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A Gross Misrepresentation.

The Wine and Spirit Gazette is a New York paper devoted to the perpetuation of the liquor business, and consequently is an advocate of prohibition. Its editor, recently, in an article on misrepresentations about prohibition in Maine, let the following fall from the lips of Jan. 28, would hardly be expected:

PROHIBITION IN MAINE.

A VISIT TO A FEW TOWNS AND CITIES.

Portland, Bangor, Belfast, Waterville, etc., have been visited by a representative of the Gazette, who has just returned to this city. It was the intention of the writer to extend his tour into the interior of the state, but unexpected circumstances made it impossible to do so. The towns visited, however, afford a fair basis for a correspondent to form a correct idea of the workings of the prohibitory law, and the following is the result of observations made during a few days' sojourn in the state. Prohibition is not prohibition in Maine, but it is a fairly good imitation of it. Liquor is not sold openly in any of the towns visited, but it is not to be inferred from this that there is no place where it can be obtained. Far from it. Every town has from one to half a dozen places where it is sold, and in some towns it is sold openly in defiance of the law. In Portland, for instance, there are about 300 places where it is sold, and in Bangor there are about 200 places where it is sold. In Belfast, Waterville, Augusta, Gardiner, Rockland, Rockport and other towns it is sold in from one to a dozen places in each town. In Portland, Bangor, Belfast, Waterville, Gardiner, Rockland, Rockport and other towns it is openly sold by druggists who have government licenses to sell it for medicinal purposes. The druggists do not deny that they are selling it for other purposes than that for which they have government licenses, but they say they are compelled to do so in self-defense, as their trade would be ruined if they refused to sell. Druggists who have government licenses to sell liquor for medicinal purposes are not the only persons who are selling it in defiance of the law. Every druggist who is not a prohibitionist is selling it, and many of the druggists who are prohibitionists are selling it. Druggists who have been in the business for years and who have always been considered reliable men are now engaged in the liquor business, and they say they are compelled to do so in self-defense, as their trade would be ruined if they refused to sell. Druggists who have been in the trade for years say that the quality of the liquor now sold is much better than that which was sold before the prohibitory law was enacted, as the druggists who are in the business now are men who have a reputation to sustain, and they cannot afford to sell the villainous stuff that was sold by the men who were in the business when the prohibitory law was enacted. The druggists who are in the business now are men who are in the business to stay, and they cannot afford to ruin their reputations by selling adulterated liquor

Maine Matters.

NEWS AND GOSSIP FROM ALL OVER THE STATE.

THROUGH NORTHERN MAINE.

Engineer in charge Frederick Danforth, of Gardiner, and Hon. Parker Spofford, of Rockport, have returned to Bangor from an extended tour through Aroostook county, having traveled 500 miles, and from Matawamkeag to Presque Isle, through Patten and Houlton. During this time they noted carefully the lay of the lands, the streams, soils, ranges of hills, ledges, mountains, etc., all in the interest of the coming Northern Maine railroad. After careful deliberation these gentlemen are confident the entire line need not be over 116 miles in length, and it is thought even this distance can be lessened some miles. There need not be a bridge more than 100 feet in length; no grade over 65 feet to the mile, and the line will be located with a view to 55 feet grade. Practically it is settled that the new road is to be built, though the present position of the company has not been reached without a severe struggle. The New Brunswick road, a foreign corporation, has had for years the cream of the business from this "garden of Maine," of the most fertile sections of cultivated territory in the Eastern portion of the country, and they did not quietly release their hold on it. Report had it that their influence in the towns has been exerted to the utmost, and in Houlton, the banner town of the county, the Provincials had a strong following, dividing the press of the place. But this sentiment has undergone quite a change for the better and now but a few hundred dollars more are needed to complete the $100,000 subscription asked of the several towns. Over $90,000 have been pledged and the remainder is expected to be booked this month. This money is not to be paid until the road is finished to Patten, when the towns along that part of the line will be asked to pay in their portion.

THE GOOD SCHOONER POLLY.

This now noted craft, before mentioned in our columns, is attracting a good deal of attention. A despatch to the Boston Herald reports her arrival at Provincetown July 11th as follows: "Shooper Polly, Snow, from Bangor, with a cargo of lumber, arrived here to-day. The Polly is probably the oldest vessel in active service that flies the American flag. Built in Amesbury in 1801, she is 85 years old; was rebuilt in 1814, but still such was the good condition of much of her timbers and wood, that a large part was put back, and her model is the same to-day as when first launched. During the war of 1812, rigged as a topsail schooner, carrying four small guns and one long 32, she did good service as a privateer, capturing several prizes, which were taken into Salem. She was captured by the English man-of-war Newcastle, a prize crew put on board with some of the original crew, and started for Halifax, N. S. The Americans on board recaptured her and put into Portland, Me., where the British prize crew were imprisoned till the close of the war. She has been employed in the lumbering business, and of late years in the lumber coasting trade. During her long life she has never been wrecked, but has several times been run into, and in every case the fault has been with the other party. Her sailing qualities are excellent, and Capt. Snow says, with pardonable pride, that it takes a Burgess boat to beat her.

THIS IN KENDUSKEAG AND EAST CORINTH.

A disastrous fire in the town of Kenduskeag last Wednesday night destroyed a block containing three stores, the bridge across the stream, three blacksmith shops and a grist mill. By the utmost exertions the hotel was saved. The block was owned by Mrs. Sarah R. Smith of Berwick and occupied by W. H. Shaw, grocer, W. J. Clements, grocer, and R. S. Hodgdon, jeweler. Dr. Benjamin Ivey lost over the store. He saved most of his effects. The fire is a severe loss to the town. The grist mill was owned by Matthew Lincoln.

Fire was discovered at 2 o'clock Thursday morning in Frank Riley's furniture store at East Corinth. It was communicated to the drug and jewelry stores of Dr. T. S. Philbrick and Charles S. Gilman, the dwelling house of Frank Tribble, the blacksmith shops of Rodney Kingsbury and Luther Marrow, the two story building owned and occupied by C. L. Edmunds as the Milliners' Union, and the store of H. A. A. Cochrane. These buildings were entirely destroyed, but a part of the stock was saved. The loss is estimated at $10,000, while the insurance is not over $2,000. The fire is supposed to have been set by burglars, as the jewelry store had been blown open and rifled of its contents. The incendiaries are probably the same that set the fire in Kenduskeag the night before.

BAR HARBOR LAW AND ORDER LEAGUE.

The Law and Order League of Bar Harbor has taken upon itself the work, for the season, small one, of preventing the sale of liquor in Maine's most popular summer resort. Accordingly, having failed to make any headway by the search and seizure process, they resolved to try another method. The scheme was to take the names of such people as should be seen going into the suspected places, and then inquire what they drank. This was done and the majority of the replies were "Whiskey." The law provides a penalty of not less than five dollars fine and thirty days in jail for each offence, only securing five or six of their names it would imprison the offender for the season and make the cost considerable. Wednesday, July 10th, this plan was tried, and as a result four of the dealers were brought before a court, and all but one, who was allowed to go on a promise to return at two o'clock, are now under arrest. There has been a general stampede of the others and the place looks like a desert land; two, however, were taken in Ellsworth, Thursday. The two largest saloons in the town have not been troubled, but the other dealers say, "If we are not allowed to sell, the big dealers shall share the penalty; they have evidently planned for themselves, and well."

MEMBERS OF THE CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR.

The Philadelphia Press in its account of the great national meeting of the Society of Christian Endeavor, recently in session in that city, has the following to say of well known Maine people: Rev. Dr. Pierce, of Bath, the president of the union, is the clergyman who started the order eight years ago. He has just received his D. D. degree this year from Dartmouth college, where he graduated in 1876. He is the editor of the Golden Rule, the official organ of the society, and is the author of a number of religious works. He is a man of wide culture, a pleasant speaker and a man of nervous temperament. After he started this organization he remained in Portland four years and then went to Boston in church work for another four years. He has no church now, having given up his whole time to this object. Another prominent delegate is W. H. Pennell, of Portland, Me. He was the first signer of the original constitution, and is a Christian plumber. In early life he was a sailor. He has a large heart and is wrapped up in the Christian Endeavor idea. He is a trustee and always attends the meetings.

NEW PENSION EXAMINING BOARDS.

The commissioner of pensions has established new boards of pension examining surgeons in Maine as follows: One in York county, one at Bath to be called the Bath Board, one at Damariscotta to be called the Damariscotta Board, one at South Paris to be called the South Paris Board, and one at Fryeburg to be called the Fryeburg Board constituted as follows:

Bath Board—J. R. Westcott, Bath; C. A. Pearce, Wiscasset; C. E. Lancaster, Bowdoinham.

South Paris Board—Isaac Rounds, South Paris; C. M. Bisbee, West Sumner; C. D. Hill, Bethel.

Fryeburg Board—D. Lowell Lawson, Fryeburg; W. L. Getchell, Brownfield; S. A. Evans, Conway, N. H.

Damariscotta Board—A. R. G. Smith, Whitefield; E. E. Sutton, Damariscotta; J. T. Salisbury, Waldoboro.

York Board—John O. Lord, W. J. Maybury and J. E. Kimball.

A SHIPPING EXPOSITION.

Maine shipbuilders and shipowners will be interested in the Shipping Exposition, which will be held at Madison Square Garden, New York city, from the 21st of September to the 26th of October next. The object of the Exposition is to "bring to the attention of the people the possibilities of our shipping; to show that the United States are well able and well equipped to-day in a general way for the most extensive kind of shipbuilding, if the people will but give the enterprise the necessary backing." It is, however, to be an international affair also, and invitations have been extended to the shipbuilders and others of several European countries, prominent among which are England, Germany and France. At this time the members of the International Maritime Conference are expected to be in the United States; and, as the Conference of American Nations will also be in session, the delegates from the South and Central American Republics and from Mexico will also be here.

THE MAINE STATE FAIR.

The Maine State Agricultural Society has issued its premium list for the 28th annual fair to be held at State fair park, Lewiston, Sept. 10-13 inclusive. A bureau of entertainment will provide suitable places among the citizens of the two cities to entertain visitors. The secretary should be addressed at Portland until Aug. 31, after which he will be at the fair grounds till the close of the exhibition. The plan of having special days has worked so well that it will be continued this year. September 10th will, therefore, be children's day, when any under eight years of age will be admitted free and the 13th will be aged persons' day, and all over eighty will be admitted free and will be entitled to free seats in the grand stand, during the grand exhibition.

THE PEDDLERS' PERPLEXITIES.

The enforcement of the peddlers law, enacted by the last legislature, is causing quite a commotion among that quite numerous class who earn their livelihood by selling goods from place to place. There seems to be a general lack of knowledge among them concerning the application and provisions of the law, and the Secretary of the State is in receipt of a swarm of letters of inquiry, and is kept very busy answering them, and it is no small task to do so, as considerable legal investigation is required to give correct solutions. Up to Friday last applications for State licenses had been granted to six peddlers, which at $50 each turned $300 into the State Treasury. Thirty applications for State, town and county licenses have been made and granted in all, each one yielding the State $1.

PROHIBITION IN PENOBSCOT COUNTY.

There is a decided improvement in the enforcement of the prohibitory law in Penobscot County, and the Bangor Whig is dealing effective blows against the liquor traffic. It submits the following irrefragable propositions:

"That there is absolutely no plea to be made in favor of rum-selling."

"That it is patent that liquor-saloons are ulcers that eat into the life of a community."

"That every interest of family, of business, of good morals, of happiness of young or old is grievously assailed and imperilled by the dealing out of intoxicating drink."

IN GENERAL.

Mrs. Margaret Deland, the author of "John Ward, Preacher," is stopping at Kennebunkport.

The Biddeford Salvation Army has disbanded and the barracks are being converted into a club room.

A million dollars is said to be the sum Boston capitalists are willing to give for the Portland Spring property, and the sum that the Rickers are not willing to take.

Judge L. A. Emery, of Ellsworth, and family have gone to their summer cottage, at Hancock Point, to spend the summer.

It is understood that a syndicate of wealthy New Yorkers has been formed for the building of an electric road from Augusta to the National Home at Togus.

At a fire inquest held in Ellsworth, to investigate the burning of the house of Mrs. Monroe Young, the jury rendered a verdict of "cause unknown."

William Dean, son of Robinson Dean, left his home in Buckfield the afternoon of the Fourth of July, since which time all efforts to find him have been fruitless.

The late Charles P. Wiggin carried an insurance policy of $20,000 upon his life. It was one of the heaviest held by any Bangor man.

Fire was discovered in the extension which is being built on the Thorndike Hotel, Rockland, Thursday evening about 7 o'clock. It was extinguished without much damage.

The valuation commission is making strenuous efforts to obtain the services of Mr. Geo. E. Sawyer, of Wiscasset, as clerk of the commission. Mr. Will E. Perkins has been appointed stenographer.

Five thousand crow bounty blanks have been issued from the State Treasurer's office up to this time and another edition has been ordered. It is reported from the country that the sable bird is becoming scarce.

The Lastport Board of Trade has delegated two of its members, Eza Rumery and Chas. E. Martin, to visit Massachusetts and vicinity with the purpose of inducing some manufacturing industry to locate there with the aid of local capital.

The work on the Dexter & Piscataquis R. R. is now being pushed, and the road bed is already graded more than two-thirds of the distance from the junction in Dexter to the Piscataquis River.

Hon. Harry Brown, of Portland, has received a letter from Simmons, the sculptor, saying that the model of the large figure to surmount the Soldiers' Monument is nearly finished and he hopes to have the statue completed before winter.

The North Star says Lincoln Shain of Mars Hill, who went to Washington last spring to look after a legacy left him by his sister, Mrs. Emmons, has returned, bringing with him his share of the estate, about ten thousand dollars.

Capt. Samuel B. Hall, a retired Maine shipmaster, died recently in Pascagoula, Miss., where he had resided for eight years past. He was born in Damariscotta, 68 years ago. A widow and two daughters survive him.

Secretary Blaine has bought from Mr. Martin Cone, the well-known livery stable keeper of Calais, a pair of dark bay horses with black points, which will be used at Bar Harbor, and probably take to Washington this fall.

At the meeting of the stockholders of the Sewall Safety Car Heating Company, the following officers were elected: Directors D. D. Sewall, E. B. Stout, John B. A. Harris, George Burnham, Jr., George M. Gray, H. S. Osgood and Albion Little; treasurer, Charles B. Stront; clerk, J. T. Woodward.

Hon. Hannibal Hamlin, now in his 81st year, writes to a friend in New York that his health was never better, and that he can walk with ease from ten to fifteen miles a day.

The largest keel ever seen in Bath has just been completed at the yard of A. Sewall & Co. It is of the toughest kind of Maryland oak, such as made the ancient orbs seek the grinds—from 13 to 15 feet long, 20 inches deep and 15 to 2 inches thick.

It is stated that the cost of making the round trip to Gettysburg on Maine's day, Oct. 3rd, will not exceed $22 per capita, provided one hundred and fifty tickets are sold. The sale of five hundred would bring the expenses down to $10.

A woman named Jordan Latty went from Lubec to St. John, Friday, Thursday, she came from Hallowell, Me., and was bound for Lubec to die. She became violent and after a terrible struggle was handcuffed by the police. Afterwards becoming quieter she was sent to her destination.

The law prohibiting the sale of cigarettes to boys under sixteen is already beginning to bear good fruit. The Bath Independent states that the sale of cigarettes in that city has decreased 75 per cent, and the morals of boys improved.

It is related that an Eastern Maine farmer sold hay in December for $20 per ton; in March for $16 per ton and in June at $13 per ton, all out of the same mow and same quality of hay as is supposed to be, it shows that the expectation of shortage did not realize.

Mrs. Geo. Hatch of Bowdoinham died very suddenly Friday afternoon. She left her home to go to raspberrying at about 12 m., and nothing was seen of her again until about 4 p. m., when Mrs. Rhoades, a neighbor, was picking berries and came across her dead body in the bushes. Her death was caused by heart disease.

A relative of Mr. Blaine, speaking of the authorship of the "Arthur Richmond" letters, says that Mr. or Mrs. Blaine, he cannot remember which, asked Gail Hamilton if she was the author of them, and she said she was not. Mr. Blaine also put the same question to Miss Thorndike Rice, and the gentleman would give no definite answer.

The store of R. O. Pinkham and the post-office at East Holden six miles from Bangor, were broken into Friday night. Twenty dollars in stamps, a gold watch and other goods were stolen. The Maine Central depot at the same place was also broken into, but nothing of value found.

The old Farrington Farm at Bath is being put to a novel use. A gentleman from Massachusetts is engaged in raising pigs for roasting to supply the Crawford House, Boston. They are fed on Indian, fresh food, and are disposed of at six weeks old.

Grand Master Chase of Portland, assisted by other officers of the Grand Lodge, dedicated the new Masonic Hall in Machias July 10. The hall is finely finished and furnished and is one of the best in the State. South still like it in Washington county were represented. Nearly 200 Masons with ladies were present in the evening. A grand banquet followed the exercises.

The new public building in Augusta will be furnished and ready for occupancy by Nov. 1. It will contain the postoffice, United States court room and pension office. It was began in 1886, and the total cost when finished will have been $195,000. The building is of granite and will become of the finest architectural structures in New England.

The July number of the "Cadet" published by the students of the Maine State College marks the debut of a new board of editors. The department are well conducted and show that the judgment of their faculty in their appointments was not misplaced. Some pithy editorials adorn the first pages and produce a most interesting number.

The places under consideration for the location of the new insane asylum in Bangor are as follows: The Mosher place, on the Webster road; the Hersey place, on the Essex road; the Dr. Evans place, on upper Broadway; the Wyman and Humphrey places, above the arsenal, on Essex street; the Gen. Hodsdon place, on Stillwater avenue and adjoining land; the Gulligan place, on Mount Hope avenue; the Spratt and Egery farms, on the Orono road; the estate on Thatcher's court, below the city poor farm, all in Bangor; and the two Burr farms in Brewer.

There is said to be trouble among the proprietors of the Eastern State Fair, and it is reported that the president, Mr. J. P. Bass, has taken possession of Maplewood Park, upon the ground that no rent had been paid to him for the use of the grounds. Messrs. Bass, Beal and Sterns are joint and equal owners; and these three, as an incorporated body, leased the lands of Mr. Bass for a term of years. Whether the complications will hurt the prospects of the fair is not yet known.

MAINE GOSSIP. It is now the plan for Mrs. Harrison to accompany the President to Bar Harbor the last week in July on a three days' visit to Secretary Blaine. It will be their first visit to the Maine coast.....Out of 13 candidates for the position of Principal of the Cony High School at Augusta, the Directors have selected Mr. J. H. Parsons of the Westbrook High School. Mr. Parsons is a graduate of Bates College, and was for nearly eight years Principal of the Maine Central Institute at Pittsfield.....Mr. and Mrs. Blaine have returned to Bar Harbor.....The Aroostook Direct Line appears to be an assured thing. Bridgewater which had previously voted $6000 has recently pledged $2,500 in addition and her citizens stand ready to contribute $6,000 more if necessary.....C. G. Sterns, the head of the great lumber firm of C. G. Sterns & Co., of Bangor, died Tuesday morning. He was 75 years of age and would have celebrated the big steam mill.....A most violent thunder shower passed over Bangor and vicinity Saturday night. A house and barn were struck and burned in Hermon, with 4 horses, 4 cows, 12 tons of hay and farming tools. The house of Bradley Patten, Hampden, was struck and burned to the ground, with all its contents. The family escaped. A bed in the house of Arthur York received a bolt and three posts were shattered. Several trees were struck. The shower was also very heavy in Calais..... Report of the United States engineer officers, in charge of the river and harbor improvement, received at the war department, show the following estimates of appropriations necessary for the prosecution of the work in Maine next year. York Harbor, $10,000; Saco river, $65,000; Channel Back Cove, Portland Harbor, $50,000; other harbor improvements in Portland, $65,000; Kennebec river, $150,000; Rockland Harbor $175,000; Rockport Harbor $5,000; Moosabec Bar, $25,000....Among the nominations made by Governor Burleigh, Tuesday, are: Trustee of Soldiers' and Sailors' Home at Bath, Franklin M. Drew, Lewiston; Trustee of State College of Agriculture and Mechanic Arts, William T. Haines, Waterville; Inspector of lime, James Richards, Belfast.....A special from Chicago says the engagement of Emmons Blaine and Miss Anita McCormick, the second daughter of the late C. H. McCormick of reaper fame, is announced.

IN BRIEF. August Rosenberg of Somerville Mass., early Saturday morning murdered Mrs. Catherine Smith, with whom he was living, and her two children, and then took his own life. Mrs. Smith's husband committed suicide about a year ago by jumping overboard from one of the Portland steamboats.....Mr. Henry C. Bowen, editor of the Independent, was thrown from his carriage Saturday afternoon and it is feared was badly injured.....The Commander-in-Chief of the G. A. R. does not discourage a large attendance at the National Encampment, notwithstanding the action of the railways.....The Chicago butchers refuse to supply the Washington butchers with meat to fill their contract with the Government institutions.....Gov. Lowry thinks that the New Orleans and Northwestern Railway is liable to forfeit its charter by the recent acts in connection with the Sullivan-Kilrain fight.....The announcement of the Canadian Grand Trunk Road to make a reduction from 16 cts. on all grain rates to a basis of 20 cents per 100 pounds created an unreasonable sensation in New York Saturday.....A New York dispatch of the 14th says: The recent increase in the price of ice from $3 to $4 per ton, is beginning to be severely felt by the working classes and the smaller tradesmen whose business requires the use of large quantities.....It is said that the prohibitory article in the proposed North Dakota Constitution has been promised thus far the support of 20 of the 70 delegates.

Generalities.

The American cricket team has defeated the Scotch team at Edinburgh.

Admiral Gherardi reports no change in the situation at Port au Prince.

A slight earthquake shock was felt in Charleston, S. C., Thursday evening.

Chicago citizens will raise a large fund to aid the prosecution in the Cronin case.

A permit has been granted the Massachusetts rifle team to enter France as an armed body.

There is a yearling colt by Sidney that California expects to see beat the 2:31 1-2 of Nutbaine.

The wife of ex-President John Tyler, died in Richmond, Va., July 10. She was 69 years of age.

Wm. Renshaw has defeated Ernest Wrenshaw and retained the world's championship in tennis.

Julian Hawthorne's five daughters bear the names Hildegarde, Gwendolen, Gladys, Beatrice and Imogen.

W. K. Gordon's Guy trotted an exhibition mile in 2.11, at Cleveland, July 10, breaking his record a quarter of a second.

The Grand Army of the Republic numbers 199,000 more than it did five years ago. The total membership is 417,500.

Secretary Windom has decided that hereafter hand presses shall take the place of steam presses in the bureau of engraving.

Mary C. Fuller, a daughter of the chief justice, has been forced to give up the study of music in Berlin by nervous prostration.

S. L. M. Barlow, the distinguished lawyer, dropped dead from heart failure at his home, "Elsinore," near Glen Cove, L. I., July 10.

Kilrain has left for the north. Both are looking well, Kilrain not suffering from body blows. Sullivan says he will not fight any more.

J. L. Case, owner of Jay-Eye-See, has gone abroad. He reports the black wonder sound and level, and believes he will lower his record this summer.

The committee of the French high court recommends that Boulanger, Dillon and Rochefort be arraigned on a charge of conspiracy against the State.

Secretary Tracy has ordered a court martial in the case of Captain Harrington, who stranded the gunboat Kearsarge on Constellation near Norfolk on the 18th ult.

The witty Frenchman, Paul Bourget, who as "Max O'Rell" has won fame as a keen critic of men and manners, is coming back here to lecture in the fall.

J. Hayes Winnicki, son of the Methodist bishop of California, was shot dead by J. L. Crooks at Benicia, Cal., Monday, in a quarrel over a newspaper article.

The St. Joseph (Mo.) Refining Company has been absorbed by the sugar trust and closed down for three years. About 175 persons are out of employment.

Lord Dunraven is anxious to sail the Valkyrie against a representative yacht of the New York club, and requests Gen. Paine to act for him in the matter.

Hon. R. G. Horr of Michigan, recently appointed United States consul at Valparaiso, has stated that under no circumstances would he accept the appointment.

It is supposed that Elmer H. Williams, who has disappeared from Coudersport, N. H., leaving large liabilities, and, it is alleged, forgeries behind him, is in Canada.

A cable dispatch says that Miss Gwendoline Cadwell, who gave $500,000 to found the Catholic University at Washington, is engaged to Prince Murat of France.

Secretary Tracy will put out in a few days proposals for the purchase of old tons of steel plate for use in the battleship Texas, now being constructed at Norfolk.

Margaret Mather has won her law suit with J. M. Hill, her old manager, who attempted to prevent her playing under her new contract with Gilmore and Tompkins.

Miss Mary Wanamaker, the daughter of the postmaster general, who is described as a beautiful and accomplished girl, will make her debut in Washington society next fall.

The celebrated French artist, Meissonier, who is 78 years old, is shortly to be married to Mlle. Ka-ucon, sister of his lawyer, and his housekeeper for the last twenty years.

L. C. Evans, advertising agent at 204 Washington street, Boston, has failed. Liabilities, $40,000; assets $22,000. He is offering a compromise at fifty cents on the dollar.

Rhode Island's Legislature met July 9 in extra session to enact a law to regulate the liquor traffic. Several license bills were introduced, and the Assembly adjourned until July 16.

Mme. Gronsky, the widow of the marshal who lost the battle of Waterloo for Napoleon by not coming in time to it, died in Paris on June 18. She was 86. Grouchy died in 1847.

The war ships Atlanta, Yorktown, Boston and Chicago will leave New York city about the 10th of August for an eastern cruise. They will probably stop in Portland harbor on the way.

The officers of the vessels wrecked at Samoa, with the exception of Surgeons White and Nortfleet, have been ordered to their homes from San Francisco, where they arrived last Saturday.

The Boston & Maine railroad authorities began the enforcement of the interstate commerce law Monday, by which full fares will be required of excursion parties going outside the State.

Representative Wm. D. Kelley's private secretary denies emphatically the report that Kelley's health is rapidly declining. Mr. Kelley is preparing for a tour through New England.

White Caps tried to flog August Belz at Appleton, Wis., Sunday night, but he drew a bowie knife and slashed right and left. One man is fatally injured and half a dozen others slightly.

The ministerial Union of Charleston, S. C., has adopted resolutions deprecating the state of affairs which permits murder and other crimes to go unpunished. This action is a result of the acquittal of McDow.

Col. Preston, the Haytien minister, declares that there is no doubt but that the ill-fated war ship Madrid was blown up at sea with dynamite placed in her hold before she left New York by Gen. Contreras.

Mr. Robert Porter, superintendent of the census, says that no more applications for offices in his bureau will be considered and no more appointments made, except those already decided upon until September 1.

George W. Moore, manager of the Rockingham House, Bar's Head Beach, committed suicide last Saturday evening. Mr. Moore was late manager of the Maverick House, East Boston, and was widely known throughout New England.

The New York Times says that Postmaster General Wanamaker has fixed the rate to be paid for telegraphic despatches by the government at one mill per word instead of one cent per word as heretofore. The Western Union will try to have the rate changed.

The citizens of Seattle, through the Associated Press, return thanks for the sympathy and material aid tendered them by the people of this country since the late disastrous conflagration there. The address states that the city is being rebuilt as fast as money and men can do it.

The Grand Army circular against the railroads because of the latter's refusal to grant a low rate to the Milwaukee national encampment was issued in Chicago Thursday. It requests all comrades out of self-respect and in self-defence to forego attending the national encampment, excepting duly elected delegates.

It was semi-officially announced at the White House Thursday that an extra session of Congress would be called between Oct. 15th and Nov. 1st. This decision was reached after consultation with nearly all the Republican members, the majority expressing the opinion that an extra session should be called.

News from the Marshall Islands received at San Francisco shows that American traders there are being treated with great injustice by the Germans, and that the recent complaints from Americans and English men at Samoa are trifling as compared with what the merchants on the Marshall Islands are compelled to suffer from German greed and intolerance.

In round figures the expenditures to date for relief in the Conemaugh Valley, Johnstown and vicinity, aggregate $1,700,000. This includes the work of the Pittsburg, Johnstown and Philadelphia committees and the food commission, also disbursements of the State in the abatement of nuisances and payment of the military detailed to staff and police duty.

President Harrison is in receipt of communications from officers and professors of the leading American colleges, and from students, urging that steps be taken towards the founding of a national university to promote higher education in America. The plan which finds most favor with the teachers is a union of Washington of the principal colleges of the country upon a basis not prejudicial to the local continuance or value of these universities.

The English syndicate is still busily engaged in an attempt to secure possession of several Minneapolis flouring mills. Options have been given the Englishmen on several of the largest milling concerns in the city, which would give the purchasers a combined capacity of 22,000 bbls. of flour per day. It is stated that if the deal be consummated C. A. Pillsbury will manage the entire business, which will be capitalized at from eight to ten million dollars.

J. Rouse, a deckhand on the steamer Walter Brett, of the Catskill and New York Steamboat Company, purchased liquor at the boat's bar, and while intoxicated fell into the Hudson River and was drowned. His infant daughter sued for $4,000 damages, and the jury awarded her the full amount. Judge Edwards has refused the application of the company for a new trial. The outcome of this decision, in all probability will be that no more intoxicants will be sold to employes of steamboats on the Hudson.

After a careful examination of the evidence furnished by Judge Foster and County Attorney Libby in the trial of Dr. A. F. Irish for liquor selling, Governor Burleigh will withhold his approval of the council's vote for pardon.

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Our Home Production.

With the manufacturing facilities which America possesses and the protective policy which encourages new industries while strengthening the old ones, it is not astonishing that this country is in many branches of industries becoming independent of Europe. No better example of this industrial enfranchisement can be found than the trade in ready-made garments. As regards such garments for men the importation is, if not altogether a thing of the past, so small as not to be worth mentioning. In ladies' ready-made garments the importations are of sufficient magnitude to attract the attention of the statistician, although the value of our home production is many times larger than the value of imports.

Complaints are being made in Germany about the decrease of their trade with America in cloaks and suits. While we were formerly good buyers of these articles, the trade has to a certain extent changed to the purchase of models only, which are then reproduced by the thousand in the New York factories. [U. S. Economist.

This from a trade journal of ability, and a recognized authority on textile materials and manufactures and the dry goods trade, is conclusive evidence as to the wisdom of a protective policy. And what is true of the manufactures above named is equally true of many others, while competition between our home manufacturers has cheapened prices to the consumer. Yet the Democratic party would destroy the industries of this country and place the people at the mercy of foreign manufacturers.

By the way, speaking of dances a Bath gentleman who has attended the recent balls in Belfast and Rockland was pleased to notice at these affairs the absence of children and pertinently observes to the Independent that Bath could copy to advantage in this respect the cities named. [Bath Independent.

The Independent then goes on to say that: "At most of our shipping city balls one too often finds children of both sexes present who would be better off by far at home in their little beds instead of posing as Lilliputian belles and beaux in the recreation of their seniors," concluding with the sage advice: "Keep the kids at home."

A Boston despatch says: "There is a rumor about town that a strong wing of the Democracy urge the nomination of the great pugilist, John L. Sullivan, for next Mayor of cultured Boston." Cunniff, the Democratic boss, rather intimates that there may be something in the report, and says "John would be sure to make a good fight." That depends. Sullivan has come off victorious when in the ring, but has invariably been floored in his contests out of it. He would, however, be an ideal Democratic candidate, and would no doubt be warmly supported by the Mugwump contingent.

The Democratic papers have circulated a report that Secretary Blaine has tendered his resignation to take effect in September next. To give plausibility to the story they quote the President as saying "to a friend that further action in regard to changes in diplomatic and consular services would be deferred at least two months. This would seem to explain an anticipated change." But would not the fact that Mr. Blaine is taking a two month's vacation afford quite as good an explanation?

Our summer resorts have not thus far received the patronage anticipated, mainly because there has been little hot weather in the cities, where the season has been cool and wet. More perfect weather than the past two weeks for enjoying life on the Maine coast, or at our inland resorts, could not be desired, and we wish there had been more to enjoy it.

Joseph H. Manley has been appointed postmaster at Augusta, vice L. B. Fowler removed for inefficiency, as shown by a recent report of postoffice inspectors. [Exchange.

Yes, he is plain Mr. Fowler is a Democrat. [Machias Union.

Yes, but it not rather rough on your party to assume that inefficiency stamps him a Democrat.

The Belfast business directory, in rhyme, having attracted so much attention we publish this week a later attempt in the same line, entitled "Gravelling the Road." In this connection the reminiscences of a former resident, published on the first page, will be read with interest.

We propose that the Tom Reed editor of the Herald go on his summer vacation at once. [Boston Evening Record.

Why not give the Blaine editor a vacation also and send them to Africa to look for Stanley?

The Portland Argus has Secretary Blaine "crushed" over the appointment of a postmaster at Togus. The Argus uses a good many things that are not so.

Augusta is suffering from "a malignant type of the base ball fever." Where is the board of health?

District Number 12, East Belfast.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE JOURNAL: It was my privilege on Saturday afternoon, to visit the school in Dist. No. 12, East Belfast, Me., Miss Desire S. Abbott teacher, and witness the excellent closing exercises of the term. Many of the parents and friends were present, and a well arranged programme was rendered, consisting of, first, a temperance song by eight girls; next a very creditable examination in History and grammar of Kate Taylor, Minnie Young and Charlotte Frost, followed by declamations by Minnie Cunningham, Annie Estes, Cassie Curtis, Verretta Crocket, Milfred Mason, Josephine Mixer, Lena E. Leavitt, Gertie Carrow, Abbie Mixer, Flora Sherman, Nina Shute, Nina Crockett, Renaworth Rogers, Raymond Rogers, Elvin Hanson, Eddie Curtis, Alfred Shute, Charlie Carrow, Wyatt Carrow, Blanche Mason, Edith Mason, Geneva Coombs and Lillian Hanson, interspersed with singing by Cassie Curtis and Blanche Mason. The programme closed with three excellent essays, prepared and read by Annie Young, Kate Taylor and Charlotte Frost, each showing careful preparation and a thorough study of their subjects, worthy of special public notice, and reflecting great credit upon their teacher also. Several visitors responded to an invitation to make remarks, and the teacher and scholars were highly complimented upon the great progress made. BOSTON.

Belfast, Me., July 15, 1889.

The Coming Meeting of the Waldo T. H. B. A.

Interest is centering in the trials of speed to come off at the Waldo T. H. B. Association Park in this city at their first meeting the 13th and 14th of August, and the fast ones, both colts and horses, are being put in order for the sport. The trit stallion race is what will draw the crowd. It is evident they are to be driven for all they are worth. Elmbrook is still on the State Fair Park being worked daily and will come here from the Fairfield race; Haroldson is on the park here and is showing extra points under the careful training of Mr. Littlefield, while Thackamah gets his regular daily constitutional in his old driver's hands.

The bills and particulars will be out soon. The track is in good condition and is daily visited by scores of interested horsemen, while the colts are being hardened and trained for the word "go."

Another Knights Templar Pilgrimage.

Mr. J. N. Wood, of Lewiston, was in Belfast Monday, to make arrangement for a pilgrimage of the Lewiston Commandery, Knights Templar, to Penobscot Bay. Mr. Wood was accompanied by his wife. The Lewiston and Auburn Knights, with a band, will leave that city on Tuesday, July 23 on a special train. Arriving at Belfast the new steamer Castine will be in waiting to transport them across the bay to Islesboro, where the company will stop with Landlord James Withee, of Johnsons by the sea. Tuesday the 23d, the company will come to Belfast and take dinner at the Crosby Inn, where rates will be laid for 120. While in Belfast the visitors will make a short parade and do the town, leaving for home in the afternoon. The Lewiston Knights were wise in selecting a route for their pilgrimage, as there are no lovelier places in Maine than the Penobscot Bay resorts.

Funeral of the Late Wm. Pickering, Jr.

The funeral of Wm. Pickering, Jr., occurred this forenoon from his late residence on LaFayette street, Portland, and the attendance was larger than to more than till the house. The city government was represented by Mayor Raymond, Aldermen Tierney, Bettis and Mowlet, President Jordan and Common Councilman Cogswell, City Treasurer Sewell and others. Gen. Cogswell was present. There were also delegations present from Canton unity, Androscoggin lodge and encampment, Fraternity and Essex lodges of Odd Fellows, North Star lodge, K. of P., John Endicott lodge, A. O. U. W., Naumkeag tribe of Red Men, Thorndike club and other organizations. There were numerous floral pieces. The grand jury, of which he was a member, sent an elegant foliage wreath, composed of tropical leaves, with all their gorgeous colorings. It was nearly three feet in diameter. There was a pillow from Naumkeag encampment, a wreath from Canton unity, and a "Gates Ajar" from the Thorndike club. [Salem, Mass., Evening News, July 10.

The Youngs are the Oldest.

Moses Young, of Searsmont, Me., and Aaron Young, of Lyon, Mass., were born April 14th, 1808. They claim they are the oldest twins in America, being 81 years of age and alive to-day. There is another pair in the West who are 81 years who claimed they were the oldest, but they were born in May instead of April, so the Youngs are older. [The Independent, Ch cago.

A Trip into the Interior of Maine.

The sail from Belfast to Bangor, at this season of the year, is a most delightful one. Last week it was my pleasure to make the trip on the steamer Rockland, a boat deservedly popular on the Penobscot Bay. The boat is well officered, fast and comfortable. The first stop is made at Fort Point, to land passengers for The Woodcliff. The click of the mowing machine was heard on both sides of the river, as the farmers are now harvesting Maine's staple crop. All the villages along the route are now at their best and are securing more than the usual quotas of summer visitors. At every landing were eager friends to welcome the visitors, and the amount of osculation was something wonderful. As the boat approaches Bangor evidences of a great business centre are seen. First are huge ice houses, where Maine's staple winter crop is stored, and large vessels taking the congealed Penobscot water on board to cool the people of less favored climes. Dozens of two and three-masters and two monster four masters were seen. A new feature on the river this summer, and one not relished by our coasting marine, are the huge barges that in tow of steam tugs bring down large cargoes of coal and take back less thus depriving our coasting vessels of their legitimate business. These barges are old barks and ships that have outlived their usefulness in the deep water carrying trade, and divested of their lofty top-hamper have become merely hulks of burden. We noticed one, the Sumner P. Reed, once a fine ship commanded by a Searsport man, but now doing this menial duty. Next came the lumber mills that turn out millions of feet per year.

Bangor is now the scene of a temperance crusade. The Whig has taken off its jacket, as it were, and is calling for a rigid enforcement of the prohibitory law and is well backed by public sentiment. There was a sad need of such a movement, as Bangor has had a bad reputation, in this respect, in the past. We judge there is some liquor yet sold, for a drunken man in front of the Bangor House kept the occupants of the front rooms awake half of the night.

Bangor is ahead of her sister cities in regard to electricity. The city has put in a plant and does its own lighting. It has 140 arc lights in the streets and is said to be the best lighted city in Maine. Another improvement is the street electric railway. The track is laid on the surface at one side of the street, and the power is furnished from a wire overhead. The cars are like the ordinary street car, but with a dynamo underneath, while from the top of the car is an arm reaching upward on an angle, with a pully on the end of this arm which runs along on the under side of the overhead wire. The speed of the car is regulated by a brake. The car moves rapidly without any visible means of locomotion, and is something of a surprise to a person not familiar with the arrangement. At night electric sparks flash from the rails. The Penobscot Electric Company is a success.

The objective point of the trip was Danforth, a town in the northern part of Washington county, eighty-eight miles east of Bangor, on the European and North American Railway, now a part of the Maine Central system. The population is less than 1,000, but it is a smart and thriving village. It is situated on the Baskahegan stream which water power runs several lumber mills. Lumbering is the principle business. A new Methodist Church is in process of erection. The visit of the Grand Lodge of Maine Odd Fellows was to institute a new lodge of that order—Danforth, 118. There were sixteen charter members and twenty-three applications for membership. The promoters of the lodge are among the first people in the place. The meetings are held in the Masonic Hall, in a large building overlooking the village. The Noble Grand of the lodge lives twenty miles from the lodge room, but he proposes to be on hand at every meeting, although in order to do so he must leave home at 2.45 in the afternoon, take the train for Danforth and return home by rail at midnight. In the cities some members cannot visit their lodge when they live but two blocks away.

In going from Bangor to Danforth many thriving villages are seen, but after leaving Mattawamkeag the route is through a dreary waste. At Mattawamkeag the new line, the Megantic railway, strikes the Maine Central. This road bids fair to become a much traveled route.

The Grand Officers returned to B

Willie H. Bray, of this city, a very ingenious young man, has just put in a system of electric bells at the Windsor Hotel.

EXCURSION. The Baptist Society of this city made an excursion Wednesday on steamer Electa to Hewes' Point, Islesboro, and Cushing. A basket picnic was served, and the trip was a very pleasant one. The weather was fine.....There will be a moonlight excursion on steamer Castine this evening, from Belfast to Islesboro and return.

The cigar dealers of Boston are not allowed to sell their goods on Sunday, but as the druggists are allowed to keep open on that day the latter had exclusive sales of cigars. The cigar dealers are entering complaint against the druggist for Sunday sales and last week Mr. W. A. Houston, formerly of this city, a druggist, was fined $10 and costs.

CLOSING INN. There are now twenty permanent summer visitors at Crosby Inn and more coming.

Mr. Hopkins, of Washington, D.C., has come to spend months..... One day last week every room in the hotel, except seven, was occupied. The house is having a remarkable run.....Crosby Inn was photographed Monday, including the ovoid and bouquet, and makes a fine picture.

Mr. F. H. Nickerson, who for two years was the successful principal of Dexter High school, which position he resigned to become Prof. of Latin and Science at Maine Central Institute, has been unanimously elected principal of Westbrook high school, in Saco, Me., at a considerably increased salary. The resignation at Maine Central Institute is very much regretted by all.

The Sea Breeze will begin to close in this month, as usual. It will be Vol. XI. and one of the oldest juvenile school journals in Maine. A last issue will be sketched to Pinehurst Bay resorts, including Belfast, Northport, Islesboro, Castine, Sunport, etc., and future originally contained in North port. The publishers, Brockett & Co., in Mill St., Belfast, are ready to receive subscriptions and advertisements.

Mr. H. L. Woodcock's corps of contractors giving a view down the bay from the hill back of which mention was recently made in the Journal, was placed in exhibition yesterday to the gaze of a few of Col. W. Rickard's friends, and others, it appeared, it is Mr. Woodcock's second attempt in this line, and he is to be congratulated upon the success in his attempt.

ADAMAS. The fabrics of the North Adamas are being plastered with a new mortar compound of calcined, furnished by the Boyd Stucco Adamant Co., Boston. It costs 25 cents per square foot, and is ready for use, excepting the addition of water. The advantages over lime and sand mortar is that it is a cement and is fireproof, and it is said it never cracks nor can be injured by the most severe frosts. It is a fine experiment in fireproofing.

The three passenger schooners building in Goldsmith's yard, Thomaston, are quite forward towards completion, and will be launched in about one month. The vessel will be sent to the stocks without name. Mr. Gilmore will then lay the keel for the new schooner which he contracts to have on the ways by next fall. We learn that Mr. Gilmore has contracted to build a four masted schooner, but has not yet decided whether or not he will build in Belfast, although the chances are that he will decide on it.

A TEMPERANCE BOOM. A remarkable temperance was put on record last week at the office of the Register of Deeds. A father desired a curse to his son, in this county, and the son in future gave a bond to his father in the sum of $5,000 as follows: The condition of the above bond is such that if the said Frank, during the space of twelve months from the date of the above, is sober in his habits, which known to be intoxicating liquor, at any time, and take no more than one glass of beer, then the above obligation to be void. Frank A.

The New Jersey State Legislature has passed the Shute bill, signed by Gov. Leon Abbett, the Governor of New Jersey, and Governor Gilmore, of Pennsylvania, and powerful opposition delivered in the Senate, but all were well taken. We want the Portland Maine Law force from Maine against the liquor traffic, and make the Jersey woods ring for home against the albino." Prof. Gower may not speak to the State during the month of October, as he has filled a dozen of taking engagements.

The Boston Sunday Herald, in writing the young Republicans and Democrats of Boston, speaks of Boston Hall, formerly of this place, in a very long, commendatory way.

Eastport Hall opens to-day a month of music, in which Mr. and Mrs. Hall, of Bangor, are to be assisted by Mr. Manning, who has played in Boston and is reported to be a grandson of the late Senator Hale, of Maine. He is a graduate of the law school of Harvard University. He is also a member of the central committee for several years, and was for one time a member of the school committee of Boston. He is a young man of fine address and very intelligent and cultured. He is a good fellow to be entertained in public and private.

E. L. Bean & Co. are now in their new store, in the block of Mr. E. L. Bean, on Main St., Belfast, and to be undersold in any goods they may put up in packages, or by the yard. Tuttle & Co., Belfast, advertise the Stockton Springs mineral water, table water unexcelled. Mr. Stockton is facing remarkable success.....Hon. W. H. M. Lelan, of this city, will be a candidate for Congress, if he has assured voting strength, and he will be, if he has the nomination. He is a Republican, and is the ablest Republican in the district, and would be a strong candidate, and would be elected. He is a good fellow, and would be a good Congressman.

J. S. Pitcher's advertisement of Russet Boots, Cups, Ins, T. Tuttle's, Belfast, advertise the Stockton Springs mineral water, table water unexcelled.....Hon. W. H. M. Lelan, of this city, will be a candidate for Congress, if he has assured voting strength, and he will be, if he has the nomination. He is a Republican, and is the ablest Republican in the district, and would be a strong candidate, and would be elected. He is a good fellow, and would be a good Congressman.

SEARSPORT NOTES. The steamer Fred May sunk Saturday was submerging the water and spring, at Bucksport by Mr. Lowell, was to have been raised yesterday, but the lighting has been delayed and for a short time. It was thought the steamer would have to be removed, but it will be now weeks before the Boston steamers on their return trips on Sunday will be ready for the steamer.....The Boston steamers on their return trips on Sunday carried with passengers. The Kalkhelm on Sunday carried fifty in the city.....Three steamers arrive at Belfast every Sunday, the Boston Sunday, the Electa, and the Copeo of Bangor.....The Lucy F. Miller arrived Monday evening from New York with a load of freight and passenger list.....Owing to a leak in the bottom of the steamer Rockland, she did not leave Bangor for Rockland as usual, on Saturday morning. Her passengers were taken by the steamer Cambria to Bar Harbor, and thence by the steamer Mt. Desert to Rockland.....Capt. Grant, has begun to make trips between Belfast and South Penobscot and is doing a good business. The Sun may be charter of for excursions down the bay, for which she is well adapted. She is expected here Saturday morning for an excursion.

CHAT. Mr. W. E. Carlton, the artist who decorated Odd Fellows' Hall to this city, will decorate the interior of the Congregational Church. The ceiling over Odd Fellows' Hall will be used.....Mr. Mr. A. Marshall, the confectioners in the Journal building, have dissolved partnership. Mr. Marshall retiring. Mr. Mixer will continue the business. Mr. Marshall will go on salesman and set up for himself. The firm has had a good run of business.....Mr. Hopkins, of Washington, D.C., who is at Crosby Inn, is quite a musical genius, and is a member of the Boston Symphony Club.....Mr. Hopkins is a member of the Boston Symphony Club.....Mr. Hopkins is a member of the Boston Symphony Club.

CAMDEN. Arrived Thursday afternoon schooner yacht Marguerite, of the New York Yacht Club, with William F. Burden and Mrs. Burden and their guests, James W. Bulbock, of Cincinnati, Miss E. Odell and Miss MacDonald, of New York, and schooner yacht Betty, with naptha launch, W. H. L. Smith, Commodore of the Boston Yacht Club, and guests, Harry W. Smith, Herbert W. Drew, Arthur E. Carter and Henry B. Wing, of Boston.

PALERMO CENTER. Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Cutler of Waltham, Mass., made a flying visit to this town last week.....Miss Lily Pulling, who has been taking care of her sister Mrs. Stevens, just returned to her home in Hallowell.....Percy Hanson, of Hurricane Isle is spending his vacation with his grandparents.....Miss Mamnie Sanford of Augusta is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Hanson.....The Methodists of North Palermo and vicinity are to have an immense grove meeting August 15-18 at North Palermo. On Friday the 16th the Sunday schools will hold a convention and all the schools of the vicinity are invited to be present and participate in the exercises. The meeting will be conducted by Rev. J. H. Bennett pastor of the Methodist church in Palermo and among the speakers announced are Rev. Mr. Clifford of Waterville and Rev. Mr. Jones of China.

CASTINE. Sch. Lavalla, of Ellsworth, arrived Monday with coal for the Castine Coal Co.....Steam yacht Fidget arrived Wednesday and sailed the same day. The handsome schooner yacht Marguerite was here Friday night.....About 75 people landed here from the several steamers Saturday. The steamer John Brooks brought 30, the Richmond 20.....Efforts are being made to start a shoe factory here. If sufficient encouragement and help is given by the citizens a company from Massachusetts will establish one, which would be a great help to the place.....Miss Alice, daughter of H. McLaughlin, Esq., of Bangor, has been engaged to sing soprano in the Unitarian choir during the summer, and Mrs. Canovan, of Boston, will sing soprano in the Orthodox choir.....A dispatch was received from Chicago Sunday announcing the death after a long and painful illness of Mrs. Isaac Bennett, youngest daughter of Mrs. A. I. Cure, of this place.

MONROE. The haying season has fairly begun and the crop will be the largest for a number of years. Grain and other crops look finely.....Henry Conant has sold his grey mare to a Boston man for a round sum.....Mr. Fred Piper, who is employed by Mr. Ingraham, is at home on a vacation.....Messrs. Smith & Davis have all the work they can do in their carriage shop, painting and repairing.....Mr. C. J. Moore, our poultry man, thinks it more profitable to raise ducks than chicken.....Berries of all kinds are very plentiful.....Valley Lodge, I. O. O. F., has passed the following resolutions on the death of Sister Flora E. Tasselle:

Whereas, It has pleased God in His infinite wisdom to remove from among us our dearly loved friend and sister, whose integrity of character and faithful devotion to the cause of temperance, endeared the esteem of all who knew her.

Therefore, Resolved, That this Lodge can but feel grieved at the loss of one who was connected with us in its welfare and prosperity.

Resolved, That we hereby sympathize with the parents of the deceased in their hour of bereavement.

Not, not alone thy loosened feet
Tread the immortal world of bliss,
Forgetters dear that bright hand shall clasp,
Who walked with thee awhile in this.

Resolved, That we direct the secretary to send a copy of these resolutions to the parents of the deceased, and cause the same to be published in the Republican Journal.

Valley Lodge, No. 160, I. O. O. T.
Monroe, Me., July 12, 1889.
MRS. M. M. NICKERSON,
MRS. BELLE J. PARMER, COMMITTEE.
MRS. LIZZIE NYE.

SWANVILLE. Mrs. Lizzie Allen and family, and Mrs. Lafayette Black, of Chelsea, Mass., arrived in town last week and will remain through the hot weather with Mrs. Melinda Black. Miss Maud Black, of Chelsea, Mass., is also visiting her grandmother, Mrs. M. Black.....Geo. A. Oulnby our teacher, and family and James H. Howes and wife of Belfast, were at Swan Lake cottage from Friday until Monday of this week. Mrs. Howes' favorite dog Mike accompanied them. We were not aware of the cause of so rare a thing as a letter to our Uncle George now a days until we read Mr. Quimby and family while sojourning at the Lake. Since we last met them on the Aroostook expedition their family cares have materially increased and the noted humorist now finds his spare moments occupied in assisting his worthy wife in caring for the ladies.....H. P. Thompson and J. Hathaway at Camp Cottage Sunday.....The roads are in fine class condition, affording the cyclists an excellent opportunity to drive wheels.....Mr. Ed. Lake, of Swanville, and family are at the Lake. Several teams from Belfast were on Sunday, viz.....Frank L. Pitcher and wife, of Bangor, are at the town visiting Mr. Pitcher's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wells.....Mr. Geo. W. Gray, of Belfast, and family are at the Lake.....Rev. J. A. Savage, of Belfast, will preach at the church here next Sunday at 2:30 p. m. Hay will be nearly completed at that time. Farmers are listen to a good sermon.....Mr. and Mrs. Isaiah Crosby received news last week of the marriage of their son John P. Crosby to Miss Ella E. Lee, at Los Angeles, California. The name of the bride is Miss Evelyn Earl. We were informed that after making his pile our friend John returns and make Maine his home, but if rumors as though California would be his future residence.....Farmers are progressing fine, expecting with their haying. Hay is of good quality and is being very well harvested.

STOCKTON SPRINGS. Prof. Fred Parke, who is a teacher in Gardiner and Hallowell, is in town. Now is the opportunity for a class and good musical instruction for our young people. We hope the opportunity will be well improved and a class formed at once. The Prof. is too well known here to need further commendation.....Capt. Melvin Colson is making extensive repairs on the barn of his residence.....The sociable held at the hall Tuesday evening showed the effective labors of the lady committee. The programme rendered was a well prepared and excellent one. The song by Miss May Hutchinson, was well received, and sang in her usual good taste. The reading by Miss Julie Staples, of Portland, was heard by all with great pleasure. Regrets are expressed at her leaving so this week, as many hoped to hear her again. The farce "Never say Die," that closed the programme was very laughable, and well rendered, each actor deserving great praise. A hop closed a very enjoyable evening. A vote of thanks is extended to the V. A. S. to the late committee for their efficient work in the past three months.....Mr. Charles Ames has gone to New York.....Mrs. Ralph Harriman has returned to Massachusetts.....Mr. Dennison has made a business trip to Boston.....Mr. Ralph Laturly is in town visiting his friends.....Mrs. Everett Grant of Westboro, Mass., and little daughter are in town. Mrs. Grant is warmly welcomed by her many friends.....Mr. Will Hichborn has been home haying.....Mr. Xavier Griffin is at home again.....Mr. Warren Haskell is in town.....Capt. Johnson is at home.....Miss Tena Cleaves of Quincy, Massachusetts, is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Mudgett.....Mrs. Annie Lills of Quincy, is with her grandparents again.....Mr. Charles has been quite ill the past week, threatened with congestion of the lungs, but is improving.....Mr. John M. Ames had a very serious illness last Sunday morning. He had just seated himself at the breakfast table when he fainted. The family were very much alarmed, but at night all danger of the attack seemed to be over.

WINTERPORT. Quite a large number of our young people made a very pleasant excursion to Hermon Pond Friday.....The Winterport cornet band made an excursion to Islesboro on the Stur, M. A. M., July 6th. They did not have a large crowd as so many are busy haying, but a very pleasant time is reported.....Mrs. Geo. Trevett and daughter, of Chicago, are guests of Mrs. Samuel Cole.....Mr. John M. Snow was at home Sunday July 7th.....Mr. D. M. Spencer left last Wednesday for a trip to Houlton, and will probably visit Presque Isle also during his vacation.....Mrs. G. R. Wheeldon and her daughter, Mrs. Newton, of Portland, were guests of Mrs. Henry Snow Saturday and Sunday.....C. O. Montgomery, Esq., of Camden, arrived in town on Friday for a visit of a few days.....Mrs. Dr. Atwood and children are visiting friends in Monroe.....Will Johnston returned to Boston Monday.....Miss Colburn, of Orono, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. D. H. Smith.....Mrs. J. L. Eldredge and Harry have gone to Boston to join Capt. Eldredge for a trip on his barge, The Smittie, Aveys, & Rowes had a very pleasant family picnic Thursday last.....Miss May Mc Donough is home from school for her summer vacation.....S. W. Coffren returned to Boston on Saturday's boat.....Miss L. A. Grindle has gone to Monroe for a few weeks.....The Odd Fellows have a new ventilator for their lodge room which is a great improvement.....Mrs. Abbie Johnston, of Cowden, N. J., arrived Friday for a visit to her sister, Mrs. L. A. Stokell.....Capt. E. G. Hutchinson is at home for a brief visit while his vessel is loading in New York.....Mr. Ezra Whelden has moved his family to Brewer.....Mrs. D. M. Spencer visited friends in Hampden last week.....Mrs. M. B. Manter has bought the other half of her house of Miss Moore and is having it painted and otherwise improved.....Mr. F. C. Young and Howard Grant have each had a pretty veranda added to the front of their houses.....Eugene Arey fractured his leg while turning a hand spring in the hay field last week.....Capt. O. C. Clifford has gone on another voyage in the sch. Addie G. Bryant.....The first quarterly meeting for this year will be held in the Methodist Church next Sunday. Preaching by the presiding elder, Rev. J. F. Hilley at 2:30 P. M. Quarterly conference Monday evening at 7:30.....Miss Stella Pendleton, of Waltham, is visiting the young friends in town.....Mr. Albert Whitney with his wife and daughter, of Waterloo, Iowa, are visiting friends in town.....Mrs. Williams and son, of Massachusetts, are the guests of Miss E. H. Croxford.....Miss A. M. Hincks, of Bangor, who has been the guest of Mrs. Fred Atwood, returned to Bangor Saturday and will leave next week to spend a few weeks at Mont Clair, N. Y.....Large quantities of hay were housed in fine order last week, although the wind was N. E. most of the time. This week will be the height of haying. The crop is large on good ground—20 per cent. larger than last year.....Grain and corn are doing well.....Mrs. John Atwood, of Boston, is visiting Mrs. Fred Atwood.....E. E. Lummus, of Boston, was in town Monday, the guest of Fred Atwood.

Searsport Locals.

Capt. E. D. P. Nickels arrived by boat Friday.

Florence Jenks, of Waltham, Mass., is visiting Miss Ida Parke.

Miss Maud Simpson, of Bangor, is the guest of Miss Inez Nickels.

Edd. Warren and wife of Belfast visited friends here the past week.

H. H. Grant and family arrived by boat last Friday, from San Jose Cal.

Next Sunday morning the pastor's contribution for July will be taken in the Methodist Church.

The salmon harvest is over, and our fishermen report the catch very much smaller than last year.

Rev. E. H. Sawyer, of Hampden, preached an impressive sermon last Sunday morning in the M. E. Church.

Collection at the Cong. Church next Sunday morning in behalf of the American Missionary Association.

Rev. Edwin Smith and wife, of Bedford, Mass., were in town the past week to attend the funeral of his mother.

Capt. B. S. Merithew has finished his haying and reports a third more, and better quality of hay, than last year.

M. S. French an family, of Melrose, Mass., accompanied by Miss Cochran, are registered at the Searsport House.

Can any farmer in Waldo county beat it? Mial Sargent mowed 2½ acres of grass, bearing a ton to the acre, in ninety minutes.

Mrs. Emma D. Colcord and family arrived by steamer Lucy F. Miller, Monday evening, and have taken rooms at the Searsport House.

The Courtland Dunn Comedy Company will appear here Friday evening the 19th inst. in a new piece—one of the finest of their repertoire.

Capt. E. P. Nichols horse, known as General Scott, died recently at Levant, while the captain and family were on route to Exeter to visit friends.

A number of visitors are desirous of coming here if they can find board in a private family. It seems as though they ought to be accommodated.

Capt. J. P. Colcord says since residing in his house there have been ten fires in close proximity, and his house has never received a particle of damage.

Boating parties, back board rides and lawn tennis are among the attractions here now, and with the numerous visitors our town puts on a very lively appearance.

The management of the Tennis Club desire to make the announcement that visitors in town upon the payment of fifty cents per month are cordially welcomed to play upon the club's grounds.

Geo. F. Smith offers in another column a good bargain to any one desiring a house, pleasantly situated, and near the center of the village. He also has a small lot of furniture to dispose of.

Capt. E. Snow of Backsport is in town in the interest of the New England Order of Protection, and is meeting with deserved success, as the section is an insurance organization of the best.

Permission is granted both the Thompson Houston and Easton Electric light companies to erect poles and string wires in Searsport, with the provision that the same shall be in position within nine months.

The friends of H. H. Grant and of the Stimpson-Stephenson Boot and Shoe Mfg. Co. will be pleased to learn that he is again in Searsport and has associated himself with the company, as his well known abilities as a salesman assure the success of the institution. Recently several large orders have been received and the future of our manufactory looks bright.

The Searsport Mfg. Company's buildings and machinery were totally destroyed by fire Thursday morning the 11th inst. The loss is estimated at about $1,000, insured for $2,000. The origin of the fire is a mystery, though several theories are advanced showing it to be accidental. There is a strong feeling among our business men in favor of rebuilding, and should encouragement enough be given no doubt the business will be considerably enlarged.

IN THE ICE FIELDS. The full rigged clipper ship Belle of Bath, owned in Searsport, Me., came into port yesterday after a long voyage from the port of Liverpool, during which the vessel had several narrow escapes from icebergs and floating ice floes. The vessel left Liverpool for Melbourne, Australia, March 6 last, and encountered the ice in latitude 43 deg. 10 min., longitude 31 deg. 40 min. Icebergs were seen to the southward. The ship laid her course to the northwest to escape the ice. Latitude 43 deg. 50 min., longitude 18 deg., was the most southern point at which ice was seen. N. Y. Herald, July 12.

Letters received from the sister of Edwin S. Park give the particulars of the drowning of the young man in the Sao River, in the northern part of Iowa. It seems he went in bathing with two companions in the heat of the day when the blood was much heated. His companions, who were first into the water, noticing he was not keeping up with them, turned and discovered him lying on his side motionless. They at once went to his assistance, but when they got him to the shore found that life was extinct. A physician who was called pronounced the cause of his death heart stoppage.

BATHING UNDER DIFFICULTIES. A boy of young ladies occupying cottages at Swan Lake rose early for the purpose of bathing, and not having proper suits improvised some for the occasion, which after being wet gave them a crestfallen appearance. In the midst of the sport a young man from Belfast appeared on the scene. The young ladies fled to an adjacent boat house, which was also the objective point of the young man, but fortunately meeting one of the number, who had wisely remained clothed and on guard, explanations were in order, and the young man beat a hasty retreat. The young ladies say that Swan Lake is anything but a secluded spot for *bathing purposes* early in the morning.

NORTH SEARSPORT ITEMS.

Mr. Thomas W. Pitcher, of Belfast, was in town last Sunday.

Albert Kane, of Searsport, was at Mr. Thomas Dorr's last Sunday.

Miss Nellie E. Dorr spent last Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Dorr.

Otis Colson, a young son of Eli Colson, cut one of his hands severely with a scythe recently.

Some of the farmers in this vicinity will finish haying this week if the weather proves favorable.

Mrs. Emily Nickerson, who lives just over the line in Swanville, returned home recently from Bar. or, where she has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Emma Stockman.

Miss Addie S. Mathews, formerly of this town, who has a situation in South Framingham, Mass., teaching school, is taking her summer vacation in Eaton, Ohio, visiting her aunt, Mrs. J. F. Charles. While there she, with her cousin, Miss Bessie Charles, will go to Nashville, Tenn., to attend the teachers' convention at that place.

Mr. and Mrs. Prescott D. H. Carter, who were formerly of this town, arrived Monday of last week from Jersey City, N. J., where Mr. Carter has been in the employ of the Chicago Beef Co. for several years. Mr. Carter has been very ill for the past month. They are stopping at his grandfather's, Mr. D. G. Hinds, Northport Ave., Belfast.

WALDO CENTRE. Miss Mattie Clement has returned home from a visit to her sister, Mrs. Lucinda Avery, in Monmouth.....Mr. Melvin Foster of Boston has been visiting his sister, Mrs. Samuel Kingsbury.....Every farmer is trying his best to get his hay in good order, but the weather is uncertain, and even old sinners are praying for good dry hay weather.....All kinds of grain crops look splendidly. Mr. Riley Shorey has an acre of barley that is about even with a man's shoulder as it stands. Mr. Edmund Cross, one of our neatest farmers and gardeners, has sweet corn that is silked and the ears forming almost ready to be eaten.

HALLIDALE. Rev. D. Brackett preached here last Sunday and it is expected he will be here again August 11th.....The ladies think of resuming the sewing circle. The first meeting will be at W. E. Poland's Aug. 24th. It is hoped there may be a good attendance as some important business is to be attended to.....Miss Lizzie Hall and her sister Mrs. Ella Nye of Boston are visiting relatives and friends here.....Mrs. Nellie Nichols of Lowell, Mass., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Poland.....During the thunder shower Saturday night lightning struck the barn of N. P. Bennett of Centre Montville and it was burned together with carriages, harnesses, a pig, and about 20 tons of hay. It is said Mr. Bennett had his hay about all in the barn. A cow was killed in the yard by the lightning. His loss is estimated at $1,000, with no insurance. His neighbors at once started a subscription paper for him.

LIBERTY. Maud Mitchell, Helen Atkinson, George Meserve and Bert Brown left town last Thursday for the Butler Hospital, Providence, R. I.....Will Sanford left Saturday for Bar Harbor where he has a situation to drive a private carriage.....Charlie and Edna Pulsifer of Brooklyn, N. Y., have been spending the week at A. J. Skidmore's.....Mrs. Atkinson of Amesbury, Mass., nee Annie Soule, formerly of Palermo, is visiting her sisters, Mrs. Harriman and Mrs. Bagley, in this village.....Henry Hunt of Fitchburg, Mass., is visiting Liberty, his old home.....Hattie Knowlton, the little blind girl, fell and broke her arm Sunday. This makes three broken arms in the village this summer.....Timothy O'Niel, a native of Ireland, who for many years wielded the pick and spade among us and left here last fall to re-visit the "ould sod," returned to us last week so mixed in his sentiments towards his native heath and the land of his adoption that his motto is, Erin go Unum E Pluribus Braugh.....The village schools closed last Friday and the boys and girls are jubilant.....H. H. Twitchell, traveling salesman for Lord, Haskell & Co., of Portland, boots and shoes, has a few weeks vacation and is spending it with his mother in this place.....Miss Carrie Clough is visiting friends in Unity.

BELMONT. Mr. Geo. W. Morse, of this place, went to California April 30, 1888, and has had $55 per month most of the time. His brother Willard left June 11, 1889, to join him, and their father, Geo. W. Morse, has received word that his two boys and Franklin Fletcher's oldest son have a contract for three years at $55 per month. He thinks they are doing well.

NORTH HAVEN. Sch. Florence Murdock, Capt. E. S. Hopkins, arrived last week for bait.....Sch. F. H. Smith, Capt. James L. Crockett, arrived last week with forty barrels of mackerel, the result of six weeks' fishing. The captain reports better prospects than for the past two years.....The yacht King Phillip was in our harbor Sunday and reports that the Eastern yacht fleet will leave Boston for Bar Harbor the last of this week.

KNOX. A very large crop of hay, but rather catching weather. However, most of the farmers have been quite lucky so far, and a few have finished while the most are half through. The grass is so stout that a great deal is rusting badly. Help is very scarce.....A beautiful shower Saturday night helped the gardeners.....Miss Sadie, daughter of H. O. Pierce, and Miss Gertie, daughter of Milton Pierce, of Bangor, arrived last week and will spend a few weeks with the Pierces at the stream.....Among the many handsome strings of trout taken out of Half Moon stream one of the handsomest was taken last week by J. A. Lamson of N. Y. who is visiting his father Judge Lamson of Freedom. They numbered thirty and averaged eight inches in length.

MORRILL. Rev. D. A. Goodwin has so far recovered from his injuries as to be able to resume his pastoral labors. He gave us a good sermon last Sunday.....Presiding Elder Wheatt will hold a Quarterly Conference at the church next Monday evening and will preach a sermon on the occasion.....We are glad to learn that Mr. I. W. Cross has received a pension from the Government. Sixteen dollars per month and over $800 back pay is good for him.....Mrs. Willie and Mrs. Mamie Higgins are visitors at Mr. Cross'.....Mrs. John Adams arrived last Sunday from North Haven Comm., where she has been for some time visiting her children, Frankie Adams came with her.....B. A. Hatch has been confined to the house with illness the past week.

ISLESBORO. Summer visitors are arriving daily and the season has fairly opened. Many of the cottagers are here for the season, among them Col. J. W. Porter and family, of Bangor.....Excursions from up river are frequent.....The Alden cottage at Hewes' Point is well patronized.....Two artesian wells, one thirty six and the other thirty four feet deep, have been dug in the vicinity of the hotel, and the water will be pumped by a windmill which will be placed in position at once. With this arrangement the hotel will have an excellent supply of fresh water.....Mr. James H. Ryder has returned to Islesboro from Boston, where he has been for about two years. He was formerly the proprietor of the hotel.....Good progress is being made upon the wharf at Dark Harbor, and it will not be long before it is finished. Work on the new hotel well begins soon.

BURNHAM. Crops of all kinds are looking finely, but want rain. Haying is well underway and the sooner it is harvested the better as the grass is rusting badly.....Fishing on Winnecook Lake is extra good. On one day of week Mr. W. B. Johnson, of the Penobscot Exchange, Bangor, and a friend caught upwards of three hundred perch, several large pickerel and a number of fine bass.....It is reported that Mr. Rowe Emery has bought of Wilmot S. Weed a young suckling colt, sired by Von Helmont, by Harbinger. He is a coal black and said to be the handsomest colt in the State. The price paid was $400. No doubt another Kentucky Wonder is coming.....At a gathering a few evenings ago we had the pleasure of listening to Mr. Emery repeat from memory Prof. Bateman's famous poem, Maniac Maid of Loch Na Garr, and think the author would have been pleased had he heard it recited. Mr. Emery has been in this vicinity several months past, drawing from life pictures of famous horses and stock of all kinds. He also furnishes plates for press work. Mr. E's work shows him to be an artist of great talent and we wish him success.

Transfers in Real Estate.

The following are the transfers in real estate, in Waldo county, for the week ending July 20th: Newell Bagley, Troy, to Loren L. Harding, same town. Hannibal H. Baker, Winterport, to Benj. F. Smith, Hampden. Elizabeth L. Brackett, Belfast, to Moses M. Brown, same town. Charles Clayton, Alton, to Helen E. Chick, Bangor. Geo. Davis, Liberty, to Charles I. Davis, same town. Charles I. Davis, Liberty, bond, to Geo. W. Davis, same town. Wm. H. Hamilton, Whitestone, N. Y., to Peter F. Welch, Belfast. John Lawry, Winterport, to John G. Walker & us., same town. Albert M. Plummer, Montville, to Charles W. Pinkham, same town. David L. Smith, Troy, to A. J. Fernald, same town. John Smith, Troy, to Nancy E. Carter, same town. Benj. F. Smith, Hampden, to H. H. Baker, Winterport. Clarissa E. Thayer, Winterport, to George H. Tolman, Newburg. Benj. F. Veazie, Plymouth, to Darius Getchell & al., Troy. Charles H. Ward, Troy, to John C. Ward, same town. Estate Jeremiah Hillman, Troy, to John C. Ward, same town. Miranda Hillman, Troy, to Darius Getchell, same town.

A Determined Debtor and Creditor.

The Aroostook Pioneer says there is a man confined in Houlton jail for debt who has a farm and receives a pension. He claims that his wife owns the farm and that the pension money is needed by his family to pay for the food and clothing of others to clothe him. His creditor has provided by will for the debtor's board, and declares that he will have to pay the debt or die behind the bars.

The Contract for the Congressional Library Building.

The contract for the new Congressional Library Building at Washington has been awarded to the New England Granite Company of Hartford, Conn., at $1,200,000. Of this Mr. Cheney, of Concord, N. H., the granite is being taken from the quarries of Sargent & Sullivan. It is estimated that it will require from four years to twenty-five years to do the work, and it is probably the largest granite contract ever let by the government.

SHIP NEWS.

PORT OF BELFAST.

ARRIVED.

July 12.....Sch. Nellie S. Pickering, Flowers, Rangor.

July 14.....Sch. Helen, White, Plymouth.

July 15.....Sch. John Johnson, ——, Boston.

July 16.....Sch. E. L. Warren, Colson, Boston; Port Liberty for Bangor; 10th, arrived schs. Fleetwing, Smith, Cedar Keys; Sandy Point, Fall River; Mark Pendleton; Lenoesa, Mary Jubilee, Willard Sunbeam, Maggie Miller, Bangor; A. Hayford, Warren, Rockland; 13th, arrived schs St Johns, Gilmore, Jacksonville; Lake, Simpson, Baltimore.

Boston, July 9. Cleared sch Lizzie B Willey, Willey, Buenos Ayres; 10th, arrived sch E. I. Warren, Colson, Belfast; 12th, cleared schs Cyrus Hall, Coombs, for Bangor to load for Baltimore; Mary I. Peters, Williams, for Kennebec River and Baltimore; 13th, cleared sch M B Millen, Dyer, Baltimore via Blue Hill.

Philadelphia, July 8. Arrived sch H J Cottrell, Haskell, Bangor; 11th, arrived sch Mark Gray, Edwards, Hillsboro, N B; 12th, cleared sch G M Brainard, Mullen, Belfast; 15, cleared, sch. Stella M. Kenyon, Williams, Bangor.

Baltimore, July 13. Cleared brig Charles Dennis, Haskell, Boston.

Bangor, July 9. Cleared schs Mary Farrow, Hodon, Rondout; Charlotte Pendleton, Pendleton, New York; 10th, arrived sch Abraham Richardson, Pattershall, N Y; 11th, arrived sch Z Sherman, Eastern port, cleared schs Nellie S Pickering, Flowers, Jacksonville; D D Haskell, Haskell, Annapolis; 12th, cleared schs Addie G Bryant, Gilkey, Cumpon; 13th, cleared sch Electa Bailey, Philbrook, Philadelphia; 14, arrived, schs. Annie R. Lewis, Lewis, Hoboken; George B. Ferguson, Ferguson, Rondout; 15, arrived, schs. Zachens Merriman, Babb, Norfolk; Clara E. Colcord, Colcord, Baltimore; July Fourth, Atwood, Port Liberty; cleared, sch. Sarah Mills, Love, New York.

Portland, July 9. Sailed brig Hattie Martinique, Fernandina, July 9. Arrived sch E H Jerriman, Gilkey, Boston; 11th, cleared schs Gen Adelbert Ames, Jameson, and Almeda Willey, Copeland, Portland, Me.

New Bedford, July 9. Sailed sch Prescott Hastings, Kennebunkport, for Brunswick, Ga, to load for Demerara.

Bath, July 8. Arrived brig Katahdin, Hayes, Virginia.

Jacksonville, July 8. Sailed from Fort George schs Nettie Langdon and Lois V Chaples, for New York; Flora Condon, for do (latter) has been reported cleared 1st for Fall River; 10th, cleared sch Penobscot, Carter, Boston; 13th, cleared sch Charlotte B Sibley, Bartlett, New York.

Charleston, July 11. Sailed sch Charley Buckl, French, Philadelphia.

Georgetown, S C, July 9. Sailed sch Addie Jordan, Harriman, New Haven.

Pensacola, July 11. Sailed sch Morris W Childs, Beck, Providence.

Perth Amboy, July 11. Sailed sch Sarah D J Rawson, French, Bangor.

Portsmouth, N H, July 13. Sailed sch Sarah W Lawrence, Hilton, Newport News.

Passed Hell Gate, July 12. Sch. A. M. Dickinson, Hart, New York for Belfast.

New Haven, July 12. Sailed, sch. Abbie C. Stubbs, Pendleton, Port Royal.

Wilmington, N. C., July 13. Cleared, sch. Nellie F. Sawyer, Arey, destination not given.

FOREIGN PORTS.

Montevideo, July 4. In port barks Hattie G McFarland, Dodge, Augustine Kobbe, Hill, for New York.

Pernambuco, June 18. Sailed sch Gertrude L Trundy, Davis, West Indies; 22d, in port sch Edward Johnson, Warren, ans.

Havana, July 11. Arrived brig Harry Stewart, Brinson, Bear River, N S.

Buenos Ayres, July 10. Arrived sch Gov Ames, Dyer, Portland.

Surinam, June 18. Arrived brig Eugene Hale, Harding, Boston.

Punta Arenas, July 6. Arrived brig John C Net, Hiss, New York.

Savana-la-Mar, June 21. Arrived brig Abbie Clifford, Storer, St Pierre.

Cienfuegos, June 29. Arrived sch Hattie H Barbour, Fletcher, Bangor.

Coatzacoalcos—Off the bar May 17, sch Wyer G Sargent, Sargent, from Boston for Tonala (and sld from Tonala, date not given, for Santana).

Sables D'Olonne, July 11. Sailed, brig Amy A. Lane, Mitchener, Philadelphia.

MARITIME MISCELLANY.

Capt. Watts of Thomaston has gone to New York to take command of the ship Baring Brothers, loading at that point for San Francisco. Capt. Watts is one of the youngest of Maine captains. He is only 24 years old.

Unloading of the cargo of coal from the four-masted sch. Talota was completed Thursday afternoon at the Maine Central wharf, Bath. This is one of the largest coal cargoes landed at Bath and to unload her it required 8 days. Friday morning she was taken in tow for Boothbay to load ice for Philadelphia.

The sch. Joel Cook, built by Kelley & Spear, Bath, was launched July 10 and taken to Deering's Wharf, where she will receive her masts and fit for sea. The Joel Cook is a three-masted vessel, 145 feet long, 34 feet beam and 10 feet deep, with a gross tonnage of 341.19 and 281.14 net. Designed for coasting, she is a centreboard vessel with one deck. She will be commanded by Capt. Warren of Philadelphia, where her principal owners belong.

MISSING. July 13 it was one hundred days since the three masted schooner Charles H. Haskell left a Sound port in ballast for Darien, Ga., where she was to load a cargo of yellow pine ship timber for a northern port. Since the date of her sailing, April 4, nothing has been heard of the vessel, which was known as a staunch and able schooner. She was in command of Capt. Owen F. Silsby, a Bath boy, who had on board his wife and one child.

SOLD. Sch. May McFarland, 473 tons, late of Thomaston, has been purchased by Cousins & Pratt and will hereafter hail from Boston.....The three-masted schooner Ada Bailey, Capt. J. P. White, has been sold by Arthur Sewall & Co. of Bath to John Adams of Camden, N. J. and has sailed for Baltimore, where she will load lumber for Buenos Ayres. She was built in Bath in 1881 by her former owners, and measures 522 tons.....Barque Charles Foles recently of Bath, which was sold for $7,000, will hereafter be called the Baltimore, under the Italian flag.

DISASTERS, ETC. Sch. Amelia F. Cobb (of Sedgwich, Me.) from Rhobhil, Me., for New York with a cargo of paving stones while coming over Nantucket Shoals Thursday night (weather thick at the time) came in collision with the Handkerchief Shoal Lightship. The Amelia Cobb had starboard side badly stove and was cut down to the water's edge. Lost one anchor and was obliged to jettison 900 paving stones to prevent sinking. The sch. arrived at Vineyard Haven Friday morning.....Ship Belle of Bath (at N. Y. 11th for Liverpool had vari

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With watchful eye, and keen,
Sending her ships, ice-laden,
Where tropic isles are green.
Rich is her dower of mountains,
Of meadow, vale, and glen—
Of streams and sparkling fountains,
Tall pines and stalwart men.

Majestic Mississippi,
Commands our loyal pride,
Throughout the spreading valley
That bounds his royal tide.
But the winding Androscoggin,
The placid Kennebec,
And the lumber-lined Penobscot,
Are dearer to us yet.

Broad are these northern prairies,
And deep and rich their soil,
And plentiful the harvests
That crown the sower's toil.
But closer round our heart-strings
Entwines the subtle charm
Of the rocky upland pastures,
And the dear old, stone-walled farm!

Is it all as memory holds it—
The well-sweep tapering high?
The low, brown house beside it,
With lilacs clustered nigh?
Are there blackberries in the clearing,
And beechnuts on the hill?
Does the Witch-grass and eyeblight,
And the flag root grow there still?

There are spacious halls of learning
And the churches, grand and new,
And there are thriving villages
Than our childhood ever knew.
But the little old red schoolhouse,
The mother's household ways,
And the sunset-lighted meeting house,
Have blest us all our days.

O sunny hours of childhood,
And fair, fond dreams of youth,
Around the homely fireside,
That glowed with love and truth!—
Thy distant sons and daughters,
O Mother by the Sea,
Bear everywhere, the memories,
That bind our hearts to thee!

In busy haunts of traffic,
In cabin, ranch, or mine,
Mid southern groves and chaparals,
Where northern breezes sigh—
Far as our feet may wander
Our birthright still we claim,
Its the State that heads the Union,
Our native State of Maine.

Christian Mirror.

Literary News and Notes.

Wilkie Collins is recovering from his recent illness, but his physicians say that he has done his last literary work.

Miss Blanche Willis Howard writes from Germany that she has on her conscience a novelette and a story for boys.

The Cosmopolitan Magazine, which of late has made great strides into public favor, is to publish a complete novel in every issue. The first is by Gen. Charles King, U. S. A., and will appear in the August number.

Geo. Neal Dow is at work upon, and will issue at no very distant date, a history of the Maine liquor law. The book is to be of large proportions, and is to contain, besides a history of the law, biographical sketches of prominent men who have been identified with it. The book is to be illustrated.

In the July Home-Maker, Walter Satterlee gives us a glimpse of "Queens at Home." Estelle Thomson takes the reader into a "Wonderland" that includes the fairies under which Rumpelstiltskin was married. The usual helpful talks for mothers and home keepers and interesting sketches for everybody are found here. Published by the Home-Maker Company, 18 West 22nd Street, New York.

"But Yet a Woman," the third number of the Riverside Paper Series, is an unusually good story for summer reading. Professor A. S. Hardy, whose latest novel, "Passe Rose," has been received with very remarkable popular favor. "But Yet a Woman" is a story of French life. The characters are original and interesting, and the style is so graceful and attractive that it adds a positive charm to the story which in itself is so engaging. It is a fresh, strong, wholesome, readable novel and is commended to a very wide reading. Price Fifty Cents. Houghton, Mifflin & Co., Boston.

Log Cabins: How to Build and Furnish Them, by Wm. S. Wicks, is the title of a very pretty and practical volume from the Forest and Stream Publishing Co., No. 318 Broadway, New York. The author evidently knows whereof he writes, is in love with his subject, and his text is supplemented by half-tones and engravings which are useful as well as ornamental. Nothing prettier than these designs could be desired for our shore cottages; but also the less ambitious of those who build by inland waters may, however, obtain from it valuable material, and the book is one that will be enjoyed by all campers-out. Price, $1.50.

The July number of The Art Amateur maintains the high reputation which this magazine has acquired as the most reliable guide to the art worker, art patron and collector. Besides two exceedingly fine examples of artistic excellence, a sea-coast scene, "In Sunny Spain" accompanied by a picturesque and characteristic group of a peasant in his lumbering ox-cart, and a dark-skinned country girl with her goats and kids, and a design for an ice-cream cake "in pale blue and gold, appropriately decorated with frosted crystals. This number contains a large variety of full-size working designs, wild orchids arranged for china decoration, oats and pendemoss for an antique set, designs for embroidery, monograms and for wood carving. The practical departments of "China Painting," "Amateur Photography," and "The House," are full of interesting, and useful articles abundantly illustrated, while "The Colors" contains an appreciative notice of that painter of German genre pointers, Ludwig Knaus, and the great European exhibitions are fully described and criticised, that of the Royal Academy by the Editor, and the Paris Salon and the Paris Centennial Exhibition by Theodore Child. Every part of the magazine is full of practical suggestions, and it may fairly claim, in regard to quality as well as amount of original matter, to be far ahead of any other publication in its field. Price, 35 cents. Montague Marks, Publisher, 23 Union Square, New York.

Chautauqua.

OPENING OF THE SEASON—ATTENDANCE GOOD, PRESIDENT MILLER AT HIS BEST—SOMEWHAT BUT NO INTERRUPTION OF THE EXERCISES, MANY AND VALUABLE IMPROVEMENTS SINCE LAST YEAR.

[Correspondence of the Journal.]

CHAUTAUQUA, July 3, '89.—After an experience of sixteen years there can be nothing new or striking to "old timers" in the opening exercises of the Chautauqua summer school, and yet the people retain in them as of old a lively interest. President Miller, as the embodiment of solidity, strength and progress, is on the ground taking a survey of the situation, whilst the details of the work are left to the judiciary and experience of Secretary W. A. Duncan. There seems to be no friction anywhere between the boarding house and the management—an understanding has been reached which is satisfactory to all parties.

At the opening on the second of July addresses were delivered by Dr. J. W. Bashford of Buffalo; President Miller and Secretary Duncan. Each struck a special vein of thought and all were at their best. Dr. Bashford was especially happy in his reference to what the Uplift society was to receive from the Chautauqua agencies which are springing into existence in all parts of the country.

The work of cleaning up the grounds seems to have been well done and they are as sweet as a garden. Once on the grounds people notice the rains of this rainy season but little. The conveniences of hall and building are such that a dozen different exercises can be carried on at the same time. An hour after a heavy shower the streets are in a very passable condition.

One meets with valuable improvements which have been made since the last assembly at every turn wherever he may go. Mrs. Wm. Thomas of Meadville has enlarged her cottage on Davis avenue, erected a tower and attached verandas on three sides. Mrs. Emma Sill on same avenue, has repainted her cottage and otherwise made valuable improvements. The cottage of J. C. Joy has been thoroughly repaired inside and out, and its front presents to the lake a very fine appearance. Mrs. F. H. Andrews of Warren, Pa., has built on the corner of Forest and Andrews' avenue a private residence which in elegance of finish is second to no other on the ground. On the east, south and west sides is a ten-foot veranda. The structure is a thing of beauty, and reflects great credit upon the builder, J. C. Fox and N. R. Wouldbold, the painter. Prof. J. S. Thorp of Forestville and Prof. W. C. Gorham of Pulaski, N. Y., have each built a fine private residence on Forest avenue. One of the largest and most expensive cottages on the ground has been put up by Victor Nash on the corner of Wythe and Ramble avenues. It is two and a half stories and contains eighteen rooms. Mrs. M. Curtis has built a nice residence and G. C. Bromigen on Ramble avenue. S. F. Conant of Jamestown has just completed a tasty and convenient residence on Arnes' avenue. To mention all the elegant cottages erected since the last assembly would extend the list too far for your pages. The finest and most expensive building on the ground, the Hotel Athaneum excepted, is the "Anne M. Kellogg Memorial hall." It stands on Vincent avenue opposite the postoffice. There is in it an elegant kindergarten hall and most everything else. It is a grand and beautiful structure. Convenience and utility for women's work were considered in the construction of every part. Opposite the museum Dr. Flood has erected a capacious building for the accommodation of the Herald staff. Beginning with the 24th of July the Assembly Daily Herald will be published every morning Sundays excepted, until the 27th of August, 30 numbers for one dollar.

Years ago Dr. Vincent said: "It sometimes rains at Chautauqua," and for weeks past we have had daily heavy, if not refreshing showers. The people, however, come all the same. Many times during the day the dock and floor of the baggage room are covered with trunks, many of them of the Saratoga pattern. Without doubt continued bad weather will affect Chautauqua as it does everything else, but nothing can arrest the tide which has set in this direction. As usual faces old and new are met with everywhere.

The programme for July has been pitched on a high key and will be equal to the August exercises. Much hard work will be done in the schools but the popular exercises will be of great variety and of a high order. Music, readings, recitations and lectures, mostly of an historical character will compose the exercises. The different departments of study embrace nearly the whole world of science, art and literature. One can spend his time in recreation, or he can choose such lines of study as suit him best.

The outlook for Chautauqua was never so magnificent as at present. The assemblies which are springing up over all the country serve as feeders to it as the parent institution. Dr. Duncan has for the present abandoned his projected trip to Europe and this assembly will have the full benefit of his large experience. Boarding and lodging accommodations will be far better this year than ever before.

H. H. M.

Generalities.

The sea serpent and the wild man of the woods have made their annual reappearance.

Advices from Apia say that a treaty of peace has been concluded between Mataafa and Tamasese.

Steamer Haytien Republic has arrived at San Francisco. It was feared that she had been sunk in collision.

The court-martial to inquire into the case of Paymaster Henry R. Smith of the United States steamer Essex has exonerated him of all blame.

The Canadian Government is endeavoring to convince the Administration that our tariff on lumber is too high, and that reciprocity on this commodity would be advisable.

The coroner's jury at Johnstown has censured the proprietors of the dam for not making it secure, and declared that to them must be attributed the recent appalling loss of life.

President Austin Corbin of the Reading Road has notified the 2800 employes of the Reading Iron Works that if they work for him they must renounce labor unions and rum.

Dr. Waters, who committed suicide in New York last week, left a long, circumstantial and scientific account of his sensations during the two days he tried to kill himself with morphine and cocaine.

The London Daily News says: Communications between the English and American governments resulted in an understanding which will avert any collision in the Behring Sea during the seal fishing season.

The report comes from the village of Albany, 20 miles West of St. Cloud, Minn., on the Manitoba Road, that black diphtheria has broken out in 113 families. Both churches and the schoo s have been closed. No deaths have occurred so far.

B. F. Crayton, a Special Agent of the Agricultural Department, appointed to collect the American agricultural exhibits for the Paris Exposition, replies very vigorously to the criticisms upon our exhibit by De Young of the San Francisco Chronicle.

Harry Dixon, the young Mississippian recently appointed to a West Point cadetship by the President upon the statement of the boy's grandmother that her husband and son (the cadet's father) had both been assassinated because of politics, failed to pass the physical examination required of cadets.

The historical ship Constitution is to be taken from Portsmouth Navy Yard to Washington to be used as a receiving ship instead of the old hulk Dale, which has done that service for many years. The latter will probably be towed out into the stream and be used as a warehouse for naval stores, if it can be kept together.

The Utah wool output for 1888 will be nearly 12,000,000 pounds at prices ranging from 14 to 19 cents, with an average of 17 1-2 cents. The quality is excellent, owing to the fine feed secured by May rains. The exports of mutton have very been brisk, so that sheep by the thousand occasionally and prices will be still all summer.

G. O. Jones, chairman of the National Greenback party, has issued an invitation requesting all persons who desire to aid in reorganizing the National Greenback party to meet in their respective States and Congressional districts, on or before September 4th next, and appoint one delegate and one alternate to attend the National Greenback convention called at Cincinnati, September 12th, next.

A New York evening paper says that Delmonico's famous restaurant has been sought after by an English syndicate, which has made an offer of nearly $1,000,000 for the establishment. If this offer is accepted the syndicate will not stop there but will endeavor to obtain control of the railroad eating houses and restaurants and run them like the famous eating houses of Spiers & Pond in England.

A Yankee has set upon school in Paris and advertises that he "will teach any Frenchman to speak the only sensible language in the world in six weeks, and at a cost of only $25."

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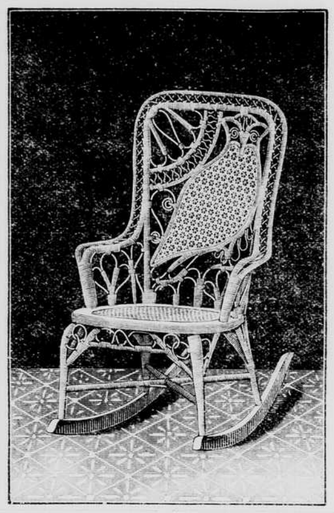

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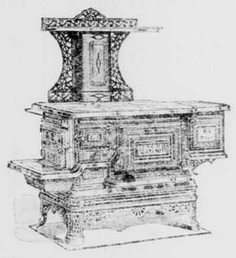

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