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Deluge at Hong Kong.

A TERRIBLE RAIN STORM WITH THUNDER AND LIGHTNING. FIFTEEN LIVES LOST.

One of the most destructive rain storms in the history of Hong Kong occurred May 20 and 30. The total rainfall for 27 hours was 20.12 inches. Hong Kong papers do not estimate beforehand the loss to private property, such as residences, stores, etc., but place an estimate loss to the public property at about $200,000. There was scarcely a house within an area of 32 square miles that was not damaged. All the roads and streets were more or less damaged, some undermined and mountain slopes and hillsides were loosened. Without exception everything was washed down the mountains during the storm with floods of rain. Many houses were blown down, while others were unroofed. It is known that the number is as much a myth as the dividend on a "Brother Watt" statement that clouds in their little nests agree."

Maine Matters.

NEWS AND GOSSIP FROM ALL OVER THE STATE.

HOW THE 4TH OF JULY WAS CELEBRATED.

Freeport celebrated her centennial and many of her sons and daughters came home to aid in doing honor to the day. The town was thronged, and the streets and buildings were handsomely decorated. A feature of the day was the grand trades parade, in which the industries of the place were effectively displayed. After the parade, exercises were held in the old Congregational Church before a large audience. Music and prayer were followed by an oration and poem. Hon. J. H. Drummond, of Portland, was the orator, and Harry Lyman Koopman, of the library of the University of Vermont at Burlington, the poet. After Mr. Koopman's poem there was more singing by Mr. Stockbridge's quartette, and then Rev. J. R. Wilson read the following poem, which was written by Rev. John R. L. Soule, aged 74, now of Highland Park, Illinois:

THE GOOD OLD TIMES.

In the good old times, through the dewy vale,
The milkmaid came tripping home,
With merry song and a bright tin pail
All dripping with snowy foam.
But the slow boy now, with sleepy eye
Goes late in the shade of the trees,
And takes his load to the cooling cow's tidy,
With the bucket between his knees.
Oh, the good old times of the early birds,
The whistling churn, and the squeaking curds!
In the good old times, rosy Ruth in the fields,
Drank buttermilk out of a jug.
But now pale Pauline in the parlor conceited
Sank deep in a chair, all cushioned and wheeled
With her fingers be ringed, and her cheeks cochineled.

Is making starved dogs on a rug.
Oh the good old times of the settler's keen ring,
And the purple flash of the barn swallow's wing.
In the good old times by the wide chimney nook
All the children with faces aglow,
Their nuts and their jokes delighted to crack
And their lips every night to be sealed with a smack,
While they laughed at the wind and snow.
But now, they, alas, can chatter and play
In bright central circles no more.
But freezing and thawing by night and by day
And shoving and crowding each other away,
Huddle round a warm hole in the floor.
Oh the good old times of the settler's keen ring,
On the back-log fires and the old common sense.
In the good old times, ere the day began,
The mother was up with the birds,
And all day long, till the set of sun,
She was at the loom or the soft yarn spun,
And all her cares left in sleeping undone
And never a murmuring word.
Oh, the good old times of the home made wares
Of the pewter platter and the straight back chairs,
In the good old times the father prayed
For grace at his daily board.
Although to his plough and its use and its guide
He owed that himself and his family made.
The ripe corn grew from the tender blade
And his barn with abundance stored.
But now, with delicate fingers and hands to upraise
While he thinks he is blessing himself?
As graces he feels on the bounties of grace
Which come not at his behest.
Believing no wars are above his ways, and heaven
On the poetry shelf.
Oh, the good old times, and the thanks that were
For the honest butter and the warm brown bread!

The chorus sang America, the last of the pieces rendered by them. In the course of the exercises they had also sung a hymn composed by Rev. Robert R. Reed for the celebration of 1826, and written out from memory by a woman who participated in that event. The following is the first verse of the hymn:

"Stand independence be forgot!
Which God our fathers gave,
Shall we forget our favored lot?
Which claims our gratitude.
Our gratitude by sounds, our gratitude,
No Heaven demands at all our hands,
Our pious gratitude."

After the exercises in the church dinner was served in a big tent, where twelve hundred people found ample accommodations at one time. An exhibition of relics was very interesting. After dinner the great event of the afternoon was the game of round ball played by the old fellows. It drew a big crowd and kept them highly interested. The rain preceded the military drills.

The town of Cushing celebrated her centennial July 4th in a very satisfactory manner. The usual salutes and uproar ushered in the day, while fantastics, Indians and the like, made things lively during the forenoon. At noon dinner was served the multitude, fish largely predominating. At the afternoon literary exercises were held in the beautiful grove at Hathorn's Point, Cushing's summer resort, a flag platform being erected there. After prayer, an address of welcome was delivered by R. B. Miller, Esq., of Cushing, and a poem followed. Mr. Miller then introduced H. M. Lord of Rockland, editor of the Courier-Gazette, the orator of the day. Mr. Lord spoke of the extreme youth of our country when compared with nations old and powerful, and proceeded to show the wonderful growth America had made in the century, when compared with the advance made by other countries, with their thousand years of history. The various eras in our country's annals, from its discovery to the present, were treated in succession, while the country's material progress was aptly illustrated. The various problems to be solved, particularly the American race problem, the assimilation of the different elements which seek this country for a home, were treated at length, and a solution suggested in the work of education; that education, which makes a man a good citizen by giving him a knowledge of his country's institutions and the ideas that actuated the founders of our republic. Then came an epitome of Cushing's history, the address closing with an urgent, emphatic appeal to the citizens of the town to continue to act well their part. The oration occupied about forty minutes and was delivered without notes, rapidly and in a distinct and impressive way that made every word and thought tell. Following the oration was the original poem, which was prepared by F. B. Miller, Esq., and read at his request by Rev. P. A. Smith. After the sketch a centennial hymn, written by Rev. P. A. Smith was sung by a double quartette. The exercises were interspersed with music by Hagraham's Band. After the close of the literary exercises an old fashioned game of round ball was enjoyed by some of the older citizens, and developed a great deal of sport. Fireworks and sunrises closed an enjoyable and eventful day for the town.

Bangor celebrated July 4th for the first time in years. The city was crowded with people all day. In the morning there was a grand parade, followed later by a parade by a military, fire department and industrial parade. Gen. Henry L. Mitchell was chief marshal. The whole day was occupied by races and various contests. A hose cart race was won by the Continentals of Gardiner, the time being 1m. 52⅗ seconds. The Eagles of Gardiner, the Tigers of Orono and the Brewers of Brewer. The trial of hand engines was won by the Monitor company of Orono, playing 211 feet, 11 inches, beating the Tigers of Hallowell. There were many boat and canoe races, won by local crews. The competitive military drill was won by the Frye Light Guards of Lewiston, Co. B, 21 Regiment, Capt. Frank L. Hoyt; Dahl Chapman Guards, Sons of Veterans, of Bangor, Capt. Frank I. Bartlett, second; the Hamlin Rifles of Bangor, Co. D, 24 Regiment, Capt. L. S. Chilcott, third.

The Fourth was greatly enjoyed at the state prison. The convicts were turned out into the yard from 6 to 10 o'clock, and played foot ball and base ball. Some of the convicts gave a fine exhibition of tumbling. For dinner, smothered fresh beef was served, and each convict was served with a glass tumbler for his ale. It was the intention of the warden to have the tumblers filled with ripe strawberries, but wet weather spoiled this part of the programme.

The new hose factory at Ellsworth was dedicated July 4th with addresses by B. T. Sawtelle, Hon. Judge Emery and Judge Redman. In the contest between the hand engines, the Union of Ellsworth beat the Kennebec of Brunswick and the Tecnic of Ellsworth Falls beat the Dirigo of Ellsworth.

Fred Blanchard of McIndoes Falls, aged about 25, drilled a hole in a rock July 3 and filled it with powder for the purpose of awakening the townspeople. Thursday morning he got up about 4 a. m. and fired off the charge. He was found dead by the rock at about 6 a. m. with one hand blown off.

Portland celebrated the day with an oration and poem, excursions and fire works. Hon. W. L. Putnam was the orator.

COLBY COMMENCEMENT.

The exercises at Colby last week were particularly interesting. The morning exercises July 2nd were held in the Baptist church. The alumni association elected the following officers: president, J. H. Drummond of Portland; vice president, Wm. H. Lambert; treasurer and secretary, E. W. Hall of Waterville; necrologist, C. V. Hanson of Skowhegan; councillors, Dr. G. H. Howard and Hon. R. E. Foster of Waterville. The alumni nominated Reuben Foster of Waterville, A. P. Marble of Worcester, Mass., and Hon. Richard C. Shannon of New York as trustees. Oil paintings of the late Prof. Lyford of Worcester, Mass., Hon. Henry W. Paine of Boston, Mass., class of 1850, and Dr. S. L. Smith of Newton, Mass., Dr. Upham of Chelsea, Mass., class of 1858, were presented to the association. The class exercises on the campus at 3 P. M. were very spirited. The seniors appeared in cap and gown for the first time. Gen. Butler, at the close of the class programme, came upon the campus and spoke for a few moments, saying that all he ever learned of temperance, virtue and duty to others, was imparted to him at the Waterville college. He asserted that Colby stood at the head of the institutions of learning in giving its students mental discipline, power of analysis and equipment for mental contest. At 8 P. M. Gen. Butler delivered an oration before the literary societies, and to an immense audience. His theme was the annexation of Canada, and he discussed it on broad lines.

The graduating exercises took place at the Baptist Church at 10 A. M., July 3. Harry W. Frye, of Belfast, delivered an English oration, on "Parallelism between Art and Literature." At the commencement dinner Gen. Butler presented a large oil portrait of himself in army uniform, painted on the field. In an interesting speech he stated that his failure to open Dutch Gap for which he was severely criticised was not from inability but because the commander of the Union gunboats on the James feared the rebel vessels would come down through it and destroy our transports, and requested Gen. Butler to desist from his work to open the Gap. He stated that this was the real reason Dutch Gap was abandoned by our army. Hon. E. F. Webb accepted the gift on behalf of Colby in a very graceful speech. A concert on the campus in the evening and the president's reception closed the exercises. A Freshman class of fifty is expected.

A plan of the college government by the faculty and students was approved. There is to be a board of conference, to consist of three professors and ten students, and the students are to be intrusted with maintenance of order in the dormitories and on the campus.

Degrees were conferred as follows: A. M., in course—R. F. Metcalf, LL. D.; P. I. Merrill, G. C. Bryant, J. E. Winslow, P. P. Small, class of 1886; A. M., out of course—Wm. H. Baldwin, Cincinnati; LL. D.—Artemas Libbey, Augusta; Ph. D.—William H. Lambert, Fall River, Mass.

The prizes for the Junior exhibition, Monday evening were awarded first, to F. A. Gilmore; second to J. E. Burke. The first prize for best Senior composition was awarded to Miss Hattie Parmenter.

It was voted that the new Shannon observatory should be well equipped and that the usual departments should be established.

W. H. Bayley, of Baltimore, was elected professor of natural sciences.

THE GRANITE INDUSTRIES.

The special agent of the Bureau of Labor and Industrial Statistics has completed a careful investigation of the Granite industry of the State having visited all the granite cutting and sheds, nearly all the minor concerns. He reports 4,400 men employed, as follows: 1,400 granite cutters, 1,000 paving cutters, 2,000 attendant laborers, which includes tool sharpeners, quarrymen, teamsters, derrickmen, boxers, (men who box the cut stone,) draftsmen, engineers, polishers, clerks, foremen, superintendents, common laborers, &c. In addition to this number of workmen strictly engaged in the business, some 500 more are engaged in sailing the vessels almost constantly employed in freighting the granite to the markets. The number of quarries operated to much extent is about 80. The wages paid to *dog workers* per day, are as follows:

Granite cutters from 2.50 to 3.50 per day, average 27 1-2; paving cutters, 2.50 to 3.50 cents, average 27 1-2; tool sharpeners, 2.25 to 2.75 2-3 cents, average 25; quarrymen, 1.50 to 1.75 1-2 cents, average 16 1-2; teamsters, 1.50 to 2.25 1-2 cents, average 2.00; laborers, 1.25 1-2 to 1.50 cents, average 1.35; polishers, 2.50 to 2.90 cents, average 17 1-2.

The above wages are paid to the best workmen only.

The season for making paving rapidly does not exceed eight months, although the business is carried on at many of the quarries throughout the year. Much time is lost by the workmen on account of bad weather. The average number of days worked by paving cutters during the eight months is 150, and by all other branches of the granite business, 180 days per day, a total for 180 days of $450. During the four winter months the average earnings of those employed is $20 per month, making the average annual earnings of paving cutters, $570, or an average for 300 days of $1.90 per day. The price paid for paving working is from $20 to $30, average $26 per thousand; $20 per thousand being paid when the stock is furni-hed on the dump and $30 per thousand when the cutter quarries his stock.

The granite business in the State is in a flourishing condition.

A MURDER IN WATERBORO CENTRE.

Ivo Smith, fifty-six years old, is in jail at Alfred for a murder committed at Waterboro Centre. Ross Ross is with the Lakeside Hotel, and was employed as guide by hunting parties during the summer. William Whitten, the victim, was 65 years of age and has four children residing in Brockton, Mass., his former home. He has been in Waterboro for a short time. The two men had had a quarrel Thursday morning. Smith was under the influence of liquor and had been for two weeks. In the afternoon they met again and had another altercation. Whitten was heard to threaten Whitten was standing in front of Cutler's store. Smith approached him and said, "you are the man I am looking for," at the same time clinching him. Whitten fell underneath and his head struck the edge of the curb. Bystanders say that Smith pounded Whitten's head against the doorstep so hard that the sound was heard across the street, pinched him first and said "I'll fix him so that he won't insult me any more." Whitten died from his bleeding and unconscious. He lived an hour and a half. Smith was arrested by a local officer and held to await the coroner's inquest. The prisoner admits causing Whitten's death, but says that as he struck at him first in self defense. He has engaged two Biddeford attorneys as his counsel. The prisoner's wife is prostrated by excitement. The coroner's jury has returned a verdict of manslaughter. Smith was arraigned and pleaded not guilty to the charge in the county jail at Alfred to await trial at the September term of the superior court.

A CENSUS OF THE SCHOOL CHILDREN.

The annual census of the school children of the State has been compiled at the office of superintendent of Schools Bruce and shows a decrease in the school population of Waterville of 56. The figures by counties are as follows:

	Gain.	Loss.	Totals.
Androscoggin		54	16,626
Aroostook		454	19,062
Cumberland			29,887
Franklin	70		5,983
Hancock	100		10,564
Kennebec	163		18,764
Knox	16		9,542
Lincoln	36		7,264
Oxford	220		12,981
Penobscot		250	23,481
Piscataquis	126		4,745
Sagadahoc	42		6,967
Somerset		38	16,067
Waldo	121		6,997
Washington			13,555
York		41	18,488
			234,567

Thus it will be seen that in only five counties has there been a gain, while in the remainder, especially in Lincoln, Oxford and Waldo there has been a falling off.

IN GENERAL.

The 9th Maine regiment have their reunion at Brunswick, August 14 and 15th.

Convict samuel D. Haynes, who lately professed religion, has refused to work, and now languishes in "solitary."

The pension department has appointed Dr. A. B. Adams of Wilton as a member of the Farmington board of examining surgeons.

It is said that a Rockland firm intends making large investments in Western schemes its lost a cool hundred thousand dollars in a short time.

The superintendent of the census has divided Maine into census districts, as follows: Two districts, the due running east of Somerset, Kennebec and Sagadahoc counties.

It has been several years since there has been so much building in Bowdoinham as is being done this season. Already a dozen new residences have been built, besides the big corn factory, which is nearly completed, and the Universalist Church.

President Harrison visited this State in 1872 on a fishing excursion as the guest of the Piscatorius Club of Connecticut. During his visit here he listened to a campaign speech from Horace Greeley, who was then stumping the State as a presidential candidate. It is expected that the President will next visit Augusta, August as the guest of Secretary Blaine at Bar Harbor.

MAINE GOSSIP. George W. Nason, who is separated from his wife, she living in Portland and he in Boston, came to the former city last Wednesday to get possession of the child which the judge had previously given in charge of the mother. Sending the boy off, kidnapping his little daughter and escaping.....Last Thursday afternoon the Carlton House, one of the best appointed and largest hotels in Maine, was burned. The fire was caused by a defective flue. The loss is $40,000, only $20,000 with a small insurance.....The millmen's strike at Bangor is dying out and the men are returning to work.....Two Biddeford bicyclists, John Lawrence and Frank Lord, rode their wheels from Boston to Portland in three hours, which made the distance in fourteen hours.....Leonard McKenney, of Buxton, who fell down stairs a few days ago, died from his injuries Thursday night. He was 60 years old and leaves a family.....Wm. F. Kelly, of Bangor, aged 56 years, fell from the door of a baggage car on the morning train on the Portland & Rochester railroad at Cumberland Mills Thursday and died Friday.....Lewiston had a big fire last Friday night. A blaze started at 11 o'clock in R. E. Pingree's lumber yard and did damage to the extent of about $20,000.....George Godfrey, who got his son to fire his own buildings at Hallowell and who was arrested a short time ago on suspicion, has confessed to the crime of arson.....Special Treasury Agent Byrne arrived at Eastport June 29th to investigate the seizure of the schooner "Edna May," made June 25th. After a thorough investigation he released it. The vessel will be dismantled and libelled. This case is expected to lead to the exposure of an extensive system of smuggling.....The Bay Point Club House at Rockland was to be formally opened yesterday, but it has been open for guests for a week. A congressman and Miss Allen's friends were among those invited to participate in the opening.....Dr. Joseph Ricker, secretary of the Maine Baptist Missionary Society, declined to accept the position after the present year. Rev. Mr. Roberts, of Rockland, Rev. Mr. Dunn, of Portland, Rev. C. B. Hanson, of Skowhegan, Rev. C. S. Small, of Livermore Falls, are favorably mentioned for the position.....Robert Darling, of a young man named Fisher with a stone in an altercation at a dance in Hudson, the evening of the Fourth. The stone crushed in the outside of Fisher's face, and it is feared that he will die.....The Massachusetts Press Association visited Poland Springs Saturday.....Secretary Blaine is at his Bar Harbor cottage for the season..... A shock of earthquake was plainly felt at Farmington last Sunday night, lasting half a minute. It went from west to southwest. Dishes were rattled upon the shelves.....The Washburn Brothers, of Thomaston, have bought the tug steamer Ellen from Portland parties and will run her on Georges river from Port Clyde to Thomaston and among the islands.....Mr. Chas. Drummond, one of the wealthiest and most respected of Winslow's citizens, died Monday, aged 68 years.....The Commercial Union Telegraph Company, of Maine, has its poles erected for its wires to Skowhegan. The contributions for the Johnstown sufferers from the Maine Lodges, I. O. O. F., have thus far reached a total of over $1,800. It is expected to reach the sum of $2,000.

IN BRIEF. Constitutional conventions were opened Friday in Olympia, Washington Territory, Sioux Falls, South Dakota and Helena, Montana. The Republican officers were elected in the first two and Democrats in the latter.....Big fire on the Russia and Commercial docks, London, destroyed £40,000 worth of property Friday.....The schooner William H. Jones, which has arrived at New York from Hayti, reports that the Haytiens have been very polite to American visitors since the Ossipee rescued the Ozama. Legitimate still holds Port au Prince.....The Sunday School Convention which has just closed its labors in London will meet in America in 1893.....The business portion of Bakersfield, Cal., and 40 houses were destroyed by fire Sunday.....The publication of editorial comments on the acquittal of Dr. McDow has at last waked up the citizens of Charlestown and they protest that the verdict fills them with "grief and shame."..... A desperate conflict between police and strikers took place at Duluth, Minn., Saturday afternoon. Fifteen men were wounded and two bystanders were killed.....Thomas Ewing Sherman, son of the general, was ordained a Roman Catholic priest Sunday.

The Fourth in Foreign Lands.

Minister Reid decorated the grave of Lafayette in Paris with flowers on the 4th of July.

American tourists who were in Queenstown on Thursday, celebrated the Fourth by riding about in jaunting cars decorated with American flags.

Fourth of July was celebrated in Winnipeg, Man., in the American fashion. An excursion steamer was driven on the rocks during the day, but nobody was hurt.

Howard Owen's Mormon Proclivities.

Mr. Howard Owen is an old resident of Brunswick. In his speech at the recent Anniversary celebration of the incorporation of that town, he said: "I not only am a native of Brunswick and married a Brunswick wife, but I would have married a half dozen more if the law would have allowed." [Exchange.

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The Fourth at Woodstock.

For many years past, Mr. Bowen, the publisher of The Independent, has observed July 4th at Roseland Park, his country seat in Woodstock, Ct., and leading statesmen, scholars and poets have responded to his invitations to participate in the observances of the day. This year President Harrison and Congressman Reed were among the speakers. After some introductory remarks the President said:

I am sure I look into the faces this morning of a body of citizens filled with honest pride in the story of their country and full of serious purpose to maintain those institutions from all taint of corruption or decay. We stand to-day as a nation exempt from all fears of foreign hurt. It is not in the power of any people upon earth much to harm us except our own people. We do not say this in any spirit of boastfulness, but rather in one of thankfulness for that divine Providence which has given us such location and assignment among the nations of the earth that no people of a great power touches us on any side.

All the more, except from thoughts of foreign assault, ought our thoughts to turn to dangers which are internal, and from which alone we can have serious harm. All the more should every thoughtful citizen consider how he may promote the public weal, how he may hold up our public life, how he may purify himself, securing and promoting both in State and national legislation those measures which have best promoted, not individuals, not the special but the general good of all the people. Applause.]

I think such meetings as these—the old-fashioned Fourth of July celebrations—have in them very instructive and elevating power. I think you should be, as doubtless you are, very grateful to me and grateful to him who has instigated, and, with so much patience and intelligence, perpetuated these gatherings. I am glad to be here with you to-day. I am glad on this anniversary of that declaration which put forward, established by arms, a nation, seriously as in the presence of Him whose guidance has been conspicuously present in all our affairs, to unite with you in fresh consecration to duty and to the true weal and happiness of all our people. I desire to thank these comrades of the great army of the Union for their escort and attendance here to-day. To all of you who have gathered from these different homes I desire to express my thanks for your kind and pleasant reception.

The subject of Congressman Reed was "The Victory." He said:

It was no less a person than the Duke of Wellington who remarked, "There is only one thing more demoralizing than defeat and that is victory." I have not taken the trouble to verify the citation, because the truth is so solid and sound that it needs no prop or support from even the most illustrious name.

Battles are the supreme shock of great armies rushing together and then staggering asunder—one in the throes of victory and the other in the agony of defeat. Victory comes over in a day, while a war may rage long after the most signal victory. That general misuses a victory who thinks it an end and not a means.

The victories of peace are, like the victories of war, worth nothing unless you look after them. It takes pains to keep the human race in motion. The race hates restraint and the going pall. It likes to think its task over and over again and it is right in that. It is right. The Republican party won a great victory last November. Deprived by a cruel tyranny, which seems inexplicable in a land of liberty of the votes of a great portion of our followers we broke the enemy out of their intrenched camp and displayed that old-time vigor which has made a glorious history for this country for a quarter of a century.

One portion of our victory we cannot lose—an administration firm and steadfast, high in courage and imbued with the best principles of Republicanism. We have great questions to dispose of—questions which concern the passions and interests of men. In a decisive vote we have put the pronounced judgment of the country. It has become our duty, then, to see that wise measures are passed, which shall give the country a continuance of that system which more than anything else has made us 65,000,000 strong, and rich in all that makes up a great nation.

Mr. Reed said one of the most necessary reforms was parliamentary purification. Under the present system obstructing made it impossible to legislate if the minority so desired. He declared that it was the most outrageous set of rules in vogue in any parliamentary body and wrought great evil. The country, he said, could feel confident of the administration of its affairs so the Republicans ruled.

Governor Bulkeley, Secretaries Noble and Tracy, President Estes of Rutger College, Senators Hawley and Hiscock, and Associate Justice Miller made brief addresses. Of President Harrison's speech the New York Press well says: "It is evident that the President's keenly alive to the matters which require our vigilance, and that he intends to exert his influence in every proper way against those corrupt methods of political management which work against the purity of the republic. No man can read his words without saying, hopefully, now with the sincerity and patriotism of his intentions, and his stern integrity of purpose."

The editor of the Belfast Age, who is strutting around with the idea that his mission is to "kill the Journal," was so pleased with a recent quotation from the New York Herald that we give him another from the same article. The Herald says:

The frog in the story thought he had a mission to become an ox. He puffed himself full of wind, but at last there was no explosion and after that there was no frog. The ox was not disturbed.

Some time since in clipping one of Mrs. Dunn's poems from a Waterville paper we gave credit to the Sentinel when it should have been the Mail. Last week in printing the poem "A Legend of the Schoolcook," we credited it to the Mail instead of the Sentinel. This would seem to make "chonors easy," and we hope neither of our esteemed Waterville contemporaries will arise to say that "two wrongs do not make a right."

At the golden wedding of Hon. R. B. Dunn and wife at their home in Waterville last Thursday evening eleven children, seventeen grand children, and six great grandchildren, with other relatives and friends, were present. This was well done.

The crusade against runselling continues in Bangor, and the Whig & Courier is vigorously upholding the enforcement of the law. Ellsworth also is the scene of a war against liquor dealers. Gov. Burleigh's letter is bearing fruit.

The Fourth of July was wet but glorious. The eagle's plumes were damp, but his scream was penetrating, says the New York Herald.

An official report, from the Agricultural Department, says that the English sparrow must go. But where? and when? and how?

The porgy has returned to Maine waters, but mackerel are scarcer than hen's teeth.

Odd Fellows Hall Decorations.

Mr. W. E. Carleton, the artist who has been decorating the new Odd Fellow's Hall, in this city, has completed his labors and the stage has been taken down. Good judges pronounce it the handsomest job of decorating in this section of the State. The ceiling and upper portion of the walls are in water colors, the dados, five feet from the base, and the wood work are in oil. The centre piece might be called a canopy. The main color of the centre ceiling is a grey blue. The panels are irregular, and in color are in imitation of figure gold. An imitation moulding runs around the top of the cove with a heavy wooden moulding at the bottom. Between the two, in the cove, the decorations are drapery in style, beautifully figured in gold tint. The main walls are terra cotta, the dado and wood work dark terra cotta. On the rear wall, and on either side of the Past Grand's station, are two oil paintings by Mr. Percy A. Sanborn, representing Rebekah at the Well and the good Samaritan scene, emblematical of the order. These pictures are on canvas, the subjects life size, and rank among the best work of Mr. Sanborn. The pictures are cemented to the wall surrounded by a wooden moulding and a painted mercial docks, London, destroyed £40,000 worth of property Friday.....The schooner William H. Jones, which has arrived at New York from Hayti, reports that the Haytiens have been very polite to American visitors since the Ossipee rescued the Ozama. Legitime still holds Port au Prince.....The Sunday School Convention which has just closed its labors in London will meet in America in 1893.....The business portion of Bakersfield, Cal., and 40 houses were destroyed by fire Sunday.....The publication of editorial comments on the acquittal of Dr. McDow has at last waked up the citizens of Charlestown and they protest that the verdict fills them with "grief and shame."..... A desperate conflict between police and strikers took place at Duluth, Minn., Saturday afternoon. Fifteen men were wounded and two bystanders were killed.....Thomas Ewing Sherman, son of the general, was ordained a Roman Catholic priest Sunday.

The Woodstock Celebration.

The country has grown accustomed to look to Mr. Bowen's celebration at Woodstock each Independence Day for some timely and notable utterances, and it is not often that it is disappointed. Yesterday's observance possessed unusual interest from the presence of the President of the United States. Gen. Harrison's brief speech was informal and unambitious, but he said the few words he had to say admirably, with that force and aptness of expression which characterized his remarkable series of short addresses during the campaign. Of the other and more formal speeches, that of Congressman Reed, of Maine, invites particular attention. Like all of Mr. Reed's best efforts, it gives evidence not only of keen but also solid thought, and of genuine statesmanlike qualities. [Boston Journal, July 5th.

A Visit to Elmwood Stock Farm.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE JOURNAL: I have noticed the Journal has always taken a deep interest in every movement calculated to improve the stock of Waldo county, and its efforts in this direction have greatly aided in establishing the reputation for fine horses we now enjoy. While other stock farms have frequently been written up, but little mention has been made of the fact that one of the very best is located in the town of Montville. By invitation of Mr. E. P. Walker, of the Bodwell and Webster Granite Co., I was recently permitted to inspect the farm, and was much pleased and somewhat surprised at what I saw. It is located on the stage road between Belfast and Liberty, and about two miles from the latter place. The farm comprises two hundred and fifty acres of land under the very highest cultivation. The owner is Hon. R. S. Ayer, and it has been leased by him to Mr. Walker for a term of ten years. This gentleman is a great lover of fine horses, and with the ample means at his command has determined that "Elmwood Farm" shall stand second to none in our state. The superintendent is Mr. F. A. Bunker, a gentleman thoroughly versed in stock breeding. It is their intention to make a specialty of standard bred trotters, and in this they have certainly made an excellent beginning. The main barn is about one hundred feet in length, and admirably adapted to its purpose. There are several large and airy box-stalls, and here can be seen some of the most promising colts in Eastern Maine. At the head of the stud stands Morgan Knox, the seventeen years old son of old Gen. Knox, Maine's great sire horse. He is a coal black stallion, weighing 1075 pounds, and has a record of 2.35. Experience has shown that his colts inherit all the characteristics of the Knox breed—speed, endurance, and kind disposition. "Cadmus Patchen" is another of the ornaments of Elmwood. He was foaled in 1886, and is a son of "Patchen Boy." Although but three years old, he has developed remarkable speed, and shows the hair of the old Drew stock from which he sprung. The gem of the farm, however, is "Haroldine." This filly is but two years old, and Mr. Walker claims her to be the best bred colt in Waldo county, and one of the best in Maine. She was sired by "Prescott," who was a brother to "Maud S.," the queen of the turf. The dam is "Camille," one of Gideon's best broad mares. It will thus be seen that the blood is of the very best on both sides. She is a half-sister to Haroldson, the famous Belfast colt owned by Hon. Wm. C. Marshall. Mr. Walker claims his filly to be the best bred from the fact that her dam is a Gideon, which all horsemen acknowledge to be the very best blood to be obtained in our State. Certain it is that "Haroldine" is a beauty. She is a light red color, and as graceful in form as any model ever drawn by an artist. Although but two years old, Mr. Walker values her at one thousand dollars, and is not anxious to sell even at that price. Unless all signs fail she is certain to distinguish herself in the near future. Another remarkable fine colt to be seen at this place is Young Morgan. He is a son of Morgan Knox, and although but twenty-three months old can already strike a three minute clip. Of powerful build and gentle disposition he is certain to become an important factor on the Maine turf. Mr. Walker has many other promising colts at "Elmwood" that are well worth a visit to see. Nearly every one can find something here to suit his fancy. The owner takes great pride in his stock, and when free from the cares of business is always pleased to show visitors around. He is a cultivated and courteous gentleman, and I am only too happy to acknowledge the kindness received at his hands. That "Elmwood" and its fine stock will be better known and appreciated because of this article, is the sincere wish of

L. C. BATEMAN.

The Belfast Chautauquans.

A fine day, a pleasant company, and a good supper, is an earnest of success to any meeting, and so it proved to the circle of readers who gathered at the home of Mrs. Arthur Brown, Monday, July 1-4, to celebrate their anniversary meeting, and also the close of the Chautauqua work for the year. The afternoon was given up to social and literary pleasures, which were highly enjoyed by all. A beautiful song, "God Keep Thee till we Meet Again," was sung at parting, good mights were spoken, and now we await the strawberries and cream of Sec.

The course of study for '88-'89 comprised Greek History, Philosophy and Literature, with Chemistry, Zoology, History of Modern Church and Character as texts. With them all we have done the best we could. Our magazine ranks among the very first literary productions in the land, and the thoughts which find expression through its valuable pages introduce the reader to the every day life of the whole world.

Six years ago a lady in this city commenced the course of reading alone for two years. A few more then took up the task with her, and thus each year has added its quota, small to be sure, yet encouraging to those who believe in the Chautauqua readings and those who are striving to make them valued as highly as they deserve to be. Those who have finished their four years' course remain with the class, although taking advance work, thus affording much assistance to those yet in the ranks, and making good the saying, in which we all thoroughly believe, that "Once a Chautauquan is always a Chautauquan."

H. L. B.

A Day at Poland Springs.

While spending a few days in the city of Portland, and the city not making any demonstration in celebrating the Fourth, except by excursions down the bay in yachts and steamboats and plenty excursions to the country by railroad, I joined, by invitation, a small party of friends and spent the day at Poland Springs. This celebrated Maine watering place has spacious hotel accommodations equal to any in America, and grander views of scenery the eye of man cannot find on this continent. With its parks for drives, its ponds and lakes for boating, its gymnasium, bowling alleys and swings for sport and strengthening the muscle, this resort cannot be excelled anywhere. The beverage prepared by God for man's use—*water*—Poland water, and plenty of it—has no equal on the earth for its medicinal properties. As for the scenery, I have been up the Hudson, crossed the Niagara over, skimmed the western prairies, climbed the Rocky Mountains, and spent a few years on the Pacific slope and on the mountains of Nevada, but have seen no grander scenery than the view from the Poland Spring House. As tourists, pleasure seekers and invalids visit that spring and behold its grand natural scenery they exclaim with one voice: "The half has never been told us," and it insures their coming again and bringing their friends with them. J. B. W.

Newspaper Notes.

The Bangor Daily News issued an afternoon edition July 4th with the outside pages showing the red, white and blue of the national colors.

Mr. John R. Boardman, Maine State College, '88, succeeds Mr. Joseph Williamson, Jr., as city editor of the Kennebec Journal. Mr. Boardman is a son of Mr. Samuel L. Boardman.

The mysterious balloon reported by the Bangor News as moving along the coast last week is now learned to have been the editor of the Belfast Age. It is thought he is sufficiently supplied with gas to go to the other end of the world.

Col. Z. A. Smith, who was for a number of years connected with the Boston Journal, has recently resigned the editorship of the Leavenworth (Kan.) Times to join the editorial staff of the St. Louis Globe-Democrat, the principal Republican paper of the Southwest.

The Metropolis, an afternoon daily published in Jacksonville, Fla., has entered upon its third volume. It has shown pluck, enterprise and business capacity, especially the former during the yellow fever epidemic last year, and we are glad to know that it has obtained a good foothold. The Metropolis is neat and newsy, and deserves success.

The New Pension Board.

Congressman Milliken, of this city, last week forwarded to the department at Washington the names of Drs. J. M. Fletcher and H. H. Johnson, of this city, and Dr. A. J. Billings, of Freedom, to be Pension Examiners for Waldo county. This is equivalent to an appointment. Dr. J. M. Fletcher was on the board during the last Republican Administration, Dr. Billings was an army surgeon and is a member of the G. A. R., and Dr. H. H. Johnson had a large backing from citizens and Grand Army men all over the county. The board is a very strong one. Of the retiring board two members, Drs. Pierce, of Stetson, and Ellingwood, of Belfast, are Democrats, and Dr. Small, of this city, Republican. Dr. Small was appointed under a Republican Administration, but held through Cleveland's term. Mr. Milliken was somewhat perplexed over these appointments, as there were at least a dozen applicants, and as he expressed it, "All were devilish good fellows," but it will be generally conceded that he has made a good selection.

Rev. F. H. Osgood in Destitute Circumstances.

The many friends of Rev. F. H. Osgood, formerly presiding elder of the Bangor District in the M. E. Conference (Methodist,) and a resident of Bangor, will be grieved to know that he is having a particularly hard time of it in the far Western city where he went last fall for the benefit of his health. His condition in this respect is not much improved, and he is now in a very feeble state. To add to his troubles, his finances are depleted, and being unable to pay rent, he had to leave the house that he occupied, and with his family is now living in a tent. He has written to one of the places where he has formerly labored for assistance, and some other ministers in the Conference, though no appeal has been made to them, have seen fit to put the matter before their congregations, and say a word in behalf of their afflicted brother. [Bangor Commercial.

City Taxes.

Below we give a list of tax payers, resident and non-resident, of Belfast, who pay a tax of $50 and upwards. The rate of taxation is $19 on $1,000, which also includes the highway tax. The rate in the Central school district for the support of schools is $1.00 on $1,000. The valuation is $2,585,858; real estate, $1,801,230; personal property, $784,628. The number of polls is 1318.

Abbott, Nehemiah, Exs.	$ 214 24	estate	164 80
Alden, Wm. O.	85 05	Johnson, Mrs. F. D.	247 20
Andrews, Mark	188 65	Johnson, A. W.	
Bailey, Geo. O.	292 01	Ex.	1,522 24
Baker, Charles	125 22	Johnson, R. C.	
Baker & Shales	191 41	Ex.	1,545 00
Banks, F. J.	63 02	Johnson, E.	344 21
Bean, A. D.	75 65	Johnson, S. W.	71 15
Bean, Joseph	122 15	Jones, J. W.	53 99
Belfast Coliseum Co.		Kalish, S.	183 95
Belfast Foundry Co.	206 00	Kelley, B. F.	50 11
Belfast Gas Co.		Kilgore, H. L.	74 21
Belfast Gas Co.,	144 20	Knowlton, F. B.	246 68
Belfast National Bank	342 18	Knowlton, F. A.	143 75
Belfast Savings Bank	123 60	Knowlton, J. W.	50 03
Belfast Shirt Co	197 70	Knowlton, L. A.	311 25
Bicknell, H. G.	63 00	Lancaster, C.	1,350 00
Bicknell, S. G.	53 12	Lancaster, D.	119 04
Black, Benj. H.	1,100 00	Lancaster, F. M.	125 28
Black, F. H.	68 06	Lane, B.	90 00
Black, C. A.	97 41	Lane & Wheeler Co	92 70
Black, C. J.	110 81	Littlefield, N.	86 68
Boulter, Geo. W.	93 17	Mansfield, A. P.	74 25
Bradbury, Mrs. T. M. heirs	122 75	Marshall, F. A.	152 43
Bradbury, A. H.	73 60	Marshall, W. C.	556 18
Brannagan, W. S	50 06	Marden, H. C.	69 92
Brooks, John G.	222 86	Merchant's Ma. Co.	96

Mr. Theodore Gerrish has purchased a block corner of High and Cumberland streets, and will occupy the corner tenement himself. [Portland Advertiser.

Dr. J. A. Spaulding of Portland, will come here next Saturday P. M., to remain in Belfast over Sunday. Dr. S. is a well known specialist in diseases of the eye and has many patients in this city and vicinity.

It will be seen by the advertising columns that Mr. H. R. Brennan, well known to amusement lovers from a former visit, will play at the Belfast Opera House for the week beginning July 15, with McElroy's People's Theatre. Popular prices and an excellent company ought to ensure liberal patronage.

A. P. Mansfield, Masonic Temple, has a handkerchief sale this week. Call and see the bargains offered.....Poor & Son will give a copy of the Peoples Hand Book of Homeopathic Practice to all who call.....A competent girl wanted to do housework. Call at Mark Andrews' store.....Johnson Hall, High street, is to let.

SOUTH MONTVILLE. Augustus Eastman and wife, of Warren, are the guests of Mrs. Nancy Colby, Mrs. Eastman's mother.....Miss Lizzie Prescott is at home from the land shop, South Union.....E. H. Gilman and daughter Annie, came from Pittsfield Saturday and spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Betsey Gilman.....Frank Gilman's stock thrasher of a pitchfork in his foot and is quite lame.....S. F. Lancy and S. P. Colby will cut the hay on the O. W. Ripley farm.....There was a large quantity of hay cut through the wet weather last week.....Apples and pears will be a light crop in this vicinity.....J. E. McIntosh is cutting the hay on the Gould farm.

MORRILL. Our oldest inhabitant, Mr. Thomas Barlow, aged 94, died July 25. Funeral, Friday, conducted by Mrs. Mary Morse. Mr. Barlow was a drummer boy in the war of 1812.....The electric of Bonesty Grange furnished the supper last Wednesday night. It was one of their best efforts.....Mr. Morse furnished the green peas for the dinner, and the children the cake and ice cream.....While Harris and Mr. Brown, sons and daughter of Dr. Harris, are making things lively.....Mr. R. L. Daggett has been quite poorly of late, and is under the doctor's care.....J. R. Morse, his wife and wife's sister visited Washington, Me., last Saturday and Sunday.....Mr. Silas Storer and wife, from Brownfield, made a visit to relatives in Waldo town.....It is a girl this time, and Allen Daggett is happy.

SANDY POINT. Schr. Electa Bailey, Capt. Flint, has arrived here from Philadelphia, master, with cargoes of coal for Rose & Howard's.....We now have five regular landings of boats here on Mondays and Mondays, and four on other days during the week.....Mr. Edmund Berry, formerly of Sandy Point, was recently married at Brewer's Corner, Me., to Miss Etta Fuller, of that place. They will reside at No. 278 Stevens Ave., Minneapolis.....Many friends wish him much happiness.....Misses Maggie and Sadie Rose are entertaining friends from Searsport.....Mrs. Ellen Cunningham is very ill.....We are glad to meet Emmie Pendleton and welcome her home to make pleasant our summer visit.....Among the arrivals last week were: Capt. E. F. Rice from Bath, Me., where he is superintending the building of a bark for New York parties; Mr. and Mrs. Austin French, who will remain for the season with them; Willis E. Rice, boat builder of bark Mendocino, New York; the Misses McKenny, of Brooklyn, N. Y.; Gussie of Mrs. S. F. Rice; Mrs. Fisher and child from Grand Falls, Me.; Mr. and Mrs. Flint, from Searsport; while Misses Lunt and Miss Nettie French, from Mount Desert, N. H.; Herbert Lunt, of Bar Harbor; Harvey Leonard.

MONROE. Saturday, July 25th, Mrs. Jennie L. Fort Gardner, closed June 25th, Mrs. Jennie L. Fort Gardner. Quite a number were present the last afternoon to show to the southern lady that the school wouldn't suffer really in the absence and interest to be left by her. The programme was as follows: Address, Lucy Adams; reading, "Our patient," Stella Bachelder; recitation by Hattie Knowlton and declamation by Bertie Bachelder; recitation by Grace Chapman; recitation by Hattie Webb; recitation by Millie Webb; recitation by Tinnie Bachelder; recitation by Stella Bachelder; declamation Chas. Knowlton; reading by Flora Tasker and Grace M. Chapman.....Miss Mabel Webber closed her school in the Thorndyke District last week. The following scholars were not absent or tardy all the term: Lena E. Patterson, Lilla M. Newcomb, Frank D. Hanc. Absent one day only: Elmer Twombly, Warren Grant. Miss Webber takes Monday for Mr. Knowlton's school in Monroe village. She is accompanied by her aunt Miss Mary Southard. Miss Lulie Webber and Miss Anna Twombly.....John Stratford has a small strawberry bed from which there has already been picked more than one half bushel of strawberries and the remainder is not to ripen.

PROSPECT. Miss Ellie May Littlefield entertained a party of her young friends Tuesday, July 2nd from 4 to 9 P. M. on the occasion of her 12th birthday. Some 20 of her little mates and a few of her older friends were present and a merrier company are seldom seen. An elegant supper was served at 6 o'clock. A novel and pretty feature of the table decorations was a quantity of small frosted cakes, each with a tiny dressed doll standing in the center. One was given to each guest to take home. The evening was very pleasantly passed with music and amusing games. Miss Ellie received a present of a very nice music chair from her father and a number of pretty books, cards, etc., from other friends.....Capt. Albert H. Herriman of San Francisco Cal. was the guest of Capt. and Mrs. George Hewett last week. He is a brother of Mrs. Hewett.....We think the oldest pair of twins living in this part of the country are Mrs. Lucinda Avery of this town and her sister Mrs. Melinda Miller, now living in Hampden. They are 81 years of age.....Misses Grace and Susie Rowell are spending the summer with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Lorenzo Rowell.....Charles Nason moved his family to Bangor last week.....Mrs. Freeman Thompson with Harry and Gracie are visiting friends in Holden.....Master Harry Merrill from Hudson is spending a few weeks with relatives in town.....Our dentist, Dr. J. H. Baker, will leave on Friday the 12th for Steuben on a short vacation, returning on the 22nd.....Miss Ada Walker has returned from her visit, and her cousin Miss Hopkins of Searsport is spending a few days with her.....Mrs. C. M. Chase is visiting her brother, W. B. Rich, at Bangor.....Mrs. Moses A. Snow returned last week from Canada where she has been spending the last six months with her husband. She was accompanied by her sister, Mrs. Harlow, and son, of Chicago. Mrs. Snow brought home as souvenirs for some of her friends some beautiful specimens of the Indians work. A very handsome basket and napkin ring made of birch bark and elaborately embroidered with fine porcupine quills in bright colors, the name being worked into the cover of the basket, may be seen at Miss E. M. Hall's store.....Mrs. R. A. Rich is visiting her sister, Mrs. James Hurd.....Mr. Everett Flies and family are the guests of Mrs. Flies' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jennison Grant.....The Fourth of July was a little late in getting to Frankfort this year, but it got there just the same. The Winterport Band helped them celebrate on Saturday evening and quite a number of our people went down to witness their display of fireworks, which was very good.

CAMDEN. Isaac M. Strong, the hardware merchant, died suddenly of heart disease, Sunday night. He leaves a wife, three sons and two daughters. His age was 49.

NORTH HAVEN. Sch. Maud S., Capt. Sanford P. Cooper, is fitting away for the mackerel fishery.....Sch. Oasis, Capt. L. McDonald, arrived last week from Nova Scotia with a load of hard wood, which he took to Vinalhaven to sell.....Dr. Simmons and family have arrived and will spend the summer months at the Naval Hospital or Widow's Island.....Yachts are numerous and pass through the thoroughfare daily on their way to Bar Harbor. The yachts King Philip and Gitana are expected here soon from Boston and will remain in this vicinity.....Parties from Vinalhaven were here last week and went to the pond for lilies.

THORNDIKE. Dog days seem to have lost their reckoning this year and got here ahead of time. Since July came in there has been little or no hay weather. Although grass is forward the farmer casts his eye heavenward and hesitates to take out his mower. Not much hay has been harvested yet in this vicinity.....Miss Emma Mortland, of Searsport, has been visiting the Sayward family and friends in Freedom. She returned home Monday evening.....The young Misses Rich of Bangor, Susie and Annie, daughters of Seth Rich, formerly of this place, are visiting friends here.....L. H. Sayward shot a fine loon in the pond at Sayward's mill on Monday, and has sent him to Belfast to be stuffed and mounted.

HALLOWELL. Charles Cain, a young man living in the eastern part of Montville, attempted suicide last Sunday P. M. by cutting his throat. He inflicted a gash four or five inches long, but did not hit the jugular vein. Dr. A. W. Billings was summoned and sewed the wound up. The Dr. thinks his recovery possible. No reason is assigned for the act. Mr. Cain has always been a very quiet, peaceable man, and attended strictly to his own affairs.....Mrs. Betsey Ann Sawyer, of Knox, is quite sick with erysipelas in her foot and leg.....The Fourth passed off very quietly in this vicinity. But a few from here attended the trot at South Montville.....Very uncertain weather for haying. Friday and Saturday last were nice days, and people went at it with a will and secured quite an amount of hay in the exhibition.

SWANVILLE. Herman Bachelder arrived home from Hurricane last week to assist in getting the hay in.....Arthur Stephenson was at home from Jonesville for a day or two the first of this week.....The Summer term of school in Dis. No. 1 and 2 closed last week. Miss Ritchie of Monroe teacher.....School in Dis. No. 3 closed last Wednesday. Mrs. M. J. Nickerson teacher. The following scholars were not absent one half day during the term: Carrie L. Ford, Edith Gilman, Sebion Gilman, Linda Nickerson, Vinnie A. Nickerson, Clara M. Nickerson, Stella Harris, Celia M. Nickerson, Rattie E. Small, Alice M. Larrabee and Mabel Maddocks.....The school in Dis. No. 7 opened last week. Miss Blanche Ford teacher. This was Miss Fords' third term in Dis. No. 7.....Charles M. Marr and wife, of Orono, have been visiting Mr. Marr's parents a few weeks. Mrs. Marr was summoned home last Friday, on account of her mother's illness.....Prof. F. H. Nickerson and wife arrived in town Monday eve. to spend a few weeks with Prof. N.'s parents.....R. D. McKeen came home from Phillips last week. He has been having a serious time with the mumps, was obliged to close his school four weeks and has other scholars of the disease lurking about him yet.....Miss Henrietta Lucas, Miss Fannie L. Chase, Miss Mary L. Patterson and Miss Maggie Crosby of Belfast were in town last week visiting Mrs. Melinda Black.....Mrs. Miles S. Staples of Belfast has been visiting her old friends in town for two weeks, returning to Belfast Monday.....Miss Emma J. Nickerson left for Bar Harbor Saturday.....Rev. R. G. Harlow of Searsport delivered a very interesting sermon at the church last Sunday. Rev. J. A. Savage of Belfast is expected to preach here in two weeks. If his services are secured notice will be given in the Journal next week.

LIBERTY. The races at the Park the 4th were all that could be expected, taking the weather into consideration. It rained in the morning and continued to rain at intervals throughout the day, and hundreds of people were thus deterred from coming. It was remarked by the President of the Association at 10 a. m. that he did not think it possible to take over $25 at the gate; but the gate receipts were over $200. This with the entrance fees enabled the association to pay the purses in full though they made no money for themselves. The horses were all exceeding as some we have seen, though there was some very good trotting. The Judges were Fred Brown, of Belfast, Hon. L. P. Walker, of Vinalhaven, and H. N. Dennis, of Liberty. The horses were from Jefferson, Thomaston, Albion, Belfast and Montville. In the 3 minute race C. B. Wellington's Combination won two heats and the horses of Charles Piper and Daniel Cross one heat each. This race was not finished owing to the lateness of the hour and the purse was satisfactorily divided. In the 2.45 race "Farden Boy," of Thomaston, won in three straight heats. "Black Diamond," of Belfast, second; "Mack," of Belfast, third. The free for all race was Kennedy's "Watchmaker," of Jefferson in three straight heats; D. McFarland's "Black Monk" the second; B. Wellington's "Minnie," of Albion, third. The 2.27 class "Jim Blaine" entered by Mr. Frost, of Belfast, had a collision on the track and threw his driver, injuring him so that he was unable to proceed and the horse was withdrawn. A very large and respectable crowd attended the dance at Hall st. George in the evening. About 50 couples were on the floor, most of them from out of town. We noticed parties from Unity, Albion and Belfast. The Unity band gave us good music at the Park, also in the streets and at the hall in the evening.....Mrs. Hoyle, of Worcester, Mass., nee Miss Annie Spring, formerly of Montville, is visiting at M. S. Ayer's.....Prof. Frank Porter, of the Boston Conservatory of Music, is visiting his brother, Dr. G. A. Porter.....Miss Maud Mitchell goes to the Butler Hospital at Providence, R. I., Thursday.....Brides are as thick as blackberries in August. We have had a new one at church every Sunday for several weeks.....George Hill, and wife, of Melrose, Mass., spent Sunday in town.....The hay crop in this vicinity will be very large, and the cucumber crop will be very small. Potato bugs were never so numerous as now. Paris Green appears to fatten them. The apple crop will be rather light, but from our experience of last year, no one will lose any sleep on that account.

BROOKS. It may be a bit late, but we wish to specially notice the fine taste and skill displayed by the ladies in the floral decoration of the altar in Union Church on Children's Day. The work was very nicely done, and the sermon by Rev. Mr. Crediford was appropriate to the occasion. And, by the way, one very commendable feature of his work here is that every Sunday afternoon before evening service he makes a short talk, specially for the children. Prayer meetings are held every Friday evening at the church. The next subject is, "How can we grow in grace?".....Friend Omar G. Hussey, who leads the meetings at the Quaker Chapel, was detained at home last Sunday by reason of the serious illness of his child.....Rev. Gideon Mayo of Paris, Maine, was in town last week and called upon his old friends. Your correspondent became acquainted with him years ago when he was a teacher on Mt. Desert Island.....Miss Lizzie sargent closed a successful term of school in the Foss neighborhood last week. We understand that she has the offer of the winter term.....The Good Templar lodge here is just booming. Seven persons joined it by initiation last Saturday evening. There are now about seventy five members, and nearly every member is present at each meeting. They are trying the competitive system now, and have entertainments worth going to hear. Some of the very best people of the place have taken hold of it. Our hall is small and it looks as if we must soon obtain larger accommodations or visit the lodge by relays. Six months ago there were just active members enough to hold the charter.....Mrs. Alice Jones is visiting her father, John H. Gordon.....Rose Peavey is home from Lowell.....Willis Briggs, of Lowell, Mass., is visiting his father, "mine host" of the Briggs House. He has brought his bicycle with him and evidently can out-wheel any chap in this vicinity. The way he spins around the corner here and up and down the hills is worth seeing. Harry Gordon is also an expert in this line and can make very good time.....Mrs. Mittie Gowen, of Waterville, has been in town a few days.....Drew Fogg is home for the summer from Boston.....Mrs. Christiana Dickey is at home from Massachusetts, where she has received surgical treatment at a hospital.....Master John Johnson is home from Boston under treatment for a serious injury to his eye.....Leon Morse, who has been at home sick for some time, went to Boston last week to be treated at a hospital.....John D. Jones, a prominent farmer of this town, was thrown from a horse rake last week and seriously injured.....Chas. Poland was quite badly hurt last Saturday by the giving away of a staging upon which he was standing at work upon Lane's new house. Chas. Lane was also thrown to the ground and severely bruised. A few days before Alphonso Rasdall narrowly escaped breaking his leg by a fall from the same building.....Mr. Harris has a crew at work on the new Leathers house, which is being built upon the site of the old Hill Tavern stand, and the building is now up and covered.....Hill Lane is at work a little and feels much better.....Mr. Jacob Webster has his house up and boarded.....Harvey Staples is getting ready to put out a lot of jumpers and sleighs for next winter.....Mr. Chas. S. Bickford has been in town a few days, looking after the business of Swan & Sibley.....Miss May Bradford of Thorndike was at McTagart's last week.....Mr. Dow has another case of nice slippers and walking shoes. He is said to be doing a good business here and evidently tries to keep a good assortment of merchandise in his line.

...The "Glorious Fourth" passed off very quietly but pleasantly here. The boys and children indulged in torpedoes and fire crackers to a limited extent during the day, and in the evening Master Millard Chase, through the generosity of his grandfather, Michael Chase, pleased the crowd with a very creditable display of fireworks. The evening of the 5th, John H. Gordon gave a very fine exhibition of his skill in that line, and the people who witnessed it were much pleased with his patriotism and liberality.

Searsport Locals.

SIX funerals in town last week.

C. H. Monroe is in Boston on a business trip.

Henry Lanpher was in town one day last week.

F. W. Colcord of Newport, R. I., is visiting his mother.

The factory sent 25 cases of shoes to Boston by boat Monday.

Mrs. Hill Rogers arrived Wednesday and is the guest of Miss H. K. Nickels.

Julia and Mabel Eames, of Ashland, Mass., are visiting Miss Lucia Edwards.

W. D. Smart's grandson cut his ankle badly last week by jumping onto a scythe.

Sch. Lizzie Lane sailed Monday for Somes' sound to load paving for N. Y.

Capt. H. G. Curtis and a large party took an excursion to Turtle Head Tuesday.

Our haymakers are out in force and large quantities of good hay are being stored.

W. O. Barney, though 65 years old, is champion foot ball player in East Providence.

Albur Holt fell from a load of hay Monday and nearly dislocated his right shoulder.

Harry Nason, at the hotel, is meeting with good success in disposing of Sunday Globes.

Schooner Lizzie M. Eells, Capt. Greenlaw, discharged a cargo of coal for Lane Monday.

The porgies are again with us and our local fishermen are making preparations to try them.

Fred Kane left Monday for New York to join bark Hudson, loading for Adelaide, Australia.

The hulled corn and milk cart of Tyler Crockett is one of our institutions and is well patronized.

Miss Margaret Sweetser, who has had charge of the school at Pennyville, Me., arrived home Saturday.

John Murphy left by train Monday for Wilmington, Delaware, to go steward of steamer Mount Waldo.

Nicolas Parse, Peter Ward and Chesley Mathews left for Camden Monday, to work in Bean's shipyard.

C. F. Adams and wife went to Riverside, R. I., to spend the Fourth and are visiting friends in that vicinity.

The ladies of the Methodist Society presented Mrs. LaMarh with a handsome comforter a few evenings ago.

Herbert Staples, whose infant child died on steamer Penobscot last week, arrived from Philadelphia Friday.

News was received here recently that Edwin S. Marsh, aged about 23 years, was drowned near Grinnell, Iowa. No particulars.

Any person finding a pair of eye glasses will confer a favor on the loser, a lady, by leaving them at the American Express office.

Miss Henrietta K. Nickels, and Caroline, daughter of Capt. J. Fred Nickels, arrived from New York Thursday and will spend the season here.

Pete Monroe, who was thrown from a carriage the evening of July 4th, by the breaking of a wheel, and severely injured internally, is convalescing rapidly.

At communion service last Sunday two persons were received into the Methodist Church. In the evening Rev. I. H. W. Wharff, Presiding Elder, gave a good sermon.

Arrivals: Mrs. Jane Rockwood, 4 yrs; Cyrus Carr, C. C. Carley, Fred Park and wife, and Capt. C. A. Colcord; Joe Perry and wife, Mrs. C. A. Lewis, Julia and Margaret Sullivan.

W. O. & C. Barney recently filled a large order for Babbitt's patent boat anchors. They also have quite a call for their patent umbrella holders, which are coming into general use on open carriages in summer.

Clair Harriman, the three year old son of C. D. Harriman, who was operated on successfully about two weeks ago for club foot, by Dr. Weeks, of Portland, is doing finely under the care of Dr. E. W. Gould.

The Searsport Improvement Society are requested to meet at the Y. M. C. A. rooms Friday evening to vote upon the constitution and by-laws to be submitted by its committee. It is hoped a large number will be present.

Mrs. Emery Sawyer and daughter Sarah had new potatoes for dinner last week, raised in their own garden; they also have under cultivation vegetables of all kinds, in fact one of the best gardens on the shore road.

Henry D. Rollins of this place, a seafaring man, aged 36, attempted suicide Monday morning by taking a half box of Rough on Rats. He will recover. No cause is known for the act, and Mr. Rollins does not know why he took the poison.

Capt. and Mrs. J. T. Erskine have the sympathy of a large circle of friends in the loss of their little daughter, Esther Lucie, who died at the residence of Capt. B. F. Pendleton, in Brooklyn, N. Y., aged 16 months. The remains came by steamer Miller and were buried at the Harbor Tuesday.

The McKeag sisters, Marie, Harriet, Catharine, and Alice, of Brooklyn, N. Y., and Margaret and Sallie Rice are enjoying the hospitality of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Hamilton during a three days' stay at Swan Lake. Buckboard drives to our seashore resorts, with a trip to Mount Waldo, is a part of their programme.

SEARSPORT HARBOR. The first sociable for the season met last Tuesday afternoon and evening at the residence of Capt. and Mrs. I. B. Staples. There was a very large attendance and the occasion was much enjoyed. Rev. D. W. Hardy's family were among those present and are now the guests of Mrs. Sarah H. Pendleton.

ON THE MOVE. A. H. Lorimer moved into his new house on Main Street Tuesday. Mrs. Dodge moved into the Merrill house same day. Wednesday T. H. Decrow moved into the Moore house, which he recently bought, and Mrs. Hardiman moved into the Moore house. Mr. C. H. Moore will move Friday, and Michael Kane will move into the house he vacates.

Charles Smith, widow of the late H. D. Smith, died July 8, aged 89 years, 4 months, 17 days. Mrs. Smith was the oldest person living in town and up to a very recent date her mind had been clear and her memory of events that took place in the past good. Her maiden name was Soule. She was born at Halifax, Mass., Feb. 21, 1800, and could trace her descent direct from Miles Standish. She was the oldest of five children, her parents dying when she was quite young. After marrying she took two of her sisters, brought them to Maine, educated them, and it was always a source of comfort to her to know that after their return to Massachusetts they taught school. Mr. and Mrs. Smith came to Searsport from Duxbury in 1831 and have since resided here, the past thirty-five years living in the house where they both died, her husband dying eleven years ago. She joined the Congregational Church June 1st, 1834, and ever lived an exemplary Christian life. Two sons survive her—George F., who resides in Searsport, and had the care of his parents, and has truly been a support to their declining years; and Rev. Edwin Smith, who is located at Lowell, Mass., pastor of the Congregational Church there. The funeral took place from her late residence Wednesday and was largely attended.

NORTH SEARSPORT ITEMS.

Herman Chase came home from Enfield to spend the Fourth.

Fred A. Scribner came home from Monroe to spend the Fourth.

Norn Thompson picked one quart of raspberries the first day of July.

Hay is turning out in this vicinity nearly a third better than last year.

Those who went to Stockton Springs to celebrate the Fourth speak of enjoying a fine time.

Mrs. Addie Morse, of Searsmont, Spiritualist, spoke before a large audience in Whitcomb's hall last Sunday.

Vida Thompson, a little daughter of Ed. Thompson, was taken violently ill last week, but is now doing nicely.

Misses Mamie A. Ward and Lillie E. Scribner came up on the stage the Fourth to attend the ball in Marden's hall.

G. C. Seavey, of this place, played the organ at the dance on the Fourth of July at Manson George's in Prospect.

The Fourth of July ball in Marden's hall was a grand success. Between fifty and sixty couples were in attendance, who enjoyed themselves hugely. Excellent music was furnished by Albert Eames, of Stockton Springs, S. L. Hammonds and Henry Richards, of Searsport.

As Frank Cunningham, a young man in the employ of J. M. Savery, was returning from the Fourth of July ball at Marden's hall, his horse shied into the ditch and overturned his buggy with himself and two young ladies. The buggy was somewhat damaged, but fortunately neither Cunningham nor his lassies were much disfigured.

Miss Hattie Felker recently closed a very successful term of ten weeks school in the Sargent district, Searsport. This was Miss Felker's first term of school and she gave excellent satisfaction. The following pupils were not absent for the entire term: Blanche L. Robinson, Harry A. Robinson, Elva L. Sargent and Jessie A. Innes. Absent only one half day: Leo M. Sargent.

School in Dist. No. 7 closed Friday, the 28th ult. It was taught by Miss Susie Gould, of Dixmont. This was Miss Gould's second year in this school, and she has won the esteem of both scholars and parents. We can truly say that Miss G. is one of the best instructors that can be found. The following pupils were not absent for the term: Kate M. Kneeland, Henry W. Kneeland, Frank W. Woodman, Raymond Ward, Eddie Ward, George Porter and Eddie Porter. Absent only one half day: Ruth Staples and Herman Stevens.

A very promising Constellation colt arrived at the stable of J. M. Savery on the 3d inst. They have a 6 one yearling and a two-year-old from the same sire and mare. The two-year-old stands 16 hands high and weighs 1050 pounds; color dark bay. If there is another two-year-old in Waldo county that can beat this one we should be pleased to hear from him. The dam of these fine colts was sired by old Buchanan, which was owned by W. H. Mathews, who was formerly proprietor of the Searsport House. Buchanan had a record of 2 28.

POORS MILLS. The temperance concert given by the Sunday school on Sunday last was well attended and a success in every way. The pieces were good and well rendered. The choir assisted by some from other places furnished excellent music and remarks were made by Miss A. Hicks of Belfast and others. The concert was enjoyed by all and we hope our young friends will favor us with another at no distant day. In the afternoon Rev. G. B. Chadwick preached an able sermon; and will preach here again in two weeks and we hope to see the house well filled.....Haying engages the attention of the farmers at present and everyone is busy.....Alfred Jackson has sold his boarding house in Belfast and returned to his farm, where all are glad to see him.....Miss Josephine Prince of Bucksfield is visiting Miss A. P. Simmons.....Miss Daisy Bean is visiting Mrs. Stimpson.

Register of Deep Water Vessels.

SHIPS.

Abner Coburn, G. A. Nichols, sailed from New York May 22 for San Francisco.

A. J. Fuller, T. P. Colcord, cleared from San Francisco May 25 for Liverpool.

Alameda, Chapman, cleared from New York July 2 for Portland, O.

Belle of Bath, C. Curtis, sailed from Liverpool, Eng., June 2 for New York; spoken June 20, lat 46, lon 11.

C. C. Chapman, Hichborn, arrived at Hong Kong previous to June 22, from New York.

Centennial, B. F. Colcord, sailed from Saugor April 22 for New York.

Charger, D. S. Goodell, sailed from San Diego, April 18 for Hong Kong in ballast.

Daniel Barnes, J. S. Stover, sailed from New York June 15 for Yokohama.

Elizabeth, J. H. Colcord, sailed from Liverpool June 6 for New York; passed Tuskar sth.

Frank Pendleton, W. G. Nichols, at Yokohama June 15 for Tacoma.

Frederick Billings, Sherman, sailed from New York May 10 for San Francisco.

Gov. Robie, Amos Nichols, sailed from New York May 20 for Shanghae.

Henry B. Hyde, Phineas Pendleton, sailed from San Francisco March 11 for Liverpool; spoken April 1, lat 13 33 N, lon 121 W.

Henrietta, J. C. Gilmore, sailed from New York April 10 for Shanghae; spoken May 27, lat 14 S, lon 22 W.

Iceberg, F. W. Treat, arrived at New York June 1, from San Francisco.

Iroquois, A. V. Nickels, arrived at San Francisco May 15 from Baltimore (loads for New York).

Jacob E. Ridgeway, F. G. Watson, sailed from Philadelphia April 16 for San Francisco.

John G. Fleming, Pendleton, arrived at San Pedro June 10 from Newcastle, N. S. W.

Josephus, Thomas Rogers, sailed from Newcastle, N. S. W. April 13 for Hong Kong.

Llewellyn J. Morse, Savory, arrived at Queenstown July 7 from San Francisco.

Louis Walsh, Pendleton, sailed from San Francisco July 1 for Port Townsend.

Lucy A. Nickels, C. M. Nichols, sailed from Yokohama June 14 for Tacoma.

Luzon, J. Park, arrived at Cebu, no date, from Hong Kong.

Manuel Llaguno, Edw. Smalley, cleared from Philadelphia Feb 28 for Hiogo; sailed from Breakwater March 5; spoken April 7, lat 7 S, lon 31 W.

Mary L. Stone, A. L. Carver, sailed from New York April 24 for Shanghae.

Nancy Pendleton, J. N. Pendleton, at Yokohama June 15 for New York.

R. R. Thomas, J. B. Nichols, sailed from Port Hadlock June 5 for Valparaiso for orders.

Raphael, Harkness, sailed from New York June 20 for Penang.

Robert L. Belknap, Staples, arrived at San Francisco. May 23 from Nanaimo.

S. P. Hitchcock, J. B. Nichols, sailed from San Francisco June 29 for Liverpool.

San Joaquin, Drinkwater, arrived at Hollo from Sydney, N. S. W., April 29; in port May 18, to load dry sugar for L. S.

St. Mark, A. H. Nichols, sailed from New York Feb 25 for San Francisco.

St. Nicholas, C. F. Carver, sailed from New York April 21 for Yokahama.

St Paul, Williams, sailed from New York March 24 for San Francisco; spoken, no date, lat 16 S, lon 36 W.

State of Maine, E. D. P. Nickels, arrived at New York June 12 from Hong Kong.

Thomas Dana, L. C. Dow, sailed from New York March 9 for Yokahama.

Tillie Schumacher, Eben Curtis, sailed from New York March 28 for Portland, O.; spoken May 2, lat 18 S, lon 34 W, all well.

W. H. Graves, J. W. Walnutt, arrived at Havre July 2 from San Francisco.

Wandering Jew, D. C. Nichols, arrived at Melbourne June 5 from New York.

Wm. Mason, Amesbury, Liverpool for N. Y., spoken June 26, lat 41 20, lon 50 50.

Wm. H. Conner, J. P. Batman, arrived at Sydney, N. S. W., June 27 from New York.

Wm. McGilvery, S. Dunbar, sailed from Valparaiso Feb 25 for Talcal.

BARKS.

Adam W. Spies, A. D. Field, sailed from Hong Kong April 5 for Callao.

Adolph Obrig, Peterson, Philadelphia for Hiogo; passed Delaware Breakwater March 30.

Beatrice Havilah, Hilvener, sailed from New York June 12 for Rosario.

Belmont, Heagan, arrived at Port Spain May 30, from Boston; to port June 7.

Carrie E. Long, Fred Park, sailed from Boston May 17 for Montevideo.

Carrie Heckle, Colcord, sailed from New York June 11 for Port Elizabeth.

Carrie L. Tyler, H. T. Lancaster, arrived at Macassar May 4 from Newcastle.

Clara E. McGilvery, Colcord, sailed from Barbadoes June 20 for Bonaire.

C. F. Dixon, F. L. Carver, cleared from New York March 16 for Tahiana, and sailed from Hart Island Roads 23, spoken April 1, lat 35 N, lon 15 W, all well.

Edward Cushing, sailed from Boston Feb 6 for Montevideo.

Edward Kidder, F. L. Griffin, sailed from Singapore April 29 for New York; passed Anjer May 18.

Emma T. Crowell, A. S. Pendleton, sailed from New York Mar. 6 for Hiogo; spoken April 8, lat 3 N, lon 25 W.

Escort, R. G. Whitehouse, at Singapore May 20 for Hong Kong.

Evanell, Colcord, sailed from New York April 5, for Montevideo; spoken April 20, lat 30 N, lon 47 W.

Flash Reed, A. F. Whittier, sailed from Boston April 12 for Buenos Ayres; spoken May 21, lat 1 N, lon 29 W.

Hattie G. McFarland, Dodge, arrived at Montevideo Feb 27 from Boston; in port May 9, for New York.

Havana, Rice, cleared from New York July 3 for Manila.

Hayden Brown, C. H. Havener, arrived at Manilla May 21 from New York.

Hudson, S. J. Curtis, arrived at New York May 5 from Allepy.

Henry Norwell, S. S. McGilvery, arrived at Zanzibar May 5 from New York.

John J. Marsh, F. P. Whittier, arrived at Philadelphia April 15 from Matanzas.

James G. Pendleton, Lancaster, arrived at Hiodo prev to June 13 from Melbourne.

John E. Chase, Parks, sailed from Portland June 3 for Rosario; spoken June 6, lat 16 50, lon 26.

John M. Clerk, Pendleton, sailed from Boston April 3 for Sydney, N. S. W., spoken May 15, lat 14 12, lon 32 34.

J. W. Dresser, Parker, arrived at Delaware Breakwater July 8 from Cienfuegos.

Lima, Carver, cleared from Montreal May 31 for Buenos Ayres.

Mary F. Russell, N. S. Nichols, arrived at Barbadoes July 2, from Santos.

Moonlight, Dunbar, sailed from Portland July 7 for River Plate.

Mary S. Ames, Crocker, sailed from Port Natal May 17 for Philadelphia.

Nereid, W. A. Griffin, arrived at Brunswick June 28 from Boston.

Penobscot, T. G. Eaton, cleared from New York June 1 for Singapore or Penang; spoken June 6th, in lat 28 26 N, lon 68 34 W.

St Lucie, J. T. Erskine, arrived at New York June 16 from Baltimore.

Wakefield, W. S. Crowell, cleared from New York June 21 for Wellington and Lyttleton, N. Z.

Willard Mudgett, Crocker, cleared from New York June 18 for Callao.

BRIGS.

David Bugbee, Stowers, at Barbadoes June 26 for Delaware Breakwater.

Ernestine, H. B. Whittier, sailed from Ponce, P. R., June 12 for Yalaroo, to load for Portland (would leave Yabacoa about 27th.)

H. B. Hussey, Hodgdon, arrived at Charleston July 2 from Boston.

H. C. Sibley, G. W. Hichborn, on the passage from Bangor to Aspinwall.

H. H. Wright, Wm. Meyers, sailed from Portland June 13 for Rosario.

I. W. Parker, Kane, arrived at New York May 21 from Zanzibar.

Jennie Flye, Allan F. Elwell, arrived at Rio Janeiro May 15 from New York; in port June 1.

Sparkling Water, Hichborn, sailed from Kingston, Jamaica, June 20 for Black River.

SCHOONERS.

Benj. Fabens, R. B. Condon, sailed from Demerara June 1 for N. Y.

Carrie A. Lane, Dyer, arrived at Altata May 28 from San Francisco.

Clara L. Colcord, Patterson, sailed from Baltimore July 6 for Bangor.

Dione, Raynes, arrived at New York June 25, from Jamaica.

Harriet McG. Buck, Putnam, sailed from Buckshie, S. C., July 5 for Point a Pitre, Guad.

Herald, Heagan, sailed from Pensacola April 26 for Rosario.

John L. Treat, McClure, arrived at New York June 20 from New Haven.

Lackawanna, Closson, arrived at Perth Amboy June 30 from New York, and sailed July 3 for Searsport.

Lizzie Kaminski, S. E. Woodbury, sailed from Charleston July 5 for New York.

Lizzie Lane, A. G. Closson, sailed from Searsport July 5 for Somes Sound to load granite for N. Y.

Lucia Porter, Grindle, arrived at New York June 25 from Fernandina.

Mary A. H. M. Yeazie, cleared from Philadelphia July 5 for Fernandina.

Roger Moore, Gilkey, cleared from Portland May 2 for St Pierre, Mart.

Sarah E. Wentworth, Wentworth, arrived at Boston July 3 from Antigua.

Warren Adams, Colcord, arrived at Boston July 5, from Hoboken.

Welaka, Cottrell, arrived at Gloucester July 5 from Cadiz.

William Frederick, Woodbury Burgess, arrived at Boston June 5 from Cadiz.

Willie L. Newton, Coombs, arrived at Fall River July 3 from Brunswick, Ga.

SHIP NEWS.

PORT OF BELFAST.

ARRIVED.

July 6. Sch. James Holmes, Ryan, Boston.

July 7. Sch. Mary E. Corson, Robinson, New York; Sarah C. Ward, ——, Boston.

SAILED.

July 6. Schs. Howard Holder, ——, St. John; E. L. Warren, Colson, Boston.

July 8. Sch. Nellie S. Pickering, Flowers, Bangor.

July 9. Sch. Nellie V. Rokes, Hatton, Deer Isle

AMERICAN PORTS.

Boston, July 3. Arrived, schs. Mary Eliza, Morrissey, Bath; M. B. Milliken, Dyer, Philadelphia; 4, arrived schs. Flora Rogers, Bradford, St. Simons, Ga.; Cyrus Hall, Coombs, Darien, Ga.; 6, arrived, sch. Odell, Wade, Belfast; 8th, arrived schs. Mary L. Peters, Williams, Hoboken; Brunette, Knox, Searsport.

Philadelphia, July 2. Arrived, sch. Isaac Oberton, Tritton, Bangor; 3, arrived, sch. Stella M. Kenyon, Williams, Bangor; 8, sailed brig Fidelia, Blake, Bangor.

Baltimore, July 2. Arrived, sch. Edwin A. Gaskill, Hollman, Belfast; 6, sailed, sch Yale, Simpson, Boston.

Bangor, July 2. Cleared, sch. Leonessa, Pattershall, New York; 3, cleared sch. Hannibal, Pendleton, New London; 6, cleared, schs. Susan N. Pickering, Haskell, Annapolis; Kit Carson, Smith, Philadelphia.

Portland, July 5. Cleared, sch. Mattie B. Russell, Collins, Kennebec and Philadelphia; 6, arrived, brig Stockton, Allen, Boston (to load for South America); 8, arrived sch. A. W. Ellis, Ryder, New York.

Portsmouth, N. H., July 6. Arrived, sch. King Philip, Coombs, Newport News.

Georgetown, D. C., July 2. Cleared, sch. Yale, Simpson, Baltimore.

Jacksonville, July 1. Cleared, sch. Flora Condon, French, Fall River; July 2, cleared, sch. St. Johns, Gilmore, New York (and sailed from Fort George 5th); 5, cleared, sch. Nettie Langdon, Crawford, New York.

Charleston, July 1. Sailed, sch. Melissa A. Willey, Hall, Darien, Ga., and Boston.

Newport News, July 2. Sailed, sch. King Philip, Coombs, Portsmouth, N. H.

Perth Amboy, July 2. Arrived, sch. Sarah D. J. Rawson, French, New York.

New London, July 3. Arrived, sch. Webster Barnard, coastwise.

Bucksville, S. C., July 5. Sailed, sch. Addie Jordan, Harriman, New Haven.

Bath, July 8. Sailed, sch. Thomas W.

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Belfast, March 28, 1889.—1yr13

Poem.

WRITTEN FOR THE VINALHAVEN CENTENNIAL CELEBRATION, AND DEDICATED TO ITS SETTLERS OF A HUNDRED YEARS AGO.

Rounded and fair as an arch of a tempio,
Steadfast and calm as a snow clad peak,
Clear as the notes of a war sounding bugle,
Deep toned and stern as when multitudes speak,

So to our hearts that are humanly beating,
Scratch their lives in the days that are done;
Thus does our work seem trifling and empty,
Thinking of them and their victory won.

Sowers, they reaped not the full fruitful harvest,
Toilers, but others the benefits gain;
Ours the pleasures and light ways of living,
Theirs self-denial and oftentimes pain.

Sternly old ocean mounted up its warning,
Dark looked the forest and black locked the shore,
Wrecked the wild seaboards like grey ghostly phantoms,
Mingling their cry with the hoarse breakers' roar.

Yet were their hearts fraught with triumph beating,
Fair was the haven, no more would they roam;
Bright were their hopes as they ended their journey,
Here was a kingdom the Kingdom of Home.

Fell the good forest in tribute before them,
Bowed its arch lored to their keen sturdy blows;
Lo! the wide places around and about them,
Builded and blossomed like Sharon's fair rose.

Cradled in the arms of the loyal old ocean,
Sheltered in the bosom of the hoary hills,
Long have they slumbered, our sturdy forefathers,
Careless alike of fame and renown.

Builders! thy work shall endure till the trumpet,
Calling the nations from East and from West,
Sounds its wild notes through heaven's vast archies
And summon earth's myriads to their last long rest!

Fair be thy future, our beautiful village!
Famous the clink of their own toilers' steel!
Blessed thy name the country shall be,
Rise in thy homely rustic hearted might!

God of our fathers, protect, chide and guide them,
Temper the winds that over thee sweep!
As in the years that have blossomed and fallen,
Watch o'er thy children, thou Mighty One, keep!

ANNA E. COUSENS.

Casco Bay.

If you sail on Casco Bay
When fields are green and skies are gay,
And watch the flame-capped waves at play,
Where lime and sea-birch hands in fervent,
As from a wild herald, the gale is light,
Your soul, like bird, at burst of day
Will rise to name a joyous flight.
Midst summer isles of Casco Bay,
Of Casco Bay, sweet Casco Bay,
Midst summer isles of Casco Bay,
Midst summer seas of Casco Bay.

Oh, wild and glad and exciting fun,
The ripples sparkle from your prow,
As scudding, scudding, now
When Venus decks the evening's brow,
And where the islands stand apart
The ocean waves roll in to play.
Some tribute from the sad-eyed heart
To cheer the wearied sailor's way.
To Casco Bay, O Dearest Casco Bay,
Your soul imbibes the sad-eyed spray
And sings with lovely Casco Bay.

Down sinking channels shadows run,
And shimmer on the green hollow tides,
And, becoming like a far-off sun,
Where Hesperides gem the isles,
You hear the breakers' sullen roar
And watch the waves ascend in spray
While tall schooners, full and free,
Dip Casco Bay, Dear Casco Bay,
The white sails fill and leave away
The happy ships on Casco Bay.

Benjamin S. Parker, in The Century.

Literary News and Notes.

General Sherman's book has reached a sale of 40,000 copies.

Baker Hall, the well-known publisher, is dead.

Tennyson has received \$10,000 for his first poem, "Locksley Hall," when it was published.

Bret Harte's new book will be entirely unlike anything he has written and printed.

The Popular Science Monthly, issued from 25 Pemberton Square, Boston, contains useful knowledge for all classes of readers, and is richly worth the low subscription price of \$5 per year.

Golden Days is one bright week's issue would, if published in a volume, form a handsome, instructive and entertaining book for the fireside. The enterprising publishers spare no expense to keep it in the front rank of juvenile literature, and the large number and high quality of its readers, and its patrons, attest its excellence. James Elverson, publisher, Philadelphia.

The Home Maker for July is full of things highly interesting to housekeepers, as usual. There is an illustrated article on Gaining a Home, telling of Brattony, where Rhinelander H. Howard's developments center. Mr. Marion Harland's history of Oak Hill for the LIVING Age Magazine, of New York, is continued, and Oak Hill silver is given a full page illustration. The household hints are worth reading by every body.

The Cosmopolitan for July contains a handsomely illustrated article on the clubs of Chicago, with portraits of their principal officers. The Eiffel Tower is graphically described by Camille Flammarion, and Mabel Osgood Wright, Sophie B. Herrick tells about those curious forms of vegetation, known as "pitcher" plants. Judge Ward Howe continues an interesting article on the anti-slavery struggle. Gail Hamilton continues her sketches of the humor of Phillip Spencer. Mr. Edgar L. Davis contributes an account of the American Bonapartists. There is an article on tandem driving, besides several illustrated pieces of fiction. It is an interesting summer throughout.

The manuscript of a completed novel has been unearthed among the papers of the late D. R. Locke, of "Petroleum V. Nasby" fame. The novel has been the work of years with the author. He desired that its reputation should rest upon it, and it was only a short time before his death that he completed the final chapters. The title of the story is "The Demagogue," and its scene is laid in Northwestern Ohio, the characters being of the Western rural type. Politics enter largely into the career of the hero, and in the delineation of this principal character of the story Mr. Locke's peculiar powers will doubtless be seen at their best. The novel will be published serially, beginning next month, in the Toledo Blade, the paper which Mr. Locke owned and made famous by his "Nasby" letters. The manuscript is the only unpublished piece of work by the dead writer in existence.

W. J. Bok writes to the Boston Journal: In about a fortnight a huge edition of General Grant's "Memoirs" will be put on the presses for fall and winter trade. The publishers were showing the some features in connection with this book which were, to say the least, startling. They showed that up to date 325,000 sets of the book had been printed and sold, making 640,000 volumes. I presume the books cost the Websters (publishers) about a dollar a volume to make at the outside, which, with the agents' commissions off, leaves a profit of some four dollars on every set sold of the cheapest edition. A book agent tells us the cost per volume is only 47 cents. Eh! The Grant family receives 10 per cent. of the profits, and therefore, at the closest calculation the income to them thus far from the work must be close on to \$300,000. I make but meagre allowance in these figures for the more expensively bound sets sold, upon which the profit is larger.

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There are many who would like to see the laws against property rights materially softened," wrote the editor; the next day he received a communication from the Club of United Crooks to the effect that the membership was with him to a man.

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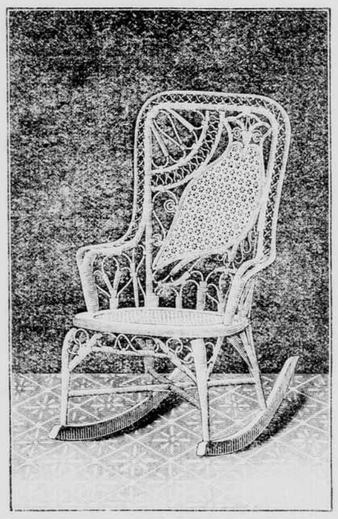

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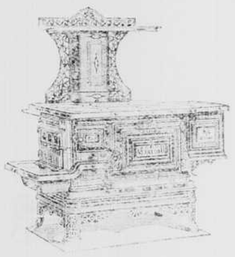

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JOHN W. FERNALD, Clerk.

Belfast, June 27, 1889.—3w27

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Whereas, Mary A. Ellis, of Belfast, in the County of Waldo and State of Maine, by her mortgage deed dated the twenty-fifth day of March, A. D. 1889, and recorded in the Waldo Registry of Deeds, Book 277, Page 39, conveyed to the undersigned a certain lot of land situated in said Belfast, and bounded and described as follows, viz.: Beginning at the northeasterly corner of the lot at the junction of Miller and Pearl streets; thence northerly by Miller street one hundred and twenty-five feet; thence westerly by land now or formerly of Mary A. Ellis one hundred and twenty-five feet; thence southerly by land now or formerly of Mary A. Ellis one hundred and twenty-five feet to Pearl street; thence easterly by Pearl street one hundred and twenty-five feet to the place of beginning, containing about three hundred and fifty square feet, more or less, with the buildings thereon; and whereas the condition of said mortgage deed has been broken, now, therefore, by reason of the breach of the condition thereof, I claim a foreclosure of said mortgage deed.

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