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Peculiar Methods.

The aphorism that "all is fair in war," seems to be the guiding star of those whose aim it is to attract the reader's attention in the latter-day newspapers.

In the strife which has followed, the art of advertising has been greatly changed from what it was a few years ago. Formerly, the casual mention of the merits of an article was all that was necessary to attract attention, but when the advertising columns of the papers became crowded, the reader of the newspaper soon realized that too much time would be consumed in reading all of them, and, as a result, those columns were oftentimes skipped altogether.

It was then that advertising developed into a science—for the preparation of advertising matter which will attract public attention is a task which, nowadays, requires a degree of tact and skill which not everyone possesses. The modern advertiser, aware of the public disposition to hurriedly pass over the ordinary advertisements, has called to his assistance all conceivable ingenious devices of the printer's art which will tend to render his advertisement attractive to the reader.

Peculiar methods are often employed—as is noted in the case of the extensive advertising which is done in behalf of Warner's Safe Cure, the noted discovery for all diseases of the kidneys and disorders arising therefrom.

What appears to the ordinary reader as an inviting article of current news is discovered upon perusal to be an interesting article which impresses the fact upon the reader's mind that kidney disease is the original cause of most lung, brain, heart and nervous disorders and that those disorders are not disease itself, but only symptoms of a disease which can be successfully treated by the use of Warner's Safe Cure, which will remove the primary cause and thereby restore other affected organs to a vigorous and healthy state.

In this instance, the advertiser, by peculiar means, succeeds in attracting the reader's attention, and not only is the name of the advertised article impressed upon the mind, but also the purposes for which its use is adapted. Besides achieving the advertiser's purpose, this method of advertising is a means of placing much valuable information in the hands of many who otherwise would very probably remain ignorant upon a subject of great importance.

Modern advertising has become a profitable field of employment and no large business house is longer complete without a competent advertising bureau attached.

"I know 'tis a sin to
But I'm bent on the notion,
I'll throw myself into
The deep, briny ocean,"

is the mental exclamation of many a sufferer from headache, indigestion, constipation, torpid liver, etc. The use of Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets, however, would transform these unfortunates, and cause them to sing—

But my spirit shall wander
Through gay coral bowers,
And frisk with the mermaids.
It shall, by the powers!

Explorer Stanley is like a lady's pocket. We all know that he is somewhere, but no one can find him.

No lengthy advertisement is necessary to bolster up Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy.

Tommy—"Won't you kiss me, Nellie?" Nellie—"No, mamma said I mustn't kiss the boys. But—you may kiss me."

"The Old Oaken Bucket
The Iron-bound Bucket
The Moss-covered Bucket."

is very likely the one that has conveyed poisons to your system from some old well, whose waters have become contaminated from sewers, vaults, or percolation from the soil. To eradicate these poisons from the system and save yourself a spell of malarial, typhoid or bilious fever, and to keep the liver, kidneys and lungs in a healthy and vigorous condition, use Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, the greatest blood-purifier of the age.

"I'm awfully sorry, don't you know, that these Knickerbockers are no more the fashion. Gives a feller an opportunity of showing a calf." "Oh, your conversation does that."

I have had catarrh for twenty years, and used all kinds of remedies without relief. Mr. Smith, druggist, of Little Falls, recommended Ely's Cream Balm. The effect of the first application was magical, it allayed the inflammation and the next morning my head was as clear as a bell. One bottle has done me so much good that I am convinced its use will effect a permanent cure. It is soothing, pleasant and easy to apply, and I strongly urge its use by all sufferers.—Geo. Terry, Little Falls, N. Y.

Innocence—Young Housekeeper—"I want to get a shad, if you please." Fish Dealer—"Yes'm." Y. H.—"And please take the bones out of it. I want to stuff it."

Dr. Wm. H. Thompson, of the University of the City of New York, says: "The symptoms of diseased kidneys will first appear in the extremely different organs of the body." Treat the kidneys and not the effects of kidney disease by using Warner's Safe Cure.

"My darling," said he, "what a delicious taste your lips have!" Then she sprang up and yelled: "Goodness, John, you have been eating my lip salve!"

Judge Simpson

Of the Superior Court writes: "From mental exhaustion, my nervous system became shattered, and I was utterly unable to sleep nights. Sulphur Bitters cured me, and my sleep is now sound, sweet, and refreshing.

At a Party.—Young Shortleigh—"Have any of you read Robert—sudden rush of guests through doorways—Ingersoll's new book? Where in the world is the fire?"

Savages expect to imbibe bravery by drinking the blood of their brave enemies. A more enlightened method of vitalizing the blood is by taking Ayer's Sarsaparilla. It braces up the nerves and gives strength and fortitude to endure the trials of life.

Mr. Letewaite—"Miss Crimple is quite skillful with her spoon." Miss Hightone (sweetly)—"Oh, yes; inherited, you know. Her grandfather was very skillful with his shovel."

Slight derangements of the stomach and bowels may often be corrected by taking only one of Ayer's Pills. Through not having the Pills at hand, your disorder increases, and a regular fit of sickness follows. "For the want of a nail, the shoe was lost," etc.

Full Blown Rose—"What a pity, dear, you are engaged so young. You will never have the fun of refusing a man." Bud—"No, but I've had the fun of accepting one."

The New Discovery

You have heard your friends and neighbors talking about it. You may yourself be one of the many who know from personal experience just how good a thing it is. If you have ever tried it, you are one of its staunch friends, because the wonderful thing about it is, that when once given a trial, Dr. King's New Discovery ever after holds a place in the house. If you have never used it and should be afflicted with a cough, cold or any Throat, Lung or Chest trouble, secure a bottle at once and give it a fair trial. It is guaranteed every time, or money refunded.

Trial Bottles Free at R. H. Moody's Drug store.

Partial payments seem hard enough to the schoolboy, but he finds them harder still when he grows up.

A Sound Legal Opinion.

E. Bainbridge Munday, Esq., County Atty., Clay Co., Tex., says: "Have used Electric Bitters with most happy results. My brother also was very low with Malarial Fever and Jaundice, but was cured by timely use of this medicine. Am satisfied Electric Bitters saved his life."

Mr. D. I. Wilcoxson, of Horse Cave, Ky., adds a like testimony, saying: He positively believes he would have died, had it not been for Electric Bitters.

This great remedy will ward off, as well as cure, all Malarial Diseases, and for all Kidney, Liver and Stomach Disorders stands unequalled. Price, 50c. and $1, at R. H. Moody's.

Generally the bigger a man's heart is, the lighter.

Form and Feature.

Unless associated with good teeth, are shorn of half the attractions they may otherwise possess. Bearing this fact in mind, use SOZODONT, which will prevent your teeth from losing their whiteness, and will render them spotless if specked and discolored. The tint and hardness of coral are imparted to the gums by this incomparable preservative and beautifying agent, and the breath is rendered fragrant as honeysuckle by its use. It is safe, besides being effective. Sold by druggists. 1m29

An Ohio church deacon exclaimed, "Consarn it all to Texas!" and the verdict of the church investigation was: "Not guilty, but in bad taste."

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

THE BEST SALVE in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by R. H. Moody.

It continues to be a mystery how some women manage to get inside their close-fitting jackets; and, once in, it is quite a puzzle how they get out.

Advice to Mothers.

MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP, for children teething, is the prescription of one of the best female nurses and physicians in the United States, and has been used for forty years with never-failing success by millions of mothers for their children. During the process of teething its value is incalculable. It relieves the child from pain, cures dysentery and diarrhoea, griping in the bowels, and wind colic. By giving health to the child it rests the mother. Price 25c. a bottle. 1y48

Mr. Bascom—"Wife, I've heard a very important piece of news, the neighbors are going to give us a surprise party, to-night." Mrs. Bascom—"How thankful I am that the carpets are all up and the best furniture out of the way!"

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

2yrs50

The Sans Spiritu Mine.

A BROOKLYN SCHOOL TEACHER DISCOVERS ITS LOCATION.

"I have just been reading a strange story of the 'Lost Cabin Mine' in an old Evening Sun which I found in a pigeon-hole of my desk," said a prominent Wall street banker yesterday afternoon. "Sit down a few moments and I will tell you another strange story of a lost mine," he continued, "and one that was rather costly to me. That truth is stranger than fiction is a wise saying. There is very little romance which enters into the life of a professional Wall street man. As a rule he is ever ready to grasp after the almighty dollar, and I confess that I am no exception to this rule, and many times during my life have I invested money in wildcat enterprises looking more for a possibility than a probability. These enterprises to which I allude I entered into in my younger days. I thought that I had settled down into a conservative business man; but I found, about nine months ago, that my disposition to become the richest man in the world had got the better of my good judgment, and the strange, weird story which I am about to relate will explain itself.

"For a number of years I have had a speaking acquaintance with a Brooklyn school teacher. I lost sight of him for about two years, when I was surprised to see him walk into my office a year ago. He asked me if I knew where he could rent an office, and told me that on account of ill health he was compelled to give up school teaching. I have five rooms here, and as I need but four, I told him that he could have the back room at a nominal rent. He seemed delighted with the proposition, and moved in the next day. He put out a shingle, 'Money to Loan,' but I noticed that he had no customers.

"Two or three weeks after his occupancy of the office I noticed that he became less erratic in his business hours. He began to arrive at 9 o'clock in the morning and would remain until 4 in the afternoon locked in the office. Shortly after he developed this regularity in his business hours I met a man in the hall whose unusual appearance attracted my attention. He was tall, attenuated to a marked degree, of sallow complexion, smooth face, twinkling, ferret-like eyes, and hair of shining blackness which hung down upon his shoulders. He was attired in a suit of rusty black. The coat was an old fashioned frock cut and buttoned tightly to his throat. He wore a broad brimmed slouch hat. In his hand he carried the father of all umbrellas, a great big gingham affair that would keep the rain off four people, and looked as though it might have belonged to one of our revolutionary grandfathers.

"I became interested and stopped to see what his destination was. He moved along with a quick though a shambling step and tapped lightly upon my school-teacher neighbor's door. It was opened and he disappeared within. I heard the bolt click as the door was locked from the inside and I turned into my office with a peculiar feeling that I would like to know who this strange person was.

"I saw him come every day, usually about the same time in the day," continued the banker, "and he would remain closeted with the school teacher for several hours. At last he disappeared and my curiosity got the better of me. I made up my mind to ask the school teacher who his friend was, particularly as I noticed that he had changed his shingle to read 'Mining Engineer.'

"I learned from the school teacher that his friend was a spiritualistic medium, and then he startled me with the assertion that he had located the 'Sans Spiritu Mine.' You must know that this mine is the richest mine in the world; was worked before Cortez entered Mexico, but for over a hundred years it has been lost. The school teacher's assertion rather staggered me, but I laughed incredulously.

"'You needn't laugh,' said he. 'I have found it and I have a map locating it within a stone's throw. Two years ago I went to Mexico on a vacation. I am somewhat of a physician and happened to save the life of an old negro woman who was formerly a housekeeper for a padre. This padre was the only person alive who knew the location of the mine, and when he died he divulged the secret to the negress, who, in turn, divulged it to me.'

"This, of course, was interesting after the fashion of dime novels, and I did not take much stock in his story until I saw that he was really in earnest. He unlocked his desk and took two rolls of tracing paper out. One of them he showed me and said: 'This is my original map. The mine lies 400 miles from the Gulf of Mexico, and Vera Cruz is the seaport to it. The other roll contains a map drawn by the clairvoyant whom you inquired about. He has never seen my map, yet he has drawn almost a facsimile of it, with the exception of a few minor details. I am not a Spiritualist, but I met this man and he bragged of his wonderful powers, and I gave him the test and it was successfully accomplished by him. He does not know what he has drawn, and I am the only person in the world who can put his hand on the long-lost "Sans Spiritu Mine."'

"I confess that the fellow made an impression on me," continued the banker, after lighting a cigar and gazing thoughtfully at the smoke rings for a moment. "I then asked him for further details, but he would give me none further than that the old negress was dead. I asked him what it would cost to work the mine and how he was fixed. He replied:

"'I have never seen the mine, but from some manuscripts I have of the padre's I judge that there are untold millions in sight. Of course, it will take some money to fit out an expedition, but I think the output of a month's work will pay for all the outfit necessary. My idea is to secretly charter a schooner, provision it for say one to three months, put aboard of her the necessary tools to work the mine on the quiet until I get enough out to acquire the mine lawfully, but I am without funds unfortunately.'

"Well, I bit like a shark. Heavens, how the blood rushed through my heart! I knew the school teacher to be a reputable man. He showed me the padre's manuscripts, written in Spanish, of which the school teacher was a master. He read it to me, and it sounded like an Aladdin's Wonderful Lamp story. The upshot of the matter was that I agreed then and there to interest myself in forming a stock company. The next day I brought four of my Wall street friends into the school teacher's office and he laid the subject before them. They bit as quickly as I did and I subscribed $20,000 and the others $10,000 each. We chartered a schooner, provisioned her for three months, put ten miners aboard of her, gave the school teacher $25,000, and he set sail for Vera Cruz. We waited one, two, three months and no news from the schooner. Then I telegraphed to Vera Cruz, asking if the schooner was there. The reply was that it had been there nearly two months, and empty. This was news, anyway; but when another month rolled by and nothing further was heard we became suspicious, and sent a detective down there. He telegraphed in cipher that the crew had been discharged, the miners paid a month's wages, and were there waiting further orders from the school teacher, who was Pooh Bah of the schooner and mine.

"A week later came another telegram, in which the detective reported that he had ascertained the fact that the school teacher had sold the provisions at a good profit and had left Vera Cruz with a very handsome woman, with whom he seemed to be infatuated. We did a little swearing and then telegraphed the detective to find him, and by hook or crook bring him back. A month later in walked our detective and the school teacher. He had followed him to El Paso del Norte, got him across the river on a friendly quest and then nabbed him. The school teacher seemed to be all broken up and told me to get the stockholders together, which I did inside of 10 minutes, for my messenger found them all on the floor of the Stock Exchange. I felt sorry for the poor school teacher when he stood there with bowed head taking without a murmur the whirlwind of execrations which were hurled at him.

"'Now explain yourself,' shouted an angry stockholder.

"The five of us were seated around the table and the school teacher leaning against the mantel.

"'Gentlemen,' said he, 'I confess that I have wronged you, but I was tempted by a woman with the face of an angel and the heart of a devil—a heart as black as the hinges of hell. Rather than bury myself in the trackless waste without her I threw up everything for her. She got my money and deserted me, but I will make amends. The mine is there. I will go again. See, I have the map yet! I have never parted with it, not for an instant.'

"'Oh, that's a likely story. You're nothing but a bunco and Sing Sing catches you,' was the irate interjection of a gentleman on my right.

"'Oh! don't say that,' pleaded the school teacher; 'don't say that. Just one more chance,' and he tottered over to the table, laying the map where I could see it. 'See! Here is the road to millions, hundreds and thousands of millions. Just one more chance, gentlemen.'

"Not a word was spoken, and you could have heard a pin drop as we turned our eyes on the man. My God! will I ever forget it. His face was as white as a sheet and his fingers clutched nervously to his heart and then fell forward upon the table.

"He was dead—dead, sir, of apoplexy. We quietly took the body to his home in Brooklyn, and the Friday following he was buried—I think in Greenwood. We have his map and the padre's letters, but we find that we might as well hunt for a needle in a haystack as to hunt for the 'Sans Spiritu Mine,' as there is no indication in which direction from Vera Cruz the mine lies. The landmarks are on the map, but it's a lifetime work to hunt a trackless waste for landmarks, so we concluded to pocket our loss and keep the matter a secret." [N. Y. Sun.

In compliance with his request David G. Croly, the well known journalist, was buried in a pine grove, and his body covered with pine boughs before the coffin lid was placed. A few weeks later John Savage, the poet and journalist, died, and was buried, by his request, in a tomb hewn out of solid rock, and the opening closed with stone, cemented in place.

Gen. Schenck, who some years ago was so wasted by Bright's disease that his death was expected at any moment, has so far triumphed over the ailment as to enjoy fair health and be able to attend to a little business. His recovery is due to abstinence for one year from every kind of nourishment except skimmed milk. He lives in Washington.

Summer Hints to Girls.

ROSE TERRY COOKE SPEAKS SOME SENSIBLE WORDS TO YOUNG LADIES.

"Summer is y-comen in," says the old English ditty, and soon the girls of our land will be crowding in swarms to seaside and mountain, to springs of healing—though they do not need those waters—and to nooks in the forest where great barns have been built beside some lonely lake, and christened summer hotels. Joy go with you, pretty creatures! May all your new garments come out of those voluminous trunks unwrinkled and fresh; may each one of you have quite the prettiest attire at the place you choose to abide in, the corner front room at every hotel, the best beaux and the gayest season.

After all these good wishes will you, my dears, listen to a few words of caution and advice? And that my words may seem less general, I will address myself to each of you, my pretty readers, singly, as if you and I were talking to each other.

This is, perhaps, your first season at watering places; you are just out of school, and as giddy as most girls, but I will do you the justice to say that you are one of the very few girls who will listen to their elders' advice.

KEEP YOUNG MEN AT A DISTANCE.

In the first place, my dear, I would counsel you to be very careful about your conduct toward the young men you will meet. I will take it for granted that you are pretty, and perhaps a little gay and thoughtless as well. If I have pictured you correctly, remember that to be thoughtless counteracts being pretty. You know the proverb? "As a jewel of gold in a swine's snout, so is a fair woman without discretion," and no modern proverb vender or mender said a truer thing. Do be discreet; do not think that young men are the only delightful people in the world, or act as if you thought so. Keep them at a proper distance; no man likes or respects a girl who runs after him, defers to his opinion, lets him say rude things to her and take little liberties of speech or action.

Long ago I knew a young girl who had such a good opinion of her fellow men that whenever one came into the house she put on all the graces she could muster, sidled up to them, cast down her eyes, or gave little appealing soft glances, smiled at every meaningless word and became generally a fool in her aspect and conversation. She giggled and primmed up her mouth with an expression of such terrific sweetness I always wanted to laugh aloud when I saw her.

In the street she would go round corners, into shops, by hotels, walking abroad seeking whom she could flirt with in a manner so absurd that all the youths who were at first attracted by her became disgusted and left her to herself. The girl did not mean any harm; she liked young men's society, as most girls do, but men are made to pursue, not to be hunted down. This poor girl cheapened herself from the beginning, and was never respected. Don't forget, my dear, that now is your time to establish your character for life as a well bred, charming, modest girl; do not, I beg of you, lose the opportunity.

FAST MEN.

Again, don't go out driving or walking or sailing alone with any young man. Perhaps you will tell me that girls all do it. Not well bred girls, my dear; if you have no real chaperon take another girl with you. Half the scandals and tragedies of women begin in their carelessness about this very thing. And over all do be most particular about the young men with whom you associate. Avoid "fast" men as you would lepers. Men who are dissipated are inherently low; no matter how rich, how handsome, how highly placed in what is called society, such men are no associates for a pure young girl. You do not know anything about their real lives and characters, and they know you do not; they take advantage of your natural and lovely innocence and admire it; though they know themselves they are not fit to touch the hem of your dress even.

Do your part toward making society what it should be by your marked avoidance of young men who drink, gamble, or have a bad reputation in any way. If every girl would do this we should have a very different state of things in the world. No girl who accepts a high standard of character by which to select her friends or her associates will do such a revolting thing as to elope with her father's coachman or her neighbor's groom, and thereby lose all that makes a woman's life desirable. You have doubtless been too well brought up to be in danger of any such fatal step; but you may be just as thoroughly shipwrecked by marrying an elegant, wealthy, good looking youth from any "first family," if he is not a man of high principle and pure life, as by allying yourself with a servant having no such advantages.

HINTS ABOUT SUMMER DRESS.

I must say another thing about your clothes. Don't be too fine; simplicity and exquisite fresh neatness are more attractive in a girl's costume than any extravagance of fashion or costliness of material; but even the plainest dress may be made flaunting by its immodest style.

I see young girls go out into society so much like our first parents in Eden, "naked and not ashamed," that my heart sinks and my eyes are abashed at the sight; for we are not in Eden now; nor sinless and ignorant in innocence. I cannot think a young girl is instinctively modest who wears a very decollete dress, no matter who she is.

I have heard it said that girls dress so to attract gentlemen. Poor things! they do not know what the excuse implies. It is an apology even worse than the offence; but the truth is that such exposures do not attract but instead repel respectable young men. I have never known a man who wanted his wife or his daughters to wear such dresses.

Not long ago a silly young person of my acquaintance, invited to a small evening party, wore a square necked dress cut indecently low, though it was only a wool dress with long sleeves. She made a sensation I assure you, but not of the kind she intended. If she could have heard the young men whom she met that evening express themselves about her costume to their mothers, as I happen to know they did, I think—at least I hope—that girl would blush to her finger tips at the recollection. Never dress for the evening without showing yourself when you are ready to go down to your mother. Then you will be safe.

GIRL FRIENDS.

Again, be kind and sweet and forbearing to other girls; do not deprive them of their chances in life, however great your own social success may be. Do not monopolize a young man just to exhibit your power, as some girls do; it is unkind. And be just as careful what young woman you are friendly with, as I would have you to be about young men. A girl is always judged by her friends; keep civilly aloof from the "fast," the slangy, the giggling girls you will too surely meet. Choose your company more carefully than your dress, for your friends are the true index of your moral and mental status.

Nothing can ever retrieve the mistakes you make now in these respects; you are now "making history"—the history of your life.

God never made among all the exquisite things of creation a more lovely, enchanting, exquisite, admirable creature than a fresh, pure, charming, young girl, full of unselfish thought for others, gentle, gracious and spotless. Not the milk-white and stately June lilies are so radiant in their stainless candor as such a girl; no tropic blossom vies with her health-colored face beaming with the light of the sweet soul within her; she is the flower and crown of humanity. Ah, my dear, fulfil this destiny waiting for you, and you will become to your household and the world one of the "angels that are to be," one of the "American girls" who shall help to redeem their country and their people from the stigma that—I say it with pain and regret—our own countrymen have cast upon those whom they should have been the first to defend!

Enjoy your flight, O pretty swallows, migrating toward mountain and shore; but fly true to your wings, upward and onward.

ROSE TERRY COOKE.

Kidnapped When a Kid.

There was a curious and romantic incident in the life of the late Allen Thorndike Rice. When he was a lad of some eight or nine years, residing in Boston, his parents separated and each sought possession of the child. One day while Allen was at school at Nahant a black hackmen drove to the school house, called out the boy, and smuggling him into the carriage drove rapidly away. It was a plan arranged by the relatives, and by their agents was carried out. The hackman, however, was really a white man, and in washing off the burnt cork he carelessly left a part on his face and by this means was detected. Arrest, fine and imprisonment ensued for him. But the boy meanwhile had been taken to a Vermont town and there, when the pursuers arrived, was hidden in the cellar. The party then fled to Canada, the mother with them, and were next heard of at Island Pond, where they were pretending to be on a fishing excursion. A quick trip to Portland followed, and then a coaster was taken to Richmond, from which port they sailed for Europe. The boy remained abroad until 1874. It was understood that this adventure cost his relatives $30,000 for expenses.

Brighton Cattle Market.

BRIGHTON, May 21, 1889.

Amount of live stock at market—Cattle, 736; sheep and lambs 6548; Swine 225; veals, —; Horses, 176; number of Western cattle, 736.

Prices of Beef Cattle ℔ 100 ℔ live weight—extra, $4 75a5 00; first quality, $4 37½ a 4 70; 2d quality, $4 00a4 35; third quality, $3 62a3 90; poorest grades of coarse oxen, bulls, etc., $3 00 @3 55.

Brighton Hides, 6c ℔ ℔; Brighton Tallow, 4c ℔ ℔; Country Hides, 5c ℔ ℔; Country Tallow, 3c ℔ ℔; Calf Skins, 5a6c ℔ ℔; Dairy skins, 15@35c each; Sheep and Lamb Skins, 25c each; Wool Skins, 50c@$1 50 each.

The demands for beef cattle the past week have been very dull, and but a few sales of cattle were made to butchers. Prices remain unchanged, but few cattle being sold for more than $4 50 ℔ 100 ℔ live weight, prices ranging mostly from 4@4½c ℔ ℔ live weight. A good portion of the cattle brought in were owned by butchers, and taken direct to the slaughter houses from the yards upon arrival in market.

Sheep and Lambs—The supply brought in were owned by butchers, sheep costing 4¾@5½c; lambs, 5a6c ℔ ℔ live weight, landed at the yards.

Swine—Western Fat Hogs for slaughtering purposes were owned by butchers, and mostly came into the slaughter houses over the Northern railroads and landed for slaughter, costing 5a5¼c ℔ ℔ live weight.

Maine Matters.

NEWS AND GOSSIP FROM ALL OVER THE STATE.

AN ENTERPRISE OF INTEREST TO MAINE PEOPLE.

The New York Press brings to the special notice of the New England public an important railroad enterprise at the east of us. It says that "take a map including the northeastern boundary of the State of Maine, the adjacent British province of New Brunswick and the peninsula of Nova Scotia, and you will find that the latter, which is about 250 miles in length from southwest to northeast, is connected with New Brunswick by an isthmus only about seventeen miles wide. This is the isthmus of Chignecto, with the Bay of Fundy on its southwest side and the Gulf of St. Lawrence on its northeast side.

Work has just been begun on a ship railway across this isthmus, like the Tehuantepec railway projected by the late Captain James B. Eads. It will readily be seen that to move ships across the isthmus will be a great time-saving scheme, as compared with having them sail all round Nova Scotia to get into the Gulf of St. Lawrence from the Bay of Fundy, or vice versa. And as an imaginary line drawn in continuation of the southern or Connecticut and Rhode Island coast line of New England will not miss the southeastern coast of Nova Scotia very far, it will be seen that the more strictly eastern coast of New England, that of Maine, New Hampshire, and Massachusetts above Cape Cod, really fronts on a sort of great bay, of which Nova Scotia has the eastern shore. This ship railway is of great importance to the coastwise trade of New England with Canada, shortening the distance between Boston and Montreal, for instance, 500 miles.

The hydraulic lifts at each end of the Chignecto railroad will raise loaded vessels of as high a tonnage as 1,000 tons. Sir Charles Tupper estimates that there is a commerce of something like 2,687,550 tons annually in the ports on the Gulf of St. Lawrence and the Bay of Fundy. Gloucester fishermen will be able to make two trips a season instead of one, and lake traffic may be stimulated, because a Chicago grain boat can come to Boston without moving her cargo. The Canadian government is in charge of the work of construction, though employing contractors, and the completion of the road, which is guaranteed by 1892, cannot fail to bring about closer commercial relations between Canada and the United States.

A YANKEE OCEAN GREYHOUND.

It is sometimes said that the Yankee clipper ship, a type of marine construction which was once the glory of the seas, has completely vanished, but the statement is not a literally true one. Besides the famous vessels North American and South American, which were built and owned by Commodore Hastings, there is still a number of remarkably speedy American sailing crafts afloat which handsomely maintain our old reputation. Conspicuous among them is the Frederick Billings, a four-masted ship of 2600 tons measurement, which has just sailed from New York for San Francisco with a general cargo aggregating 3800 tons. This large and handsome vessel is of the medium clipper type and was built at Rockport, Me., four years ago. She is square rigged on three of her four masts, carrying double topgallant yards and three sky-sails, and spreading 7500 square yards of canvas. Her lofty mainmast towers 100 feet above the roadway of the big Brooklyn bridge. Under two-thirds canvas the Billings has many a time run 300 knots from sun to sun, and she has logged as high as 15 knots an hour while hauling her wind. And it should be remembered that this ship is not built for speed primarily; her cargo carrying capacity is enormous. The achievements of this great Yankee racer and of her sister vessels are tolerably strong arguments against the efforts of Democratic Congressmen from such States as Missouri and Arkansas, who would have us close the shipyards where these splendid crafts were built and transfer what remains of the industry to England. [Boston Journal.

THE AFRICAN TRADE.

Messrs. J. H. Hamlin & Co., as is well known, some years ago established an ice house, under contract with the French government, at St. Louis on the African coast, and also a general store. Their venture has turned out very successful. They send four vessels there a year from Portland. Trade is carried on with the French inhabitants and with the natives at the stations along the river. The natives come to the river mostly on camels, laden with gum (used for varnish), peanuts, ivory and ostrich feathers. Messrs. Hamlin & Co. do not deal extensively in ivory and feathers, but they buy gum and peanuts, giving American products in exchange. The brig Rochemont, Captain Handy, sailed for St. Louis Saturday. [Portland Press.

REPORT ON FERTILIZERS.

The fertilizer force in Maine requires the annual analysis of three samples of each brand of fertilizer sold in the State. It is simply impossible to secure and analyze so many samples at the experiment station at the Maine State College, and publish the results before farmers purchase their fertilizers in the spring. Consequently the station has just issued a bulletin giving the partial statement of the analysis performed up to the first of May. Twenty-seven different fertilizers have been analyzed from samples obtained in different parts of the State and the nature in each case is given. Any farmer can have these bulletins sent to him by sending a request to Director W. H. Jordan of the station, and they are sure to be found of value.

MIKE BURNS' LAW SUIT.

The Kennebec Journal says: A gentleman prominently connected with the case of State vs. Burns, the famous "original package" man, states that the law court has decided to sustain the decision in favor of the government rendered by the lower court, and that judgment will be rendered at the term which begins in this city, May 28th. Three judges do not concur in the opinion of the other five. It is probable that Heath & Potter, attorneys for Burns, will appeal to the U. S. Supreme court where the case will be given a hearing next September. Mr. Burns has engaged as counsel, Hon. W. H. Clifford, of Portland.

IN GENERAL.

Work will begin on the Bar Harbor breakwater this week. It will take four years to complete the job.

Hon. George E. Macomber, of Augusta, is the successful bidder for paving Main street of Rockland.

The Augusta Journal says that the Kennebec ice will all sell for more than $2 a ton.

It seems to be decided at last that the Somerset railroad will cross the Kennebec river at Carratunk Falls, in Solon.

The Canadian Pacific Railway line between Minneapolis and New England points, via Montreal, will be opened for passenger traffic June 3.

The secretary of the treasury has awarded the contract for furnishing 250 tons of coal for the Bear Island light station, Maine, to J. F. Randall, of Portland, at $5.51 per ton.

All indications now point to excellent crops in Maine. The heavy rains of this week have started the grass, and everything is fully three weeks ahead of last season.

The injunction restraining the Dexter & Piscataquis R. R. Co. from crossing the land of Hon. Josiah Crosby in Dexter village was dissolved last Friday after a full hearing before Judge Emery, at Bangor.

In response to a circular issued a month or two ago, in which donations to the Colby collection of Maine minerals were asked, several Portland gentlemen have sent to the geological department a box containing 85 specimens.

A case of voluntary starvation is reported at North Pittston in the person of a man named Watson Goodspeed. Mr. Goodspeed is a man about 45 years of age, born and bred in Pittston and now living with Mr. Wm. Tobey. Goodspeed has been without nourishment except water since the 10th of this month and for the last six days he has been without even water. He says he doesn't want to live any longer and will never take any more food.

In the Paris exhibit of gems and ornamental stones by Tiffany & Co., of New York, are the following from Maine: Amethyst and chrysoberyl from Stowe; aquamarine, beryl, topaz, and beryllonite from Stoneham and Albany; schroite, cassiterite, indicolite, rubellite, green tourmaline and lepidolite from Paris and Auburn; carcrinite, elacolite, and sodalite from Litchfield and West Gardiner; about seventy-five in number, some of which are much the finest gems yet found in this country.

Mischief-makers in Milk.

According to Prof. Vaughan, tyrotoxicon does not develop below 60 deg. Fahr., and is anaerobic—grows when air is excluded. Some very simple measures, then, are preventive:

1. Scrupulous cleanliness. A little dry milk on the rim of a can or vessel may breed the germ which will find a culture-ground in fresh milk.
2. A low temperature—below 60 deg. Fahr.
3. Ventilation in an untainted atmosphere.

It is but just to say that these precautions are generally observed by careful dairymen and cream manufacturers. There is grave reason to fear, however, that they are not generally observed after the milk reaches the consumer's hands. Also, the slightest carelessness may affect seriously that class of the community which does not speak for itself—the very youngest.

Statistics prove with increasing testimony that *all* artificial feeding is not only unnatural but hazardous, and to be successful requires the most intelligent attention. However, if all mothers and nurses could learn that milk exposed to foul or warm air for any length of time may not only sour, but become the vehicle of a virulent poison, perhaps the summer months would bear a better health record.

One word of warning may not be amiss. Whenever a young child is fed upon cow's milk, and this causes symptoms of disagreement, the diet should be changed at once either to meat or rice; for, if the chief mischief-maker be at work, the best milk will only furnish it with the medium in which it flourishes, and deprived of this, it will inevitably perish. [Alice B. Tweedy, in the Popular Science Monthly for June.

William T. Hamilton, fifth son of the great Alexander Hamilton, was buried in Sacramento, October 9, 1850. His grave has been neglected, but a proposition is now made to erect a suitable monument, with a bronze portrait of his father.

Literary News and Notes.

George Bancroft has recently completed a Life of Martin Van Buren, to be published soon by Harper Brothers.

Those who have read of the bloodhound only in sensational stories of the days of American slavery will learn the real traits of that little-known animal with surprise, in reading an illustrated article on the dog in the June Century. The article is written by the chief expert on the subject in England, the gentleman whose bloodhounds were used by the detectives in some recent famous murder cases in London.

With the June Roses comes "Peterson," as fresh as the first blossoms of the month. The steel-engraving and the full-page wood-illustration is each a gem in its way. The double fashion-plate presents a charming array of the latest summer costumes; and there are, besides, numerous and varied patterns for dress and needlework. The opening story, "Dick Morton's Messenger," is a capital sketch and fitly illustrated. Indeed the entire literary contents merit unqualified praise.

Oliver Johnson, the last of the coterie of anti-slavery agitators, who founded, with William Lloyd Garrison, the first anti-slavery society, has written for the June number of The Cosmopolitan an article upon "Anti-Slavery Societies," which is the most interesting chapter thus far contributed to the series of anti-slavery articles, entitled "The Great Agitation," now appearing in that magazine. Oliver Johnson's portrait is one of a number of engravings illustrating the article.

"About 25 years ago," says George W. Childs, "I was in Boston one day, in a bookstore—a wretched day, rainy, sloppy and muddy—when I saw the striking figure of a little man, wearing a slouched hat, his pantaloons rolled up, dashing along the street. He looked as little like a poet as a man could. I turned to the bookseller and asked him who that was. 'That is Oliver Wendell Holmes,' he said. 'Well, I want to know that man;' and I got to know him, and we have been the best of friends ever since."

The June number of Wide Awake abounds with readable articles: "Relics of Torture," by Mrs. F. A. Humphrey, describes various curious "machines" for punishment in old times which she saw in England; Mrs. Claflin's "Letter from Daisy" on behavior is excellent; Miss Poulsson's "Two Sermons" is exquisite; Sallie Joy White's "Volunteer Reading in School" is of great suggestive value; "Little People in the Studio," with its eleven pictures, is charming reading for everybody. "Men and Things," the new department, is filled with enjoyable anecdotes and talks, notably "The Footsteps of Genius," "Lord Tennyson's Chalk Pits," and "Fish-catching on the Potomac." The poems of the number are by Clinton Scollard, Mrs. Whiton-Stone, Marian Douglas, H. R. Hudson, Kate Putnam Osgood, Alice Wellington Rollins and Elizabeth L. Gould.

Outing for June is a number to delight all lovers of outdoor literature. The leading article, Yacht Voyage to Australia, by F. C. Sumichrast, describes passages made by yachts to that far-off country. Excellent illustrations embellish the article. Other principal articles are Sports, Pastimes and Pleasures on the Cam, by C. Turner, richly illustrated; The Pleasures of Fly Fishing, by W. Holberton, for which Daniel C. Beard has furnished pen-and-ink drawings; and the Care of Dogs, by that well-known authority, D. Boulton Harrald. Lovers of the horse will read with pleasure June Days in the Saddle, by C. H. Crandall. Cricketers will be interested in Cricket in Australia, by G. H. D. Gossip. Camping Outfits and Equipment, is an article of value to all who wish to spend a summer in the woods. How O'Tullivor Bard won the Championship will interest wheelmen. The Bobolink, The Scarlet Pimpernel, One Day Upon the Hills, and Boating, are poems of much merit. The Editorials embrace criticisms of Photography, Lawn Tennis and Yachting, while the Outing Club and other departments, as well as the Records, contain much useful and timely information.

In the Forum for June, Senator Edmunds discusses the decay of political morals indicated by the increasing purchase of voters. He estimates the amount of money spent during the last campaign at $5,000,000, and in his criticism he spares no section of the country and neither party. Among the remedies that he points out are better registration laws, restriction of immigration and of naturalization, and the compulsory publication of election expenses. Another political article in this number is "The Drift toward Annexation," by W. Blackburn Harte, an editorial writer for the Toronto Mail. He maintains not only that commercial union and the latter political union of the United States and Canada are inevitable, but also that they are desirable for Canada; and that the Canadian politicians of all parties know this, unwilling as some of them are to confess it. He points out also what he conceives to be the absurdity of Canada's continuing the colonial relation to Great Britain. The essay is a frank analysis of Canadian politics from a very liberal point of view. Another political article in this number explains the advance of liberal, even of American ideas, in a country much farther away than Canada. Mr. William Elliot Griffis, author of "The Mikado's Empire," tells the leading features of the new constitution of Japan, under which, on Feb. 11th, the government ceased to be an absolute and became a constitutional monarchy. Thirty-six millions of subjects were for the first time admitted to some of the privileges of citizenship. Besides these articles about specific political subjects, there is an essay by W. S. Lilly, on "The Ethics of Politics," wherein the artificial political morality which seeks to set up a different standard of judgment for public and for private conduct is examined and condemned. Mr. Lilly uses as illustrative facts the falsehoods of many great party leaders, and points out the decline of nations that has followed a loss of political morals.

The Little Red Shop, by Margaret Sidney, is one of the brightest and breeziest stories for boys and girls that has been published for many a month and if it does not leave a permanent impression upon the minds of its young readers we shall be mistaken. It impresses and intensifies the lesson, "Help yourself and God will help you," and it shows, too, that this lesson is not confined in its application to grown people only. The Brimmer children, four of them, live in the country with their mother. They have no father, and the family have to be very economical to live comfortably. There is on the place a small building once used for a tool-house, and the eldest boy, Jack, a lad of fifteen, in casting about for some way to earn money hits upon the idea of turning it into a store, and selling little things to the people of the neighborhood, who have to go a long ways for many of their household necessaries. It is talked over excitedly in the family circle, and the experiment decided upon. The beginning was to be made in a very, very small way however, and with a stock confined to a few articles. But the neighbors all fall in with the humor of the thing, and give them their patronage, and one or two well-to-do farmers give them a commission for the sale of their butter and produce. The experiment becomes a decided success, and the foundation is laid of what becomes in the course of years a large and flourishing business. But that isn't all. They are kept so busy that they cannot go to school, and the schoolhouse is a long distance away. They put by a dollar a week to have a young man come in the evening to give them instruction, and, as there are other boys and girls in the neighborhood who are also deprived of the chances for day-schooling, the scheme is gradually extended, and an excellent permanent evening school is finally established, and these, with other important results, are the direct outcome of the determination of an earnest, energetic and conscientious boy to open a road for himself and his brothers in life, and to make a more comfortable home for his mother. The incidents of the story happen naturally, and some of them are as amusing as they are entertaining. [Ill. Boston: D. Lothrop Co. Price $1.

Political Points.

A friend recently asked Secretary Blaine about his health. The Premier paused for a moment, rubbed his hand across his brow and said, musingly: "Let me see; what newspaper did I read last?"

A Democratic roorback concerning alleged dissatisfaction on the part of three members of the Cabinet with President Harrison's course needs no denial. It is too absurd to be credited by any sensible person.

Only 40 per cent. of the vote of Montana was brought out to the polls at the recent special election. If the Democrats accept the result as an indication of the political complexion of the new State, they are liable to find themselves mistaken.

It is reported in Ottawa that there is every probability of negotiations being entered into shortly for a settlement of the fisheries question and Behring Sea difficulty. It is understood that Sir Julian Pauncefote has been instructed to press for an early settlement of Behring Sea claims.

The Democratic recount of the votes for Governor in West Virginia has not thus far met the Bourbon expectations. Gen. Goff has had eight votes thrown out, but Judge Fleming has lost twelve, and Goff, it will be remembered, originally had a majority on the face of the returns.

In 1885, Mr. George William Curtis, reviewing Mr. Cleveland's Administration up to that time, said of the Higgins appointment that it was "a signal illustration of the abuse that we would correct;" but he did not find anything in it to conflict with his judgment that "no President has given such conclusive evidence both of his reform convictions and of his courage in enforcing his convictions as has President Cleveland." In 1889, criticising President Harrison's appointment of Mr. Van Cott as Postmaster of New York, to succeed Postmaster Pearson, Mr. Curtis declares that "the change was a total surrender to the spoils system." This sweeping and unsparing denunciation of President Harrison for a single unsatisfactory appointment contrasts sharply with Mr. Curtis's qualified reproof of Mr. Cleveland for the Higgins appointment and his warm eulogy of Mr. Cleveland's reform convictions and his courage. The Independent does a good service in printing the two utterances in the "deadly parallel" column, for it shows the essential unfairness of the current Mugwump criticism. [Boston Journal.

A Lemon Party.

THE LATEST FAD IN WASHINGTON SOCIAL ENTERTAINMENTS.

It seems as if the poor little lemon had arrived at the height of its usefulness when made to do duty, with the adjunct of 10 cents' worth of citric acid, for a barrel of church lemonade, writes a New York World correspondent from Washington, but now the "Progressive Lemon Party" is brought to the front, and here it plays a part unassisted by any chemical compound of itself. A prominent Washington lady issued invitations last week which read:

MRS. JONES.
At home, Tuesday, 7 P. M.
Please bring a lemon.

Of course, every one who received one of these mysterious summonses was consumed by curiosity. It reminded one of the incident of a southern senator who received a card with the cabalistic letters signifying that the owner had "called in person." Not understanding the card etiquette of Washington, he sent his card in return, with the letters "S. B. N." in one corner. What could it mean? No one seemed to know, so the recipient determined to ascertain, if possible. The next time he saw his friend he remarked: "Say, senator, what do the letters 'S. B. N.' mean on your card?" "Why, sent by a nigger, of course."

What could "Please bring a lemon" mean? The only way to ascertain seemed to be to comply with the invitation. The Washington market seemed glutted with the meanest little dried-up lemons ever seen. Tuesday, at 7 P. M., with the lemons in their hands, the guests presented themselves at Mrs. Jones' hospitable home. They were shown into a charming little cloak room, with yellow decorations, and, after removing wraps, were greeted by the hostess, who was resplendent in a black lace over a lemon-colored satin, and carried in her hand an immense bunch of yellow roses.

After greeting each guest, the hostess asked her to "take her lemon to the dining room and register." The dining room was a blaze of golden light from tiny fairy lamps with yellow shades. The dining table had lemon colored silk napery, which was relieved by a flat centrepiece of delicate ferns and Catherine Mermet roses. At a side table sat a lady and gentleman, who, all were informed, composed the "squeezing committee." This committee took the name on a register, and tied a ribbon, marked in such a way as to be distinguishable, on each lemon. After the arrival of all the guests and the marking of all the lemons, they were invited to again assemble in the dining room while the "squeezing committee counted the seeds." Each lemon was cut in half, the seeds extracted, and, after being counted and duly accredited to the owner on the register, they were placed in a beautiful transparent glass bowl. The lemon was taken by the "squeezing committee" and "squeze" into an immense punch bowl. The guests were then invited to a repast of strictly lemon-made edibles—lemon ice, lemon ice cream, lemon cake, lemon jelly, sardines and lemon, lemon cream pie, and every conceivable sort of lemon-flavored food. Placed beside each plate was a bunch of yellow roses, tied with a satin bow of the same shade.

After partaking of the unique repast, the glass bowl containing the seeds was placed on the table, and a prize offered to her who should guess the number of seeds therein, and a "booby prize" to him who should hazard the least accurate guess. After numerous methods, both fair and foul, had been resorted to, and each "guess" had been duly registered, the seeds were counted and the prizes awarded. The winner of the grand prize, coming within three of the correct number, received an exquisite lemon-colored glass lemonade bowl, while the "booby" was made happy with a wooden lemon squeezer. A prize was then awarded to her whose lemon contained the most seeds and another to her who had the fewest. Meanwhile, skilful hands had prepared a punch in the large bowl, into which the lemons were squeezed.

Generalities.

The Illinois house has defeated a prohibitory liquor bill 62 to 55.

Two sisters in Chicago claim to have been married to the same man.

The Sultan sends to the Empress of Germany a necklace valued at $150,000.

The Southern Presbyterian Synod is struggling with the question of evolution.

Edison, the electrical inventor, is said to have amassed $12,000,000 by his inventions.

The Missouri Ballot Reform bill has been signed by the Governor and has become a law.

A national bank cannot be established in Oklahoma under the present law for at least one year.

Clay county, Alabama, has just driven out a dozen Mormon leaders and a score of their converts.

A big Chicago syndicate, of which O. W. Potter is president, has been formed to mine tin in Dakota.

The reports from Texas in regard to the cotton crop are the most favorable ever received at this season of the year.

Lord Dunraven's yacht Valkyrie sailed her maiden match May 25. She was first home, but was beaten on time allowance.

The United States Supreme Court decided that a notary public cannot legally administer an oath to a United States official.

Collieries at Pittston, Pa., have resumed work after an idleness of seven months, giving employment to 3000 men and boys.

Two French fishing vessels, with 175 men, are supposed to have been lost on a recent voyage from France to Newfoundland.

The courts at Sidney, N. S. W., have decided that no Sunday newspaper can sue for advertisements, the contract being illegal.

The Bourne Mills Company of Fall River has offered to share a portion of its profits with its employes during the six months ending Jan. 1, 1890.

An anonymous New Yorker proposes to pay for the college education of twelve of the poor boys in the public schools who desire such courses.

Dr. Keyes, who attended the late Thorndike Rice, shows that death resulted from oedema of the lungs alone, and that no operation would have saved him.

Mrs. Emma Althouse, of Attica, N. Y., is an invalid who is attracting attention by the long trances into which she sinks at times, one of which lasted 35 days.

Dr. Porter, State Health Officer of Florida, has examined a reported case of yellow fever at Palmetto, Manatee county, and pronounced it typhoid malarial fever.

It looks very much as if Mrs. Langtry, having made not far this side of a million dollars out of dear America, is about to resume her home on the other side of the water.

Mail advices from San Jose de Costa Rica of May 9, say that since the stoppage of work on the Panama canal, public interest in the Central American States is turning to the Nicaragua project.

The French Canadians of Massachusetts and Rhode Island propose to have a large gathering at Spencer, Mass., in August, to take steps toward the strengthening and preservation of their people.

Germany has yielded, at the demand of Secretary Blaine, and agreed to restore King Malietoa to the Samoan throne, but demands an indemnity for what are termed native aggressions against the Germans.

Gen. Black left behind him in the Pension Office a lot of political correspondence which, if made public, as it might be following a precedent established by Black himself, would make very interesting reading.

The dead body of Dr. P. H. Cronin, the Irish American, who disappeared two weeks ago, was found last week some distance north of Chicago in a sewer on Evanston avenue. All indications pointed to murder.

Mr. Adolf Sutro is traveling about the world getting ideas and plans for the great Public Library building which he proposes to put up in San Francisco. He will give the building and his 200,000 volumes to that city.

Walt Whitman, the poet, will be 70 years old on the 31st. A dinner in his honor will be given at Camden, and Col. R. G. Ingersoll, Mark Twain, E. C. Stedman and others of prominence are expected to attend.

The result of a murder trial in Georgia has been set aside and a new trial granted because the jury trying the case was allowed to attend a prayer meeting where the presiding clergyman offered a prayer touching upon the matter.

Mrs. Maybrick, a niece of Jefferson Davis, and a French-Canadian aristocrat by birth, has been arrested at Liverpool, charged with poisoning her husband with arsenic. Mr. Maybrick was a prominent merchant, and died with symptoms of slow poisoning.

The City of Paris, of the Inman line, arrived at Queenstown May 21, having made the fastest eastward passage on record. The journey lasted five days, twenty-two hours and ten minutes. The last trip of the City of Paris from Queenstown to New York was made in five days, twenty-three hours and eight minutes.

The report of the standing committee on Presbyterian home missions shows 1592 missionaries in the field, an increase of 106 over last year; 318 missionary teachers in the employ of the board; 17,075 persons added to the Presbyterian church; congregations of 93,188 have been aided by the board; 45 churches have been made self-sustaining, and 160 new churches organized. The increase in the collections of last year amounted to $49,752.

The Philadelphia Inquirer, after a careful canvass, estimates that the majority against prohibition in Pennsylvania will be about 35,000 outside of Philadelphia. But the Prohibitionists are not apparently discouraged, and have arranged meetings all over the State up to election day.

Hambletonian Chief and the Dam of Elmbrook.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE JOURNAL: I have read in the Journal of May 2nd the manifesto of one Gilbert Randall Ellis, owner of sprig tailed Elmbrook, correcting statements made in my stallion card published in the Belfast Age. I intended to make no reply, but thinking that silence might convey the idea that Mr. Ellis' corrections were correct and truthful, and that there was nothing for me to say in refutal, I have concluded to straddle his blind and go him 100 better. Nathalia, the youngest of Pet Knox's produce by Thackambau, *was* trained one season, and her training came very near being the death of her. When four years old, late in March, or early in April, she produced a foal to Hambletonian Chief. Mr. Ellis weaned this foal before the usual time of weaning colts on purpose to put the mare into training. Mr. Ellis trained her and trained her, days, nights and Sundays, and (let me tell it), got her so she could do a mile in just about 3.20. Mr. Ellis thought her fast, and he took her to the Waldo Co. Fair to trot in the 4 year old race; and he engaged the late Henry Mudgett to drive her in the race. When the race was called Mr. Ellis came on the track with his mare harnessed to sulky ready to start, but Mr. Mudgett was absent, and diligent search and inquiry as to his whereabouts were unavailing. He did not turn up until the race was started with Nathalia left out. Of course Henry was called away on urgent business, but there were some present that were mean enough to advance the opinion that he did not relish the idea of driving *untrained* colts by his own horse at the tail end of slow races. Probably Mr. Ellis claims that he was not a trainer at this time, and if so, I admit it, but the same season he trained Inez E. by Hambletonian Chief, and he drove her in three races against the best colts there were in the State, and he made a very creditable record with her, getting a part of each race. The following year Mr. Ellis issued a card to the public, advertising his business. The heading of the card reads this way: "Season of 1887 Elmbrook Stock Farm, Breeding & *Training* of Colts and Horses a *Specialty*, G. R. Ellis, Prop'r.

Well, that knocks all previous records all to pieces. This man spends most all of his time during one summer and fall working two colts but is never a trainer. The next season, before the snow is fairly off the ground, he is out with a card advertising himself as a *specialist* in the art of training colts and horses. I always supposed that a *specialist* was a man who had given his profession years of patient study and years of practice, but here is a regular Jonah's Gourd of a specialist, sprung up in a night, so to speak. Mr. Ellis says Nathalia trotted a trial mile in 2.58. Well, I am glad to find out what it was that fixed her. It was this mile in 2.58. Soon after that *fast mile* she began to fade away, and she was nothing but a living skeleton and of no earthly use for nearly a year afterwards; and as soon as she was again in decent shape Mr. Ellis sold her for $200 "spot cash." What a sacrifice, to sell such a mare, by a good horse, and out of such a speed producing dam as Pet Knox, for the paltry sum of $200. When told of the sale and the price, I was led to exclaim in the language of the immortal Bard of Avon: "can such things be and o'er come us like a summer's cloud without our special wonder?" Mr. Ellis wasn't quite so willing to sacrifice upon this mare's colt by Hambletonian Chief. Before it was ten months old he refused Fred Berry's offer of $175, and sold it before it was two years old for the reported price of $275. When Mr. Geo. O. Bailey fell in love with Inez E. Mr. Ellis had the gall to demand and take the equivalent of $600 in cash for her; and at Bangor in 1887, when offered $3000 for sprig-tailed Elmbrook, Mr. Ellis was so blind that he could not see the utter worthlessness of that "only objectionable feature" the sprig tail, and instead of accepting $3000 for the body and throwing in the tail gratis, he demanded pay for the whole and did not make the sale. $350 for Joe Baxter and Nathalia that ought to be worth that when dead, to sell to a dealer in curled hair, and $375 for three others with hardly hair enough on their tails to pay for pulling. Quite a contrast, but *I* can't explain it. Correct, *friend* Ellis, I never sold a three year old colt for $150 "spot cash." But I had one once that Geo. O. Bailey fancied, and he offered me for it a well bred young mare that could trot in 2.50 and $150 "spot cash," and $150 more, "spot cash," for a colt out of her when 4 months old, sired by Hambletonian Chief. Probably this mare was worth about $150 for phosphate and glue stock, but after she had contracted the heaves, a *friend* of mine valued her high enough to swap even for her, a two year old Harbinger filly that he had been offered $250 for; the above are facts, do your own figuring and see if it comes up to Joe Baxter. Now about the colt that is so slow that he can't keep out of his own way. I am extremely grateful that Mr. Ellis has fully and *truthfully* explained that occurrence for me, as, when questioned about it by my friends, I have not had the courage to stand up and tell the truth about it. But I will own up now. It is the truth. He is the best and fastest colt I ever bred, up to the year he was foaled, and he is slower than the month hand to a dumb watch. A tank of coal tar let loose would overtake and drown him before he could get out of the way. I want to put him in one more race and have him run over and killed. In 1890, when this colt will be five years old, I will trot him a match race for from $200 to $500 against any horse Pet Knox ever foaled, except those sired by Hambletonian Chief. I will not only trot him against one of them, but against the whole gang of five. They may take a new horse each heat till the race is ended, but only one shall start at a time. Now come on, *friend* Ellis, with 2.45 Joe Baxter and the 2.50 New York horse.

Elmbrook is the exact counterpart of his old mother in general make-up and way of going, is he? Good, I'm glad to hear it. Pet Knox was 14-3 or less; was short bodied, short legged, and short gaited. Elmbrook stands 15-3 and is proportioned accordingly, and he strides about 17 feet when at speed, as you have yourself measured it and reported the same. Now let's see where he gets his gait. Do you remember, friend Ellis, you once got a large, homely, rough gaited mare of Geo. O. Bailey, that was in foal to Hambletonian Chief. The colt was foaled in due time, but the mare would not own it and you raised it on cows' milk. Before it broke its leg and was killed it had developed into an elegant, stylish, fine-gaited colt. In form it resembled Elmbrook very much, and was gaited precisely like him, as you have told scores of people. Now how comes it that this colt should be gaited and formed like Elmbrook. Its dam you now own, and she is big, coarse, homely, and rough gaited. She paddles so bad forward that when you drive her on three rod roads you have to go slow to keep her from knocking the top rails off of the fences.

I would like to hire Mr. Ellis next fall to go around to the fairs with this mare and show her on the tracks and tell the people that she once had a colt by Hambletonian Chief that was formed and gaited precisely like Elmbrook. And he might at the same time tell them that the colt was as good as sold at ten months old for $200 "spot cash," the day it broke its leg and was killed. Mr. Ellis asks what this horse has panned out except when mated with the dams of Geo. O. and Elmbrook. Now Mr. Ellis knows as well as I do what this horse has done and is doing every year; but nothing but the fear of immediate death would extract the truth from him. Mr. Ellis knows, if he knows anything, that from small, homely, low headed, mean gaited mares of no speed, this horse invariably gets smooth turned, up headed, stylish, good gaited, good sized colts, that as yearlings can show more speed than their dams. I will give one example that Mr. Ellis cannot dispute.

Mr. Frank Wagner, of Belmont, has a little 875 pound mare that he uses to carry on his farm with, and hauling lime casks to Rockland. In 1886 he bred this mare to Hambletonian Chief. In 1887 she produced a foal, and Mr. Wagner took good care of it after weaning it. In 1888 this colt went to the Eastern Maine Fair and was exhibited for premium against the get of Constellation, Harbinger, Watchmaker, and several other good stallions. These high bred colts were shown with their heads tricced up in bitting gears, and fancy rigs, and the little Belmont colt had on only a little poor old bridle with a strap to lead him by. But no one could get his head up without a bitting gear, and could show a *little* more style *naturally* than they could artificially. And he could show such a good gait and clean pair of heels that the chairman of the committee decided he was the best colt in the lot by twenty-five per cent. and tied the blue ribbon on him. This colt was then sold for $200 "spot cash." The day this colt was 2 years old he weighed 840 pounds and could show well enough so that his owner thinks he has got a sure-enough trotter. I will wager Mr. Ellis $100 that this colt's dam cannot trot a mile better than five minutes. If Mr. Ellis thinks it is the *dams* that give the style and trot to Hambletonian Chief's colts he had better buy this mare and tack a Gilbreth Knox or Gideon pedigree on to her and go to raising trotters. Perhaps it would interest Mr. Ellis and the public to know some things that his horse *hasn't* done, and I will furnish the information. He was never bred to a mare till he was five years old. When eight years old he had sired but five colts. When sixteen years old he had sired less than fifty foals, and nearly half of them were dead through starvation, ill usage and other causes. His stud career virtually commenced in 1883; and in that season he sired Inez E., 2.44½, and at least four others that with training can beat her to death. The next season he sired Elmbrook, 2.42, as a two year old, and if this colt had been fortunate enough to fall into the hands of an artist in the business of training he would have had a record of 2.30 at two years old. For the past three years Hambletonian Chief has been liberally patronized, and if buyers would only keep away from Waldo county the woods would soon be full of Elmbrooks. Well, old Pet Knox was a daisy, and could throw trotters to the cover of a bull or a jackass; and her son, sprig-tailed Elmbrook, resembles her in "general makeup and way of going." Yes, I think he does, just about as much as Barnum's "handsomest woman in the world" resembles a female chimpanzee monkey.

LORETTO HAYFORD.

Letter from Boston.

MAINE AS THE COMING SUMMER RESORT. LIVERPOOL IRON STEAMERS. IRON SHIP-BUILDING IN MAINE.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE JOURNAL: Summer is here. The trees are leaved out and in bloom and the general belief is that we are to have a hot, dry summer, and the place for a summer vacation is of course under discussion. The human heart turns northward as naturally as the flight of the birds at the approach of hot weather. The coast of Maine is clearly growing in popularity as a summer resort, and Boston will be well represented in Waldo county this season, and among the sojourners your correspondent hopes to be numbered.

I have been examining the Liverpool iron steamers lately and believe similar ships can be built at a profit in the Maine shipyards. They are all iron except their wooden deck-plank and cabin finish. They have four iron partitions dividing the ship into five water-tight compartments. The partitions run from the keelson to the upper deck with no openings through from one compartment to the other except down the main hatchways on the upper deck. In case of a leakage in one compartment it cannot sink the ship, and the ship is so long the compartments average more than a hundred and fifty feet long each, and the full width of the ship. Except the floor in the lower hold the ships have no skin or inner ceiling, and the ribs or frames are about two feet apart. In place of an inner ceiling, the ribs are held in place until the outside iron covering is put on, by iron slats or half-round bars about two feet apart. The ribs are of flat iron about an inch thick and eight inches wide, the outer edge, about two inches of it, being turned at a right angle to bolt the outside plating or covering onto. The whole construction is very simple and yet very strong; no doubt much stronger than our wooden ships, and probably with but very little more weight or expense. These ships will never wear out, rust or decay, if kept well painted with a kind of coal-tar paint specially adapted for the purpose. Being screw propellers they admit of any form of construction from a clumsy lumber-droger to a clipper build. These ships are so deep and narrow that they roll too much, but can easily be given more width and less depth without injuring their strength or speed.

A little Yankee ingenuity would make a vast improvement on these ships, in form, speed, simplicity of construction and cheapness, as well as beauty. They savor a little too much of the "hold country." It seems to me our sailing coasters can be built of iron at a profit over the wooden structures. From the outside of the planking to the inside of the ceiling in a wooden vessel it measures about sixteen to twenty inches, most of which is waste room compared with iron ships, the construction of which takes up less than a tenth of that space, and the difference in the weight of material used is probably in favor of the iron, and in loading a ship every foot of space is worth money, when the water displacement and weight of the ship are the same. The shipyards and shipcarpenters of Maine would very readily work into the iron ship business. The boring and riveting is no doubt done cold and it is largely a question of accurate curves and measurements. As steel is now almost as cheap as iron it is probable that it would pay to use steel. The government ought to order a few steel coasters built for the sake of schooling American shipbuilders in the art. The vessels when built could be sold to private parties for almost their original cost, and after a few are constructed they can then easily be built at a profit.

But American shipping has another and more serious difficulty to contend with. After England, Holland, Spain and a few other European powers had captured islands and provinces in spots all over the world, they then established an international law that no ship should carry goods from one foreign port to another, and must always be consigned to or from a domestic or home port, and by this compact the United States has always been the principal sufferer, for the United States is the only country that owns no outside ports. To illustrate: Suppose England owned the island of Cuba, then an English vessel can take a cargo in Liverpool for New York, re-load in New York for Cuba, go to Cuba on her consignment and not unload there at all, but simply reconsign for any port in South America; then reload in South America, consigned to Cuba, simply call there "for orders" or in fact to reconsign for New York. Thus it will be seen that by England owning an island she can do, and does, most of the carrying trade between the United States and South America and Mexico, and an English ship never need to go back to England in a lifetime. But as the United States own no convenient ports to "consign" to our ships have to come clear back home every voyage, whether we can get a good home freight or not. As the Asiatic powers and some of the smaller European nations are not in this compact we are able to do some foreign trading, but England's shipping has a decided advantage and as long as American diplomacy depends upon American poets and country lawyers American shipping is destined to suffer.

I had intended in this letter to give a more definite idea of the manner and cost of construction of iron vessels and show wherein the State of Maine is specially adapted for the industry, but will leave that for a future letter.

The present administration, with a Maine man at the head of the Cabinet, ought to make some arrangements with foreign powers by which American shipping could have an equal show with foreign commercial interests. Blaine ought to call into his private council one level-headed sea captain of large experience, and one good master shipbuilder, and he would then be better prepared to deal with American commerce. I doubt very much whether he is familiar with the profits and losses of building and sailing of ships, and diplomacy with this left out has been our old way of doing things.

May 20, 1889. C. S. GRIFFIN.

[Our correspondent does not give Mr. Blaine his due. As a representative of Maine in the Senate and House, as well as in a larger sense, Mr. Blaine has ever been alive to the industrial interests of the State, and is now, and has long been, specially informed on the shipping question, thoroughly conversant with all its details, and there is no fear that it will be "left out" in his diplomacy. But as Secretary Blaine has been only a little more than two months in office it is not to be expected that he could have already remedied existing evils. Ed. Journal.]

Good Templars.

Knox County Lodge of Good Templars met in Camden, May 15, but was thinly attended, as many of its members had to participate in the Odd Fellows celebration. Everybody enjoyed the day.

Mr. George E. Brackett of this city, Grand Secretary, is printing the proceedings of the last session of the Grand Lodge of Good Templars. The pamphlet will be issued the last of June or first of July.

Cost of Electric Lights in Camden and Rockland.

Camden Village corporation pays $180 per year for eight arc electric lights for its streets, furnished by contract by the Brush company—$60 each. The current is generated by steam, not water power as may be supposed. The Rockland Electric Light company offer to furnish the city with arc lights burning till midnight at $80 each per year.

The Baptist Meetings in Boston.

It has been reserved for Boston to bring together the most august and multitudinous assemblage of Baptists ever assembled under one roof in this country. As a great religious centre Boston takes the lead without distinction of denomination or creed. [Boston Herald.

The Governor and Council of New Hampshire has voted to pay the New Hampshire Woman's Christian Temperance Union $5000 for a home for unfortunate women, as authorized by the Legislature of 1887, the condition that a similar sum be raised by the organization having been complied with.

An old law has been revived in Rutland, Vt., which prohibits the use, sale or gift in Vermont of any "cracker, squib, serpent or rocket," and it will be enforced on the Fourth of July. Other kinds of fireworks not mentioned in the law, however, will be burned.

County Correspondence.

PALERMO. Mr. Jacob Nelson died last Friday morning and was buried Sunday at 10 o'clock. Services at the house.....Lillian Nelson, twin daughter of Prince Nelson, put a boot button up her nose. Dr. Delany was called and succeeded in removing it by administering ether.....Most of the farmers have got their spring's work done.

NORTH HAVEN. Sch. Emily, from Ellsworth, lumber laden, struck on Green Island ledge, near Matinicus, the 12th. She came off and put back into this port, arriving water logged. The cargo was discharged and the vessel beached and repaired. She has reloaded and proceeded to Boston.....Sch. Amy Wixon has sailed on a mackerel cruise.....Schooners Adaline Adams and Pride of the Port arrived here Friday from Nova Scotia with 14,500 live lobsters for the pound at Vinalhaven......A small gang of men will begin work on Widow's Island about June 1st. The job will last about six weeks.....Eight people were baptized Sunday at Pulpit harbor beach, by Rev. Martin Howes. Between 80 and 90 persons have been baptized in this town since last August......Mr. Jewett Turner arrived home last week from the Maine General Hospital greatly improved in health......This town is to have a daily mail after June 30; to leave Rockland at 7.30 a. m. and from this town at the same hour, thus requiring the service of two boats. It will be a great convenience and our people will appreciate the change.

CAMDEN. Memorial day will be observed here as elsewhere with patriotic spirit. B. K. Kalloch, Esq., has been invited to deliver the address at the cemetery. The address at Farwell Hall will be in the evening. John L. Parker, editor of the Lynn, Mass., Daily Item, will be the speaker. Mr. Parker was a member of the Twenty-second Massachusetts regiment, a prisoner at Libby, and there is no doubt that with his well known abilities he will make the occasion one of marked interest.....Camden was never more prosperous. There is more building going on than at any one time before. All its factories are running with their might—the anchor factory day and night. Knowlton's Bros.' foundry is doing the work for six new and large vessels, besides its well known specialties. The Camden Woolen Mill is putting in a lot of new and improved machinery. The Alden Woolen Mill is rushing the foundation of its new factory. The Knox Woolen Mill has all that it can do to fill its orders.....Francis A. D. Slight has been appointed postmaster at this place.

GREEN'S LANDING. The funeral of L. J. Herrick took place at South East Harbor the 15th. He was 22 years of age and a great sufferer from consumption. He died a Christian. Many friends mourn his loss......Mr. George Reiss had his leg and foot badly smashed the 13th by a block of granite falling on him while unloading the schooner Florence Tower in Boston. He arrived home at Sunset Harbor the 17th....Capt. Jeremiah Greenlaw has so far recovered from his sickness as to go out fishing. He came into Sunset Harbor the 18th with 20 tubs of fish......Mr. Peter Powers has his new store up and boarded. It is 30x36, with a Mansard roof.....Twenty stone cutters are waiting for patterns at Shields & Carroll's. There will be a scattering among the men this week....Mr. Jerrie Clark, who got his leg hurt a short time ago, has gone to his sister's in Rockport. He wishes to thank the people of Green's Landing for a liberal subscription for him....Reports are that Timothy Eaton, who was blown up a short time ago can never see again.....Mr. Geo. Eaton has been to Boston to see about his eyes and the doctors told him there that he could never see again......Miss Annie Green has gone to Rockport to visit friends.......Mr. James Clegg has shipped a cargo of paving to New York by Sch. H. Curtis, from Moose Island.

CASTINE. L. L. Shepherd, Esq., whose third son was accidentally drowned in this harbor two years ago, has just received the sad intelligence of the sudden death of his oldest son, Edward, who was found dead in his bed at a hotel in Butte City, Montana, on May 12th. His remains will arrive here for burial this week....A telegram received on Monday the 20th announces the death of Mr. John Perkins at York Harbor, Me. The deceased was a former resident of this town, a member of a large family, whose head was the late Jonathan Perkins, Esq. Two of the family yet reside here, Mrs. S. W. Webster and Mr. J. S. Perkins......Chamberlain is now receiving, for shipment to Boston, large quantities of salmon, which are caught in the harbor and at West Castine....Pierson's Cornet Band gave an out door concert Saturday evening....Capt. R. B. Brown and wife celebrated the 25th anniversary of their wedding Thursday. Many valuable tokens of esteem were received.....A practice game of base ball was played in the fort Saturday, between the Normals and town boys, the former getting the game. Score, 20 to 9. The Bucksports were expected on that day to play the Normals, but were unable to get here.

Bowdoin Correspondence.

Senior vacation in one week.

It looks as if Bowdoin had that pennant won.

Rowdyism, Colcord, and the "rubber" game at that.

Staples, '89, will enter the law office of Orville D. Baker, '68.

Webb, '90, and McDonald, '91, were delegates to the Y. M. C. A. convention at Philadelphia.

Eighty of the students are taking a course in botany, under the able instruction of Prof. Lee.

The Juniors are having their caps and gowns made by a Boston firm. They will be of the very best material, and in the latest style.

The Juniors are drilling daily in marching, and with their natty caps and gowns will make a fine appearance Ivy Day. E. A. McCullough, of Bangor, is their Marshal.

The Salem Cadet Band, sixteen pieces, will furnish music for the Ivy hop. The invitations and orders are being designed in New York. This is the social event of the season.

It is too bad for Colby that Parsons has no better support in the field. He is pitching a good game, but one man cannot win the pennant. The Colbys have a jewel in Gilmore.

Newman is the best out fielder in the league, and is batting in fine style. In the game against the Presumpscotts he threw out two men at the plate and had one assist to third.

"Chapel cuts" are the terror of the students this term. It is so easy to have fifteen of them, and then comes the pleasure of a call on the president. Attendance at prayers should be optional.

'90's Bugle is meeting with a ready sale. For artistic and literary merit this magazine has yet to be surpassed. Six hundred copies were printed, but it is feared this number will not supply the demand.

The freshmen are anxiously awaiting the 28th of June, on which date they go to Portland for their class supper. We hope they will profit by the experience of last year's freshmen's class and not order their silk hats too early, as nothing will so arouse a sophomore as this.

Kent's Hill Breezes.

Rev. Mr. Palmer preached here Sunday.

There are to be lock boxes in the new P. O.

Work is progressing finely on Jewett's new store.

Mrs. E. A. McNear is making extensive repairs on her house.

Rev. Roscoe L. Greene, of Boston, will be commencement orator.

Prof. Lyford and wife visited Prof. Barton at his home in Winsor last week.

The steward, Mr. Pierce, bought a pair of heavy western horses last week, for the farm.

The Calliopean Society held their public meeting in Deering Chapel Friday eve.

There are no cases of scarlet fever in the school at present, and we feel confident that there will be no more.

Lawn Tennis is having quite a boom here, and the campus presents a lively scene. Messrs. Craig, Goodspeed, Sweet and Boothby have made a new earth court.

The teachers and students presented our cook, Mr. Frank Dow and wife, two elegant stuffed chairs, as a token of respect and appreciation of their valuable services. An entertainment was also given to them in the parlors of Sampson Hall.

The Pine Tree Base Ball Club is composed of the following: Jones, c.; Underwood, p.; Keene, 1 b.; Searles, 2 b.; Deering, 3 b.; Bickford, s. s.; Longley, r. f.; Woodsum, c. f.; Thompson, l. f. The first game of the season was played on the home grounds Saturday, with the Wiltons. The Pine Trees took a long lead from the first. Dudley, the Wilton's left hand pitcher, has a good reputation as a pitcher, but was pounded for long hits, while Underwood was a puzzle for the visitors. Score—P. T., 13; Wiltons, 5.

Forty Years in Odd Fellowship.

Mr. Cyrus H. Kilby, one of the oldest Odd Fellows in the State and an old time newspaper man, will soon publish a book entitled "Binding of the Links; a story of Forty Years in Odd Fellowship." The work will be especially interesting to the craft, but what Mr. Kilby writes is never dull reading for the public generally. A story of forty years in Odd Fellowship, with accounts of the veteran's travels, and spiced by interesting reminiscences, is sure to find hosts of readers. The book will be issued from the office of Chas. Paine of this city. Mr. Kilby will himself act as the selling agent, and the price of the book will probably not exceed 50 cents. [Portland Sunday Times.

Mr. Kilby is well known in Belfast, particularly among the Odd Fellows, who will gladly welcome his contribution to the literature of the order.

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Northport Again.

The Republican Journal, of Belfast, states that our editorial on the Northport Campground, has "naturally excited some indignation, as it grossly exaggerated the case." Inasmuch as the article was printed after consultation with prominent Methodists, and at their request,—some of them officials of the ground—and, inasmuch as good Methodist people in Brewer desired it also, that town being a large owner in the ground, larger than Belfast, in fact, and inasmuch as the Methodists generally are glad the brethren are aroused, we shall consider we did a correct thing. We certainly hope so bright a paper as the Journal will not endorse the evils down there, the fighting of which shortened the life of Hon. Hiram Ruggles, for if it does, we shall be obliged to show how people up this way—good people too—have been driven from the place by families. We can name fifty of them, but that won't help Northport, and we wish to build it up. [Bucksport Clipper.

We are glad to know the source of the Clipper's article, but it evidently is not well acquainted with the Journal or it would not suppose it possible for this paper, under any circumstances, to endorse rum and rowdyism at the Campground, or elsewhere. Nor did we consider solely Belfast's pecuniary interest in the place, as the Clipper evidently does that of Brewer. And further, while we do not remember that the Clipper has ever before made any efforts to suppress the evils it complains of or to promote the prosperity, morally and pecuniarily, of the Campground, the Journal has been its steady friend year in and year out, proclaiming its attractions, denouncing acts of vandalism committed there, and sustaining the officers whose duty it has been to enforce law and order. With full knowledge of the situation we rightly characterized the Clipper's charges as grossly exaggerated, while a correspondent in the same paper voiced the indignation of the people of Northport at the imputations upon them and upon the resort so closely identified with their interests. The threats of the Clipper to show up "how people have been driven from the place by families" do not alarm us in the least, nor do they sound like the utterances of a friend to the Northport Campground.

A Victim of Democratic Conspiracy.

Pay Inspector J. A. Smith is now asking for assignment to duty compatible with his rank in the Navy. With the court martial of this officer, and the influences which brought it about, the readers of the Journal are familiar, as they are with the excellent record from boyhood, and as an officer, of one we are proud to claim as a "Maine boy." In the proceedings of the court martial there was no charge or intimation "that the accused had any corrupt or improper motive in any of the transactions which were the subject of investigation." His offence was simply that he had "exceeded his authority through a misconstruction of a statute, although there was evidence, not controverted, that his predecessors in the office had placed the same construction upon the statutes and acted upon that construction as Pay Inspector Smith had acted."

Gen. Smith's request for assignment to duty is endorsed by Hon. Geo. S. Boutwell, his counsel; by ex-Secretary of the Navy W. E. Chandler, and by Hon. Jefferson Chandler, all of whom testify to the high character of Mr. Smith as a man and an officer, and to the injustice done him by the court martial. The National Republican of Jan. 30, 1889, said of the proceedings: "From the inception to the close the trial and subsequent proceedings of the Navy Department in this case have been simply infamous, a conspiracy to break down a good officer and upright man in order to get the purchasing bureau under Democratic control." . . . . "As for the insulted and outraged officer his name will be respected when the memory of his prosecutors is covered with the mold of dark oblivion."

The Law Against Lotteries.

The law of this State concerning lotteries says that whoever knowingly suffers an advertisement or notice of a lottery to be published in any newspaper or periodical under his charge "shall be punished by a fine of not less than one hundred nor more than one thousand dollars, to be recovered by indictment or action of debt, half to the prosecutor and half to the town where the offence is committed; and if by action of debt, he shall not be entitled to the benefit of chapter 113, and if by indictment, he shall further be punished by imprisonment for thirty days on the first conviction; sixty on the second; and ninety on the third."

There appeared in several Maine papers last week, including the Belfast Age, what appeared to be an advertisement of a well known lottery, in the form of a reading notice. As our local contemporary was so recently a law-maker it is hardly possible he can have knowingly become a law-breaker. He ought to post himself on the laws of the State.

The Lewiston Journal libelled Rev. Theodore Gerrish, who was recently in Maine, by printing an article reflecting upon the early character of that gentleman. Evidently Mr. Gerrish has seen the editors of the "great family paper", for Monday's issue contained the following humble apology:

We find upon investigation that a paragraph on Sioux Falls in our issue of Saturday, May 18, so far as it related to the early life of Rev. Theodore Gerrish, or to the manner of his conversion, was communicated to us by a person who meant well, but was far out of the way as to his facts. Unfortunately the statements referred to were without any foundation whatever, and we are sorry that they should have appeared in our columns. There is nothing in the early history of Mr. Gerrish that is open to such remark as was made and we sincerely regret that this gossipy article should have done unintentional wrong to a gentleman upon whose useful and honorable life no reflection can truthfully be cast. Mr. Gerrish is an old friend of the Journal, and it is particularly annoying to us that we were lead into this error.

Judging from the performances of the new English cutter Valkyrie, and the situation on this side of the water, we should say that there is at least a strong probability that the America's cup will be taken to England this year. With a Burgess boat, Gen. Paine in command, and a Cape Cod crew, we might continue to defeat the Britishers, but minus any one of these and a victory for the Valkyrie is well-nigh assured. The performances of the Mayflower after she was sold by Gen. Paine indicate that the New Yorkers cannot sail a winning yacht when they get one, and there is a certain dude element which would, no doubt, rejoice at the capture of the cup by an Englishman. Well, if the cup does go across the herring pond we shall have to send Paine and Burgess after it next year and they will bring it home again, without doubt.

The supplements issued with the Journal the past three weeks each contained more reading matter than both the outside pages of the Age, and more than both the inside pages of that paper. Any one page of the Journal contains not less than fifty per cent. more reading matter than the corresponding page of the Age, and as to quality the verdict of the reading public is very satisfactory to us. A great enterprise, heralded by the Age in advance, proved to be a sheet filled with ready print matter, as stale as a last year's almanac, costing but a few cents per column, and edited with a saw. The matter used in the Journal supplements was largely local, was set in its own office with its own type, and was really a supplement and not an undigested mass of foreign matter cast in a Chicago or New York foundry. These facts are submitted in offset to the invidious comparisons indulged in by our neighbor.

We recently published what purported to be an associated press despatch to the effect that Mrs. William Frye of Columbia had given birth to four children — two boys and two girls. A relative who hastened to the Frye domicile reports that Mrs. Frye was found "visiting a neighbor and in her usual good health and spirits," and although it might possibly be conjectured that Mr. Frye had been left in charge of the juvenile quadrilateral we are sorry to say that the report is declared to be without the slightest foundation.

Memorial Day has come again, and this year the elements are favorable and have produced a wealth of buds and blossoms to lay upon the graves of the departed veterans. The order of exercises in this city, and in the county, will be found in other columns. In this connection we call attention to Mrs. Packard's beautiful poem, "We are standing once more at your side," printed on the fourth page.

In Brief. A gas-pipe bomb, filled with powder and large buckshot, was thrown through the kitchen window of Mrs. C. M. Weld at Jamaica Plain last Thursday evening, tearing a hole in the floor and doing other damage to the room. A domestic was sitting by the window at the time, but fortunately escaped to another room before the bomb exploded. The motive for the crime and its author are unknown......The first three places in New England to be selected as points at which new life stations will be built are Willis Sands, N. H., Cuttyhunk, Mass., and Plum Island, near Newburyport, Mass. The plans as already prepared contemplate stations costing between $4000 and $5000......A passenger train on the St. Louis and San Francisco Railroad, while running at a high rate of speed Thursday night was suddenly ditched and about 40 people were badly injured. None were killed outright but death may follow as a result of the injuries to several people......The mother of Bishop, the mind reader, testified at the inquest in New York that her son had lain in a trance once for seven days, and at another time for three days, and on both occasions was pronounced dead by physicians......Laura Bridgman, the noted blind and deaf mute, died at the Perkins Institution, Boston, Friday, in her 60th year......The Chicago police are supposed to have struck a clue that may lead to the detection of the murderer of Dr. Cronin......The steamship Alvena sailed from New York for Greytown, Nicaragua Saturday with 50 men and a quantity of implements and stores for the Nicaragua Canal Construction Company, being the pioneer expedition for the commencement of the work of building the Nicaragua interoceanic canal. Similar consignments of men and materials for the prosecution of the work will follow one another at short intervals......A Chicago detective has been arrested on suspicion of having been mixed up in the murder of Dr. Cronin.....The saloon keepers of Philadelphia claim a majority of 65,000 against the prohibition amendment......General Lew Wallace and Nathaniel B. Tucker have been appointed Commissioners to go to Hayti and endeavor to secure coaling stations at Mole St. Nicholas and Samana Bay......The mate and six men of the schooner Kensett, before reported wrecked off Aux Cayes, have been landed at New York.

Maine Gossip. The bond suit against the Farmington Village Corporation has been dismissed in the United States Court at Portland. There is much excitement in Farmington.....The Livermore Falls News, published by R. A. Merrow, has been discontinued. It did not pay.....Bangor's electric cars are running regularly and are said to be a great success......A party of 25 is going to Sioux Falls June 1st from Portland to look round preparatory to buying land......Washington Irving Bishop the mind reader, whose recent death has caused so much comment, was a son of the late Nathaniel Coney Bishop, a native of Winthrop in this state......In a card in the Phillips Phonograph, B. Emery Pratt, postmaster at Phillips, says: "I now renounce all affiliation with the democratic party and announce my purpose to affiliate with the republican party now and in the future."......Another case of diphtheria has been discovered at the insane hospital......J. G. Clark, Esq., of Bangor, has presented the Maine State college one of the finest herbariums in the country. It was collected by the late Rev. Joseph Blake of Andover, Mass., and purchased by Mr. Clark at a cost of $1,000. It is to be known as the Blake herbarium. The collection embraces about 50,000 specimens......Oldtown has organized a Board of Trade with 40 members......President Harrison has selected John B. Cotton, Esq., of Lewiston, of the law firm of Frye, Cotton & White, for appointment as assistant attorney general in the department of justice, in place of Colonel Howard, who will retire June 1st.....The motion for a new trial in State vs. Beal, convicted of the murder of his father in Clinton, at the April term, 1888, was heard before Judge Whitehouse at Augusta, Monday. J. F. McManus, a druggist, in Waterville, testified that he never told Philbrook, Beal's attorney, that McManus was mistaken in Beal's identity. Philbrook testified that McManus did so tell him. The motion was overruled and the case was appealed to the Law Court......The agents of the Pepperell, Laconia and York mills have notified their employes that the mills begin the Saturday half holiday system June 6th, continuing till September 14th......The quarterly meeting of the Maine Baptist Missionary board at Waterville appropriated $10,000 for church parsonages and supplies in Maine......Hon. Peleg W. Chandler, a native of Maine, died in Boston Tuesday......Hon. Wm. W. Thomas, Jr., has arrived safely in Stockholm, and has been received by King Oscar of Norway and Sweden.

Belfast Manufacturing Company.

An adjourned meeting of this company was held at the Common Council room, in this city, last Thursday evening. At a former meeting the proposition of Mr. A. C. Sibley to buy the shoe factory and its appurtenances for $8,500 was considered, and a committee appointed to report what in their opinion was the intrinsic value of the property and the price at which they would recommend it be offered to Mr. Sibley. Mr. W. B. Swan, one of the committee, reported that the committee had a long conference, but had failed to agree upon a price. His own conclusions were that the property be sold for $22 per share, which would make $7,040. Mr. W. C. Marshall, another member of the committee, said he thought the value of the property was $9,500 or $10,000. The next question was, for what would the property sell. He thought the lowest price to sell would be $8,500. Mr. N. F. Houston, the third on the committee, said the first question the committee had to consider was, "What is the value of the property?" He thought the true value of the property was about $10,000. The market value was another thing. At what rate was it for the interest of the stockholder to sell. In consideration of all the facts he thought the price should be $7,500. Mr. Houston said that Mr. Marshall did not come down to his figures and Mr. Swan did not come up, hence they failed to agree. Mr. Marshall said that before the new boilers were put in, five years ago, the property was offered for sale at $6,500, and now that extensive repairs had been made, and the lessees were making money, he thought $8,500 little enough. Mr. A. C. Sibley said he had made an offer to buy the property and it was not a jockeying price. He offered what the property was worth to him. In conclusion he told the stockholders present that he had a majority of the stock which would sell to him for the price offered, but that he would not buy if any considerable number of the stockholders thought he was buying something for nothing; that he was not paying what the property was worth; and to end the matter he moved that the meeting adjourn, which was carried.

Mr. Sibley's intention was, had he bought the property, to enlarge the building and add to its working force. The company now employ 275 hands and are unable to keep up with orders, turning away work. They could employ double the force had they the room. The stockholders are unable to enlarge the building and it is to be regretted that the owners could not see it for their interest to sell to Mr. Sibley. A shoe factory employing 400 or more hands would be of immense value to the business interests of Belfast. Mr. Sibley has had inducements to go elsewhere, and only last week a party from a town in Maine was here to urge him to move and manufacture shoes at his place.

Trouble Between Lobster Fishermen.

Mr. John C. Condon, of this city, makes a serious charge against a Mr. Curtis, of Searsport. He says the latter attempted to shoot him Monday. Mr. Condon is a lobster fisherman and has traps set between Moose point and Searsport. Monday he was engaged in hauling his pots when he was startled by the discharge of a rifle and a bullet whistling past him. A man on the shore kept up the shooting, and Mr. Condon, becoming alarmed for his safety, threw his traps overboard and rowing to the shore, said to the man, who was a Mr. Curtis, and who lives near the village: "Did you intend to shoot me?" "Yes, d—n you," said Curtis, "I intended to shoot you." "What have I done?" asked Condon. "Pulled my lobster pots," said Curtis. Some angry words followed, but taking Mr. Curtis into his boat Mr. Condon convinced Mr. Curtis that he was hauling his own and not Mr. Curtis' traps. The latter's traps were nearer the shore. Mr. Curtis apologized, but Mr. Condon thinks this poor compensation for having his life endangered, and has consulted counsel in regard to prosecuting Curtis.

The Camden Post Office Matter.

The term of Mr. E. C. Fletcher, post master at Camden, expired April 21, and last week Mr. F. A. Singhi was appointed to the vacancy. This will make no difference with Messrs. Kilgore, Wilson and Hanson, of Belfast, who have called for an investigation of the office, as mentioned last week. Monday the firm mailed to the Post Master General the affidavit of Mr. C. C. Dearborn, and a strong letter setting forth their complaint. Mr. Fletcher, in an interview, denies the charge and says it is blackmail on the part of Mr. Dearborn. The latter says that when he left Camden for Belfast with his package of forty-one circular letters Mr. Fletcher offered him $15 for the lot. The sarsaparilla firm says the circulars were not addressed to dead people and to parties who do not reside in town. They paid a reliable man $5 to send them a revised copy of the last voting list.

Electric Light Sparks.

Mr. O'Connor, the New York gentleman who is putting in a new plant in Belfast, went to Liberty last week and made a trade to put in a dynamo there. Hunt, Walker & Co.'s tannery will be lighted by forty incandescent lights. The dwellings and stables of Hon. W. H. Hunt and Mr. Walker will also be lighted by electricity.

Mr. O'Connor has also ordered a twenty arc light and a 100 incandescent light dynamo to be used in Searsport. Temporary power will be taken from the shoe factory.

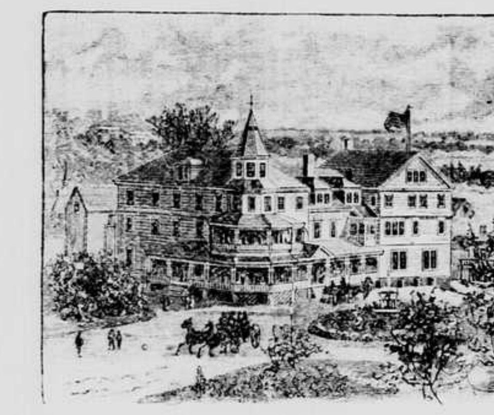
Congressman Milliken Talks about Post Offices.

Congressman Milliken was in Augusta Monday and talked thus to a reporter in regard to post offices: It is not likely that the Democratic postmasters at Augusta, Waterville, Gardiner or Belfast will be removed before the expiration of their terms of office. It is possible that a change may take place at Skowhegan in the near future. There are only two candidates, and one or the other of them will probably withdraw. I have recommended W. M. Dunn for postmaster at Waterville. [Fairfield Journal.

The U. S. steamer Yantic, sent out to look for and destroy floating wrecks, returned to port last week, having narrowly escaped becoming a wreck herself. She encountered a cyclone.

Business and Pleasure Combined.

Mr. M. P. Pendleton, editor of the Belfast Age, passed Sunday in this city on a business trip. [Bangor Commercial.



Crosby Inn, Belfast, Maine. Open June 1, 1889.

Crosby Inn, Belfast's new and elegant hotel, is now completed, and on Saturday, June 1st, will be opened to the public. The building is situated on the Governor Crosby lot, and commands one of the finest views to be had in the city. Beneath it, and opening out like a panorama, is the city. From the upper windows the broad expanse of Penobscot Bay, the loveliest sheet of water that indents the rugged coast of Maine, presents itself to the gaze. While somewhat retired the hotel is conveniently near the business centre, and is above the dust of the streets. No better situation could be found. The travelling public, the tourist, and our own citizens, have reason to be thankful for the enterprise which conceived Crosby Inn, one of the best hotels in Maine.

Belfast has long felt the want of a first class hotel. For years the travelling public have sought to avoid Belfast. Commercial travellers, gentlemen who are quick to appreciate what is good and equally ready to discover and avoid what is bad, have given our city the go by because of the want of first class hotel accommodations. This same class will now give its commendation and its patronage to Crosby Inn.

Several attempts have been made to erect a hotel in Belfast. When the American House was destroyed an effort was made to erect a large building at the corner of Main and High streets, but proved a failure. In 1887 the movement was again revived, and materialized on Sept. 27th of that year, when articles of association were drawn up, with the following incorporators: Richard Chenery, Calvin Hervey, Alden D. Chase, I. W. Parker, A. B. Bradbury, N. F. Houston, J. T. Pottle, A. C. Sibley and S. L. Milliken. Oct. 30, 1887, the company was incorporated under the name of Belfast Hotel Company. The capital stock was fixed at $50,000, and the shares at a par value of $100 each. The following officers were elected: Col. Richard Chenery, President; R. Chenery, Calvin Hervey, S. W. Mathews, A. A. Howes and N. F. Houston, Directors; Calvin Hervey, Treasurer, and A. D. Chase, Secretary.

The Ex-Gov. Crosby estate was bought for $6,500, and the contract for excavating and putting in the basement was awarded to James T. Pottle. Late in the fall of 1887 the Crosby mansion was moved off and the work of constructing the foundation began. It was the intention to erect the building that fall, but obstacles arose which prevented it, so the foundation was boarded over and everything made snug for the winter. Mr. E. E. Lewis, of Gardiner, was selected as architect. When the plans were submitted it was found that such a building as was contemplated could not be erected for $50,000, and a halt was called. The plans were modified somewhat, and on July 5, 1888, the company voted that Mr. I. W. Parker be employed to erect the building. Work was then begun and continued through last winter. The building and lot cost between $35,000 and $40,000. In December last the stockholders voted to lease the building to Mr. George H. Bemis for a term of five years.

The main building on the front is 110 feet long. The southern wing is 67 by 31 feet and the northern wing 36 by 57. This does not include the kitchen, or the Crosby mansion, which is converted into another wing. The building has three floors. A veranda ten feet wide extends along the entire front with balconies at the second story. The building rests on a firm foundation of brick and granite. No distinct style of architecture has been followed. The veranda might be called Doric and the upper part of the building Queen Anne. Every room has a window and the structure has ample light. There are thirty-eight windows in the first story, thirty-six in each of the second and third stories. There are several gables in the roof, while at the eastern corner is a tower extending above the roof and surmounted by a weather vane. The building is irregular in form, the rear wall being several feet longer than the front. This was caused by the northern wing conforming to Main street, and joining the main building at an obtuse angle.

Entering the building from the southern entrance through large double doors, you find yourself in the main corridor, twelve feet wide and extending the whole length of the building to the dining room. At the right as you enter is a general parlor for ladies and gentlemen, 15 by 22.6 feet and including the lower portion of the octagon tower. Across one corner is a tiled fire place and a carved wooden mantel supporting a large mirror. The room is handsomely carpeted, and the furniture is upholstered in rugs, a new style. A square piano occupies the centre of the room. The parlor has a door at the north end, opening upon another entrance to the hotel. Next beyond this hallway is the writing room. Then there are two parlors, 12x16 and 11.6x16, each furnished in plush, carpeted, and with open fire places, set with tiles. One is for a gentlemen's reading room and the other the ladies' reception room. Next is a hallway, 10x16 feet, leading from the first door to the main corridor.

Retracing our steps to the entrance, the first room on the left is the baggage room, 7.6 by 6.6 feet. In this room is a baggage elevator which runs to the upper floors. Next is the office, separated from the corridor on two sides by counters, and commanding the whole lower floor. The office contains a large safe, electric annunciator, speaking tubes, etc. In the rear of the office is a coat room and beyond that a room now used as a work room, and where on Monday last busy fingers and a number of sewing machines were making ready the bed and table linen. In this wing, opposite the office, is a fine suite of rooms handsomely carpeted and furnished. It is the only bedroom on the first floor. Beyond the office is the barber shop, 12 by 13, and a lavatory 10 by 12 feet. The main stairway, very broad and easy, leads off the corridor. Beyond is the dining hall, which with a serving room and private dining room, occupies the first floor of the northern wing of the hotel. The main room is 33 by 40 feet, and lighted by ten large windows. It is, as it should be, the most sightly and pleasant room on this floor, one side overlooking Main street. At night the room will be lighted by three large gasaliers. The finish around the doors and windows is heavy and is stained to imitate mahogany. The ceiling is of corrugated iron, in irregular panels, tastefully painted. There are twelve black walnut extension tables, which may be used separately or together, at which about 120 persons can be comfortably seated. The private dining hall will seat fifteen persons. The necessary chairs and two oak sideboards complete the furnishing of the room, and the ornamental is contributed by Mr. H. L. Woodcock in the shape of some fine still life paintings from his studio, to be hung upon the walls.

The serving room, 15.6 by 21.9 is in the rear, opening from which is a room for washing dishes, with hot and cold water and every convenience. In the centre of the serving room is the steam table for keeping the food warm. It contains three trays for meats, three receptacles for gravies, two for soups, five for vegetables, and stands for tea and coffee urns. The dishes for vegetables are earthern, an improvement over tin for this purpose. Back of the serving room is the kitchen, which contains one of Horace E. Walker & Co.'s improved ranges. A large iron hood, with ventilation through the roof, is suspended over the range and will carry off all the steam and smell of cooking. A hot water tank with a capacity of 144 gallons adjoins the range. A cold storage room is built in one corner of the kitchen, and so arranged that the ice compartment is filled from the outside of the building. Under the kitchen is the vegetable cellar, light and dry, with a cemented floor. The room in the Crosby mansion adjoining the kitchen is the pastry room, and contains all the conveniences and appliances, including a patent baker for bread and pastry. A small room adjoining will probably be assigned to the cook.

There are left on the first floor of the Crosby mansion for the use of guests, three large rooms with open fire places; and on the floor above four large rooms, very prettily papered and nicely furnished. These are already engaged for the season by a party of Boston ladies.

Returning now to the main building we ascend to the second floor by the main stairway which has two turns to the left. This brings you to a corridor eight feet wide extending the whole length of the main building and crossed by similar corridors extending the length of the wings. On either side are the sleeping rooms, which are from 9.3 by 16, to 14 by 26 feet. The room in the octagon tower squares up 13 by 16, with an adjoining room 12 feet square. This is the best suite in the house. It is furnished in cherry. There is a ladies' bath room and separate closet on this floor, and this with the closet on the third floor is ventilated through the roof.

The third floor is a duplicate of the second floor. The tower rooms in the upper story, engaged by Mr. Waldron, are furnished in solid oak and the walls and ceiling tastefully papered. Including the annex there are sixty-five sleeping rooms. With the exception of three cherry and one mahogany set all the chamber sets are of antique oak, of new and pleasing designs. There are nine Brussells carpets in the house, and the others are of the best 3-ply woolen. The carpets were furnished by A. D. Chase & Co., Belfast, and made and fitted under the supervision of Mr. R. P. Chase. Each floor has a speaking tube to the office, and water is carried to the third floor. The beds are all furnished with wire mattresses of the latest make, and the windows have double shades, so that the light may be thoroughly shut out when required. The stairways are heavily carpeted, and in this as in many other details there is evidence that the comfort of guests has been carefully studied by one familiar with their requirements.

In the basement is the billiard room, 28 by 32 feet, which is to contain two billiard and one pool table; the laundry, comprising a wash room, with hot and cold water, set tubs, etc., and an ironing room, gentlemen's water closets and bath room, store rooms, etc.

The whole building is heated by steam, piped for gas, and supplied with water from the Belfast water works. The position of the building ensures perfect drainage and great care has been taken in putting in the plumbing.

The interior finish is of white wood. The finish on the third floor is painted, and on the second and third floors a light stain has been used, although some rooms were finished in the natural wood. The floors of the lower corridor, dining hall, general parlor, and some other rooms are of birch, blind-nailed, oiled and varnished. A fireplace in the corridor opposite the office has a finely executed oak mantel, supporting a mirror in a corresponding frame.

The exterior of the house is painted in colors, the body a light straw with olive green and maroon trimmings.

The formal opening of Crosby Inn will take place on Thursday next, when a dinner or supper will be served. The programme is not yet fully arranged.

Some of the public spirited ladies of Belfast have undertaken to decorate the bureaus in the sleeping rooms to add to their attractiveness and give them a home-like appearance.

Memorial Day Exercises.

Today is Memorial Day and Thomas H. Marshall Post G. A. R. of this city will observe the day with the usual exercises. Last week the Journal published the general programme of the march. M. C. Dilworth, Commander of the Post, has issued the following order:

Headquarters Thos. H. Marshall Post No. 42, G. A. R., Dep of Me.,
Belfast, May 30, 1889.

General Order No. 1.

Comrades: It seems but a few days since we were making the necessary arrangements for the observance of Memorial Day, and yet another year has fled into the shadowy past and we are to-day arranging for a similar observance, a day devoted to the memory of our departed comrades. But during the past few months, short and fleeting though they were, three new mounds upon which the turf has not yet grown, have risen in our cemeteries, and mark the last resting place of those who were with us then but are not with us now. And in the year to come, and in the years that follow, we know those mounds must grow in ever-increasing ratio, until the last old comrade has answered the call that summons him to join the host of comrades gone before. Reflecting on facts like these, we should place a true value on the petty animosities of our daily life, and endeavor to cultivate a spirit which, "with malice toward none and Charity to all," will enable us to successfully carry to their full fruition the noble principles of our organization.

Memorial Day is observed in every town, village and hamlet from Maine to the prairies of Texas, and from the Atlantic washed shores of Cape Cod to the sands laved by the waters of the Pacific. To those who have passed the noontide of life it recalls memories of sadness and of pleasure; it reminds us of the long and weary march, the lonely picket, the cheerful bivouac, of disheartened defeats and cheering victories crowned by a final triumph, and saddest thought of all, of those to whom the day is dedicated, the gallant comrades who shared our toils and dangers and whose mortal remains now lie at rest in every portion of our broad land. But to the younger generation this day should prove an inspiration to love of country and to the development of self sacrificing patriotism, so that they too, if called upon, will not hesitate to give up home, friends and life itself, if need be, in order that the Nation may live.

It is hardly to be expected in a country having so few holidays and so many days of wearying toil, that the generation which has grown up since the war should not take advantage of the opportunity which Memorial Day offers for pleasure and recreation. It is in accordance with human nature, and still it grates somewhat upon the sensibilities of the old soldiers who look upon the day as one to be given to remembrance of our dead comrades. And yet if the spirits of the departed soldiers can look down upon earthly scenes they may well feel a satisfaction at the grateful remembrance in which they are held by millions of mothers, wives, sisters and daughters, fathers brothers and comrades throughout the Union they helped to save. And may the flowers strewn upon their graves this Memorial Day be but the forerunner of other flowers that shall be placed there in the years to come while there remains an American heart to cherish the memory of the patriot soldier.

M. C. Dilworth, Commander.
T. D. Guptill, Adjutant.

The column will form at 2.30 P. M. in front of Grand Army Hall and march to Grove Cemetery in the following order:

Lincolnville Cornet Band.
Canton Pallas, P. M., I. O. O. F.
Belfast Division, U. R. Knights of Pythias.
Thos. H. Marshall Post No. 42, G. A. R.
Caleb A. E. Clark, No. 45, Sons of Veterans.
Orator of the day and Chaplain in carriage.
Disabled soldiers in carriages.
City Government in carriages.
Citizens in Carriages and on foot.

The exercises in the evening will be held at the Belfast Opera House, in the following order:

1st. Reading of general order by Adjutant T. D. Guptill.
2d. Prayer by Post Chaplain H. W. Trundy.
3d. Singing by the children.
4th. Address of Welcome by Commander M. C. Dilworth.
5th. "Honor the Nations Dead," by a quartette.
6th. Poem by Prof. L. C. Bateman written for the occasion and read by Commander C. W. Haney.
7th. Selection by the Lincolnville Band A. S. Heal leader.
8th. Address by Comrade Rev. Q. A. Shinn.
9th. "American Hymn" Quartette.
10th. America Lincolnville band in which the audience is invited to join in singing.
11th. Benediction.

Waldo District Lodge of Good Templars.

The regular quarterly session of Waldo District Lodge was held with Valley Lodge at Monroe, Thursday, May 23. There are twenty four lodges in the district, eleven of which were represented. The officers of the meeting were: M. C. Hill, D. T., Northport; Belle J. Palmer, V. T., Monroe; E. C. Dow, D. C., Monroe; George E. Files, D. S., Thorndike; W. N. Robertson, D. Treas., Monroe; Annie J. Billings, S. J. T., Freedom; Marcia Waldin, D. Chap., Northport; J. A. Partridge, D. M., Searsport; Emma Hill, P. D. T., Northport; G. L. Curtis, D. G., Winterport.

The forenoon meeting was occupied by reports of the committee on credentials and in conferring the district degree. The afternoon session was one of much interest. An address of welcome was given in behalf of Valley Lodge by E. C. Dow, which was responded to by District Templar Hill. Mrs. E. E. Cain, of Waterville, General Superintendent of Juvenile Temples, was present and presented the claims of her department to the Good Templars of Waldo county. Lieut. C. L. F. Howe was also present and was listened to with much interest. Reports from the lodges showed the order as a whole in the district to be in good condition. Much feeling in regard to the action of the County Attorney was expressed. The next session will be held on the camp ground at Northport in August. The committee on resolutions presented the following, which was adopted by a rising vote and the secretary was instructed to forward the same to the papers for publication. Bro. J. A. Partridge, State Constable, was appointed to present the resolution to the Governor and Council:

Resolved, That we learn with shame, sorrow and indignation from the report of the doings of the last term of the Supreme Judicial Court of Waldo county, that our newly elected County Attorney failed to bring the indicted rumsellers to trial and nol prossed or continued a score of cases on the docket waiting trial and conviction, thus undoing in a great measure the work of our enforcement committee, and our State Constable, who had been laboring so successfully for more than a year to close the rumshops and bring the rumsellers of the county to deserving punishment.

By so doing the Attorney has given aid, hope and comfort to these law breakers. And in behalf of the law-abiding citizens of our county we earnestly protest against such action and call upon the Governor to remove him from the position in which he has proved unfaithful, or to take such measure which shall give us an officer in that place who will represent the best sentiment of our citizens by doing his duty toward aiding in enforcing the prohibitory law.

The Electric Light Hearing Before the City Government.

Monday evening the Mayor and Aldermen held a session for a hearing on the petition of Mr. N. R. O'Conner in behalf of the Easton Electric Light Company, of New York, to erect poles on the streets of Belfast. Mr. O'Connor stated that the poles his company wished to erect would be of spruce, chestnut and pine. Those in the principal part of the city would be square, from twenty-six to thirty feet high, and painted a dark green color, and other poles round and smooth. The poles to be an ornament instead of disfiguring the streets. The wires to be from twenty-four to twenty-eight feet from the ground. He meant business and his plant will not be excelled by any plant in Maine. W. H. McLellan, Esq., appeared for the Belfast Electric Company, and said the petition presented by the Easton Company was not a petition, it did not comply with the laws, and in reality there was nothing before the board to act upon. The law contemplated that the location of the poles should be stated so that if any one objected they might be heard. He criticised the application of the Easton Company and said all they called for was a committee from the city government. He also doubted whether or not a franchise was given to the New York Construction Company last fall, the company from which the Easton obtained its franchise.

W. P. Thompson, Esq., appeared for the Easton Company. He said the Easton Company asked for the privilege of erecting poles, and that when it came to putting them up objections could be heard. No individual had objected, all the objections came from a rival company and were technical.

Mr. O'Connor presented a fine plan of the streets, with the location of the proposed line, drawn by Mr. H. W. Farrow.

The board adjourned to Tuesday evening in order to consult the city solicitor.

Tuesday there was another hearing when city solicitor Williamson decided that the petition of the Easton company was not good. Mr. O'Connor, through his attorney, submitted another petition, in form, upon which a hearing will be had on June 13, at 7 o'clock in the evening. Mr. Williamson also decided that the franchise of the New York Construction company was not good.

News of Belfast and Vicinity.

The officers of Canton Pallas, Patriarchs Militant, I. O. O. F., of this city, were installed last Thursday evening by Major Follett.

The High school in this city will close June 14th, the other city schools one week later. The graduating class of the High school numbers sixteen pupils.

Mr. Eli West, of Frankfort, last week brought to Alexander & Burgess, in this city, the meat of a four years old steer that weighed about 1,000 lbs. Mr. Alexander said it was the fattest beef he ever hung up in his shop.

An official at Unity wrote to Belfast last week stating that poachers were netting fish in Unity Pond, and a fish warden was wanted to come out and begin prosecution. Mr. Haley was notified and said he was ready to go when wanted.

When the alarm of fire was sounded last Thursday, Mr. Locke, captain of the hose company, was in a barber's chair having his hair cut. One side of Locke's head was cut quite close, but jumping up he left the shop and joined the company.

Eggs have advanced in our local markets and are higher than they were early in the spring. In reply to an inquiry a local merchant said it was caused by the egg buyers who are filling their coolers. In order to get eggs they began to bid over each other and ran up the price.

The milk team of Mr. Chester E. Perkins ran away in our streets Saturday. The horse started from the house of Mr. George S. Chase on Cedar street, and ran as far as Mr. George Frisbee's. One hundred quarts of sour milk and thirty dozens of eggs were strewn along the streets.

The County Commissioners are making further repairs on the Court House in this city. There has been a leakage about the chimneys, and three of them have been removed above the roof, and the openings covered and slated. Since the building has been heated by steam one chimney is sufficient and that one will be made tight.

Mrs. Martha A., wife of Mr. Nathan Pendleton, of this city, died very suddenly on Thursday morning last, aged 56 years and eight months. She was ill with lung fever and pneumonia. The death was very sudden, in fact her husband found her dead in the bed. Mrs. Pendleton was a deaf mute and a very estimable woman.

The Waldo County Educational Association meets at Swanville to-morrow (Friday). The Belfast teachers will ride up in the Mikado team of the Belfast Livery Company, and arrangements have been made to take up all teachers in the county who present themselves here. Teams will leave Belfast at 8 o'clock in the morning.

Messrs. L. A. Knowlton, W. H. Hall, and C. P. Hazeltine, of this city, have returned home from the domain of the Megantic Fish and Game Club, of which they are members. Mr. Knowlton says it is an excellent game preserve, but what interested him most was the timber and the water privilege for logging purposes.

Horse Talk. Mr. O'Connor, the electric light man, last week bought a horse of Mr. J. J. Walker, of Liberty, for which he paid $400. The animal was shipped to New York....Jamaique, the large imported Percheron stallion of Mr. Edmister, of Knox, was in Belfast Saturday, and attracted much attention. He is the largest horse in Waldo county.

Fire. Thursday forenoon last, the house of the late John Hall, on Miller street, was found to be on fire and an alarm was given. A stove pipe extended through the roof of the cook room, a small addition built on the rear of the house, and the fire originated from this pipe. The hose company was promptly on hand, but the fire was extinguished before the company arrived. Mrs. Hall, who is ill, was removed from the house.

A Mr. Fogg, from a Massachusetts shoe town, was in Belfast last week for the purpose of enlisting some of our business men in another shoe factory enterprise. He wanted to form a stock company of $50,000 or $60,000. Mr. Fogg was in town but two days, not long enough to make a thorough canvass. Matters of this kind should go before a board of trade, where our business men could meet and consider them. It is hoped a board of trade will soon be organized in this city.

Last week Mr. Charles E. Knowlton dropped a key through the platform in front of the old Beaman store near the foot of Main street, and sent a small boy named Patterson under the building to find the key. The boy was gone some time, when Mr. Knowlton remembered that there was an uncovered well under the building into which the boy might have fallen. Hastening to the place he found Patterson floundering in the well, and he would have drowned but for Mr. Knowlton's timely assistance.

Seven dwelling houses are in course of erection in this city, as follows: Charles T. Richards, Cedar street; Miss Barnes, Court street; Mrs. Lowe, upper Main street; John B. Walton, Lincolnville avenue; Clarence M. Knowlton, upper Miller street; John Kenney, Northport avenue, and Levi Howard, Bay View street. Besides these Mr. H. N. Lancaster is erecting a brick building on High street, an extension is being built to the North Church, and last week Mr. M. R. Cooper began the erection of a storehouse on his wharf 28 by 60 feet.

Memorial Exercises. Rev. T. L. Payson of the Universalist church in this city preached a memorial sermon on Sunday for Thomas H. Marshall Post G. A. R. The church was decorated for the occasion. The pulpit was draped with the American flag and a miniature monument decorated with flowers was erected on the floor in front. Rev. J. A. Savage offered prayer, and Mr. Payson preached an excellent sermon from 1st Corinthians, 3d Chapter and 14th verse: "If any man's work abide which he hath built thereupon he shall receive a reward." About fifty members of the Post occupied reserved seats in front.

Steamer Notes. Frank A. Frye, formerly clerk in the Camden Post Office, has secured a position as freight clerk on the steamer Katahdin, and will enter upon his duties about the middle of June....On the arrival of steamer Penobscot at Bangor Saturday orders were received to return to Boston immediately. This was done to clear up the accumulation of freight at Boston. The Penobscot left Boston Sunday on the return trip east, and arrived in Bangor in season to make her regular trip to Boston Monday....Three boats were at the wharf in this city Saturday at one time.... The outside boat and the Rockland make their landing at the same time in this city. It makes it lively for the agent....The Lucy P. Miller arrived from New York Monday afternoon. Her Belfast freight included a large lot of leather for the shoe factory....Steamer Rockland, from Rockland to Bangor, is doing a good business.

Personal. Rev. R. T. Hack and family left by Monday afternoon's boat, Mr. Hack to sail from New York to-day for Europe, and Mrs. Hack and her son to spend the summer with her father and mother, near Saratoga, N. Y. Mr. S. W. Mathews left for Boston on the same boat, and with Mr. Hack will look into a proposition from a Boston concern to furnish memorial windows for the North Church....Miss Desire G. Abbott, of Northport, is teaching her third term of school in district No. 12, east side, Belfast. Miss Abbott is a very efficient teacher and gives universal satisfaction.... Mrs. H. L. Woodcock, of this city, who has been in Massachusetts the past year and a half for medical treatment, arrived home last Saturday, much improved in health....The mother of Mr. Bemis, who has the general superintendency of the Crosby Inn, is Mrs. Field, and not Mrs. Bemis, as mentioned last week....Mr. Miles Hart, of New Haven, Conn., come to Belfast last week to attend the funeral of his father. For eighteen years he has been a conductor on a railroad in Connecticut.... Mr. F. D. Mitchell, of Chicago, son of Mr. W. E. Mitchell, of this city, came to Belfast last week to visit his parents. Mr. Mitchell has been in Chicago seventeen years....Mr. George E. Brackett, Grand Secretary, of this city, left on Friday for Chicago, to attend the two week's session of the Grand Lodge of the World, Good Templars. Mrs. Brackett is in the office in this city....Adolph and David Ehrlich, of Boston, were in Belfast over Sunday, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Mark Andrews....Miss Sadie Jones, of this city, has gone to Fairfield to visit her parents....Capt. Nathaniel Dyer, formerly of this city, now of Pretty Marsh, Mt. Desert, came to Belfast last week....Capt. Pearl W. Bagley, formerly of this city, is now employed by a ship chandlery firm at Fernandina, Fla....Mr. S. G. Thurlow, for many years postmaster of this city, is now living in Belmont with his daughter, Mrs. H. P. Farrow....Mr. Fred Hersey, formerly of Belfast, now Maine Central station agent at Redstone, N. H., is in town on a visit....Dr. D. P. Ordway, of this city, is at the Maine General Hospital, where he has received surgical treatment. ....Ezra Bramhall, the well-known Canadian boatbuilder, is a son of the late Capt. Joshua Bramhall, formerly of Belfast....Mrs. Belle S. Priest, of Stockton Springs, is in Belfast where she will remain for the season......Mr. and Mrs. Edward Partridge and child, from Cochituate, Mass., are in Belfast on a visit....Mr. and Mrs. Will Quimby spent Sunday in Augusta at Mr. G. A. Blodgett's. ....Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Thorndike returned to Boston last week from a week's visit to the Rangely Lakes.....Messrs. C. F. Swift, O. G. Critchett and F. A. Carle, of this city, were among the passengers for Boston by Monday's steamer.....The Journal had a call Tuesday from Mr. A. A. Osborn, a native of this city, but who has been a resident of the West for the past thirty-two years. He made a brief visit east three years ago. Mr. O. is a brother of Alderman George T. Osborn .....Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Poor, who are on a tour of Maine with their own team, arrived at Augusta Monday, spent the night at Hotel North and left Tuesday morning for Farmington....The Augusta Journal says: "Prof. Wm. E. Eastty badly strained the muscles of one leg last Sunday evening, and will be prevented from making a tour on foot through Waldo County to Searsport and Belfast."....Hon. Seth L. Milliken, of this city, leaves this morning on a three weeks' trip. He goes away on private business....Mrs. Edward Sibley and son, Master Harold, of this city, left Wednesday morning for Wellesley, Mass., to visit her daughter, Miss Charlotte T. Sibley....Miss Susie W. Palmer, who has been in Boston several weeks, returned home last week. Miss Susie Partridge, who also has been in Boston recently, is at home. Both are employed in the Journal office.

The W. C. T. U. will meet at Mrs. Chas. Moore's next Saturday at 2 o'clock, p. m. A full attendance is desired.

H. M. Bean had a crew of eighty men at work in his shipyard at Camden last week and on receipt of another cargo of lumber would increase his force to 150 men.

The following Maine postmasters were appointed Saturday: Fred L. Payson, South Hope, vice Aaron Starrett, resigned; D. O. Wade, West Warren, vice L. C. Wade, resigned.

A semi-annual dividend of three per cent. on the preferred stock and 1.60 on the non-preferred stock of the B. & M. H. L. Railroad Company has been declared and is payable June 1st. The city of Belfast receives $9,954.40.

There was a severe frost in the low lands in this vicinity Saturday and Sunday nights. Early Monday morning the fields were as white as snow. Corn and beans suffered, and it is feared the damage to the growing crops is quite serious.

Sailor Cats. Capt. Bartlett, of sch. Charlotte T. Sibley, now at this port, has two kittens which were born on ship board at Perth Amboy. They have never been on shore and are truly salt water kittens. They are white with a black mark on their heads, and are perfectly matched.

The following change has been made in a star mail route: Route 286, Centre Montville to Freedom; leave Centre Montville daily, except Sunday, at 12.30 P. M.; arrive at Freedom by 2 P. M.; leave Freedom daily, except Sunday, at 2 P. M., or on arrival of train; arrive at Centre Montville in 1½ hours.

Mr. Geo. B. Ferguson, Collector of the port of Belfast, left Monday to visit the subordinate offices under his control—Camden, Rockport, North Haven and Vinalhaven. Mr. Ferguson intends to make himself thoroughly familiar with all branches of the Custom House within his district. He will return home to-day.

The new pontoon steamer built at Camden by Mr. E. H. Bramhall to go to Curacoa sailed up to Bangor Friday and Saturday was hoisted aboard the schooner Hattie H. Barbour to be sent to Curacoa. She is a queer looking craft being fitted with a propeller at each end but is well fitted for the work which she was designed, that of moving a pontoon bridge.

Mr. Frank Blodgett, of Morrill, brought to the Journal office Monday a ripe field strawberry he had picked the evening before when going after the cattle. He saw many others that would ripen in the course of a week. This is about a month ahead of the usual time for wild strawberries. A Belfast gentleman also picked a ripe field strawberry in Lincolnville Sunday.

Police Court. Mr. Fred Overlock of Liberty, was before the Police Court in Belfast on Monday on complaint of David Twitchell of Liberty, charged with the larceny of a harness. Mr. McDonald arrested Overlock Monday. He was at work in this city. Overlock pleaded guilty and said he was intoxicated on hard cider. When he discovered the harness he said he did not know where it came from and sold it. He was ordered to recognize in the sum of $100, but was committed in default of sureties.

Church Notes. Last Sunday was observed as children's day at the North Church, and the church was beautifully decorated with flowers. The concert in the evening was one of the best ever given. The choir for the occasion consisted of Messrs. C. O. Poor, H. P. Thompson, F. W. Chase; Mrs. H. P. Thompson and Miss Della Conant. The solo by Mr. Chase was very fine. The children gave recitations, and the concert closed with singing, "God be with thee till we meet again."...Memorial Day services were held at the Universalist Church last Sunday and are reported elsewhere....There will be no services at the North Church next Sunday, but the Sunday School will meet as usual. ....Rev. B. C. Wentworth, recently of the Belfast M. E. Church, and now presiding elder of the Bangor district, has bought a house in Dexter and will locate there. Mrs. Wentworth has a brother living in Dexter....Rev. Geo. E. Tufts last Sunday gave an account of the recent Baptist Anniversaries held at Boston....Next Sunday will be children's Sunday at Poor's Mills....Rev. Geo. E. Tufts will preach at Morrill next Sunday afternoon at 2½ o'clock.

Shipping Items. Sch. Penobscot, of this city, chartered to load ice and hay at this port, changed her charter and went to Bangor where she has loaded orange box shooks for Jacksonville....Sch. J. R. Bodwell, of Rockland, which discharged a cargo of coal here last week, was hauled out on the marine railway and painted. Sunday she was towed to Bangor to load ice for Philadelphia.... Sch. Charlotte T. Sibley arrived at this port Friday. Her bowsprit will be taken out to stop a leak under it, after which she will be taken out on the railway.... The brig I. W. Parker, Capt. John W. Kane, arrived at New York last week, 50 days from Zanzibar. The brig was not reported in any of the shipping papers from the date of her sailing from New York for Zanzibar until her arrival home. The Journal, however, had a letter from Capt. Kane dated at Zanzibar Jan. 5, and reported the brig there at that date. We frequently find our shipping news in advance of that in the Boston and New York dailies, and they copy liberally from the Journal each week....Sch. Weybossett, before reported in a bad condition at Bangor, has been temporarily repaired and left for Boston in tow. ....The abandoned sch. Palatka was again seen on May 8 in lat. 44 N. lon. 47 W....The Rockland Tow boat company has sold its best and most powerful tug, the Britannia, to the contractors who are constructing the government jetties at Charleston, S. C., where she will be employed.... Among the vessels at Portland last week was the Julia Ann, 27.41 tons, built at Gloucester seventy years ago, and apparently a sound vessel to-day. She hails from Deer Isle now, and has spent many years on the fishing banks, where she doubtless encountered many severe gales....A four masted schooner, 1,000 tons, named the John Paull, was launched from the New England Co's yard at Bath last Saturday. The vessel is centre board, 227.5 feet long, 41.5 feet beam, and 21.6 feet deep. She is owned by S. M. Phillips & Co. of Taunton, Mass. and will be commanded by Capt. John Farrow, of Islesboro, now in the four masted sch. Sarah W. Lawrence. The Paull is built to carry coal exclusively....Sch. Puritan has loaded cut stone at Hall's wharf, Belfast, for Brooklyn, N. Y. She took part of her cargo at Mr. Hall's quarry, Mt. Desert....Ship Richard P. Buck, recently burned and scuttled at Bermuda, has been pumped out and raised. All of the railroad iron and other heavy iron work and a large portion of the oil, &c., will be saved. A portion of the oil, &c., was advertised to be sold at auction 29th inst....It will be remembered that the Moses of Bath libelled the sch. Gov. Ames for services rendered in towing her in from the Georges, claiming $3,000. The case was heard in the U. S. District Court at Boston, and the libellants were awarded $6,000.

Chat. "Jack" Harriman does not often boast of his garden, but his peas are certainly the highest in town. P. S. The doves flew away with them as they came up, and now as Jack goes about the place where peas once prevailed, he softly sings, "Had I the wings of a dove."....Sam Holt has a nice lot of row boats to let....Congressman Milliken is the most popular man in town. He had 47 visitors one day last week....Playing croquet by electric light is the latest thing in amusements....On Saturday last 57,000 gallons of water were used, lowering the standpipe fifteen feet. Superintendent Bird says there is a great waste of water somewhere....The list of committees from Palestine Commandery, K. T., of this city, to entertain Dunlap of Bath, should have included Mr. Robert F. Chase, committee on music....First quality of hay now sells for $15 per ton....Grass in Waldo county looks fine, and the prospect for a good hay crop is bright....Since the death of Mr. Joseph Dennett, Mr. Henry Gardner, of Castine, comes to Belfast and does the rigging on our vessels....A gentleman says one of the three things he would do if he were Mayor would be to prohibit baiting horses on the streets and in Post Office square....Mr. Brown has put our streets in good condition, but work began too late to get the best results....Mr. I. W. Parker, of this city, intended to have put in a bid for building the state house extension, but was not notified in season. Foster & Son, of Waterville, the successful bidders, built the post office extension in this city....The Chinese laundrymen, in this city, are much annoyed by young fellows....Mathews Bros., of this city, have put into their sheds 300 tons of Cumberland coal for their furnace....Large, fresh mackerel were in the market last week, but twenty-five cents each were asked for them....It is the intention to have a hop at the Crosby Inn every Saturday evening. ....Mr. H. W. Marriner, with assistance, on Monday took down the weather vane from the spire of the Unitarian Church in this city, and will gild it. ...A boy in Northport has killed ten crows and got his dollar from the treasurer. This is the first bounty paid on crows that has come to our knowledge.....Mr. Sherman Swift, one of Belfast's bicyclers, has wheeled 175 miles this spring.... When Mrs. Van Cott was in Belfast last winter, Mr. Tuttle, photographer, made several negatives of her. Last week she sent for 500 pictures which are to be forwarded to the west. Mr. Tuttle has sent her 600 in all....Capt. John W. Ferguson, who has been selling hats at the shop in Masonic Temple recently vacated by Miss Ferguson, has sold out and retired from the business....A company of Indians from Nova Scotia, are encamped just below Little River....Next Saturday will be quite an opening day in Belfast. Crosby Inn, A. A. Howes & Co.'s new store and Carl's Ice Cream Parlor open on that day....Belfast is becoming quite cosmopolitan. We have Italians in the junk business, Chinamen conducting a laundry, and Tuesday an Indian was going about the street with a rustic seat for sale....What more could be desired in the way of weather, with rain at night to replenish the cisterns, water the gardens and sprinkle the streets, and bright sunshiny days when it is a pleasure to be out of doors. ..Dr. Winslow's cutter Orinda is the only yacht that remains hauled up at this port. All the others are in commission....Large quantities of strawberries were received here Tuesday and sold at from 16 to 12 cents per box. A. A. Howes & Co. alone had eleven bushels....The Bangor Commercial wonders why it is that the retail price of salmon is higher here than in Bangor. So do we.

Grove Cemetery has been put in first class condition for Memorial Day. The lots have been trimmed up, flowers strewn about, and with the very forward season, the grounds present a very attractive appearance.

Mrs. Amelia A., wife of Alonzo Dutch, of this city, died Tuesday, aged 49 years. Mrs. Dutch was ill when an abscess appeared on the neck. Death resulted from blood poisoning. Mrs. Dutch leaves a husband, a large family, and a wide circle of friends.

Mr. Theodore Osgood, a well to do farmer of Palermo, and Mrs. Mary E. Baker, formerly of Richmond and now of Minneapolis, Minn., were married Saturday evening by Rev. J. J. Mead at the residence of Mrs. Osgood's sister, Mrs. J. E. Wade. The happy couple leave today for their future home where they will be received by [illegible] bands from Albion and Weeks' Mills and a large assemblage of Mr. Osgood's fellow townsmen. [Augusta Journal, May 25th.

The Railroad Tax. The Governor and Council last week established the valuation of the stock of the railroads operated in the state, for the ensuing year, as a basis for [illegible] the towns where stock is held. The common stock of the Belfast and Moosehead Lake railroad is put down at 50, and the preferred at 80. This is an increase over former values, and the city will receive additional tax. This does not refer to back taxes due, but may be made a basis for such.

Accidents. Mr. Fred Severy, one of the men employed at Sherman & Co.'s mill, on the east side, got his hand caught between two rollers Monday, and two of his fingers were badly crushed....Isaac J. Baker, of this city, was injured Saturday at Monroe. He was driving a peddler's wagon. His horse balked at a dead woodchuck in the road, and in starting him up the horse kicked Baker, causing a compound fracture of the right leg below the knee....George W. Marriner, at work in Gilchrist's ship yard, cut himself in the right leg below the knee, on Tuesday.

Y. M. C. A. A meeting was held at the North Church last Sunday afternoon in furtherance of the organization of Young Men's Christian Association in this city. A committee composed of three members from each of the evangelical churches was appointed to solicit funds. The following is the committee: Baptist, George White, N. E. Keene, C. H. Twombly; Congregationalist, A. C. Sibley, [illegible]; Methodist, W. C. Tuttle, C. A. Hayward, A. G. Ellis. [illegible]

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Liberty. We learn that Harbora Brown has taken the contract to carry the U. S. mail from this village to Belmont for the next four years, at a starvation price. [illegible] ....Miss Ora Walls of North Searsmont has been visiting friends here ...Mrs. Kate Neal of Morrill, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. A. J. Skidmore. Mrs. Neal has been dangerously ill of late, and her many friends in this village (her former home) will be pleased to learn of her recovery.

[illegible] ....Flora Clements has been in Boston to arrange for increasing her clothing business....Amos Hatch is buying wool in town. Twenty five cents is paid for unwashed.

Searsport Locals.

John Sullivan lost a valuable cow last Friday.

Our salmon fishermen all made good hauls this week.

Fred Hersey made a short visit to friends in town this week.

Mrs. J. E. Adams, of Bangor, is in town, the guest of her sister, Mrs. Hopkins.

Charles Ames left for the West this week, where he has employment as an engineer.

Bark Hudson arrived at New York 25th, after a good passage of 105 days from Alleppy.

Capt. O. G. Eaton arrived home by steamer Friday, and will remain at home a voyage.

Capt. W. A. Griffin will take command of bark Nereid now loading at Boston for Rosario.

Mrs. William D. Smart was stricken with paralysis Sunday, and at this writing is very low.

The revival meetings conducted by Messrs. Jones and Allen have been continued this week.

C. H. Monroe has completed his power mill and has a capacity of one thousand pennyweights of solder daily.

Memorial day will be observed here as usual. The order of exercises was published in this column last week.

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Notes from Northport.

Mr. John Small, of Rockland has leased the Laurel House on the South Shore, for the present season, and will open next week.

Mrs. A. H. Bithen, with son and daughter, arrived from Waterville yesterday, and took possession of their cottage at Northport for the season.

Your scribe has a skiff and a lobster pot, and has a fair show among the rocks for clams. But "why should the spirit of mortal be proud?"

Rev. Mr. Palmer, the newly appointed minister for Brown's Corner and Lincolnville, will preach next Sunday at the corner school house in the forenoon, and seats will be free to all the sinners as well as saints of this happy spot.

The facilities for getting here and leaving for all points daily are now quite perfect. Besides the familiar Harriman's express, we now have daily round trips between Bangor and Rockland by the pretty little steamer Rockland. She will call to leave or get passengers at any of the intermediate points.

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SHIP NEWS.

[illegible] ....Sch. Stella M. Kenyon, from Perth Amboy to Boston, coal, 80 cents.

Death of Prospect's Centenarian.

Mrs. Margaret Killman, of Prospect, died on Thursday last, aged 100 years and nearly two months. Mrs. Killman has enjoyed good health until recently and retained all her powers until the last. She was born in Hampden April 2, 1789, and on the second day of April last celebrated her centennial birthday, when she was surrounded by many friends and descendants. On her marriage in 1810 she moved to Prospect where she has since resided. During her long life she was never beyond the limits of Waldo county. She preferred the quiet of domestic life and never left her home. It is said of her that she never saw a train of cars or a steamboat. Mrs. Killman was a daughter of John Heagan and a sister of Gen. S. S. Heagan, who died a few years ago. She married Daniel Killman, who died twenty years ago. Mrs. Killman was the mother of six sons and four daughters. She had a daughter seventy eight years old, and a great great granddaughter twenty years old. Six of her children are now living. Three of her sons have commanded ships, and the others have been prosperous farmers. Mrs. Killman distinctly remembered the firing of guns at the death of Washington and was thoroughly conversant with the progress of the war of 1812. Within two years she walked more than a mile to her son's, and in the year previous to her death spun [illegible] skeins of yarn, of which she delighted to tell. Mrs. Killman was a devout Methodist.

Boston Produce Market.

Boston May 28, 1889. There was a moderate inquiry for butter yesterday, but buyers refused to respond to any advance; sales of best Western creamery at 18 to 19 cents and second grade at 15 to 17 cents. Northern extra was not offered under 20 cents, but very few sales.

Cheese ruled quiet at 8½ to 9 cents per pound for best new. Sales in Canton at 7½ to 8¼ cents.

Eggs were a shade firmer and 14 cents was asked for best Western and Provincial. Sales at 13½ to 14 cents. Eastern held at 15 cents.

Beans firmer, with sales of large pea and medium at $1.75 to $1.85 per bushel.

Potatoes easy. No change in other articles.

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Belfast, May 30, 1889.—1w22

City of Belfast.

UPON the application of the EASTON ELECTRIC COMPANY, of New York, for a permit to erect poles and stretch wires upon and along certain streets and highways in said city, the poles to be located as specified in said application, notice is hereby given that a hearing will be had at the Aldermen's room, on **Thursday, June 13, 1889, at 7 o'clock P. M.**

Dated at Belfast, this 28th day of May, 1889.

L. F. McDONALD, Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Belfast.
GEO. W. BURKETT,
GEO. G. PIERCE,
F. E. CROWLEY,
C. G. HAVENER,
G. T. OSBORN,

INSTRUCTION IN FRENCH.

MR. PIERROT, Professor of the Berlitz School of Languages, is intending to form classes in French during the summer, in Belfast, Searsport and Waterville. For particulars, please to apply to MR. PIERROT, Berlitz School, P. O. Box 79, Belfast, Me. 2w22

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THIS Company's system of unequalled Electric Arc Lighting and Power, will soon be in operation in the City of Belfast. Consumers of light and power will promote their interests by communicating with **F. A. GREER, 31 Main St.**, before making arrangements elsewhere. The Edison system of incandescent lighting will be furnished. 22

TO LET!

STORE IN MASONIC TEMPLE on Main street, recently occupied by Miss Ferguson. Apply to HIRAM CHASE, 25 Main Street.

Belfast, May 29, 1889.—22tf

FRUIT AND BERRIES

Arriving every boat in large quantities.

Howes & Co

--OPENING !--

NEW STORE ! NEW GOODS!

To the Men, Women & Children OF WALDO COUNTY, GREETING.

—ON—

SATURDAY, JUNE 1,

We shall open our New Store in

Odd Fellows' Block

FOR BUSINESS.

To our patrons, one and all, we wish to return thanks for the very liberal patronage they have given us for a long term of years, and we trust with our increased facilities,

GOOD GOODS & LOW PRICES,

and strict attention given to all, that you will still continue your patronage.

With additional room we shall be able to keep a LARGER STOCK and MORE VARIETY of GOODS than ever before.

A. A. HOWES & CO.

Belfast, May 30, 1889.—22

Dana's Sarsaparilla

Absolutely Cures Disease.

PROOF.

Physicians Gave Me Up to Die!

MRS. BETSEY VERRILL, widow of the late JAMES M. VERRILL, lives on Commercial street, Winterport. Learning through Mr. F. C. Atwood, of her wonderful restoration, our representative knocked at her cottage door. Mrs. Verrill appeared in person, and upon hearing our mission, politely and cordially invited us to enter. With her face beaming with gratitude, she said: "I am now 61 years old. Have been troubled for some time with Ulcerations in the Throat of a *cancerous nature*, at last becoming so severe as to entirely remove one of my tonsils, and for seven months had to drink gruel, and that with great difficulty.

Two prominent Physicians gave me up to *die* and refused to doctor me. Hearing of the wonderful cure of Mattie Whitcomb, with whom I was acquainted, I resolved to try DANA'S SARSAPARILLA as a *last resort*. To my great surprise it helped me at once. Before I had finished taking one bottle, I was able to visit the neighbors, who were surprised enough to see the *wonderful change*. I am now taking the third bottle, my appetite and strength have increased wonderfully and *my throat* is nearly healed, as I am able to eat food as well as others. The work DANA'S SARSAPARILLA has done for me is simply marvellous."

Mr. John Carle

Takes pleasure in announcing that he has fitted up a

First-Class Ice Cream Parlor!

in the room over his store, where

CREAMS, SHERBET & CAKE

will be served during the day. Ladies will find the Parlor centrally located and quiet. Children will be cordially welcomed and attentively served. Families supplied with CREAMS by the quantity. The Parlor is handsomely fitted up and will be under the personal charge of MRS. CARLE, and special attention will be paid to the table service. The opening will take place on

Saturday Afternoon & Evening, June 1st.

All are cordially invited.

No. 21 Main Street, Belfast.

SAMPLES BY MAIL.

Dry & Fancy Goods.

Strictly One Price.

Write to us, stating the articles you wish to buy, and we will send you Samples by mail Free, with width of goods and prices per yard marked on each. Printed Circular of information sent with samples. 3m13

Eastman Bros. & Bancroft,

Portland, Me.

AUCTION !

Valuable Farm and Farm Stock, &c., by Auction.

Will be sold by auction at the residence of Mrs. M. A. CATES, NORTH MONROE,

THURSDAY, JUNE 6, 1889,

At 10 o'clock A. M.

Farm consisting of 125 acres; cuts about 25 tons hay, first rate pasture, well wooded; orchard of 125 trees; house 1 story, 2 barns, plenty of water in house and barns, 2 horses, 3 cows, 17 sheep and lambs, 2 shoats, 40 hens, 2 wagons, 1 new mowing machine, 1 horse rake, 1 spring tooth harrow, 1 side hill plow, 2 harnesses, new, 1 two-horse sled, 1 jumper, portion of furniture in house, and many other articles.

TERMS AT SALE. 1w22

W. B. CATES.

C. C. CRARY, Auctioneer.

Cigars & Tobacco!

We shall open with our new store the

Largest and Best Selected Stock

—ever in Belfast.—

A 10c. Cigar for 5c.

Howes & Co.

The Hampton Tea Co.

AGENCY WILL PAY

Cash Premiums on all Clubs filled from this date for 90 days.

BRING IN YOUR CLUBS SOON.

R. KITTRIDGE, Chief Manager,
Corner Main & High Sts., Belfast. 17tf

FLOUR.

Good Luck & Wide Awake

AND OTHER BRANDS DIRECT FROM THE MILLS.

Howes & Co.

Blacksmith Shop

FOR SALE OR RENT.

THE blacksmith shop, lower Main street, in Belfast, formerly occupied by the late SAMUEL A. BLODGET, is for sale or rent. The location is unsurpassed for business. Call on

W. H. QUIMBY,
At Belfast Savings Bank.

Belfast, May 6, 1889.—19

50 Dollars Reward

WILL be paid for evidence sufficient to convict the thief, or thieves, who broke into my cottage last winter or this spring, and stole a quantity of crockery, curtains, lamps, &c., &c.

R. CHENERY.

Belfast, May 28, 1889.—1w22

Caution Notice.

WHEREAS, my wife, ELIZA E. AMES, having left my bed and board without justifiable cause, this is to warn all persons against trusting her on my account, as I shall pay no bills of her contracting after this date.

CHARLES H. AMES.

Searsport, May 27, 1889.—3w22*

Come One! Come All!!

—TO THE—

BELFAST TEA STORE

AND SEE THE MANY

Elegant and Useful Articles

—WE GIVE WITH—

1 POUND OF TEA

—OR—

4 POUNDS OF COFFEE.

Our Teas are from 50c. to $1.25 per lb.

Our Coffees are roasted twice a week, and are the finest

Mocha, Java & Golden Rio

That can be bought.

We Make a Specialty of

TEA CLUB ORDERS.

Send for Catalogue and Price List.

All our goods warranted just as represented or money refunded.

Remember the Place,

Belfast Tea Store,

81 Main St., Belfast, Me.

Store formerly occupied by Geo. W. Burkett.

May 29, 1889.—1y22

The Best Trades

AND

LOWEST PRICES!

—IN—

MENS & BOYS' SUITS,

HATS, CAPS,

Furnishing Goods

CAN NOW BE FOUND AT

E. P. FROST & CO.'S,

73 Main St.

Please call and see the bargains we offer, many suits being sold at less than it costs to manufacture them.

Belfast, May 16, 1889.—6w20

If you want Good, Stylish, Well Made

CLOTHING,

Hats, Caps and Furnishing Goods,

—CALL ON—

Sidney Kalish,

18 Main Street.

Our prices are lower for reliable goods than those of other dealers for cheap goods. We do not sell cotton and wool, or jute and wool, for all wool.

Belfast, May 16, 1889.—4w20

A BARGAIN!

Willow, Rattan & Japanese

OFFICE & WASTE BASKETS.

Now is the time to provide yourself with a nice Basket at a ridiculously low price.

ALL SORTS AND SIZES!

Wm. O. Poor & Son.

Canned Goods!

Burnett's Cooking Extracts,

SPICES, NUTS,

Raisins, Sardines, Fancy Crackers,

&c., &c., &c.

Howes & Co.

KINDLING !

SMALL CHIPS and SHAVINGS for kindling purposes. Delivered to any part of the city for **TEN CENTS PER BARREL.** Leave orders at No. 20 High street, or at J. Y. Cottrell's ship yard.

I. M. COTTRELL.

Belfast, May 22, 1889.—3w21

W. O. & C. BARNEY,

Iron Founders,

Machinists & General Repair Shop

Special attention given to repairs on mowing machines. All parts furnished. Constantly on hand the celebrated **Umbrella Holder**, for which agents are wanted.

Searsport, May 23, 1889.—1121

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED PROPOSALS will be received by the Trustees of the Eastern State Normal School until 12 M., on the first day of June, 1889, for building a brick addition to the Normal School building at Castine, Me. Plans and specifications may be seen at the office of L. G. Philbrook, Castine, Me., and at the office of W. E. Mansur, Architect, Wheelwright & Clark's Block, Bangor, Me. The Trustees reserve the right to reject any or all bids.

L. G. PHILBROOK, Trustee E. S. N. S.

Castine, May 20, 1889.—2w21

Miss Ella M. Trundy

Will be at her home in Searsport after the first of July, where she will be pleased to receive pupils for

VOCAL & PIANO INSTRUCTION.

May 23, 1889.—5w21

Odd Fellows' Building Association.

THE ANNUAL STOCKHOLDERS MEETING of the above association will be held at Odd Fellows' Hall, new block, in Belfast, **Monday, June 3, 1889, at 7 o'clock P. M.**, for choice of officers and the transaction of such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

CHARLES BAKER, President.

Belfast, May 16, 1889.—2w21

Fresh Flower Seeds!

NEW and CHOICE VARIETIES not in general cultivation.

SWEET PEAS by the Ounce!

NEW COLORS.

Wm. O. Poor & Son.

Pork, Lard & Hams

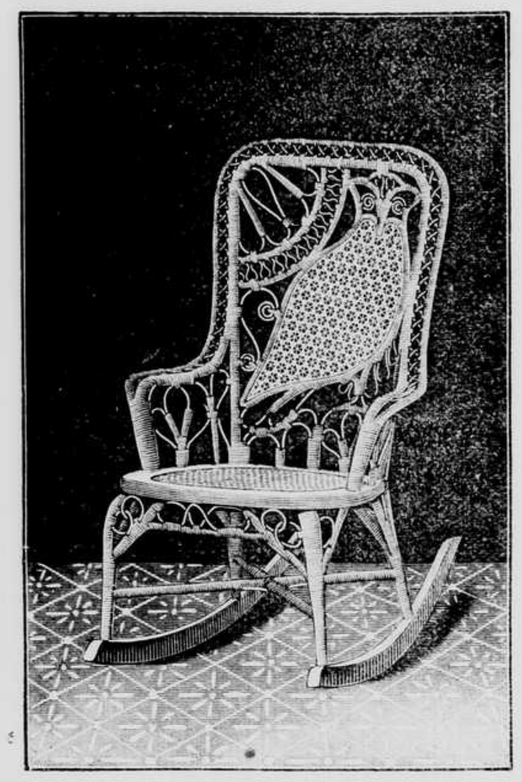
—BY—

Howes & Co.

R. H. COOMBS & SON

Always on the Watch for Bargains!

And Give Our Customers the Benefit of Them!



These chairs can not be duplicated for the money. Come early before they are all gone. We have only got one dozen of them left.

It would be impossible to enumerate the MANY BARGAINS that we have for our customers.

We Have all the LATEST NOVELTIES in

PARLOR, CHAMBER & DINING ROOM FURNITURE!

Our Stock is the Largest!
Our Goods are the Best!
Our Prices are the Lowest!

CALL and SEE for YOURSELVES we are always READY and PLEASED to show our goods.

Our New Line of **REFRIGERATORS** Cannot be Beat.

Mantel and Cabinet Beds, the best in the market. Writing Desks, Book Cases, Curtain Poles and Brass Rods, Upholstery Goods and Plushes in all Colors, Boys Velocipedes and Carts, and a fine assortment of BABY CARRIAGES!

that we will sell at prices *THAT CANNOT BE EQUALED.* If you are in want of ANYTHING in the FURNITURE LINE, remember we will give you the BEST TRADE EVERY TIME. Bear it in mind and TELL YOUR FRIENDS that THIS IS THE PLACE where you will get the BEST GOODS and LOWEST PRICES. Call and EXAMINE our stock and be CONVINCED that we MEAN just what WE ADVERTISE.

—UNDERTAKING—

IN ALL ITS BRANCHES MADE A SPECIALTY.

Caskets, Robes and Burial Goods *of Every Description.*

BEST QUALITY AND LOWEST PRICES. 2022

R. H. COOMBS & SON, 70 Main St.

Now is the Time to Buy

—A PAIR OF—

Ladies' **FRENCH** Kid Boots

—CHEAP!—

Remember they are first quality goods and warranted in every respect.

LADIES' French Kid Button Boots, common Sense Toe and Heel. $2.50
LADIES' French Kid Button Boots, Opera Toe and Heel. $2.50
LADIES' French Kid Front Lace Boots, Common Sense Toe and Heel. $2.50
LADIES' French Kid Front Lace Boots, Opera Toe and Heel. $2.50

—A FULL LINE OF—

Russet Boots,

BOYS' and YOUTHS'

Russet Bals $1.65 to $1.85.

LADIES, MISSES and CHILDREN'S

--Russet Button Boots,--

75c., 85c., $1.00, $1.25, $1.65, $2.00.

BOYS' TENNIS BALS.

(First Quality) Leather trimmed, 75c., worth $1.00.

BOYS' & YOUTHS' PATENT LEATHER

Dancing Pumps!

Ladies' Patent Leather Oxfords,
Misses "Tourist" Button Boots,
Ladies' "Volunteer" Button Boots,
Men's Russet Grain & Kip Brogans

$1.00 to $1.40.

WE ARE SOLE AGENTS FOR THE

BEST CORN CURE IN THE WORLD!

F. H. Francis & Co.,

Main St., BELFAST.

40 YEARS

—OF—

Constant Business!

May 1, 1889,

Is just forty years since we began the furniture business in one room and an attic near where the post office now stands. To-day we find ourselves in a

Large Iron Front Store,

—WITH OVER—

8,000 Feet Floor Room

—ON—

MAIN STREET,

Filled from basement to third floor with as

Good & Well Selected Stock

—AT AS—

Low Prices!

as any furniture store in the State of Maine, —or anywhere else.—

To enumerate prices would take too long, but COME ONE, COME ALL, and see for yourselves. Remember that we are not to be undersold by any house in New England, as —our goods have all been bought for—

SPOT CASH!

and if low prices will fetch you we are sure —to get the trade.—

J. C. Thompson & Son.

Belfast, May 1, 1889.—3m18

Our Medicine Dept.

Is all newly fitted up, and new goods, and is in charge of a thoroughly competent and careful man, and our prices will be LOWER THAN EVER. The LARGEST STOCK and BEST —VARIETY of—

Patent Medicines

IN THE COUNTY.

A. A. Howes & Co.

Those French Perfumes!

PLEASE THE LADIES.

New Odors Fresh from the Manufacturers.

Wm. O. POOR & SON.

REMOVAL!

Mrs. M. A. Snow,

DRESS and CLOAK MAKER, has removed to **No. 18 Main Street**, over Bean's hat store, where she will be pleased to receive her old customers and any others needing her services.

Belfast, March 7, 1889.—3m10

Dwight P. Palmer,

MASONIC TEMPLE,

Belfast, - - Maine.

HATS! HATS!!

An Elegant Line of

Stiff and Soft Hats!

Just received from New York.

Men's Furnishing Goods!

FINE NECKWEAR!

WHITE and FANCY SHIRTS!

The CHOICEST *line of*

FANCY SHIRTS

—IN THE CITY!—

Kid Gloves

IN ALL THE LATEST STYLES!

HOSIERY!

In Endless Variety and all Prices.

Fast Black Hose for 25c.

A COMPLETE LINE OF

SPRING & SUMMER UNDERWEAR!

JERSEY SHIRTS!

Wagons, Carts & Wheelbarows

FOR THE BOYS.

Don't forget that I have the largest and finest assortment of

Hats for Men, Boys & Children

—IN BELFAST!—

Dwight P. Palmer.

Belfast, March 28, 1889.—1yr13

Teas & Coffees!

We shall continue to give you the best goods in the market and at the lowest prices.

HOWES & CO.

MAY 15, 1889.

Latest Summer

MILLINERY!

I have this week returned from Boston with the LARGEST STOCK OF MILLINERY ever brought to Belfast.

Everything New in

Bonnets, Flowers, Ribbons

—AND—

LACES!

Those in want of Millinery will find it to their advantage to examine our stock, for with the largest stock of goods and one of BEST MILLINERS in the city, we will warrant satisfaction to all.

Mrs. B. F. Wells.

Belfast, May 16, 1889.

NEW SPRING STOCK

—OF—

Drugs & Medicines!

carefully selected and the best quality we —can find.—

We have made a SPECIAL EFFORT this Spring to secure STRICTLY PURE DRUGS and PREPARATIONS and guarantee them to be first-class in every respect.

Have made many changes which Physicians will find to be much to their advantage.

Prices Reduced on Everything!

Wm. O. Poor & Son.

Shingles for Sale.

We will sell Shingles at $1.00 per M., and St. John No. 1 Shingles for $1.50 per M.

HALL & COOPER.

Belfast, May 23, 1889.—4w21*

We have the BEST

MIXED PAINTS

—In the market for inside or outside work.—

A. A. HOWES & CO.

LOOK!! ---- LOOK!!

See the Bargains now Offered

—BY—

H. A. Starrett

—IN—

UNDERWEAR, HOSIERY, GLOVES, MITTS.

—And in short every thing needed for a—

LADY'S SUMMER OUTFIT!

—EITHER AT HOME OR ABROAD.—

Dress Goods of Every Description,

Are now on sale here. Come and see them before purchasing. Remember we have the

---LATEST AND PRETTIEST STYLES!---

COME, ONE AND ALL,

And get what you like before it is all sold.

Don't forget the Place,

H. A. STARRETT,

Main St., - - Opposite National Bank.

NEW STORE! NEW GOODS!

—AND—

NEW PRICES!!

On account of my large and increasing trade I have adopted

THE STRICTLY ONE PRICE BUSINESS!

—And all my goods are now marked in—

Plain Figures & Low Prices to All.

I Show the Largest and Nicest Stock

—OF—

CLOTHING,

For Children, Boys, Youths & Men's Wear,

—ALSO—

HATS, CAPS AND FURNISHING GOODS!

In the City at the Lowest Prices.

—All marked in Plain Figures and strictly one price.—

A BAT & BALL

Given Free of Charge with every Boy's Suit Sold.

Please call and examine goods and prices.

Thankful for the liberal patronage extended to me in the past, and hoping for a continuance of the same.

CHILDREN'S & BOY'S CLOTHING

A SPECIALTY.

MARK ANDREWS,

83 Main Street,

BELFAST, - - - - - MAINE.

BURKETT'S

PRICE LIST

FOR THIS WEEK.

2,000 Yds. 30 in. Foulard Dress Cambrics, 6½c. Per Yard.
1,000 Yds. Tricots in all Colors, only 29c.
60 Doz. Gent's Shaw Knit Hose, 20c.
60 Doz. Ladies' Jersey Undervests, 4 for 50c.
100 Doz. Ladies' Fancy Hose, 25c.
500 Corset Covers, only 12½ c.
100 White Aprons, 15 and 25c.
15 Pc. Turkey Red Tabling, Fast Colors, 25c.
One Case 12-4 MARSEILLES QUILTS, $1 Ea.

We have the Largest & Richest Assortment of

DRESS GOODS!

At **Bargain Prices,** ever brought into this city.

LADIES' JACKETS,

JERSEYS & BEADED WRAPS

—IN STOCK.—

CARPETINGS & CURTAINS

At Bonanza Prices.

GEO. W. BURKETT,

ODD FELLOWS' BLOCK,

Belfast, - Maine.

Now Boys, Form Your Nines!

A COMPLETE BASE BALL OUTFIT

GIVEN WITH EVERY

Boy's Suit of $2.50 & Over

—AT—

Waterman's Waldo One-Price Clothing House.

Just Received the Largest and Choicest Line of

Boys' Suits, (Age 4 to 14) with Short Pants,

And 12 to 19, *ever shown in this city. Parents bring in your Boys, we can please both.*

Our Styles and Prices are Correct.

OUR STOCK OF

YOUNG MEN'S SUITS & SPRING OVERCOATS,

Comprises all the Novelties in the market in

Mixtures, High Colors, Wide Diagonals & Plain Worsteds.

We guarantee entire satisfaction. The fit of our Clothing is perfect and our prices marked in plain figures on every garment the VERY LOWEST, AT

WATERMAN'S Waldo One-Price Clothing House,

77 Main Street, Belfast.

"Special Prices!"

If you want an implement of any kind, get my prices before buying.

HARROWS, PLOW SULKIES, RAKES and MOWERS very Cheap.

FRED ATWOOD, Winterport, Me.

May 9, 1889.—10w19p

Notice of Appointment of Assignee.

At Belfast, in the County of Waldo and State of Maine, the 15th day of May, A. D. 1889.

THE undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment of Assignee of WILLIS N. FOY, of Liberty, in said County of Waldo, Insolvent Debtor, who has been declared an Insolvent upon his petition by the Court of Insolvency for the County of Waldo. 2w21

FRANKLIN A. GREER, Assignee.

Cottages to Let

AT NORTHPORT.

PLEASANTLY located on South Shore; each includes shore privileges and an unobstructed sea view. They are a few rods from Boston steamers' wharf, and on road leading to Belfast railroad station. For rent, furnished, by the week, month, or season. Apply to A. P. MANSFIELD, Masonic Temple, Belfast, Me. 21tf3p

Eggs for Hatching!

Pekin Ducks (Rankin Strain)..........50c. for 13
Light Brahma (Duke of York Strain)....50c. for 13

Hot Water Incubators!

100 Egg size..............$15.00
200 " "..............25.00

15 COTTRELL BROS.,
P. O. Box 227, Belfast, Maine.

McKeen & Perkins

WILL DELIVER ICE to customers, for the season, beginning June 1st, for the following prices.

Per 100 weight.............$ .25
Refrigerators in private families per month.............1.50
Pail prices daily, per month.............1.25
Extra for ice cream pieces.

Orders left at Alexander & Burgess', O. G. White's and M. R. Knowlton's, will be promptly attended to. 21tf

NOTICE.

For Cemetery Work

—CALL ON—

Mark Wood & Son,

Manufacturers of and Dealers in

Marble & White Bronze Monuments,

TABLETS, HEADSTONES, &c.

A large line to select from and prices LOW as the LOWEST.

Marble Shelves, Vases, and Bouquet Holders

ALWAYS ON HAND.

Mark Wood & Son,

No. 28 High St., opp. C. N. Black's Stove Store

Belfast, April 11, 1889.—15

State of Maine.

WALDO ss. Taken on execution and will be sold by public auction to the highest bidder, at the office of Thompson & Dunton, in Belfast, in said County of Waldo, on the **29th day of June, A. D. 1889, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon**, the following described real estate, and all the right, title and interest, which ABNER K. GRAY, of Prospect, in said County of Waldo, had in and to the same on the 30th day of March, A. D. 1889, when the same was attached on the original writ, to wit: A certain lot of land, situate in said Prospect and bounded and described as follows, to wit: Beginning at the southwest corner of the Daniel H. Harriman homestead, now owned by said Gray; thence east, by said lot and the highway to land of William and Lois Cummings; thence southerly, by last named land to land of Thomas Cumming's homestead lot; thence west, by last named land to east bank of Marsh Creek; thence northerly, by said Creek to place of beginning, containing fifteen acres, more or less.

Belfast, May 25, 1889.—3w22

ANSEL WADSWORTH, Sheriff.

MISSES

TRIMMED SCHOOL HATS

Only 20 Cents!

At B. F. WELLS'.

Belfast, April 18, 1889.—16

NOT A PIMPLE ON HIM NOW.

Bad with Eczema. Hair all gone. Scalp covered with eruptions. Thought his hair would never grow. Cured by Cuticura Remedies. Hair splendid and not a pimple on him.

I cannot say enough in praise of the CUTICURA REMEDIES. My boy, when one year of age, was so bad with eczema that he lost all of his hair. His scalp was covered with eruptions, which the doctors said was scall head, and that his hair would never grow again. Despairing of a cure from physicians, I began the use of the CUTICURA REMEDIES, and I am happy to say, with the most perfect success. His hair is now splendid, and there is not a pimple on him. I recommend the CUTICURA REMEDIES to mothers as the most speedy, economical, and sure cure for all skin diseases of infants and children, and feel that every mother who has an afflicted child will thank me for so doing. MRS. M. E. WOODSUM, Norway, Me.

A Fever Sore Eight Years Cured.

I must extend to you the thanks of one of my customers, who has been cured by using the CUTICURA REMEDIES, of an old sore, caused by a long spell of sickness or fever eight years ago. He was so bad he was fearful he would have to have his leg amputated, but is happy to say he is now entirely well,—sound as a dollar. He requests me to use his name, which is H. H. CASON, merchant of this place. JOHN V. MINOR, Druggist, Gainsboro, Tenn.

Severe Scalp Disease Cured.

A few weeks ago my wife suffered very much from a cutaneous disease of the scalp, and received no relief from the various remedies she used until she tried CUTICURA. The disease promptly yielded to this treatment, and in a short while she was entirely well. There has been no return of the disease, and CUTICURA ranks No. 1 in our estimation for diseases of the skin.

REV. J. PRESSLEY BARRETT, D. D., Raleigh, N. C.

Cuticura Remedies

Are a positive cure for every form of skin, scalp, and blood disease, with loss of hair, from pimples to scrofula, except possibly ichthyosis.

Sold everywhere. Price, CUTICURA, 50c.; SOAP, 25c.; RESOLVENT, $1. Prepared by the POTTER DRUG AND CHEMICAL CORPORATION, Boston.

Send for "How to Cure Skin Diseases," 64 pages, 50 illustrations, and 100 testimonials.

BABY'S Skin and Scalp preserved and beautified by CUTICURA SOAP. Absolutely pure.

EVERY MUSCLE ACHES.

Sharp Aches, Dull Pains, Strains, and Weaknesses **relieved in one minute** by the **Cuticura Anti-Pain Plaster.** The first and only instantaneous pain-killing, strengthening plaster. 25 cents.

MANY A LIFE

HAS been saved by the prompt use of Ayer's Pills. Travelers by land or sea are liable to constipation or other derangements of the stomach and bowels which, if neglected, lead to serious and often fatal consequences. The most sure means of correcting these evils is the use of **Ayer's Cathartic Pills.** The prudent sailing-master would as soon go to sea without his chronometer as without a supply of these Pills. Though prompt and energetic in operation, Ayer's Pills leave no ill effects; they are purely vegetable and sugar-coated; the safest medicine for old and young, at home or abroad.

"For eight years I was afflicted with constipation, which at last became so bad that the doctors could do no more for me. Then I began to take Ayer's Pills, and soon the bowels recovered their natural and regular action, so that now I am in

Excellent

health."—Mrs. C. E. Clark, Tewksbury, Massachusetts.

"I regard Ayer's Pills as one of the most reliable general remedies of our times. They have been in use in my family for affections requiring a purgative, and have given unvarying satisfaction. We have found them an excellent remedy for colds and light fevers."—W. R. Woodson, Fort Worth, Texas.

"For several years I have relied more upon Ayer's Pills than upon anything else in the medicine chest, to regulate my bowels and those of the ship's crew. These Pills are not severe in their action, but do their work thoroughly. I have used them with good effect for the cure of rheumatism, kidney troubles, and dyspepsia."—Capt. Mueller, Steamship Felicia, New York City.

"I have found Ayer's Cathartic Pills to be a better family medicine for common use than any other pills within my knowledge. They are not only very effective, but safe and pleasant to take —qualities which must make them valued by the public."—Jules Hauel, Perfumer, Philadelphia, Pa.

Ayer's Pills,

PREPARED BY

Dr. J. C. Ayer & Co., Lowell, Mass.

Sold by all Dealers in Medicines.

ARE

you a sufferer from that tired feeling so common at this season of the year. When, after the tension of a long winter the whole system needs purifying and invigorating? **ANTI-APOPLECTINE** is the greatest Blood Purifier, System Invigorator and General Tonic known. Examine this list of symptoms which indicate its use: Dizziness, Pressure in Head, Spots Before Eyes, Pain Around or Palpitation of the Heart, Pain Around Heart with Feeling of Suffocation, Ringing Sounds in Ears, Numbness or Prickly Sensations of Limbs, Pain Between Shoulders, in Side, in Small of Back and Hip, High Colored Urine with Smarting Sensation on Voiding Urine.

YOU

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MAY 30TH.

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To render the homage so true;
We, in our manhood and pride,
You, neath the sod and the dew.

From your windowless places of rest,
No welcoming voices we hear,
No pressure from hands that we've pressed,
No accents of courage and cheer.

The lilies and roses, to-day
Bloom over your motionless forms,
That sleep the long hours away
Unmindful of sunshine and storms.

Do you stir when the drum's muffled beat
Falls soft on the sweet summer air?
Do you hear the slow tread of our feet
When we bring you the garlands so fair?

Does the volley of rattling shot
Ever wake you with tremor or thrill,
Or the sight of the flag which you bought
Give a bound to the hearts cold and still?

Are you still keeping step as we join
In the old way, soldierly, slow,
With your forms close up to the line
And your faces turned straight to the foe.

Though we come every year with the flowers
To place on your silent green tent,
Though the birds sing sweet through the hours
Still you slumber in blissful content.

We are journeying through the dark arch
To the path which your footsteps have trod,
Yet we pause in our swift hurried march
To lay the sweet flowers on the sod.

We are standing once more at your side
Where you sleep in the bosom of rest,
We, in our manhood and pride,
You, in the arms of the Blest.

HELEN N. PACKARD.

What Wins.

The world has full many a hero
Go read what those heroes have done,
And you'll find that though oft they were baffled,
They kept up their courage, and won.
They never lost courage in failure,
Giving up, as the weak-hearted will,
But said, "We will try and keep trying,
And conquer all obstacles still."

And this they have done, the world over,
Their tasks were accomplished at last
By often-repeated endeavor.
The young oak may bend to the blast,

But it springs to its place when it passes,
And grows to new strength every day,
And in time it stands firm in the tempest
Whose wrath whirls the tall pine away.

Defeat makes a man more persistent
If the right kind of courage is his;
He determines to conquer, and does it,
And this is what heroism is.
Strive on with a patient endeavor.
The steadfast of purpose will win.
Defeat comes to-day, but to-morrow
May usher the grand triumph in.

[Eben E. Rexford, in May Wide Awake.

In the Public School Kitchen.

You will be surprised to find under how many fanciful names the homely stew masquerades. We all know the plain Irish stew with its vegetables and dumplings cooked with the meat; I dare say many of you have often wondered, as I used to do when a little girl, while puzzling over the queer names in the cookery books, what a ragout might be. Well, it is nothing more or less than our friend, the stew, highly flavored with wine. A salmi is a stew of game, usually made from the left-over pieces of a game dinner; this is also quite highly flavored, oftenest with currant jelly. A haricot is a stew with the meat and vegetables cut fine. Of course you all know that a chowder is a stew of fish, clams or oysters; and that a fricassee is a stew in which the meat is browned in fat, either before or after cooking in the hot water, and is served without vegetables. A pot-pie is a stew in which the dough is put on as a crust, covering the whole top of the kettle in which it is cooked instead of being used in balls as dumplings.

Now for one simple stew, one called in the Liverpool School, an "Exeter Stew." Use for every half pound of beef, half of an onion, one quarter each of turnip and carrot, two potatoes, salt and pepper to taste, a little flour, and water enough to cover. Wipe the meat, cut it into small pieces, removing any bits of crumbly bone that may adhere to it. Put the larger bones into a kettle and cover with cold water, melt the fat of the meat, brown the sliced onion in it and skim them out as soon as they are a fine yellow brown; dredge the bits of meat with flour, sprinkle them with salt and pepper and brown them in the onion-seasoned fat. Put them and the onions into the kettle in which the bone is boiling and add enough boiling water to cover. Simmer from two to three hours, or until the meat is tender; half an hour before serving add the other vegetables, which should have been cut in small dice; twenty minutes before serving add the potatoes, which have been washed and pared and cut into quarters, and parboiled five minutes. You should take out the fat and bone before adding the vegetables. When ready to serve, skim out the meat and potatoes upon a hot platter, thicken the gravy if you think it necessary, add seasoning, then pour it over the meat. Half a cup of stewed tomato, that has been strained, is an excellent addition. If you make this stew successfully you will no doubt eat it with as keen a relish as did the girls in School Kitchen No. 1 on the memorable day when they and I learned how to make an "Exeter Stew." [Sallie Joy White, in June Wide Awake.

Planning for a Deficiency.

The World, in following out the true Democratic doctrine of according niggardly treatment to the veterans of the war, is already raising the cry that the $82,000,000 appropriated for the payment of pensions this year has been exhausted. In one sense this is true. The last of this appropriation has left the hands of the Commissioner in Washington, but is distributed throughout the country in the hands of the various United States pension agents in readiness for the payment of the June accounts. The business of the Pension Office will, therefore, not come to a stand-still.

Aside from this, however, there will be a deficiency, and no one is more thoroughly informed in relation to this deficiency than the ex-Pension Commissioner, General Black. It may even appear in the due course of time that, in spite of the estimates made by those acquainted with the probable demands, amounting to many millions more than the sum asked for by the commissioner, Mr. Black insisted on the low figures, well knowing that the result would be a deficiency, followed by a Democratic tirade against pensioning Union soldiers. Precisely this has happened. Within a few weeks the shout will go up that Commissioner Tanner is disposing of the surplus by distributing it among the soldiers of the country. "With Corporal Tanner in charge," says the absurd World, "there is no telling where it will stop."

What has Corporal Tanner to do with it? Literally nothing. It is merely the working out of the Democratic scheme to charge the Republican administration with extravagance. Who are the sufferers? The poor pension claimants, who will have to wait a year or more for money legally belonging to them, simply because a Democratic Pension Commissioner willfully underestimated the necessary appropriation to meet the demand of the Pension Office. Big business this for a great political party, and a popular one, we should think, with the Union veterans. [New York Press.

A Defense of the Missionary.

The Rev. Dr. T. T. Munger, of New Haven, who is perhaps the best known Congregational preacher in New England, has written in the June Forum a defense of missions against the very common utilitarian argument that the missionary's task is an impossible one. Dr. Munger maintains that the number of converts and churches bears but the slightest relation to the success of a missionary. "He goes to a nation with a Bible in one hand and a catechism in the other—a simple and pathetic figure, but the catechism is forgotten and the Bible has grown into a charter of freedom and true national life." The great power of the missionary lies in the fact that the growth of civilization has not been "through the spread of the arts but of ideas, and the chief agents have been living men with empty hands but believing hearts. At the sources of the civilization of every nation in Europe lie the names of individual men who were universal in a knowledge of the arts of their day, but carried only the seed-wheat of spiritual fact and moral ideas." The task of the missionary to the East is to start those nations again on that career of endless progress which is the prerogative of man, and which differentiates him from the lower creation; and this he thinks can be done by the Christian missionary better than through any other agency. "One missionary will do more to start the living current of civilization than all the delegations, simply because he begins farther back in his teaching and awakens conscience, and the sense of selfhood, and of the dignity of human nature. The life of nations, as of man, is from within outward."

Advices from St. Petersburg state that it has been discovered that the conspiracy among military officers against the Czar, which was recently unearthed in that city, has many and widespread ramifications. Officers of regiments stationed in Moscow and Warsaw have been found to be implicated in the plot, and three of them have committed suicide. Hundreds of the conspirators have been placed under arrest. The discovery of the plot has completely unnerved the Czarina.

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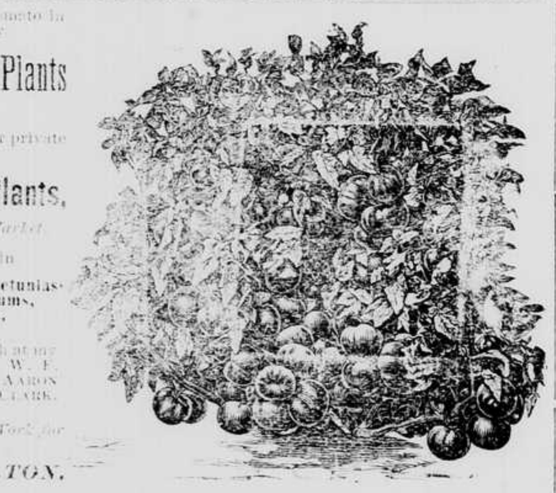

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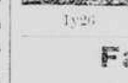

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Belfast, May 11, 1889.—3w20*

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Belfast, April 18, 1889.—16tf

Proposals for Collecting Taxes.

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Belfast, May 14, 1889.—3w20

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Abstract of Criminal Costs,

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County Commissioners' Court,

APRIL TERM.

Originating before Judge Rogers.

State vs. Daniel Brown	$5 95
" Chas. Green	4 95
" John Roach	5 95
" Frank Ward	5 95
" John Mitchell	5 95
" John Williams	4 95
" James Smalley	7 20
" John Carney	4 95
" John Jones	4 95
" James Harvey	4 95
" James Smalley	9 43
" James Smalley	7 43
" Henry Davis	5 43
" Fred Stevens	8 43
" John Murphy	4 95
" Jos. Mitchell	4 95
" Premises of Wm Baker	5 46
" Harvey Morgan	4 95
" ---- O'brien	4 95
" James McLain	5 95
" Geo. Patterson	5 95
	$121 72

Originating before Otis Cornforth.

State vs. Henry A. Davis	9 60
" James Madden	9 60
" Wm. Cumming	9 60
" James Tasker	9 36
" James McLaulen	9 60
" James Neuman	9 60
" Geo. Johnson	9 60
" Robert Mitchell	9 60
" Mike Bean	9 21
" James Doran	9 60
" Wm. Anderson	9 60
" Wm. Smith	9 60
" Wm. Hackett	9 60
" John Deer	9 60
" Wm. Grant	9 60
" Geo. Grekan	9 60
" Thomas McCarrin	9 60
" John Wood	8 85
" Thomas Taylor	9 60
" John Cristie	9 60
" Geo. Crosby	9 60
" Chas. White	9 45
" James Lawler	9 45
" William Harrison	9 45
" Frank Smith	9 45
" Edward Cassidy	9 45
" Thomas Kelley	9 45
" John Murphy	9 45
" John Ryan	9 45
" Daniel Webster	9 45
" Frank Warren	9 45
" Chas. Brown	9 45
" John Blanchard	9 45
" John May	9 45
" Richard Clark	9 45
" Frank Stetson	9 45
" Geo. Wallace	9 60
" Geo. Smith	9 60
" James Cumming	9 60
	$359 52

Originating before J. D. Lamson.

State vs. Thomas Hines	8 09
" James Davis	8 09
" W. Brown	8 09
" Thomas Welch	8 09
" John Williams	8 09
" John Leonard	8 09
" John Sullivan	8 09
" Henry Brown	8 09
" Fred Gleason	8 09
" John Burns	8 09
" John Dorson	8 09
" Wm. Jackson	8 09
" James Harrison	8 09
" John Simpson	8 09
" John H. Smith	8 09
" Thomas Burns	7 97
" John Nevens	7 97
" Thomas Clark	7 97
" John Ryan	8 09
" John Carter	8 09
" John Brown	8 09
" Jacob Primrose	8 09
" Wm. Cummings	7 69
	$185 83

Originating before F. A. Greer.

State vs. E. Boyden	6 73
" James Long	6 73
" Joseph Allen	6 73
" Horatio Mason	7 23
" Frank Leeson	7 10
" Wm. Brown	7 25
" Isaac Hanaman	7 97
" James McMahon	6 23
	$55 74

Originating before Samuel A. Myrick.

State vs. Joseph Deloney	15 00
" Wm. Patterson	29 67
" James Kelley	29 67
" John Carroll	29 62
" Oscar Larrabee	29 81
	$102 00

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Abstract of Criminal Costs

—AT—

Supreme Judicial Court,

APRIL TERM.

State vs. Joseph Delorier	86 82
" W. G. Cox	10 32
" John Dorr	10 46
" John Dorr	14 22
" Frank Nash	1 50
" W. G. Cox	13 51
" Everett Hodgdon	3 48
" Everett Hodgdon	3 42
" John Dorr	10 26
" Henry Wyman	28 98
" Henry Wyman	25 92
" John Carroll	21 16
" John Carroll	7 51
" Merrill A. Tenney	21 11
" Fred L. Carter	11 15
" John Dorr	32 61
" Mathias Culnan	28 38
" Wm. Baker	17 20
" Henry Wyman	7 21
" Fred Cousins	7 50
" W. G. Cox	15 09
" W. G. Cox	26 42
	$402 23

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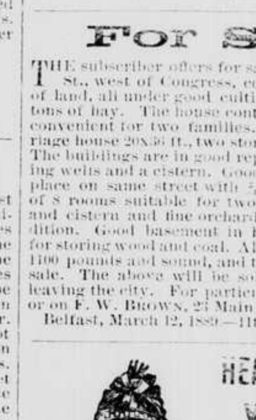

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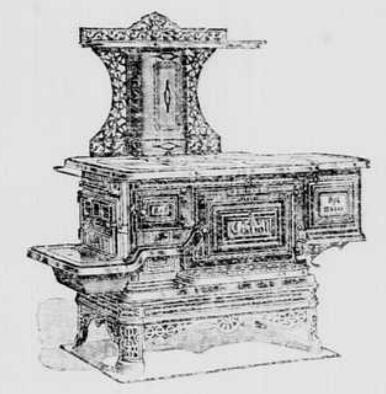

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PROBATE NOTICES.

At a Probate Court held at Belfast, within and for the County of Waldo, on the second Tuesday of May, A. D. 1889.

AN instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of WILLIAM R. TYLER, late of Frankfort, in said County of Waldo, deceased, having been presented for Probate.

Ordered, That notice thereof be given to all persons interested by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in the Republican Journal, printed at Belfast, that they may appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Belfast, within and for said County, on the second Tuesday of June next, at ten of the clock before noon, and show cause, if any they have, why the same should not be proved, approved and allowed.

GEORGE E. JOHNSON, Judge.

A true copy. Attest:—BOHAN P. FIELD, Register.

At a Probate Court held at Belfast, within and for the County of Waldo, on the second Tuesday of May, A. D. 1889.

JOSEPH FIELD and GEORGE M. FIELD, named Executors in a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of PETER CANE, late of Searsport, in said County of Waldo, deceased, having presented said will for Probate.

Ordered, That the said Joseph & George give notice to all persons interested by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in the Republican Journal, printed at Belfast, that they may appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Belfast, within and for said County, on the second Tuesday of June next, at ten of the clock before noon, and show cause, if any they have, why the same should not be proved, approved and allowed.

GEO. E. JOHNSON, Judge.

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At a Probate Court held at Belfast, within and for the County of Waldo, on the second Tuesday of May, A. D. 1889.

JOANNA W. HARDY, named Executrix in a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of ABIJAH W. HARDY, late of Winterport, in said County of Waldo, deceased, having presented said will for Probate.

Ordered, That the said Joanna W. give notice to all persons interested by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in the Republican Journal, printed at Belfast, that they may appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Belfast, within and for said County, on the second Tuesday of June next, at ten of the clock before noon, and show cause, if any they have, why the same should not be proved, approved and allowed.

GEO. E. JOHNSON, Judge.

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At a Probate Court held at Belfast, within and for the County of Waldo, on the second Tuesday of May, A. D. 1889.

MARY A. ROBBINS, Administratrix of the estate of FRANK A. ROBBINS, late of Searsmont, in said County of Waldo, deceased, having presented a petition for license to sell at public or private sale, so much of the real estate of said deceased as will produce the sum of [illegible] dollars.

Ordered, That the said Mary A. give notice to all persons interested by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in the Republican Journal, printed at Belfast, that they may appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Belfast, within and for said County, on the second Tuesday of June next, at ten of the clock before noon, and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

GEO. E. JOHNSON, Judge.

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At a Probate Court held at Belfast, within and for the County of Waldo, on the second Tuesday of May, A. D. 1889.

MARY SHAW, widow of H. D. SHAW, late of Morrill, in said County of Waldo, deceased, having presented a petition that administration of said deceased's estate may be granted to SAMUEL KINGSBURY, of Waldo.

Ordered, That the said Mary give notice to all persons interested by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in the Republican Journal, printed at Belfast, that they may appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Belfast, within and for said County, on the second Tuesday of June next, at ten of the clock before noon, and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

GEO. E. JOHNSON, Judge.

A true copy. Attest:—BOHAN P. FIELD, Register.

WALDO SS.—In Court of Probate, held at Belfast, on the second Tuesday of May, 1889. GRANVILLE MURRAY, Guardian of the estate of LEANDER TOBY, [illegible], having presented his final account of Guardianship of said estate for allowance.

Ordered, That notice thereof be given, three weeks successively, in the Republican Journal, printed in Belfast, in said County, that all persons interested may attend at a Probate Court, to be held at Belfast, on the second Tuesday of June next, and show cause, if any they have, why the said account should not be allowed.

GEO. E. JOHNSON, Judge.

A true copy. Attest:—BOHAN P. FIELD, Register.

WALDO SS.—In Court of Probate, held at Belfast, on the second Tuesday of May, 1889. ETTA CLIFFORD, Administratrix on the estate of HENRY G. CLIFFORD, late of [illegible], in said County, deceased, having presented her final account of administration of said estate for allowance.

Ordered, That notice thereof be given, three weeks successively, in the Republican Journal, printed in Belfast, in said County, that all persons interested may attend at a Probate Court, to be held at Belfast, on the second Tuesday of June next, and show cause, if any they have, why the said account should not be allowed.

GEO. E. JOHNSON, Judge.

A true copy. Attest:—BOHAN P. FIELD, Register.

WALDO SS.—In Court of Probate, held at Belfast, on the second Tuesday of May, 1889. J. C. NICKELS, Administrator with the will annexed on the estate of DAVID NICKELS, late of Searsport, in said County, deceased, having presented his second account of administration of said estate for allowance.

Ordered, That notice thereof be given, three weeks successively, in the Republican Journal, printed in Belfast, in said County, that all persons interested may attend at a Probate Court, to be held at Belfast, on the second Tuesday of June next, and show cause, if any they have, why the said account should not be allowed.

GEO. E. JOHNSON, Judge.

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At a Probate Court held at Belfast, within and for the County of Waldo, on the second Tuesday of May, A. D. 1889.

FRANKLIN A. PRESCOTT, guardian of [illegible] PRESCOTT, [illegible] PRESCOTT, [illegible] PRESCOTT, minors of Northport, in the County of Waldo, having presented a petition for license to sell certain real estate of his said wards, [illegible].

Ordered, That the said guardian give notice to all persons interested by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in the Republican Journal, printed at Belfast, that they may appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Belfast, within and for said County, on the second Tuesday of June next, at ten of the clock before noon, and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

GEO. E. JOHNSON, Judge.

A true copy. Attest:—BOHAN P. FIELD, Register.

At a Probate Court held at Belfast, within and for the County of Waldo, on the second Tuesday of May, A. D. 1889.

JOSIAH D. PERRY, Administrator on the estate of JAMES D. PERRY, late of Searsport, in said County of Waldo, deceased, having presented a petition for license to sell at public or private sale certain real estate of said deceased [illegible].

Ordered, That the said Administrator give notice to all persons interested by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in the Republican Journal, printed at Belfast, that they may appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Belfast, within and for said County, on the second Tuesday of June next, at ten of the clock before noon, and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

GEO. E. JOHNSON, Judge.

A true copy. Attest:—BOHAN P. FIELD, Register.

WALDO SS.—In Court of Probate, held at Belfast, on the second Tuesday of May, 1889. [illegible] WARD MASON, guardian of [illegible], an insane person of [illegible], having presented his [illegible] account of guardianship of said ward for allowance.

Ordered, That notice thereof be given, three weeks successively, in the Republican Journal, printed in Belfast, in said County, that all persons interested may attend at a Probate Court, to be held at Belfast, on the second Tuesday of June next, and show cause, if any they have, why the said account should not be allowed.

GEO. E. JOHNSON, Judge.

A true copy. Attest:—BOHAN P. FIELD, Register.

THE subscriber hereby gives public notice to all concerned, that she has been duly appointed and taken upon herself the trust of Administratrix of the estate of

ELIJAH HACKETT, late of Winterport,

in the County of Waldo, deceased, by giving bond as the law directs; she therefore requests all persons who are indebted to said deceased's estate to make immediate payment, and those who have any demands thereon, to exhibit the same for settlement to her. MARY A. HACKETT.

THE subscriber hereby gives public notice to all concerned, that she has been duly appointed and taken upon herself the trust of Administratrix of the estate of

JEREMIAH JEWETT, late of [illegible],

in the County of Waldo, deceased, by giving bond as the law directs; she therefore requests all persons who are indebted to said deceased's estate to make immediate payment, and those who have any demands thereon, to exhibit the same for settlement to her. MARY JEWETT.

THE subscriber hereby gives public notice to all concerned, that she has been duly appointed and taken upon herself the trust of Administratrix of the estate of

ELBRIDGE FERNALD, late of Winterport,

in the County of Waldo, deceased, by giving bond as the law directs; she therefore requests all persons who are indebted to said deceased's estate to make immediate payment, and those who have any demands thereon, to exhibit the same for settlement to her. NANCY J. FERNALD.

Notice of Foreclosure.

WHEREAS ELIAKIM H. CROCKER, of Stockton, in the County of Waldo, by his mortgage deed, dated the 12th day of March, A. D. 1876, and recorded in the Waldo County Registry of Deeds, book 175, page 167, conveyed to me SARAH P. EUSTIS, a certain parcel of real estate, situated in said Stockton, and bounded as follows:—Beginning at a white birch tree marked, being the north west corner of the Orchard C. Dow home lot; thence south, two degrees east, 29½ rods, to the northwest corner of Benjamin Staple's old lot, so called; thence south 76 degrees east, by said Benj. Staple's old lot, so called, 137 rods to a white birch tree marked; thence north, 11 degrees east, 27½ rods to a pine post marked, to the south line of Richard Crocker's home lot, now or formerly so called; thence north, 76 degrees west, 138 rods to the place begun at. Together with a certain piece of land belonging to and adjoining the above mentioned premises and bounded as follows: Beginning at the northeast corner of what was called in 1876, Edwin S. Blanchard's home lot; thence south, 76 degrees east, 13 rods to an iron bolt in a stone; thence south, 2 degrees west, 14 rods to a cedar stake marked 1856; thence north, 76 degrees west, 31 rods to a cedar stake marked; thence north, 11 degrees east, 13 rods and 6 links, to a white birch tree marked 1874; thence south, 76 degrees east, 13 rods to the first mentioned bounds.

And whereas, the said Sarah P. Eustis, by her deed of assignment, dated May 16, A. D. 1888, recorded in said registry, book 226, page 194, assigned to me the said mortgage and the debt thereby secured, and whereas the condition of said mortgage has been broken, now therefore, by reason of the breach of the condition thereof I claim a foreclosure of said mortgage.

Dated this 20th day of May, A. D. 1889.

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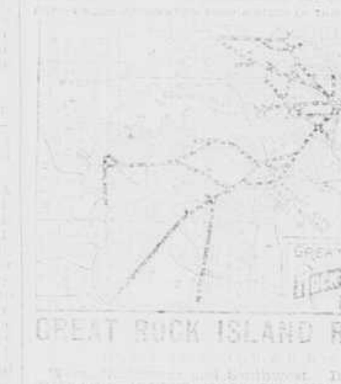

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