces to visit relatives. Mrs. Susie York takes charge of the house in their absence.

Arthur Newton starts for Portland Monday, Nov. 11, where he will take a six months course at Gray's Business college.

Miss Alice Berry leaves this week for a trip to Auburn where she will spend a week then return to Mrs. R. G. Grover's.

Misses Lucretia and Katherine Howe with their brother Alden from North Rumford spent the day with Mrs. M. E. Pratt Thursday, Nov. 7.

Mr. and Mrs. Llewellyn Hall, Mr. and Mrs. John Bailey and Sidney Abbott will attend the convention of the National grange in Auburn, commencing Nov. 13.

Rev. J. A. Waterworth pastor of Andover Congregational church has begun a series of Sunday morning sermons on "Things that pertain to Life and Godliness." Nov. 17, Faith and Virtue;

Mrs. Lincoln Dresser is slowly improving. Her nephew, Dr. Henry P. Merrill Jr., of Portland, who has just finished a course at St. Margaret's and St. Vincent's hospitals in New York has been with her. Her sister, Mrs. Fannie Dresser is with her.

## Startling, But True.

"If every one knew what a grand medicine Dr. King's New Life Pills is," writes Dr. H. Turner, Dampscroft, Pa., "you'd sell all you have in a day. Two weeks' use has made a new man of me." Infallible for constipation, stomach and liver troubles. 25c at W. A. D. Cragin's drug store.

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I have them for \$1.00 that give the alarm when you want it.

I have some PRETTY CHINA and fancy GILT CLOCKS besides the regular house clock.

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## TALK OF NORTH FRANKLIN

—S. G. Haley is ready to buy poultry.

—Mrs. Sarah Hosmer has returned to her home in Wilton.

—Mrs. Flora Carr of Strong was in town one day last week.

—The assembly will be held in Bates hall, Monday night, Nov. 18.

—Mr. Waldron Staples who is working at Madrid was in town Monday.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Vining have returned to their home in Livermore Falls.

—Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Austin of Kingfield spent Sunday at W. V. Larrabee's.

—An exchange states that Alexander Matthews of Lincoln has petitioned into insolvency.

—Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Berry of West Farmington spent a few days this week with friends in town.

—Mr. H. B. Austin and his sister Mrs. Mabel Austin Clement returned from Boston the first of this week.

—Mr. and Mrs. Elbridge Dill are spending a few weeks with their son, Mr. Geo. A. Dill of Everett, Mass.

—The King's Daughters will meet with Mrs. E. H. Shepard next Friday evening. A large attendance is desired.

—Mr. Alden Blanchard of Rumford Falls formerly of Phillips has been ill with typhoid fever but is now improving.

—The coming marriage is announced of Miss Margaret Elizabeth Heck to Frederick Bacon Burns, Nov. 19, at Frederick, Md.

—Mrs. D. F. Field who has been ill with typhoid fever has so far recovered that she appeared at supper one evening this week.

—Mr. A. A. Robinson of Los Angeles, California writes friends in town that he will pass the coming winter in Tucson, Arizona.

—Invitations are out for the marriage reception of Miss Martha Jane Kempton and Mr. Frank Charles Luce in Medford, Mass., November 26.

—Eggs are very scarce and high, having risen several cents a dozen in price within a few days. Dealers cannot get enough to supply their customers.

—Mrs. Emma Austin who has been spending a few weeks at her old home with her mother and brother in Avon, has returned to her home in Lowell, Mass.

—The committee on nominations appointed at the last meeting of the Young Peoples society are Rev. J. B. Ranger, Edgar Toothaker, A. M. Greenwood, Miss Jessie Toothaker.

—Business of much importance will come before the Free Baptist church at the regular conference next Saturday evening. It is asked that the members endeavor to be present.

—A regular meeting of North Franklin Pomona Grange P. of H. No. 22, will be held with Aurora grange, Strong, Thursday, Nov. 21, at 10 a. m. Picnic dinner.

—CLARA FRENCH, Sec'y.

—Rev. W. F. Berry of Waterville, secretary of the Christian Civic league of Maine will speak on the work of the league at Bates hall at 7.30 o'clock, Thursday evening.

—Mr. D. W. Brown who has been surveying for the Phillips & Rangeley railroad above Redington was called home Thursday by the death of his little daughter, Allen, which occurred Wednesday.

## NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

S. G. Haley has oysters every Thursday night.

M. C. Bangs & Co. speak of winter hats.

See what D. F. Hoyt & Co. say about pants.

If you have to arise early get an alarm clock of A. M. Greenwood.

Ladies suitings at Sedgely's.

The Fine Art toilet soap, sold by W. A. D. Cragin, is a real luxury.

Bana Beal advertises French flannel waists.

For fine job printing go to the MAINE Woods office.

Another chance on carpets, Bradford, Conant & Co., Lewiston.

Go to Eastman Brothers & Bancroft, Portland, for furs.

Birch and poplar wanted at Strong toothpick mill.

B. C. Richardson, Strong, oculist, inserts card.

When you have a cough, try Mitchell's White Pine and Tar cough syrup, Kingfield.

D. S. Austin, Kingfield, calls attention to footwear and groceries.

Lamps, fall and Xmas goods in good assortment at J. A. Linscott's, Kingfield.

S. J. Wyman, Kingfield, will interest purchasers of day or night wear.

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If you want a fountain pen that won't leak consult Cragin & Hodgdon, Farmington.

Men wanted by Jenkins, Bogert Co., Kingfield.

Resolutions of respect.

Rice & Paine are selling the furs needed for cold weather.

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## TALK OF NORTH FRANKLIN.

—There will be a dance at Dewey hall, Thanksgiving night, Nov. 28. Oyster supper will be served. Orchestra of three pieces. Parker & Keene, proprietors.

—Mr. F. H. Worthley, who has been at Shawmut of late, will be in Newport, N. H., this winter. He has been here a few days before going to Newport. His family will remain with his parents during the winter.

—The strong wind of Sunday threatened havoc, but in reality did but very little. The only damage reported to us was at the park. A row of cattle sheds and quite a piece of the park fence were blown down.

—In a recent note to a friend Maj. Dill says: "Your postal of Oct. 19 brings the sad news that Bro. Robinson is dying. I picked him up at the battle of Fredericksburg and helped him to the hospital where his wound was dressed."

—Mr. Harry Berry, who has been in charge of the electric light station here since its installation, will soon go to his home in Cambridge, and assist installing a private electric plant for one of the wealthy residents of the city. Before going he will do some wiring in town. Walter Grover has left the employ of the railroad and will have charge of the station.

—Mr. Lewis Prescott of Phillips received word a few days ago of the death of his wife's sister, Mrs. J. M. Trafton of Old Orchard last Friday night of heart trouble. Mrs. Trafton was Sophronia Norcross, daughter of the late Nathaniel Norcross of Madrid, formerly of Chesterville. Mrs. Trafton leaves only a husband, her three children all being dead. Mrs. Trafton had four sisters and one brother. Now Mrs. Prescott is the only one left of the family.

## Christmas Number of Maine Woods.

We shall endeavor to give to our readers an attractive Christmas number of MAINE WOODS. We would invite from our readers contributions of short Xmas incidents and curious happenings. If you have any in mind please send them in early to the MAINE WOODS office.

## Obituary.

LENA M. SWEETSER.

Lena M. Webber, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Webber was born in Phillips, Me., Aug. 1, 1872. She was one of a family of nine children, six of whom are now living to bless the aged mother who still remains with them.

On the first day of September, 1890, she was united in marriage to Mr. Charles Sweetser of Phillips and the strong cords of love remained unbroken until they were broken in death. During these years of joy and sorrow which they have mutually shared, their hearts have been made to rejoice in the birth of two little boys, Charles Ardine and Hazen Elwin, whose ages are seven and ten years. In rearing these and caring for the home the christian qualities of the deceased were strongly manifested. She considered these duties as a great and noble mission and set forth to perform them as well as possible, which we believe she did.

Mrs. Sweetser was converted in early life to the christian faith after which she united with the Congregationalist church of this village and remained a member of such until her death, ever showing a great interest in things moral and spiritual.

In the community she was loved and respected. To this a very large circle of friends and associates most truly testify. Not only in her home were her kind words and helping ways manifested, but where ever there was a need and it was possible for her to respond she did so most willingly. The friends who mourn her loss cherish the many kind acts and friendly ways as precious mementoes. She was a member of the Ladies Social union of the Congregational church and also of that patriotic order, the Daughters of Liberty. It was at a meeting of the latter that the disease which so hastily caused her death attacked her. She was borne to her home and remained unconscious nearly all of the time until her death, which occurred Nov. 5, after an illness of a little more than one week. There are doubtless many more things which might be said of Mrs. Sweetser, but the christian life which displayed itself in the love for her husband and children, doing all that she could to help and bless them, also in the helpfulness to friends and society, prove to us with a testimony more than words can express, that she lived not in vain.

The funeral services occurred at her home Nov. 7, and a large circle of friends and relatives were present. Rev. J. B. Ranger officiated. The singing was by the choir of the Union church which rendered some excellent selections. Beautiful flowers were presented by the Ladies' Social union, the Daughters of Liberty and friends. The afflicted family have the sympathy of all.

"Her suffering ended with the day  
Yet lived she at its close,  
And breathed the long, long night, away  
In statue like repose.  
But when the sun, in all his state,  
Illumed the eastern skies,  
She passed through glory's morning gate,  
And walked in paradise."

## HAMILTON RECORD.

Last Thursday, Nov. 7, Mr. Hamilton Record, one of the oldest citizens of Phillips quietly passed away. Mr. Record was born in Readfield, Me., Nov. 14, 1812. When he was 15 years old he accompanied his father to Phillips. His father purchased the James Tuck farm in the west part of the town. Mr. Record lived in Freeman for 11 years and then returned to Phillips. He was married April 18, 1838. Six children were born to Mr. and Mrs. Record, four sons and two daughters. They all survive but one daughter. Mr. Record's old neighbors held him in high esteem. He was an industrious, peaceable and successful farmer. In 1889 with many others he was converted and identified himself with the Methodist church. For the past two years he suffered much from a cancer, which hastened his death. He was only confined to his bed a week. The funeral services were held at his late residence Sunday afternoon, Rev. J. E. Clancy officiating.

## Births.

Weld, Nov. 7, to Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Swett, a daughter.

Weld, Nov. 6, to Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Noyes a daughter.

Chesterville, Nov. 9, to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Gordon, a son.

Rangeley, Nov. —, to Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Nickerson, a daughter.

## Marriages.

Wilton, Nov. 10, by John D. Farnell, Esq., Geo. E. Welch of Temple and Miss Ella Welch of Wilton.

Phillips, Nov. 9, by Rev. J. B. Ranger, Chas. S. Prescott and Iona E. Heath, both of Phillips.

## Deaths.

Farmington, Nov. 8, Charles Collins Rounds, Ph. D., aged 70 years, 2 mos., 24 days.

Phillips, Nov. 7, Hamilton Record, aged 88 years, 11 months, 23 days.

South Chesterville, Nov. 8, Isaac P. Knowles, aged about 90 years.

## IN KINGFIELD TOWN.

## Work Rebuilding Engine House of Huse Mill Begun Early.

[Special correspondence to the MAINE WOODS.]  
KINGFIELD, Nov. 12, 1901.

The high wind of Sunday was not the cause of much damage, though it did blow down a chimney on Page's livery stable. The most interesting thing connected with it was what happened to Mr. D. S. Austin and wife, who were driving over from Phillips that afternoon. While driving across the Salem flats where the wind is always fierce, Mr. Austin did his best to keep his horse going fast enough to straighten the tugs, but was unable to do so. At the same time the wind set the wagon over almost out of the road. It is reported, too, that Mr. Austin received the greater force of the wind and was blown into town an hour ahead of his wife.

Rev. B. M. Edwards, assistant state agent, is expected here this week to hold special services in the Free Baptist church. The other societies are invited to participate in the services.

The Huse Spool & Bobbin company have the lumber all out and ready for use in rebuilding the engine house the first of the week. They do not intend to let any time be lost.

Mr. S. J. Wyman has a good stock of rubbers on hand which he will sell at prices that are right. He will meet any one on prices. For further information call at his store.

The ladies of the Universalist church are preparing for their annual fair to be held the second week in December.

Mr. C. W. French has put an iron roof on his saw mill, and has put in a furnace to heat the upper part of the mill where he will work during the winter. It is working to perfection at present.

The recently organized chapter O. E. S. is doing great work and is taking new members fast. The Masons are rushed with work, and the lodge is fast gaining in membership.

William Slom, a dry and fancy goods peddler, had a break down near Carabasset, Friday night. The heavy load was too much for the axles and they gave way. He had to come to Kingfield and get repairs.

Rev. E. S. J. McAllister of Portland gave a very interesting temperance lecture Wednesday night.

J. A. Linscott has a good selection of fall and holiday articles at his store. It is a stock that is seldom found in a small town. He will be pleased to show goods and give prices.

Agnes, the little daughter of Mrs. Kate Porter, swallowed a stick pin Saturday night. It was in the shape of a large beetle. The pin stuck in her throat, from which it was finally dislodged.

Mr. F. W. Cross, who has been visiting in Skowhegan for a time has returned to Kingfield.

The singing school is growing in numbers. New members come in every night.

Glück & Slosberg have opened a furnishing store in French's block.

## How's This!

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Props., Toledo, O. We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by their firm.

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Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Price, 75c per bottle Sold by all Druggists. Testimonials free.

Hall's Family Pills are the best.

## Copies of Maine Woods Wanted.

We find missing from our files copies of the following numbers: August 17, 1900; August 24, 1900; September 14, 1900 and October 25, 1901. We should be very glad if persons having copies of these issues would send them to this office where we shall be glad to buy the same.

## Wanted Boys and Girls.

We want agents to sell our collar buttons at 5 cents each and earn watches, rings and many other presents. Send your name and address and we will send goods. When sold send us the money and we will send premium.

EVYLYN NOVELTY CO.,  
North Attleboro, Mass.

## Resolutions.

WHEREAS Providence, in its infinite wisdom has called from this to a higher existence our friend and brother, E. M. Robinson, be it therefore by us resolved:

That in the death of Mr. Robinson, Hope Rebekah lodge has lost an upright and honored member, the community a loyal and respected citizen.

That in token of our love and esteem and in appreciation of his many virtues, the lodge room be draped in mourning; that these resolutions be printed in MAINE WOODS, and a copy be spread upon the records of the lodge, and also one be sent to the family.

BERTA M. HOLT, } Committee  
LUCY B. BRACKETT, } Resolutions

## Resolutions of Respect.

WHEREAS the allwise Ruler has seen fit to remove from Cushman Post No. 87, G. A. R., a valued member and comrade, E. M. Robinson.

RESOLVED, that while we as a Post deplore the loss of one whom we, as comrades and as a community respected and loved for his many sterling qualities of mind and heart we bow in submission to the will of Him who doeth all things well.

RESOLVED that the charter of our Post be draped.

RESOLVED that a copy of these resolutions be spread upon the records of the Post and inserted in the MAINE WOODS and a copy be forwarded to the family of our comrade.

HORACE PRISCOTT,  
E. B. SWEETSER,  
W. S. RUSSELL.

## TUNNICLIFF'S VERSION.

## Was All Right In Offering to Collect Accounts.

In the MAINE WOODS last week appeared an article relating to methods employed by Mr. Tunnicliff in connection with Maine Savings banks. Similar articles appeared in various papers of the state. The Boston Herald prints Mr. Tunnicliff's side of the case and states that he was all right in his offer to make the collection and that the methods used were correct. It gives the whole history of the case and shows Mr. Tunnicliff up in a different light. According to this article, the incident closed with perfect satisfaction both to Mr. Tunnicliff and Mrs. Blake. Mr. Tunnicliff is a lawyer of high standing, a resident of Omaha, Neb., and makes a specialty of locating lost heirs to property. The letter sent Mrs. Blake was one of his circular letters. Among his credentials are letters from ex-Governor Chas. H. Dietrich, Wm. J. Bryan, C. J. Smyth, late attorney general of Nebraska, and others.

## First Snowstorm of Season.

Snow began to fall Tuesday and has fallen steadily ever since. At the time of going to press it is falling very lightly. Over a foot has fallen. At Rangeley there is 15 inches on the ground.

## School Notes.

Miss Winnifred Harnden is absent on account of sickness.

It would seem that there are several artists in the High School room, judging from the drawings on the blackboards in the laboratory. They were done by members of the junior zoology class.

In the absence of Miss Lillian Sweetser for a few days last week Miss Atwood had charge of the Grammar room, assisted by Miss Florence Smith.

The plants in the different rooms are beginning to freeze already.

Lyceums come every other Friday afternoon.

Teachers' convention will be held at Farmington on Friday of this week. The Phillips schools will be represented by Mr. Frost, Miss Jessie Toothaker and the Misses Atwood.

## Quantities of Nice Birch.

Austin & Company, the spool manufacturers of Phillips, are having excellent success cutting white birch on Sandy River Plantation. They have a nice plant in the woods and the birch on their stumpage territory is of good size and excellent quality. They will get much more wood during the coming winter than they have secured in any one year since their plant has been located in Phillips.

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are the goods I have to offer for the HOLIDAYS. Here are a few things for your consideration. LAMPS—they will take your eye even before they are lighted.

CHINA—a good assortment, fancy goods etc. Before purchasing your FALL and XMAS good give me a call.

## J. A. LINSOTT,

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## Tinware

That is Tinware,

And every piece warranted  
If it rusts come and get your money.

You will find this at

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## Blacksmithing Solicited.

I wish to give notice that I have bought out the O. W. Russell blacksmith shop on Bridge street and solicit the patronage of all.

Ox and horse shoeing a specialty.  
Having had years of experience, I can guarantee satisfaction.

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A well painted Wagon or Sleigh gives pleasure to the rider. I can paint them to please you.

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## For Service.

Merry Boy 8th of Hood Farm, 60200 A. J. C. C., sired by Merry Marden's son, he by Brown Hesse's son. Service fee \$1.50 at time of service.  
DAN'L H. SOULE, Prop'r,  
Phillips, Me.

Here are a few articles that I have in stock and which will interest you.

If you miss something perhaps we can find it.

## Outing Flannel

## Nightgowns

for Ladies, Misses and Children. All prices from 40c to \$1.25.

## Ladies' Skirts.

## Leggings and

## Rubbers

for Men and Boys—a full line. Price lowest in town.

## Puffs and Quilts.

I have the most complete stock of dry goods and footwear in town.

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## Parlor Lamps.

The lamps too, are beauties.

I might say a word about

## Crockery

but when you see the goods they will speak for themselves. I will say, however, that the only break in the whole lot is the

## Break in Prices.

S. G. Haley.

Fresh oysters every Thursday Night.

There are several things in

## JOB PRINTING

that interest the prospective customer. He wants to know whether or not he will get the work done when it is promised. He wants to know if the work will be

## CLEAN

and up to date in style of type. He wants a modern job. I deliver work when promised or make no charge. It is done with the latest faces of type and the press work is first class.

## ASK FOR PRICES.

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## Dwelling House For Sale.

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IN AND ABOUT STRONG.

Sermon Before Graduating Class of High School.

[Special correspondence to the Maine Woods.]  
STRONG, Nov. 12, 1901.

The furnace recently put into the M. E. church is working finely and great credit is due the Ladies' Aid society for having so extensive a job planned and carried out. It is understood plans are maturing for remodeling and beautifying the inside of the church at no distant day.

Sunday, the 10th, the people listened to a fine sermon by Rev. T. N. Kewley at the M. E. church to the graduating class of Strong High school. Many words of wisdom and truth were spoken which would profit anyone to heed and practice. Special music was furnished by a fine chorus of twenty-two voices led by Prof. Wight which reminds one of the chorus of thirty years ago, when to see from fifteen to twenty singers in the choir was no uncommon sight. Mr. Wight favored the audience with a beautiful sacred song.

W. L. Taylor has the staging up to repair his house and expects a crew on the first of the week to do the work.

H. J. Bates and W. L. Guild have purchased a lot on the north shore of Porter's pond and one day last week with a crew of men, they put in the foundation for a cottage to be erected in the early spring.

The friends of David Moores have had a subscription paper out for contributions to aid him in having his eyes operated upon. Mr. Moores expects to go to Portland soon to see if he can have a successful operation and no doubt will return very much benefited. About \$80 has been raised to help him.

Next Sunday Rev. Mr. Craig of Wilton will preach at the Methodist church and special music will be furnished by a large choir led by Prof. Wight.

E. W. Vining has commenced his winter's lumbering operations. He expects to put into the market from \$1,000 to \$2,000 worth of lumber the coming winter.

The singing class, taught by Prof. Wight of Bethel, is progressing finely. About sixty scholars attending. We are glad to know Phillips and Kingfield have secured Mr. Wight for a few evenings of instruction, as he is a fine instructor. No doubt at the close a concert will be given by each class and the classes at Phillips, Kingfield and Strong can join in the chorus.

Lincoln Smith has added to and remodeled his barn and now has one to be proud of. To the passer-by it shows more plainly than words the marks of thrift and progress.

J. F. Worthley has added a fine stable to his building which adds greatly to the beauty of the same. Chas. Dickey was master workman.

L. A. Worthley has gone to Brighton with a carload of sheep.

One might think apples this year grew on alder bushes judging from the way Daggett & Will's store platforms were piled with them in bags and barrels. Think the farmers must prosper after such a fine harvest of all crops the past season.

The public schools close Thursday the 14th for the fall term. The graduating exercises will be held at the M. E. church, Thursday evening. Miss Priscilla Alden's orchestra of Farmington will furnish music for the occasion and a fine time is expected.

A pleasant gathering was held Saturday night at Mr. Samuel Gilman's. A good crowd was there and a pleasant time reported.

Mr. Marshall Moore, Miss Hickey and Miss Grace Gilkey of Farmington were in town Sunday.

At the last stated communication of Davis Lodge, No. 191, F. and A. M., the following officers were installed by Past Master Nelson Walker for the ensuing year: W. M., F. A. Welch; S. W., W. L. Guild; J. W., C. W. Shaw; treasurer, C. V. Starbird; secretary, W. M. Vallier; S. D., L. A. Jackman; J. D., W. G. Durrell; S. S., W. E. Bates; J. S., W. B. McKee; marshal, S. D. Gates; chaplain, T. N. Kewley; tyler, Robert Keef.

Lang Plantation.

Elias Thomas of Portland was in town recently.

John R. and Ray Viles of Flagstaff were in town one day last week on business.

Irvin Oakes and wife of Rangeley are cooking in the woods for L. B. Taylor. Edwin Cushman of this place and J. L. Philbrick of Rangeley are about to commence logging on this township.

R. O. Dyar will run three logging camps this winter.

Mrs. I. W. Greene, who has been very ill for two weeks past, is improving slowly.

The new schoolhouse in District No. 2 is all completed with the 'O. D. Case desks and will be occupied this week.

J. S. Harris had the misfortune to break a leg last Friday. Mr. Harris was sinking rocks, when the rock started suddenly, breaking one leg and bruising the other badly. Dr. Brimington of Stratton was quickly summoned to set the leg and at this writing Mr. Harris is doing well.

Cut this out and take it to the drug stores of W. A. D. Cragin, Phillips; E. H. Whitney, Rangeley; C. E. Dyer, Strong, and L. L. Mitchell, Kingfield, and get a free sample of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets, the best physic. They cleanse and invigorate the stomach, improve the appetite and regulate the bowels. Regular size, 25c, per box.

NEW SQUARE MILL.

Narrow Gauge Roads to Make Connections Here.

[Special correspondence to the MAINE WOODS.]  
FARMINGTON, ME., Nov. 12, 1901.

Mr. Leonard Atwood, general manager of the Wiscasset, Waterville & Farmington railroad made arrangements Nov. 5th with Lucius Tuttle, president of the Boston & Maine and with Geo. F. Evans, general manager of the Maine Central railroad whereby all objections on the part of the Boston & Maine and the Maine Central railroads to connections by the Wiscasset, Waterville & Farmington railroad with the Sandy River railroad on the land of the Maine Central railroad at Farmington have been removed.

Mr. Atwood informs a MAINE WOODS representative that work will be commenced at once in the Farmington yard and that connections will be completed in a very short time. He says the crew working between Week's Mills and Waterville will reach North Vassalboro by the middle of this week and Winslow during the month and that they have already reached East Vassalboro. He reports that work is progressing finely all along the line.

Russell Bros. & Estes company are building a mill near Hinds's in No. 4 where they will saw out the squares for their Farmington mill. The new mill is to be 28x36 besides the engine room. Their carpenter has now a crew of men at work on the construction. They could employ about 30 men on it if they could get them. Mr. W. V. Larrabee is moving, this week, a 100 horse power boiler from Farmington to that place.

The mill is situated about three miles from the Hinds place, making in all some 3½ miles that the squares will have to be brought by team before they can be shipped on the cars. The mill will have to be moved twice to get all the lumber there is on the lots, a thing that will be cheaper than to move the lumber to the mill. The birch is to be cut on the Hinds land and Coburn estate. A conservative estimate makes from 50,000 to 75,000 cords of birch that the company will have to cut. This year they will cut only about 1,500 cords, and more in succeeding years.

There was a union meeting of the churches in the Old South church Sunday evening. Rev. Mr. Berry, secretary of the Civic league delivered an address upon the general theme of Anarchy in Maine.

Taking his text, so to speak, from the popular demand that anarchy be suppressed, which the assassination of President McKinley called forth, Mr. Berry proceeded to show that the disregard of the prohibitory and other laws in this state on the part of officers sworn to enforce such and by citizens is a greater menace than the anarchism of assassination of a president. He scored the inconsistency of the proprietor of a Maine daily paper who refused to obey the law forbidding advertisements of liquor and who permitted an open saloon to be maintained in the basement of his establishment, while at the same time he published a symposium against anarchy, and lamented its dangers. Mr. Berry never spoke more logically or convincingly. It would be difficult for even captious critics to take exception to his remarks. He holds to the main point—the necessity for enforcing every law which the legislature and the people have given their sanction to. He does not permit himself to wander into the discussion of temperance or intemperance. His reiteration is—enforce the law.

The Civic league is to be congratulated on sticking to this single issue; and its secretary deserves an impartial hearing wherever he may speak.

The community was greatly shocked last Saturday morning upon hearing of the death of Dr. Chas. C. Rounds, at his home on High street. Dr. Rounds

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has been sick for a short time of heart disease, in fact so short a time that many of his friends did not even know of his sickness.

He was born in Watford, Maine, Aug. 15, 1831, and when very young learned the printer's trade. Later he graduated from Dartmouth college and up to the time of his death has done all in his power to promote education throughout the United States.

For three years Dr. Rounds was principal of the Normal school at Plymouth, N. H.

Since he severed his connection with actual teaching he has devoted his time to traveling from state to state lecturing upon educational subjects.

At the time of his death, he was preparing for a trip to California in behalf of education.

Dr. Rounds leaves a widow and four children. The funeral was held at the Old South church, Monday afternoon, a host of friends attending to pay their last respects to the dead.

Prof. Geo. C. Purlington delivered his interesting lecture on the Passion Play last Friday evening, in Normal hall. The hall was nearly full and all fully appreciated the lecture.

For nearly ten years Miss Nellie A. Skinner of Porte Clyde has been connected with the Normal school as teacher of drawing, geometry and Latin, but has now resigned her position to take effect at the close of this term. As a mark of respect and appreciation of the instruction imparted by their beloved teacher, the school will give her a farewell reception in Normal hall Thursday evening from 8 o'clock until 9.30, to which all friends are cordially invited.

The annual Teachers' Convention of Franklin county will be held in Normal hall, Friday and Saturday of this week.

Avon.

The Mt. Blue school closed Friday, Nov. 8, after a term of eleven weeks. Whole number of pupils seventeen, average number, fourteen. Those not tardy or absent one-half day were: Edith, George, Gladys Morton, Bessie Savage, Violet and Irma Sampson Shirley Savage was tardy once. Winnie Savage was absent one day on account of sickness.

**SUSIE L. HACKETT, Teacher.**  
Mr. Mason Parker closed a very successful term of school in the townhouse last week.

A Startling Surprise.

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John Trask's, Weld, Oct. 29.  
Hotel Franklin, Strong, Nov. 9.  
Lewis Reed's Reed's Mill, Nov. 11.  
Ogunosco House, Rangeley, Nov. 12 to 13.  
Hotel Blanchard, Stratton, Nov. 15.  
Shaw House, Eastis, Nov. 16.  
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O. C. DOLBIER.  
October 15, 1901.

State of Maine.

RANGELEY, November 4, 1901.

COUNTY OF FRANKLIN, SS.

Taken this fourth day of November, A. D. 1901, on execution duly returned to me by the County of Androscoggin, a term thereof began and held on the third Tuesday of September, to wit, on the fifth day of October, A. D. 1901, in favor of the Lewiston Trust and Safe Deposit Company, a corporation duly established by law and located at Lewiston, in said County of Androscoggin, against the Rangeley Real Estate Company, a corporation duly organized by law and located at Rangeley, in the County of Franklin, and State of Maine, for one thousand four hundred eighty-three dollars and forty-eight cents debt or damage, and ten dollars and sixty-one cents cost of said debt, to be paid at PUBLIC AUCTION at the Town House in said Rangeley, to the highest bidder, on the fifth day of December, A. D. 1901, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, the following described real estate, and all the right, title and interest which the said Rangeley Real Estate Company has and has in and to the same on the twenty-eighth day of March, A. D. 1901, the time when the same was attached on the writ in the same suit, to wit:

A certain lot or parcel of land situate in said Rangeley and being a part of the Public School lands formerly belonging to said town of Rangeley and bounded and described as follows, to wit: Beginning at a tree standing one hundred and sixty (160) rods North, five degrees (5°) East of the Southeast corner of the Public School Lots taken off of the South part of land numbered twenty-two (22) according to Lemuel Perin's survey of a part of said town in the fall of the year 1822 and spring of 1823, running thence one hundred (100) rods West five degrees (5°) North; thence South to the Southwest corner of land called the Lemuel Quimby lot; thence West about thirty (30) rods to the Hog Brook so called; thence northerly up said Brook five rods to the Northwest corner of the same lot of land, and continuing on the West line of the Public School lot to the Northwest corner of the reserved Public School lot, thence East five degrees (5°) South to the East side of Quimby Pond, near the D. W. J. Quimby's premises; thence Southerly on the East side of said pond to the outlet of said pond, which runs Easterly and on which formerly stood the J. H. Ellis mill; thence Easterly on said stream or outlet, to the East line of said Public Lot; thence South five degrees (5°) West to the first mentioned bounds, and containing one hundred and fifty (150) acres more or less, and being all and the same premises conveyed to Margaret F. Hano by Daniel L. Badger and others by their warranty deed dated September 20th, A. D. 1893, and recorded in the Franklin County Registry of Deeds, Book 128, Page 119.

Also one other piece or parcel of land situate in said Rangeley, and described as follows, to wit: Being the Southwest quarter of lot numbered thirteen (13), and the Southeast quarter of lot numbered fourteen (14) according to the plan of said town, being the same land conveyed to Joseph Mills by Pine-tree Toothaker & Coe, in 1862, containing in all, two hundred acres more or less, excepting and reserving the right of flowage; also reserving and excepting herefrom all and the same as conveyed by Abram Ross by his deed of warranty to James E. Scott, said deed dated September 15, 1894, and recorded in Franklin County Registry of Deeds September 27, 1894, recorded in Book 130, pages 124 and 125, being all and the same premises conveyed to Margaret F. Hano by Daniel L. Badger by his deed of warranty dated August 1, A. D. 1895, and recorded in the Franklin County Registry of Deeds, Book 130, Page 473.

Also a certain lot or parcel of land situate in Rangeley aforesaid, bounded and described as follows: Commencing on Main Street, so called, at the Southwesterly corner of land owned by Mrs. George W. Heath, and running Northerly on the Westerly line of said Heath's land to the Northwesterly corner of said land, being about twenty-five (25) rods; thence Easterly on the Southerly line of said Heath's land to the Southeasterly corner of said land, being eighty (80) rods; thence Southerly parallel with first mentioned line to Main Street about twenty-seven (27) rods; thence Westerly along the Northerly line of said Main Street eight (8) rods to the point of beginning, containing one and one-quarter acres more or less.

Also a certain piece or parcel of land situated in said Rangeley, bounded and described as follows, to wit: Commencing at a certain stake marked ( ) on the shores of Quimby Pond, so called, at the Northwest corner of land owned by D. W. Quimby, running East six (6) degrees South five hundred and seventy-three (573) feet to a cedar stake; thence South seven and one-half degrees West three hundred and eighty (380) feet to a stake and stone; thence North eighty-eight (88) degrees West four hundred and seven (407) feet to a cedar stake marked ( ) on the shore of said Pond; thence Northerly on shore of said Pond to point of beginning. Supposed to contain four (4) acres, the same more or less. Being all and the same premises deeded to Margaret F. Hano by John D. W. Quimby by his warranty deed dated February 1, 1895, and recorded in the Franklin County Registry of Deeds, in Book 127, Page 272.

Also a certain other piece or parcel of land situated in said Rangeley and bounded and described as follows: Commencing on the shore of Quimby Pond, so called, at the Northwest corner of land owned and occupied by Margaret F. Hano and known as the camp lot and running Easterly fourteen (14) rods to the town road; thence on line of said road forty-two (42) rods to a maple tree; thence Westerly twenty-five (25) rods to shore of said Pond; thence on shore of said Pond forty-two (42) rods to first mentioned bounds, containing five acres, nineteen square rods the same more or less. Being all and the same premises deeded to Margaret F. Hano by John D. W. Quimby by his warranty deed dated February 1, 1895, and recorded in the Franklin County Registry of Deeds in Book 126, Page 46.

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