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Brighton Cattle Market.

BRIGHTON, Oct 8, 1889.

Amount of live stock at market—Cattle 501; sheep and lambs, 3880; Swine, 160; veals, 150; Horses, 224; number of Western cattle 501; Eastern cattle 22.

Prices of Western cattle ranged from $3.50@5.25 ₱ 100 lb live weight. Most of the extra beef cattle were for the export trade. Those brought into this market were for slaughter for the butchers' trade.

Brighton Hides, 6@c ₱ lb; Brighton Tallow, 4c ₱ lb; Country Hides, 5c ₱ lb; Country Tallow, 3c ₱ lb; Calf Skins, 5@6c ₱ lb; Sheep Skins, 25c each; Wool Skins, [illegible] each; Dairy Skins, 15@35c each.

Nearly all the Western cattle brought in this week were of a common grade of beef, costing [illegible] at the yards 3¼@4c ₱ lb live weight, and were owned by J. A. Moore, and intended for his market on Atlantic avenue. A few of the best lots were taken by butchers for the Faneuil Hall Market trade, and cost fully 5c ₱ lb live weight.

Sheep and Lambs were all sent to butchers from Maine and the West at a commission, lambs costing [illegible] and sheep 3¾@4c ₱ lb live weight, landed at the slaughter houses.

Swine—A few to market, selling at [illegible] ₱ head.

Yellow as Egyptian mummy,
Was his sallow face,
And he seemed a very dummy
Of the human race.
Now he's brimmed with sunshine o'er,
His clear and sparkling eye,
[illegible]
Ask you the reason why?

What has wrought the transformation? Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Purgative Pellets restored this [illegible] individual in a single week. Nothing [illegible] regulate the liver, stomach and bowels.

It grows [illegible] as much as their mothers [illegible] they are babies the [illegible] further use for cyclopedias.

The World Moves!

Don't disgust everybody with the offensive odor from your catarrh just because some old fogy doctor, who has not discovered and will not believe that the world moves, tells you it cannot be cured. The manufacturers of Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy have, for many years, offered, in good faith, $500 reward for a case of nasal catarrh, no matter how bad, or of how long standing, which they cannot cure. They are thoroughly responsible financially, as anyone can learn by proper enquiry through druggists who sell the medicine at only 50 cents, and they "mean business."

Policeman—"Do you have to take care of the dog?" Nurse-girl—"No, the missus says I'm too young and inexperienced. I only look after the children."

"Boat, Ahoy!"

"The rapids are below you!" cried a man to a pleasure party whom he descried gliding swiftly down the stream toward the foaming cataract. And we would cry "Boat, ahoy!" to the one whose life bark is being drawn into the whirlpool of consumption, for unless you use effective measures you will be wrecked in Death's foaming rapids. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery will strengthen and restore your lungs to a healthy condition, and is a sure relief for coughs and colds.

"Do you remember how ten years ago in this very place you offered yourself to me?" "Oh, yes, and you refused me." "I have been considering the matter." "So have I."

All Broken Down.

It's sad to see so many young men every day of whom this can be said. Young men, take my advice. Stop all indiscretions which you have practiced, keep good hours, retire early, and build your shattered system by using Sulphur Bitters, which will cure you.—OLD PHYSICIAN.

The "colorless powder" is all right, but what the community wants most is a powder that will not come off on the lapel of a fellow's best coat.

Catarrh is in the blood. No cure for this loathsome and dangerous disease is possible until the poison is thoroughly eradicated from the system. For this purpose Ayer's Sarsaparilla is the best and most economical medicine. Price $1. Six bottles $5. Worth $5 a bottle.

Head clerk—"I'm letting my whiskers grow, sir." "So I see, but I can't permit employes to grow their whiskers in business hours. That must be done in their own time."

When the hair shows signs of falling, begin at once the use of Ayer's Hair Vigor. This preparation strengthens the scalp, promotes the growth of new hair, restores the natural color to gray and faded hair, and renders it soft, pliant, and glossy.

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Is Consumption Incurable?

Read the following: Mr. C. H. Morris, Newark, Ark., says: "Was down with Abscess of Lungs, and friends and physicians pronounced me an incurable Consumptive. Began taking Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, am now on my third bottle, and able to oversee the work on my farm. It is the finest medicine ever made."

Jesse Middlewart, Decatur, Ohio, says: "Had it not been for Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption I would have died of Lung Troubles. Was given up by doctors. Am now in best of health." Try it. Sample bottles free at R. H. Moody's Drug Store.

"And how's your husband, Mrs. McCarty?" "Is he working as ever?" "No, Jimin ain't worked a day for seventeen years." "Is he incapable?" "No, ma'am, he's dead."

Electric Bitters.

This remedy is becoming so well known and so popular as to need no special mention. All who have used Electric Bitters sing the same song of praise.—A purer medicine does not exist and it is guaranteed to do all that is claimed. Electric Bitters will cure all diseases of the Liver and Kidneys, will remove Pimples, Boils, Salt Rheum and other affections caused by impure blood.—Will drive Malaria from the system and prevent as well as cure all Malarial fevers.—For cure of Headache, Constipation and Indigestion try Electric Bitters—Entire satisfaction guaranteed, or money refunded.—Price 50 cts. and $1.00 per bottle at R. H. Moody's Drug Store.

"How does it happen that you have your hand in my pocket?" "Oh, pray excuse me, sir. I am very absent minded." "I used to have a coat exactly like yours."

A Sensible Man

Would use Kemp's Balsam for the Throat and Lungs. It is curing more cases of Coughs, Colds, Asthma, Bronchitis, Croup and all Throat and Lung Troubles, than any other medicine. The proprietor has authorized any druggist to give you a Sample Bottle *Free* to convince you of the merit of this great remedy. Large Bottles 50c and $1.

Nowadays the young men of the period don't go down on their knees in nervous agony before their future wives. They hold a solitaire diamond ring above their heads and the girls jump for it.

Advice to Mothers.

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

"What general event happened in 1876?" asked a Boston school teacher, referring to the Centennial Fair. Whereupon a bright boy answered: "The Boston Base Ball League was formed then."

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

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

A Mathematical Expert. Teacher—"If a man has two hundred pounds of ice in his wagon and one fourth of it is lost by melting, how many pound do his customers pay for?" Boy (whose father is in the business)—"Three thousand pounds."

Pain and dread attend the use of most catarrh remedies. Liquids and snuffs are unpleasant as well as dangerous. Ely's Cream Balm is safe, pleasant, easily applied into the nostrils, and a sure cure. It cleanses the nasal passages and heals the inflamed membrane, giving relief at once. Price 50 cents. 2w41

The most obstinate cases of catarrh are cured by the use of Ely's Cream Balm, the only agreeable remedy. It is not a liquid or snuff, is easily applied into the nostrils. For cold in the head it is magical. It gives relief at once. Price 50 cents.

A fly lay bleeding and wet with gore, crushed on the bald man's head, but in dying he sprung this ghastly joke, "I'm mashed on you," he said.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

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

2yrs50

It is proposed in London to erect a monument to the memory of Wilkie Collins in Westminster Abbey or St. Paul's Cathedral.

Two New Yorkers who rode across the continent to San Francisco on horseback are reported to have said that a stack of gold bars as high as the Sierras would not induce them to make the return trip in the same manner.

Lieutenant Schwatka estimates the number of living cliff dwellers he has discovered in Southern Chihuahua at from 8,000 to 12,000. They are wild and shy, and upon the approach of white people flee to their caves in alarm.

On going to the top of Eiffel tower, Mr. Edison wrote in the visitors book as follows: "Top Eiffel tower, September 10, 1889. To M. Eiffel, the brave builder of so gigantic and original a specimen of modern engineering, from one who has the greatest respect and admiration for all engineers, including the Great Engineer, the bon Dieu.—Thomas A. Edison."

Gen. Connor's Oration at Gettysburg.

We published last week an account of the Maine day at Gettysburg, Oct. 3d, with a letter from that historic battle-field. The orator of the day was Ex-Governor Seldon Connor, Col. of the eleventh Maine Regiment and we give below his admirable address. Gen. Connor said:

Governor Burleigh, Mr. President, Comrades and Friends.—It is holy ground we tread today. As I stand before you, Maine soldiers of the Union and of Gettysburg, honored in being your spokesman, I should not be true to my duty if I did not first of all give some expression to the emotion these scenes and this service awaken in your hearts, filling them to overflowing—the consciousness that we are here, pressing with our footsteps soil hallowed by the life-blood of thousands of our comrades. A few short years, and Gettysburg will be but a cold abstraction, void of that warm human interest which has moved us to our pilgrimage hither; though memorable and glorious this historic field is destined to remain so long as men prize liberty—a conspicuous landmark in the grand route of human progress, a commanding monument in the nation's pathway.

Here was the culmination and turning point of the gigantic conflict which, by common consent, was to determine the fate of free popular government. For three days the life of a nation, the triumph of progress or reaction, the destiny of a continent hung balanced upon this little spot of earth as on a pivot. When the battle clouds that palled these vales and slopes had rolled away, and the silence and peace of nature had returned to these violated fields and their guardian hills, the balance had firmly settled to the side of truth, justice, country and humanity. The arena of so august an arbitrament will be memorable forever. The fame of this victory so rich in blessings to all men for all time will remain bright with a fadeless glory.

When the struggle of the giants was ended and the victory won, the lifeless forms of 3000 of your comrades lay upon the field, and of the 14,000 wounded many were so sorely stricken that their remnant of life was but a painful lingering for a few hours or days. Their felt yet unseen presence is the strongest and uppermost consciousness within us today. It seems as if they had been left on guard all these years and were lying in solemn, hushed bivouac along these slopes, faithful to their trust as in the days gone by. Treasured and ineffaceable memories of comradeship, pride in the heroism here displayed, regret at the precious sacrifice here demanded, lend to this spot of earth where our comrades fell and where we now walk in peace, a peculiar consecration which will last so long as a comrade remains to press its sacred turf. Gallant, eager spirits flushed with the purple light of youth and inspired by its hopes and dreams, how truly may we apply to them the tribute paid to youthful heroes 2000 years ago: "They have perished from the city as the spring from the year." The soil soaked with their blood is holy ground, and over it like a mighty Presence, Glory and Honor and Gratitude brood proudly and lovingly. For them there are

"Laurels of light, and tears of love, forever more."

On the 30th day of June Gen. Meade, who had been in command of the Army of the Potomac but two days, promulgated his order notifying his army of the expected battle, and in a few words adverting to the importance of the issues it involved. None knew better than he that his words were not needed to convey information to the men of his army, or to impress upon them the responsibilities of the hour. He knew that the spirit of his order prevailed the whole army from colonels to drummer boys; for it was the Army of the Potomac, the addressed—the protector of the capital, the breastplate that covered the nation's heart. Many and deep were the wounds it had already received at that proud post of honor. In the two years of its existence by what arduous and terrible processes had it been forged into the thunderbolt of war that displayed its power. By what experiences had the boys of '61 been molded and hardened into veterans, obedient, patient, self-reliant, brave with that high courage that does not shrink from known danger; and the Army of the Potomac had been wrought into a perfect organism, as sensitive to the will of its head as the trained charger to it's master's hand.

The battle to which Meade's order sounded the call is the best known of all the battles of the war.

IT WAS THE TURNING POINT OF THE WAR

and its greatest battle. It was the battle that came nearest home to the country.

If aught else were wanting to set an imperial and imperishable seal of fame upon Gettysburg, the consummate act was performed by that wise ruler, that great and true hearted man the noblest product of our time, Abraham Lincoln. There was a dramatic fitness in his presence here in honor of those who filled the measure of the service to which he called them by a soldier's death upon the field.

The words he uttered here with a studied reticence doubly impressive in so great a master of speech, are as a monumental inscription to be read to remote generations. They breathe the lofty genius of the battle in which the existence of free government was at stake. As the vision of the embattled hosts, the intertangled contestants in deadly strife, of crags and plains gloomed with the infernal incense of battle and lurid with the fitful flashing of war's dread enginery, of trampled fields strewn with the dead and dying, rises before us, the loud and confused sounds of the strife seem the accompaniment of a mighty voice declaring, like the chorus of the ancient stage, the meaning of the tragedy, and proclaiming "the government of the people by the people and for the people, shall not perish from the earth."

The story of Gettysburg has been so well told that it would be idle to attempt to here rehearse it. Let us but glance at its various features and phases in order to indicate the part that Maine soldiers bore in the action.

No man can tell the whole story which we and coming generation would know. The battle already has its Napiers, Jominis and Bancrofts. What men will want most to know of Gettysburg is how it seemed to the thinking brains and throbbing hearts that made up the soulless mechanism of war, whose volition was the will of the commanding officer; to the man who, grasping sword or musket, awaiting the coming onset with swiftly flashing, agonizing thoughts of home and friends and sweet familiar haunts of peace, and of the dread possibilities of the minutes close upon him; nerving his being to do and dare as his country, honor and duty called; and who met the foe with a fierce hatred, a sickening fear that they might prevail in spite of all that he and his comrades could do to overmaster them, and a wild longing to command some fell destruction to sweep them from the face of the earth.

On the morning of July 1, Gen. Buford with his cavalry command encountered the advance of Hill's corps of Lee's army. He gallantly held them in check and sent back for aid to Reynolds, who was promptly on the field with Wadsworth's division to which was attached Hall's Second Maine battery. There was work at hand for the newcomers and at once. But the contest became too unequal to continue and Hall was forced to withdraw all his guns. The losses of that day prove more eloquently than any words how well they held their post on that brave day when the gallant Reynolds met a soldier's death.

The Sixteenth Maine was on the extreme right of the First corps. It not only had to encounter Hill's forces in front but when Ewell came on the field his forces bore directly down upon its flank. Tilden and his men were surrounded, and swept away to undergo the horrors of Southern prisons.

RETREAT, WHEN PRACTICABLE, WOULD HAVE BEEN DISHONOR.

Who will deny to them a generous share in the final victory over an enemy thinned by volleys and taught discretion by their firmness?

On the second day the long expected blow fell heavily on Barney's division of Sickles' Corps comprising the brigades of Graham, Ward and DeTrobriand. Maine was nobly represented in that fighting line though our State had but a single regiment in each brigade. Lakeman with his Kennebeckers, the Third Maine was temporarily detached from comradeship with the Fourth in Ward's brigade, and assigned to Graham. With him they held the Peach Orchard, the famous angle of Sickles' much criticised line, until crushed by converging and cross fires, the remnant of the defenders of an untenable position was driven back. The centre of Birney's line was held by DeTrobriand, with whom was the Seventeenth under Merrill; and Ward's brigade completed the extreme left. No intelligent follower of the events of the battle can fail to concede to these two brigades the high praise accorded them with unanimous voice by every historian of the fight.

In the annals of the Seventeenth the wheat field which they occupied until taken in flank and reverse and grievously torn, has a conspicuous place. The regiment which had been trained by Berry, the Fourth Maine, formed the left of the line and wrought havoc with their blazing rifles among the gray clad swarms that sought to dislodge them from the weird rocks and hollows of the Devil's Den.

There are some times in the affairs of men occurrences which so tend to favor some end of supreme moment,

AS TO FORBID THE THOUGHT

that they are merely accidental. The series of happenings on Little Round Top on that eventful 2nd of July were providential. Human foresight and promptness of action, soldierly ardor and bravery, and patriotic devotion were indeed grandly displayed on that eminence; but all these would not have availed if the peculiar prosperity attending them had failed or been marred in any respect. Fortunate for our army was it that timely succor saved Vincent's right. Fortunate was it, too, that his left was guarded by so sturdy a regiment as the Twentieth Maine, under a commander so gallant and able as Chamberlain! The Twentieth finds that besides the numerous and persistent foes that press upon it in front, others are continually arriving on its flank. There is something malignant in this ever-encircling attack, something far more dreadful than the annihilation or capture of the little band defending the height; it is the deadly clutch it seeks to fasten upon the Army of the Potomac, and thus upon the life of the nation. The sons of Maine feel that the sternest command of duty is laid upon them. The defense of their comrades, the welfare of their country rests upon them. Nobly do they respond to the call. The Pine swings against the Palm. At the command they leap forward tiger-like to the charge and Little Round Top is saved.

With the dawn of the third and last day of the battle, the struggle is renewed by Slocum and his Twelfth corps. The enemy had established themselves in the position the Twelfth had left to go to the support of the centre. After four hours of musketry, as incessant as the rolling of a drum, the Twelfth reoccupied its works.

The Nineteenth was the only Maine regiment which had an opportunity to participate in the magnificent repulse given Pickett's magnificent charge. As his imposing array came on in such numbers, and with such audacity and air of power as to cause the boldest to hold his breath, it struck the Second corps at an angle which enabled the Nineteenth to pour an almost flanking fire upon it. The weight of the charge falls upon Webb's brigade with a crushing force. With one accord the regiments on Webb's left, the Nineteenth among them, rush, regardless of order, to his assistance—a mob, but a fighting mob, against which Pickett's onset expends its fury in vain.

SUCH, IN MEAGRE OUTLINE,

was the part of Maine in the greatest battle of the war. In proportion to the number of her troops in the action no one of the 18 States whose regiments flew the stars and stripes on this hard fought field, contributed more than Maine to the victory. It is somewhat remarkable that seven of her nine infantry regiments in the army, and all three batteries, were in the front line, and that the service of so many of them was of a unique character having an important bearing upon the grand result. At whatever point the battle raged, sons of the Pine Tree State were in the melee. The sad measure of their services is the loss they suffered.

Maine's contribution to the army of the Potomac at Gettysburg in general officers was a notable one. If Maine could appropriate to her own honor the soldiers of Gettysburg who had their birth and breeding on her soil, and were schooled in her homes in the hardy virtues that glorify American manhood, how long her line would stretch, and what increased splendor of achievement and sacrifice would flash from her escutcheon!

Cut from the granite of our native hills we bring hither memorials of valor and patriotism, and implant them on the soil, thank God, of our common country. Each marks a spot where the sons of Maine stood shoulder to shoulder facing the enemy. Inwrought with legends and with knightly emblems they are instinct forevermore with honor to the brave, and tribute to the chivalrous spirit of the grandest army that ever marched to battle.

WE DEDICATE THEM TO THE PAST

in the fervid hope that the memories they evoke may have immortal power to keep alive and strengthen whatever tends to maintain this precious, blood-bought country one, free, strong and pure. With joy and thankfulness we hail these peaceful, prosperous, happy days. At each remove of a free people's onward course new dangers, hardships and difficulties stimulate to renewed effort and deeper thought.

Oh troubled patriot, if, in the years to come, fears and forebodings oppress your spirit, and the burden is heavy and the way is dark, and dangers threaten, come to this field and stand among these silent monitors and learn that resolved hearts, fired by a deathless purpose, can make a way through the heaviest gloom to the fair sunlight beyond.

A SKETCH OF THE ORATOR.

The Gettysburg commission chose well when it selected General Connor as the orator for Thursday's ceremonies. His address rises to the demands of the occasion and in the peroration strikes a strain of lofty eloquence. Selden Connor is a man whom Maine delights to honor, and of whom Portland is proud as a citizen. A glance at his career is of interest at this time. Born in Fairfield fifty years ago, he graduated at Tufts and was about beginning the practice of law in Vermont when the war broke out. Throwing aside his law books, he volunteered in the First Vermont regiment. Mustered out at the expiration of his term of enlistment three months later, he was chosen major of the 7th Maine, and was soon promoted to lieutenant colonel. He commanded the regiment for some time, took part in the peninsular campaign, was in temporary command of the 77th New York regiment at Antietam, received a slight wound in the battle of Fredericksburg, and participated at Gettysburg. In the following January he was commissioned colonel of the 19th Maine, and as ranking officer commanded the brigade. In the Wilderness, May, 1864, his thigh bone was shattered by a Confederate bullet and he was crippled for life. The bullet, however, brought him a brigadier's commission. After the war he was appointed a member of Governor Chamberlain's staff, and in 1868 assessor of internal revenue and afterwards collector for the Augusta district. In 1875 he received the highest honor in the gift of the State and was elected governor, serving three terms in succession. For four years, from 1882 to 1886, he was United States pension agent at Augusta, afterward removing to Portland, where he is engaged in private business. At the Grand Army national encampment held here in 1885, he was elected senior vice commander. General Connor's own part at Gettysburg is alluded to very modestly by the speaker. On the last day of the battle General Slocum, in command of the 12th corps, reoccupied the position previously left by him to support the centre, and requested General Neill of the 6th corps to send troops to protect his right and the Baltimore pike from the enemy. General Connor says, "Neill entrusted that service to the 43d New York and the 7th Maine, under the command officer of the 7th." He does not say that he himself was that commanding officer. The service was one of danger. The two regiments had to run the gauntlet of a brisk fire as they passed over exposed ground to their assigned place, and met loss in doing it. Here occupying a strong position, they held the extreme right of the army for the rest of the day. By the fortune of war they were not subjected to the extremely severe experience of some of the regiments, but they did their whole duty and performed important service. [Portland Advertiser.

Bates College Notes.

Grading of the College grounds still continue.

E. W. Morrill, '90, is at home for a short time enjoying a sprained ankle.

Pres. Cheney and Prof. Hayes have been attending the Free Will Baptist General Conference at Harpers Ferry, W. Va.

The Bates Student for September is just out. It contains an excellent picture of Prof. Stanley and a brief sketch of his life and work. The literary part of the number is especially fine and the other departments are well up. Altogether it is the best number yet issued by '90.

The tennis tournament was held Saturday, Sept. 28. There are yet final games to be played. The most interesting game of the day was between Garland, '90, and Howard, '92. Both men put up a stiff game, but Howard had the staying qualities and won the rubber. He played a steady game, placing the balls well and returning balls with the back hand stroke.

The base ball team has been partially new uniformed. They have new padded pants and new caps. The battery appear in striped garnet and gray jerseys. Saturday, the 5th, the Bowdoin team played the Bates on the College grounds. Score 17 to 6. The boys were quite lame from the severe exercise of field day, yet their errors were only 4 to the Bowdoins 8.

An orchestra is to be formed by members of the Eurosophian Society. The Freshman class has brought in several additions to the musical talent in college. There are quite a number of vocalists in the class, one of the best of whom is Sturges of Lewiston. Denton and Brown are members of the Farmington Band, playing cornet and clarionet. Irvin of Lewiston is a member of the Brigade Band. His clarionet was heard to good advantage in City Hall last June at the graduating exercises of the High school. The College Band has begun rehearsals under the charge of F. S. Libby, '91.

The sixth meeting of the Athletic Association was held at the College Campus in the forenoon and the races at the fair grounds in the afternoon, Oct. 4, '89. Field Marshal Leslie Reed, Judges, E. C. Hayes, B. Stanley, Referee D. A. O'Brion, Timers, F. S. Pierce, F. S. Libbey. Committee on arrangements Whitcomb, '91, Pinkham, '91 Walter, '92. The junior class did not contest in any of the sports and but one in the Freshman class. Winners: Standing High Jump—1st, Putnam, '92, 4 ft 3 in; 2d, Garcelon, '90, 4 ft 1 in. Standing high kick—1st Emery, '92, 7 ft 3 3-4 in.; 2d, Woodman, '90, 6 ft 10 in. Hitch kick—1st Garcelon 7 ft. 9 3-4 in.; 2d, Woodman, 7½ ft. Throwing hammer 16 lbs. Heavy weight—1st, Hamlin '90, 58 ft 5 3-4 in. 2d Putnam '92, 57 ft. 6 in. Hammer light weight—1st, Garcelon, '90, 49 ft. 9 1-2 in; 2d, Wheeler, '92, 47 ft. 8½. Running high jump—1st, Emery, '92, 4 ft. 11 in.; 2d, Woodman, '90, 4 ft. 11 in. Putting shot, 16 lbs—1st, Whitcomb, '90, 31 ft. 2 in.; 2d, Putnam '92, 28 ft. Running broad jump—1st, Garland, '90, 17 ft. 10 1-2 in.; 2d, Garcelon, '90, 17 ft. 4 1-2 in. Throwing base ball—1st, Pennell, '93, 312 ft. 8 in. 2d, Putnam, '92, 293 ft. 10 in. Standing broad jump—1st Garcelon, '90, 9 ft. 5 in. 2d Putnam, '92, 8 ft. 11 1-4 in. Pole Vault—1st Garcelon '90, 8 ft. 6 in. 2d Garland, '90, 8 ft. Hurdle race 120 yds.—1st Garcelon '90, 16 sec., 2d Putnam '92, 17 4-5. Mile run—Garland '90, 5 min. 14 sec. Skelton '92, 5 min. 15 3-4 sec. Three legged race 100 yds.—1st Day and Whitcomb, '90, 13 4-5 sec. 2d Emery and Sawyer, '92, 15 1-5 sec. Knapsack race 50 yds., and return—Woodman and Garcelon, '90, 21 4-5 sec. Half mile run—1st Emery '92, 2 min. 26 3-4 sec. 2d Garcelon 2 min. 37 sec. Mile walk—1st Skelton '92, 8 m 42 sec. 2d Little '92, 8 m 50 1-4 sec. 220 yds dash—1st Garcelon '90, 25 sec., 2d Putnam '92, 27 sec. 100 yds. dash—1st Garcelon '90, 10 1-5 sec. 2d Putnam '92, 10 4-5 sec. 2 miles go-as-you-please, 1st Skelton 12 m. 40 sec. 2d Garland 13 m. 1-2 sec. In nearly every instance the records of the former years were lowered.

A German forest keeper, 62 years of age, not wishing to carry to his grave an important secret, has published in the Leipzig Journal a receipt he has used for fifty years, and which he says has saved several men and a great number of animals from a horrible death by hydrophobia. The bite must be bathed as soon as possible with warm vinegar and water and when this has dried, a few drops of muriatic acid poured upon the wound will destroy the poison of the saliba and relieve the patient from all present or future danger.

When the citizens of Taylorsville, Neb., turned out and rode Jason Mitchell on a rail and then put on tar and feathers as a further testimonial of their love and esteem, he didn't say a word to anybody, but after they got through he began suit against 20 different men and made them glad to settle with him for $100 each.

Maine Matters.

NEWS AND GOSSIP FROM ALL OVER THE STATE.

THE BARK MATANZAS.

The bark Matanzas, 976.98 tons net, launched at Bath Oct. 3, is owned by W. D. Munson & Co., of 80 Wall Street, N. Y., and was designed by Lawlor of East Boston. She is built expressly for the Cuba trade. This is the fourth vessel owned by this company and they were all built in Bath, and it is the only line running out of the United States to Cuba under canvas. They run from New York with oil and general cargo and return with sugar. The four vessels are barks, viz., Mendoza, Antonia Sala, Havana, and the new one. They average six voyages a year, taking full cargoes each way. Capt. B. F. Rice, who superintended the building of, and will command, the Matanzas also superintended the construction of the Havana and Antonia Sala and went out in command. He is perfectly satisfied with the new one and thinks it is the best one now owned by the firm. They prefer a bark for their business, as they encounter the gales of the winter and hurricanes of the summer and consider a bark rig much safer for this route. The Bath Independent gives the following description of the Matanzas: She has a steam windlass, capstan, and a hoister with a four drum capacity, capable of unloading from all the hatches at once. She can discharge and load in four days. Seven ports have been placed in her sides and a new idea is used in connection with these, which does away with the caulking of the ports. This is by having the edge of the port covered with a stiff rubber ribbon. The hatches which are 24 by 12 1-2 feet are the largest ever put in a sailing vessel, except a coal barge. She has all iron knees and stanchions fore and aft. Seven pumps have been placed aboard her, five of which are run by steam and two by hand. They are: one placed forward, one aft, one mid-ship and four bilge. She has a large tank with a capacity of 3600 gallons for feeding her boiler. Between her floors cement has been placed, which acts as ballast and when water comes to it, it is carried to the wells where it is pumped out. This does away with much of the danger of fever caused by bilge water so frequently found in most vessels. She has a 22 inch plate iron, running her full length which with its three inch flange does away with the keelson which takes up so much room. Besides it adds greatly to the strength of the vessel. Her cabin is finished in ash and walnut with three state rooms. She was rigged and coppered on the stocks. Her copper is 20 ounce metal, double nailed.

SONS AND DAUGHTERS OF MAINE.

In response to an invitation issued by Mr. F. S. Burgess and Mr. George A. Hobbs of Woburn, quite a number of the native sons and daughters of Maine who reside in that city met recently to consider the matter of holding a reunion and banquet for the purpose of bringing together and making better acquainted all who hail from the Pine Tree State who live in Woburn. Quite a number of the gentlemen and ladies made speeches, and all were enthusiastically in favor of the project. A committee of five was appointed to perfect a permanent organization and report at a future meeting. The following were appointed a committee with full powers to arrange for the reunion, banquet and entertainment: C. W. Dorr, G. W. Kimball, Major H. C. Hall, J. H. Nason, C. M. Strout, F. S. Burgess, George Barton, M. W. True, Jacob Linscott, W. N. Titus, Alex Ellis, Mrs. H. M. Eames, Mrs. G. A. Hobbs, Mrs. Frank Hurd, Mrs. C. C. Miles, Mrs. W. N. Titus, Mrs. Amos Cummings, Mrs. James Partridge, Mrs. A. A. Fish, Mrs. C. W. Dorr, Mrs. A. P. Maxwell. This committee was empowered to add to its numbers if advisable. The meeting adjourned, subject to call of the Chairman.

SAIL BOATS FOR YAWLS.

At Perkins & Blaisdell's boat shop they are rushing work on boats for the New England, Kelley & Spear and Deering. Seven boats are completed and they are at work on four others just started. They have quite a curiosity in the shape of the big boats for the Matanzas, Capt. Rich, and Dyer's schooner. In the place of a yawl boat the vessels will carry a mammoth sail boat. They are the biggest boats ever built to carry on a vessel. They are regular sail boats 24 feet long, 7 1-2 wide and 3 feet deep. The one for Capt. Rich will be the same length and 6 inches wider. They will be sloop rigged and can carry about six tons. The vessels are built for the Cuba trade and the boats will be used in going from the vessel to the cities. In most of the places the vessel loads quite a ways from the city and the channels are quite dangerous. A prominent ship owner said recently, "I will never say anything against the expense of a good large sail boat for the vessel, as a small one in some ports is almost worse than nothing." [Bath Times.

NORTH KNOX VETERAN ASSOCIATION.

The North Knox Veteran Association, comprising David Esancy Post of Appleton, L. C. Bowman Post of Washington, E. H. Bradstreet Post of Liberty and Cooper Post of Union, with the Women's Relief corps attached to each, held their annual reunion at Washington camp ground, Oct. 3d, there being a large attendance. A sumptuous dinner was served. Original and appropriate poems were read by Mrs. M. F. Handy and Miss Hattie Simmons of Appleton, with an address by Rev. J. H. Beale. The following officers were elected: Colonel, J. O. Johnson of Liberty; lieutenant-colonels, J. L. Burns of Washington, L. C. Morse of Liberty, H. A. Howes of Union and E. D. Gushee of Appleton; adjutant, F. S. Bowden of Washington; quartermaster, Alonzo Rhodes of Washington; chaplain, Rev. J. H. Beale of Appleton.

IN GENERAL.

The Franklin County Trotting Horse Breeders' Association has been organized at Farmington.

Since the establishment of the Machias Savings Bank that institution has paid in interest to its depositors more than $800,000, an average of over 5 1-4 per cent. each year during that time.

Insurance men have been inspecting Skowhegan's water works and there will be a reduction in the rates of insurance from 8 to 20 per cent.

Inspired by the offer of an agricultural paper of $500 in gold for the best acre of potatoes, Mr. Orin D. Vance, of Caribou, has raised on an acre 495 bushels, 343 bushels being large potatoes.

Hon. J. P. Bass and Mr. Ara Warren are to establish a plant for the manufacture of Brown's Sarsaparilla in Montreal. This is done on account of the high Canadian duty on patent medicines.

The four DeLaittre brothers, sons of Mrs. Sally DeLaittre of Ellsworth, casually met in Minneapolis the other day and dined together—the first meal they have eaten together for twenty years.

Mrs. Ivory Trafton of Machiasport has a curiosity in her possession in the shape of a petrified alligator, which she found upon the beach at Cutler several weeks since.

Raising cucumbers is getting to be quite a business in Maine. Brownfield has shipped 536,744 pounds this season, and in one town over $2000 was paid to the farmers for this vegetable.

On a pleasant street in Kennebunk village there are now residing ten ladies whose united ages foot up 700 years. The oldest is past 90, three others are over 80, and the youngest is 60.

Ex-Tax Collector Richard M. Johnson has brought suit against the Biddeford Daily Times for the publication of an article, Sept. 27, reflecting upon Mr. Johnson's service as tax collector. The damages are placed at $10,000.

Houlton people cannot complain for lack of variety, judging from the following from the Aroostook Pioneer. Parties were picking strawberries Sunday afternoon; Monday morning ice had formed in low places; last evening a warm rain set in.

Mrs. Sarah Roberts, of Hampden, is known as the champion weaver of the county. Since the summer of 1867 she has woven over eight thousand yards of carpeting, and her work has gone from State to State, till now there are carpets of her weaving in California, in Ohio, in New Hampshire, in Massachusetts and many in Maine.

It is very likely that before another year Waterville will have another hotel. Parties have offered to pay a rental equal to six per cent or $20,000 for a hotel on Main street, and the proprietors of one piece of real estate are considering the question of laying the foundation of a block this fall that embraces a hotel in the three upper stories and three stores on the ground floor.

Several years ago, Bowdoin College was presented with a book fund by John Langdon Sibley, of Union, the money to remain unused until, with the accumulated interest, it should amount to $5,000. Part of it was then to be annually used for the purchase of books for the library. The fund, up to date, has increased to $4,500. Last week President Hyde received a letter from the wife of Mr. Sibley, enclosing a check for $500 necessary to place the fund at the disposal of the college.

The forthcoming issue of the Farmer's Review will report that the potato crop of 1889 will probably exceed in quantity that of any previous year in the United States. The acreage is less than last year, but the conditions of growth have in general been very favorable and there has been an unusual absence of insect enemies. The total crop is estimated at 233,-700,000 bushels, which exceeds last year's crop by over 17,000,000 bushels.

George Alfred Townsend says that the French did not care two cents about Chauncey M. Depew and his speeches, nor did they inquire if George Vanderbilt was in town buying something; but they hailed Tom Edison as the living successor of Benjamin Franklin. He could not eat except in noble company. He could hardly walk unless a crowd followed him.

Joseph Nay, and Edward Dayton, in jail at Ogden, Utah, for robbing a gambling house, have made a voluntary confession that they were the robbers of the Denver & Rio Grande train near Thompson Springs, Aug. 6th. A man named Curtis has been arrested for the robbery, but Nay and Dayton say he is entirely innocent.

Rev. Frederick T. McLeod of Chicago has been arrested on a charge of bigamy. He formerly lived at Central Economy, N. S. A warrant was sworn out by Mrs. Mary McLeod of that place, who says McLeod married her two years ago and left not long after. Coming to Chicago he married again.

A. A. Howes & Co. sell 7 bars Brussels soap (no rosin) for 50 cents, and give a patent soap tray free with the first purchase.

Beyond Our Southern Border.

HOME LIFE IN A HOT CLIMATE. FEMALE BEAUTY OBSCURED BY BAD DRESSING.

[Correspondence of the Journal.]

GUAYMAS, SONORA, 1889. Travelers say of this odd and isolated little town that it possesses two things in an eminent degree—pretty girls and hot weather. The latter is simply indescribable, especially when the wind happens to be shoreward, the encircling hills completely shutting off every breath of air not heated to 120 in the shade. As to the Senoritas, they certainly are beautiful, while young; but, unfortunately, women age rapidly in this fervid climate, and seem as old at 25 as most northern females at 40. There is one thing, however, in favor of the Guaymas girls, viz., that they know how to dress better than their sisters in most parts of Mexico—a circumstance due to the large foreign element of the city, chiefly American and French. "Beauty unadorned" is all very well—in poetry, and perhaps in fact if left absolutely unadorned. But the prettiest woman is not attractive when slouching about corsetless, in an ill-fitting, badly cut gown, (no matter how rich the material), which sags just enough in the rear to wipe up the dusty streets, hatless and gloveless, hair banged straight over the brows *a la* poodle, and feet crowded into shoes two sizes too small, with enormously high heels that give the wearer a gait absurdly awkward. In many plazas, in various portions of this sunny country, where the *elite* are wont to promenade, I have watched the procession, of wealth, youth and beauty, longing to prop up the plump figures into something like shapeliness, to gather the untidy folds of the skirt into grace of contour, and to fling those ungainly heels "into the middle of next week." But then, they all have abundant dark hair, lustrous eyes and pearly teeth; and in Sonora most of them know how to wear their good clothes in a becoming way, and, better than all, their faces have a flush and glow, in keeping with their liquid eyes, indicating good health, rich blood and warm hearts—and beside them the average pale-tinted American, looks like a snow-drift.

Here all the native women, Mexican and Yaqui, still wear over the head, instead of hats or bonnets, either the Spanish mantilla (pronounced man-tee-ya), or the rebosa. The former is simply a three-cornered shawl of black or white lace; and the latter is a long, wide scarf, black or blue, of cotton, wool or silk. No other sort of head-covering is ever seen here, except among the visiting strangers, and none other could be so universally becoming and so suited to the climate. In most other respects the Sonora ladies follow American styles, except in the matter of gloves, (which are never worn at all) and those execrable French heels, nearly a finger high, set directly under the instep.

Probably the total absence of gloves is largely owing to the difficulty of getting them on and off in an atmosphere so perspiration provoking; but, notwithstanding this lack of protection from the tropic sun, and the blistering glare of the near-by Bay, the Guaymas ladies are justly famed for the whiteness and beauty of their hands, in which they take great pride. Probably this arises from the fact that manual labor is considered dishonorable for any but the lowest classes; and poor indeed must the aristocratic Mexican become before he or she will consent to do any kind of work, indoors or out—in most cases I verily believe they would prefer starvation. To be sure, the ladies look after their households a little each day, after a fashion—that is, they go around the *casa* and worry the multitude of servants by ignorant orders; and most of them use the needle skilfully on lace-work and embroidery. But for the most part, their lives are spent in the hammock—eating, sleeping, smoking cigarettes in dainty silver holders, and chatting airy nothings. They are all very religious and regular church-goers to morning mass and evening vespers, observing all *fiestas* and doing whatever priest and confessor dictates. They read little or nothing, as a rule know nothing of the world beyond the limits of vision, and their highest idea of enjoyment is in dancing and sinless flirtation. There are a great many balls, and every evening there is informal dancing in somebody's *casa*. It is the universal custom everywhere in Mexico for neighbors and friends to "drop in" of an evening without especial invitation, and always "where two or three are gathered together" there is music and dancing, to which these light-hearted, pleasure-loving, warm-blooded people incline, as naturally as ducks to water.

As an incident characteristic of the place, I may mention that coming to Guaymas once via the California Gulf, the steamer arrived on Monday morning. It was after nine o'clock when I went ashore with the captain, but we found everything shut up,—the Custom House, the Post Office, the stores; nobody stirring but the American Consul, even the distributor of the mails and the Master of the Port being cross and sleepy because disturbed *so early!* There had been a carnival ball the night before (Sunday), and young and old had danced till Monday dawning.

The houses of Guaymas are of stone and adobe,—mostly the latter, built in the prevailing style of Mexico, one story high, with flat roofs, and walls from three to five feet thick. The more pretentious residences inclose a court, around the inner walls being a broad veranda, or corridor, open to the court, every apartment leading into it by its only door, there being no outside doors, excepting the main entrance, which also leads to the court and thence to the rooms of the casa, and through which donkeys and carriages may come as well as the people. The poorer classes—and they compose by far the larger part of the population—inhabit palaces made of poles tied together by withes and plastered with a little sun dried mud, doorless, windowless, and roofed with cactus branches, palm-leaves, old rags, or whatever happened to come in the builders way. Even in the best houses, window-glass is rare, the casements being of the French type, double and reaching from floor to ceiling, the place of the ordinary sash to which we of the North are accustomed, being filled by folding doors of solid wood, so that when closed the rooms are in total darkness. But in this mild climate there is no season of the year when the windows may not be left wide open, by night as by day, because securely protected from outside intruders by bars of wood or iron. A kind of venetian shades, with slats, is sometimes used to partially screen those within from the public gaze, the houses being all built even with the street. The universal presence of window-bars gives a prison-like aspect to the buildings, and suggests a feeling of insecurity in a state of society that seems to demand such extraordinary precaution; but that judgment would not be just, because in more advanced communities than most of these in Mexico, similar protection would be necessary for rooms on a level with the street, if the climate were so warm that windows opening to the floor must be left open the year around. No community, North or South, is so honest as to permit with impunity such ample opportunity for trespass. Guaymas is well policed, and as good order prevails here as in any American town of its size.

Among the public buildings of Guaymas, the new cathedral is the finest, of stone and adobe, so stuccoed over that none can tell "which is which." The internal arrangements are after the manner of all large foreign churches—without pews or seats of any kind, worshippers being expected to remain kneeling on the tiled floor while within its sacred walls. Some of the more fastidious communicants provide themselves with prayer-rugs, which a servant carefully spreads before his master or mistress, and folds and carries home at the close of the service. Some of the most aristocratic go so far as to set up little individual oratorios of their own, which are left permanently in the church. The images in the Guaymas cathedral are rather better than common, and the altar is really fine. There is a big picture of Santa Guadalupe, the creole virgin who is the especial patroness of Mexico, besides her opponent in war, the Virgin de los Remedios, (which Cortez' army carried, and the Spaniards afterwards when they fought against the Mexicans in their struggle for independence, the latter bearing the Creole Guadalupe), both, strangely enough, being reverenced as the same holy Virgin, the Mother of Christ.

Every Sunday, at the close of morning service in this cathedral, the rite of baptism is administered. The baptistry is located at the base of one of the towers, and as a rule, a large percentage of the candidates for the sacred ceremony are Indians. The Yaquis hereabouts are universally very pious, and they bring the babies to be baptised before their eyes are fairly opened. The infants are dressed in nothing but a scanty strip of cloth, and often not even that, the mother covering the naked morsel of humanity, as best she can, with her own ragged *rebson*. Watching the weekly baptismal performance one sees a confused chaos of struggling brown arms and legs and hears a babal of puny cries.

The adult Yaquis hereabouts dress fairly well, in the prevailing fashion of the country. In appearance they are the most mild and harmless of people. There is a village of them over the hills behind Guaymas, in a valley called the Yaqui, which is green and lovely with gardens. They are a poor people, but scrupulously honest, doing no work but that of cultivating their fields. Others of the same tribe are scattered all over Sonora, and are said to be the best laborers in the country, especially in the mines, it having passed into a proverb that "one Yaqui is worth a dozen Mexicans."

FANNIE B. WARD.

Young Ives was by no means pleased with the result of his trial, and he is evidently very apprehensive as to the result of the second ordeal. Some of the New York papers openly hint that the two jurors who disagreed were bought.

A glib young man collected 95 cents from nearly every grocer in Dover, N. H., recently to pay for printing the grocers' names on a new kind of paper bag he would send them free in order to introduce it. The young man is missing—so are the bags.

The War Department at Washington has detailed Lieut. Charles A. L. Totten of the 4th Artillery to report at Yale University, where he will be stationed for the next three years, to instruct the students in the scientific department in military engineering.

Uncle Bob Carlton, of Magazine, Ark, is said to be 136 years old. He is strong and hearty, has good eyesight and can shoot more squirrels than any boy in the neighborhood. He uses an old-fashioned rifle that was carried by a soldier in the revolutionary war.

The Third Party Campaign in New Jersey.

THE PROHIBITION, DEMOCRATIC AND REPUBLICAN CANDIDATES. THE WORLD'S FAIR OF 1892. TALMAGE.

[Correspondence of the Journal.]

NEWARK, N. J., Oct. 1, 1889. I left my home in Waldo county Aug. 15th, and two days later, after a very pleasant journey, found myself once again in New Jersey, shaking hands with friends and talking on the political situation in this State. The Prohibitionists are carrying on a strong and able campaign this fall. They are sowing Prohibition literature *knee deep* and organizing the party thoroughly over the entire State. Their staff of speakers, however, is not so large as last year. The State Central Committee made a careful selection of their list of speakers early in the campaign, and meetings are now being held over the State, addressed by these gentlemen. We opened the campaign Aug. 19th, and have since been speaking to large indoor and outdoor audiences. The prospect for a large vote on the 5th of November next, for Hon. George La Monte, our candidate for Governor—a man of sterling worth, Christian manhood and unselfish patriotism—looks bright indeed, giving us new life and energy to battle on in the grand struggle for God, home and native land. Mr. La Monte was formerly a Democrat, but became a Prohibitionist nine years ago. Last fall he was a candidate for Congress in the fourth district of New Jersey and received a large vote. I spoke with him two weeks last year and can say that he is the finest man in every way that I have ever met.

The Democrats have placed in nomination for Governor ex-Governor Leon Abbett. I am told by a personal friend that Mr. Abbett is a very able man, and one of the hardest fighters, politically, in the State. He will pull on all the strings he can possibly grasp, no doubt, to place himself in the Gubernatorial chair. The Republicans have nominated Gen. Edward Burd Grubb for Governor. He was a brave general during the war, and is very popular with the Grand Army boys. That he will make an excellent fight this fall for the Governorship there can be no question.

Although the people of New Jersey are paying much attention to politics, still they get time to talk about the World's Fair in 1892, and naturally they all want it held in New York. Truly, no city can offer the proportions that New York can. It is the largest in the Union, and is of easy access to visitors from all parts of the world. This will be the greatest exposition ever held in America, and leading merchants, builders, inventors and patentees of the New World are deeply interested in the accomplishment of the great object.

Last Sunday night, Sept. 28th, I went over to Brooklyn and listened to T. De Witt Talmage. The great tabernacle was overcrowded with well-dressed men and women, old and young, assembled to listen to one of the greatest pulpit orators in America. At 7.30 P. M., Mr. Talmage appeared upon the platform, a plainly dressed man, but with intelligence stamped on every feature. He was in charming spirits and delighted his hearers. He made the hearts of that mighty audience vibrate with tender feeling. During his discourse he spoke of his great love for the country. He said that he was brought up on a farm. "Oh how I love the country," he exclaimed. "I love its streamlets, its leaf, its flower," and then he repeated with Louisa:

"The language of the streamlet, of the leaf, the flower, the bee,
Each in its own sphere rejoicing in the sunlight glad and free,
Thrills the soul with raptured feeling, makes sweet tear-drops fill the eye;
Yet 'tis language past revealing, and for which we vainly sigh."

I can speak of him only with veneration, gratitude and love. Grand man—his name has become dear to all mankind.

F. W. GOWEN.

Generalities.

The late Congressman Cox bequeathed all his property to his wife.

All the bagging interests of the United States will soon be consolidated.

The new Chinese Minister was recently received by President Harrison.

Lumber fires in Michigan are reported to have caused $200,000 damage.

The Swiss Government has adopted smokeless powder for the army.

Ex-Governor John A. Martin, of Kansas, a prominent Republican, is dead.

Three towns in the State of Chiapas, Mex., have been destroyed by a cyclone.

A New York syndicate proposes the erection of a $3,000,000 hotel at Louisville, Ky.

Seven thousand colliers, of Lancaster, Eng., have struck for an advance of 5 per cent.

Lowell capitalists propose to erect a cotton mill of 25,000 spindles at Denison, Texas.

Arrangements have been made for the establishment of two colonies of Swedes in Vermont.

Sir Arthur Sullivan's song, "The Lost Chord," has already paid him $15,000 and still has a large sale.

The United States Government officially recognizes the Maritime Exhibition in Boston, but does not aid it financially.

By the recent gale in the Gulf of Mexico 165 houses were wrecked at Laguna Delcarmen and 27 vessels were wrecked.

Mills giving employment to nearly 3,000 hands at Preston, Eng., have resumed work. The prospects of a revival of trade are good.

The wife of a Deputy Sheriff at Little Falls Minn., stole her husband's revolver, keys and money, released a convict and eloped with him.

The Dunkerque (French) codfishermen took home from the banks this year 39,670 tons of cod, or 700 tons more than in the previous year.

A company has been formed to run a line of steamships between Hamburg and Mozambique. The vessels will stop at Zanzibar en route.

The Union Pacific Railroad is reported to have matured plans for the extension of its system to the coast through Southern California.

Tommy Elmore, three years old, of Alachua, Fla., is said to play the most difficult compositions on the violin with remarkable nicety and expression.

A Washington special reports that the Navy Department will soon send the new war ships to increase our naval force on the different stations.

Two men robbed another in a room in the Bancroft House, New York, then turned on the gas and left him to die. He was discovered before he died.

As a result of a conference with citizens of Johnstown, Pa., General Beaver has assigned $10,000 of the relief funds for the cleaning and improvement of the streets.

Congressman Nutting of New York is reported to be on the road to recovery, and it is possible that he may be able to take his place when Congress assembles.

Almost with his dying breath Wilkie Collins said: "I want a simple funeral and no feathers, no crape, no forms nor ceremonies." His wishes were executed to the letter.

It is reported that the naval engineers made a mistake in calculating the horse power of the new cruiser Baltimore and it may not equal the contract requirement of 9000.

The net receipts of the historical pageant at Hartford in honor of Mrs. Stowe amounted to $1,036, and this despite the fact that the illustrious authoress was unable to be present.

Three hundred miners are reported starving at Upper Yukon, Alaska, sixteen hundred miles from any settlement. A steamer which was bearing them provisions was wrecked.

The Austrian Consul at Canea, Crete, announces that the Creton insurrection has been quelled, and that martial law will be enforced only against murderers and persons guilty of other grave crimes.

Thirteen violators of the Edmunds law were sentenced at Provo, Utah, recently. They were sentenced to the penitentiary for terms of two to six months. None of them promised obedience to the law.

The Governor of Michigan has surrendered to the United States the unearned lands granted the State by act of Congress in 1856 for certain railways in the upper peninsula, amounting to about 220,000 acres.

British war ship Lily struck a rock off Point Armor and sank. Seven of the crew were lost. The vessel is a total wreck. Considerable money and valuables went down with her, nothing whatever being saved.

Up to this time nearly seventeen and a half millions of people have visited the Paris exhibition, an increase of more than eight millions over the number in the corresponding period at the exhibition in Paris in 1878.

A. H. Bogardus, the well-known rifle shot, has brought suit for $10,000 damages against Adam Forepaugh for the use of his name and lithograph in connection with the Forepaugh show when he was not with it.

The Sun's Heat.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE JOURNAL: It is considered vain presumption to dispute any thing that an astronomer asserts, especially if one hasn't read and also accepted all the old theories, and the arguments in support of them. While I have read about all the theories I could find about the sun's heat and light, I must admit that I have never met with one yet that seemed to be based on common sense. Standing near a wood fire and realizing its light and heat easily suggests that the sun is a ball of fire, but the testimony ends here. There is no further similarity. Fire throws heat that diminishes with distance about as follows: A cubic foot of fire throws a given amount of heat one foot from its surface, and only half that amount of heat two feet; and only one-fourth, three feet; and throws only one-eighth of its heat four feet, and so on diminishing the amount of heat by one-half every time it goes the distance of the diameter of the ball of fire. At this rate, if the sun is a ball of fire, as it is one million miles in diameter and ninety-five million miles from us, it must be something decidedly hot to produce the heat we feel here, for its own heat is divided by one-half, ninety-five times, before it gets here. As there is nothing on this earth that could stand that amount of heat for three seconds without being converted into gas, it would indicate that "old sol" is made of a decidedly tough kind of fuel or it would burn out faster, for Geology teaches that it has been "burning" several million years with still no signs of exhaustion. And comparing the size of the sun with the size of the planets, and realizing how little heat the outside ones would get, seems like running a big fire for a small purpose, which is doubtful economy if nothing else.

Whether a fire is placed down in a hole or up in the air, the nearer you get to it the hotter it feels, yet at mid-day you can rise five miles into the air directly toward the sun and thus freeze to death, while the thermometer at the earth's surface stands a hundred and two in the shade. The "scientific" explanation here is that the atmosphere is a conductor of heat and being denser at the earth surface makes the heat more perceptible. If that is so, and it should appear that the sun had no atmosphere, then a man might stand on its blistering surface and freeze to death because there would be nothing to conduct the heat into him. This venerable "theory" about old sol's fiery character has a good deal to answer for. If the "theory" was true, it would be twice as hot in the Tropic of Capricorn in December, as it is in the Tropic of Cancer in June, because in December the earth is a million miles nearer the sun than it is in June. It is midsummer in the Tropic of Cancer in June, and midsummer in the Tropic of Capricorn in December. If the fire theory was true there would be no escaping the fact that a summer in Capricorn would be twice as hot as a summer in Cancer.

It is a curious fact that on high mountains the stars are visible all day long, and in the high altitudes of New Mexico and Colorado the moon is visible nearly every day when it is over head. Why does it thus grow darker as we rise from the sea level toward the sun? "O," say the learned astronomers, "the atmosphere conveys the light." Balloonists testify that when they rise in midday, though directly toward the sun, it grows colder and darker as they rise.

If the sun can produce light and heat only in the atmosphere, why not admit that the light and heat is all produced here and does not come from the sun at all, but on the contrary only a straight ray of electricity comes from the sun, and when that ray strikes our atmosphere it makes the combination that produces the heat and light.

We can take a cold, dark substance and put it with another equally cold and dark substance, and the moment they come together they produce light and heat, thus showing that the light and heat are the result of the combination. Thus it is possible for the sun to send out rays of electricity that are perfectly dark and cold, that can produce light and heat the moment they combine with our atmosphere. And this earth in turn can send dark, cold rays to the sun that will produce light and heat there when they enter that atmosphere. On this theory the sun can and need be no hotter than the earth, unless the sun has a deeper and denser atmosphere. The conditions of heat are these: A person nearest the earth's centre and in the most direct line between the earth's centre and the sun's centre gets the greatest amount of heat, and vice versa. The atmosphere begins to grow cold with the going down of the sun, and continues to grow colder all night and is coldest just at sunrise. This condition always occurs unless the night air is warmed by a breeze from across some swamp or other warm quarter.

If we suppose that the sun throws positive rays on the earth, which causes the earth to turn and throw off to the fixed stars, and that the earth receives negative rays from the stars at night that it throws to the sun in the day time; then we can see how the earth is turned much like an electric dynamo that runs a street car. One-half of the earth would be constantly being charged with positive force while the other half was being charged with negative force, thus forcing a constant turning in order to continue a constant discharge. This would produce not only light and heat, but life and growth also, and in a manner consistent with reason, and the earth, sun and stars need not be unduly hot either, and a long distance from the sun will not make a planet any colder either. Electric rays are independent of distance. It is time that old theory about our sun being a "ball of fire" was thrown to the dogs. I can mention at least two prominent astronomers, in this country, who have advocated this "ball of fire" business within a year.

C. S. GRIFFIN.

Keeping His Promise.

PRESIDENT HARRISON DECREASING THE LOANS TO NATIONAL BANKS.

During the last days of President Cleveland's administration the government's loans to the national banks increased to about sixty-five million dollars. President Harrison promised, during the campaign last year, that the amount should be decreased, since it was well known that most of the loans was made to favor politicians, and were not in the interest of the people. That promise is being fulfilled. The aggregate has been decreased to about forty million dollars since March 4, and before Congress convenes it will come down much further, to probably twenty-five million dollars, and perhaps one-half what it is at present. The money, as it piles up in the treasury, is being applied as rapidly as possible to the purchase of outstanding bonds, extinguishment of the national debt, and the application of the money to the purchase of bonds in the open market is so greatly in excess of a reduction of loans to the national banks that no fear can possibly be entertained in any quarter that the calling in of the loans will distress or affect the money market.

It may affect the volume of the operating funds of a few national banks, but it cannot in the least degree make an impression upon the circulating medium of the country. It is simply the taking government's money out of the hands of the national banks and putting it into the pockets of the bondholders, who will seek borrowers. President Harrison's message to Congress in December will show that under his administration the loans to the national banks have been reduced two-thirds, and that by the end of the present fiscal year, June 30 next, there will be none outstanding.

Two Sleeping Palaces.

The Boston Globe publishes descriptions of the sleeping cars Melbourne and Nuremburg, built by the Wagner Palace Car Co., Buffalo, New York, for the Boston & Albany trains advertised in this paper. The Globe says:

The Melbourne which is intended to be run on the fast express from Boston to Cincinnati, leaving here at 7 A. M. and reaching Cincinnati early the following morning, is built in 12 sections, and lighted with composite gas. It comprises smoking and bath rooms, state room, toilet rooms, buffet, etc. The wood is mahogany, while the seats are covered with embossed blue plush, which has a very pretty and pleasing effect. It is heated by the McElroy system of steam heating and is very comfortable. The head-linings are of a gold tint. The ladies' toilet is in the rear of the car and is supplied with two washstands with annexed water closets, a new feature in sleeping-cars.

The Nuremburg is also built in 12 sections, and is intended for the new South-western limited express from New York to St. Louis. It is a full vestibule car, with stateroom, annexed toilet, gents' washroom, with four nickel-plated washstands and a splendidly fitted-up smoking-room.

Over the Knox and Lincoln.

The day following our visit to the Bath shipyards the city showed a smiling face. Fleecy clouds, like great white plumes, chased each other over the blue sky, driven by a strong north wind, and were dissolved as they went by the bright rays of the sun. Had time permitted it would have been a pleasure to have seen something of the city, whose name is spelled by its enthusiastic citizens in this way—P-a-r-a-d-i-s-e. We trust they will forgive us for saying that the business portion of the city, so far as buildings are concerned, is not equal to that of Belfast, and that no more activity is visible in the streets or shops. Yet the half dozen or more banks indicate that a good deal of business is done here, and it must be remembered that Bath is a shipowning as well as a shipbuilding community. But it is time to get to the railway station for the 8.10 A. M. train to Rockland. Here an improvement was in progress, the old station building having given way to a new and modern structure, with a spacious platform. One innovation was noted—"Women's Room," instead of the usual "Ladies' Room." We did not look further, but hope that "Gents' Room" has also given way to "Men's Room."

A VERY GOOD RAILROAD.

The Knox & Lincoln Railroad bed has been entirely new gravelled and is now said to be as easy to ride over as any road in the country.

We gladly confirm this statement from a Maine paper. The popular idea of the Knox & Lincoln is that it not only ruined the towns along the route, but is itself a one-horse dilapidated affair. In reality it is nothing of the kind. Although "comparisons are odorous" candor compels us to say that the Knox and Lincoln compares favorably in all respects with the Belfast & Moosehead Lake railroad. The passenger accommodations are better if anything, and the trains are run on time. Seating yourself in the car at Bath, in a few minutes, with scarcely a perceptible jar or motion, you are floating over the Kennebec river on the transfer steamer Rockland and as smoothly and expeditiously landed on the opposite side, in the town of Woolwich. The first place of interest is

WISCASSET,

a town of note in many ways, although its glories are of the past. The fine harbor, one of the best of the eastern coast, still remains. It is thoroughly protected, capacious, deep, and open even when Boston harbor is closed. One hundred vessels of the largest size can anchor here at once in from 12 to 20 fathoms of water. In 1813 a United States surveying commissioner strongly recommended to the Navy Department the propriety of establishing a navy yard in Wiscasset. After the Revolution Wiscasset had an extensive foreign trade and her ships were found in every sea; but the embargo of 1807 and the war of 1812 dealt blows to her prosperity from which she has never recovered, and this with the embarrassments caused by railroad building and the decline in the fishing and shipbuilding industries have left the town in sorry plight. The ruined wharves seen from the train are typical of the sadly changed conditions. Of some only a strip of seaweed stretching out into the water remains to mark where they once stood. Others show dilapidated cobwork and worm-eaten spiles, while grass and weeds grow on those which still keep above the tide water. But then ruined wharves do not always indicate the decadence of a town. There is less water transportation since the railroads have penetrated every section of the country, and one vessel now does the work of half a dozen of the old-time coasters. Few Maine ports now send out fishing vessels, and fewer vessels are built, but in some of the towns other industries have stepped in to supply the deficiency and the people are no less prosperous.

PLENTY OF WATER.

Lincoln county is well watered, and in going from Woolwich to Rockland the railroad crosses the Sheepscot and Damariscotta rivers and makes detours to avoid the numerous ponds. The stations are at some distance from the business centre of the towns, so that we had not even a glimpse of the offices of the Damariscotta Herald and the Waldoboro News, and could not exchange a passing greeting with Bros. Dunbar and Miller. But the ride was so enjoyable that we hope to repeat it at no distant day and have a nearer view of these towns.

MET "ON THE ROAD."

Go where you will in Maine, and at the hotels and on the railway and steamboat lines, a very large percentage of your fellow travellers are the salesmen, variously known as runners, drummers and knights of the sample trunk. A jolly lot they are, too, for the most part. They abound in information not to be found in any hotel directory, railway or steamboat time table. They can tell you the quality of the steak served at breakfast in the Squedee Hotel, Podunk, the name of the best table girl, with a full description of her, at Kalamazoo, the quality of the hash in Smithville, with the rates of fare and how to get from any one point to another in the most direct way and at the least possible expense. Of course there are different types of these commercial tourists. The young man on his first or second trip can be easily distinguished by his swagger and the stories he tells of big sales. The old stager is as easily recognized. He says little, but drops quietly into the best seat at the table, gets the tenderest end of the steak, the best room in the house, and is treated with marked deference by everybody even to the haughty hotel clerk. Some take naturally to their life on the road and bid fair to die in harness. Others regard it as a stepping stone to something better and look forward to the day when they may turn over their sample trunks to another. The fortunate ones are those who sell such staples as flour, pork, etc., by the carload. In contrast I have in mind a friend who sells fancy goods and notions and who is now on the road taking orders for the holidays. He carries twenty-five to thirty trunks, and these have to be unpacked at each stopping place, and their contents exhibited to customers. Then, when the day and evening have been occupied in packing and unpacking and exhibiting his wares, the orders have to be written out to go forward by mail, and this often involves a large amount of writing for an order amounting to very few dollars. But we must say goodbye to our fellow travelers as the train is nearing

THE LIME ROCK CITY.

Rockland always has a busy appearance, and its substantial business houses indicate that appearances in this case are not deceptive. What will strike the visitor as the greatest improvement is the paving of the principal street with granite blocks. This with the Lime rock railway, by which heavy trucking is dispensed with, gives Rockland less the look of an American Venice—with mud substituted for water. At the Courier-Gazette office we found Mr. H. M. Lord, just returned from reporting one of the numerous agricultural fairs, and who with his editorial work, vocal efforts and engagements as a public speaker is one of the busiest men in this busy place, and one of the best known, too, judging from the salutations he received during our brief stroll. "Locals" were freely showered upon him, and the secret of the Courier-Gazette's supremacy in this direction was disclosed. We visited the banking rooms of the Rockland Trust Company, which are very handsomely finished and furnished. The ceiling is of rough plaster or stucco, with a broad gold border and the centre of silver, a style of decoration that has not reached Belfast. The vault is burglar-proof and fire-proof, but we have not room for a description of how these results are attained, nor to tell of the cosy directors' room. The Rockland Trust was organized less than a year ago, but has already secured a heavy line of deposits and its success is assured. Time did not permit of a call upon the other Rockland papers. We were sorry to learn that Mr. Harold F. Roberts, editor and business manager of the Free Press, is compelled by reason of poor health to give up business. The report that a daily was to be issued from the Free Press office it appears had no other foundation than the loose talk of a canvasser no longer in the employ of the paper, whose proprietors had never anticipated such an undertaking.

C. A. P.

A movement is on foot among the leading colored men of this country looking toward the formation of a league for the purpose of promoting the interests and welfare of the colored people throughout the United States.

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A Masonic Patriarch.

Gen. Albert Pike, the veteran Mason, will be eighty years old Dec. 29. He is one of the most picturesque and famous personages to be seen at Washington, and is known all over the world as a highly distinguished Mason. He is also known as a poet, scholar, lawyer and warrior. He is the only Masonic dignitary in America elected and crowned for life, being the Venerable Grand Commander of the Supreme Council of Inspectors General, Thirty-Third Degree, of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite of Free Masonry for the Southern Jurisdiction of the United States. He has been at the head of the Scottish Rite for thirty years.

Gen. Pike has talents of a high order and versatile character, having attained distinction in many lines of literary work. He possesses the genius for arduous and persistent toil in the discharge of his multitudinous duties, and accomplishes a vast amount of labor, with no apparent injury to his vigorous constitution. In personal appearance as well as in character, Gen. Pike is of striking interest, being of giant frame, with massive head and long white hair and beard. At all times his distinguished honors are borne with dignity but modesty, and he is ever cordial with friends. By his high qualities of mind and heart he is endeared to all who know him, and held in almost reverent regard by the Masonic fraternity of many lands.

To Minneapolis admirers of Gen. Pike, it may be of interest to know that he is the great uncle of Mrs. S. A. Reed of this city, being the uncle of Mrs. Reed's father. Mrs. Reed naturally holds her distinguished relative in high regard and believes that nothing too good can be said of him. [Minneapolis Spectator.

Mrs. Reed was formerly Miss Eells of this city, and Gen. Pike has visited Belfast.

The Cruise of the Dolphin.

The little steel cruiser Dolphin, over which such a controversy arose when she was launched in 1884, between her builder, John Roach, and the government, arrived at New York last week having finished a cruise of 58,000 miles, which was made in a little less than twenty-one months of almost constant steaming. During the whole time she was delayed but two hours by trouble with her machinery, and that was on account of the heating of one of her journals while steaming from Panama to Honolulu. During her cruise she was attached for a term of three months to every United States naval squadron in the world with the exception of the South Atlantic. The Dolphin has no sail power and notwithstanding the fact that every mile of her cruise was made under steam not a single accident happened. She steamed under one half boiler power and made an average speed of ten knots an hour. Her officers were enthusiastic over the staunchness and seaworthiness of the little vessel. She does not show any evidence of having made such a voyage, and has the appearance of just having left her dock. There is only one fault to be found with her—that is her lack of coal carrying capacity. The vessel, however, was intended for a despatch boat and not to make such long cruises as the one she has just finished.

A Talented Family.

The Portland Transcript is publishing a series of articles on "Six Maine Poets." Recently it gave a sketch of Lewis Frederick Starrett, of Rockland, from which we quote as follows:

He is a native of the town of Warren, son of a farmer living a short distance from Georges River and some four miles from Warren village. There were four children in the Starrett family: Lewis, Frances, Susan, and a younger brother who was drowned while a student at Bowdoin College. All were bright. Susan became a teacher in the Belfast High School, where she remained ten years, and made the reputation of a conscientious and thorough instructor. She had a strong bent toward literature and left at her death, five years ago, many finished and unfinished pieces of verse, some of which have been published, and one of which, "Three Times the Same Words," a forceful and well-written religious sonnet, appeared in The Independent. She had a choice library, and many belongings of art and letters which indicated the fineness of her culture.

The Maine Agricultural Report.

Our thanks are due Hon. Z. A. Gilbert, of North Greene, Maine, for a copy of the "Thirty Second Annual Report of the Secretary of the Maine Board of Agriculture," being for 1888-9. Secretary Gilbert may well feel proud of this elegant volume as well as several previous volumes that we have seen, for it contains a vast amount of valuable information for the farmer, fruit grower and stock breeder. No agricultural library is complete without books of this practical character, and we hope that Georgia, now that she has an experiment station and farm, will prepare and issue, annually, such a volume as this. Other northern and western states also issue annual reports of a similar character, and from them the farmers obtain accurate and helpful ideas of recent experiments with new crops, siles, dairy systems, etc. [Major Sydney Herbert in Atlanta, Ga., Weekly Journal.

Every family in Belfast should have one of the patent soap trays Swift & Paul are giving with 50 cents worth of Brussels soap (no rosin).

Granite Chips.

Wallace Hodgdon is contemplating starting a quarry at the Centre, Tremont, this winter.

Howard & Green of Bluehill have taken the contract to furnish the stone trimmings for the Williams bridge gate house, New York, and have about 20 men employed.

The Bodwell Granite Company has cut over 39,000 pieces of stone at Vinalhaven in the last two years, very much more than one half of which has been cut this year.

The work of collecting the returns on the granite quarries of our State by the Labor Bureau is well nigh completed, and some seventy-five quarries have already sent in their returns. The report of this industry will make the bulk of the commissioner's report for the present year.

The Waldoboro' Granite Company has 25 men employed in its quarry. At Friendship and Long Island the Union Granite Company of New York, which began operations last March, employs 60 hands all told, and is steadily increasing its force. The company's plant comprises about 100 acres of land.

President Blaine.

The most interesting figure in American politics never appeared to better advantage than as the representative of this republic in its welcome to the nation's guests from our sister states. Mr. Blaine's speech to the delegates to the international American congress is a model of diplomatic address and of literary art. It can be read only with admiration for its perfect tact, and we are sure that, with the added charm of Mr. Blaine's presence and personal manner, it must have made a most agreeable impression upon the delegates from 17 independent governments of the two Columbian continents. [New York Sun, Dem.

The Capital of South Dakota.

Now that the people of South Dakota have chosen Pierre for their capital they should put it into English and call it Peter. Pierre is an example of the marvellous growth of Western towns, as it does not even figure in the census of 1880, while its rivals, Sioux Falls and Huron, had populations of only 2,164 and 164 respectively. New Englanders interested in Sioux Falls enterprises will feel disappointed that their own town was not selected. [Portland Advertiser.

To Enforce the Prohibitory Law in Bangor.

At the recent annual meeting of the Grand Lodge of Good Templars at Presque Isle, the non-enforcement of the liquor law in Bangor was under consideration and steps were taken to ascertain if the proper authorities cannot enforce it. They propose to bring every influence in their power to bear to stop the traffic there. A committee was appointed to attend to the matter.

A "True" Welcome.

Hon. True P. Pierce attended the circuit court at Gadsden last week, and while there was admitted to practice in this State, on motion of Col. W. T. Denson. In presenting Mr. Pierce to the court the Colonel paid him a high tribute as a gentleman and a lawyer and in behalf of the Etowah Bar gave him a cordial welcome. [Fort Payne, Ala., Herald.

We All Say Amen.

The whole State sympathises with Chief Justice Peters in the affliction threatening his eye-sight and will join in the hope that that able lawyer, fine gentleman and whole hearted man may have his most precious sense preserved to him. [Auburn Gazette.

The patent soap tray given by A. A. Howes & Co. with the first purchase of 50 cents worth of Brussels soap, could not be bought for less than 25 cents.

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The International American Congress.

The Democratic press, almost without exception, has manifested a hostile spirit toward the International American Congress, in some instances going so far as to insult the visiting delegates, who are our guests. This hostility is no doubt due in part to the fact that the meeting was first proposed by Mr. Blaine several years ago, and that he is now, naturally, the central figure in the affair. But hatred of Mr. Blaine does not cover the whole ground of the Democratic opposition to a conference which bids fair to prove of so great a benefit to this country, politically and commercially. It is another illustration of the un-American attitude in which the Democratic party has placed itself. In the last Presidential campaign that party fully committed itself to free trade, and to a line of policy that if carried out would destroy American industries, and place our people at the mercy of foreign manufacturers. It derived its campaign material from the Cobden Club, and no inconsiderable portion of its campaign funds from British manufacturers and their agents in this country. During the campaign the foreign newspapers and the Democratic newspapers were in full accord, advocating alike Cleveland and free trade. Now, before the International American Congress had begun its deliberations, the European newspapers, especially English papers, began to attack it, much as the Democratic press has done and is doing. These attacks, which are also threats, so far from intimidating delegates seem likely to contribute to the success of the Congress by bringing about a consolidation of American interests. What Great Britain fears, of course, is a loss of trade in Central and South America, and nowhere is that country so susceptible as in the pocket nerve. On this point, an interview with one of the delegates from Salvador throws much light. Senor Jacinto Castellanos said to the New York Herald representative:

"*I desire to impress this part upon your readers—that the English are now on the banks of the Orinoco*, that they have a part of our mining territory and that they want to have the navigation of that river. We are at the mouth of the gate to those countries in South America, and we lead to the Amazon and other great rivers. Colombia, Ecuador, all are exposed if we open this gate to the European Powers. We believe that England is not at all scrupulous about taking possession of land. She pretends to have some such right in our country, and if she were allowed to carry out her projects it would endanger all the other South American countries. The Congress will be a barrier to all such purposes. Between North and South America there is good will, and the mutual interests dealt with by the Congress will oblige the United States as a matter that concerns itself to see that the integrity of our government is preserved. That is the reason England is attacking us."

Other delegates expressed themselves in similar terms, the general agreement being that this was simply a matter of commercial interests, that it was not intended to interfere with present engagements, or designed as the basis for future aggressions, but that while a kind of friendly meeting, and scarcely anything else, its political importance may be developed subsequently, and that phase be the result of amicable relations. Senor F. C. C. Zegarra, the delegate from Peru, said:

Our general present conditions cannot be changed by mere discussions in any conference. The real object of the American Conference is to afford us a proper estimate of what our necessities are and how they may be supplied. With regard to Mr. Blaine, I think he would do honor to any country. I have had occasion to remark that this is the estimate formed of him both by his political friends and his political enemies in his country. But the constant friction of political antagonisms is a good thing for the people at large. It is a fact that the opening speech of Mr. Blaine has received favorable welcome everywhere, so far as we have heard. I regard it as the general opinion among the delegates that he is a thorough statesman."

One of the Democratic cries against Mr. Blaine when a candidate for the Presidency was that if elected he would at once proceed to get up wars with all the foreign countries. This is one of the penalties an American statesman must pay for being an American of Americans. Now we find Mr. Blaine as Secretary of State carrying out a long cherished plan of bringing together representatives of all the American nations in the interest of peace and an enlarged commercial intercourse. Of Mr. Blaine's plans for the meeting of the Congress of the Three Americas, the conservative Philadelphia Ledger well says:

The proposed alliance is so comprehensive, and is to be made so close as to give a new and more potent meaning to the Monroe Doctrine; if effected in accordance with Mr. Blaine's programme it would virtually make united sister of the three Americas, as they would be united in everything essential to their common safety and prosperity. No statesman of the century ever evolved a more magnificent scheme than this, the very magnitude, grandeur and far-reaching consequences of which stand in the way of its accomplishment, and yet it is based on foundations of wisdom and expediency, infinitely broader, deeper and stronger than were either of the European compacts of recent times.

The Belfast Age published last week a bitter personal attack upon Dr. A. J. Billings of Freedom, a member of the board of pension examiners for Waldo county. Among other things it is said of Dr. Billings that "for his alleged cruelty as an army surgeon he was hissed, cat-called, and nearly mobbed by his own regiment on their return to Augusta at the close of the war." A member of the regiment, Hon. A. E. Nickerson, of Swanville, authorizes us to say that this is utterly false, and that Dr. Billings had the warm support of members of his old regiment for the position of examining surgeon, a position he is in every way qualified to fill with credit to himself and to the government. The attack upon Congressman Milliken in this connection is equally unfounded. Whatever may have been his personal preferences he was wholly guided in this matter by the wishes of his constituents, as expressed by petitions and letters, as well as verbally, and the appointments were delayed to allow of a full and free expression of opinion. This we know, and we also know that there was practical unanimity among the Republicans of this city that Dr. Billings should have a place on the board. This was conceded to him professionally, politically and personally. The idea that Dr. Billings, his associates on the examining board, or Congressman Milliken, are hostile to soldiers is too absurd for discussion.

The press report of Thursday's session of the State convention W. C. T. U. at Bar Harbor says: "The Aroostook ladies non-partisan movement received some hard slaps." How kind and charitable and christian-like! What a shining example to set before the public! If your neighbor sets about doing a good work in his own way, but not your way, why, slap him in the face, pull his hair, scratch his eyes out, and pelt him with peppery epithets. If those Aroostook ladies did not care to become an adjunct of the Democratic machine, and chose to organize that they might the better labor in the cause of temperance and morality, they of course had a perfect right to do so. That will hardly be gainsaid by any one. Nor do we see why they should be subjected to coarse abuse from others who have ceased to labor in the field and turned their attention to party politics—as they of course are at full liberty to do. But it is hardly the thing in politics to "slap" those who do not agree with you.

At the recent session of the Maine Good Templars in Presque Isle resolutions of thanks were voted to Congressman Boutelle for his stand in the matter of a better enforcement of the law in Bangor and to Governor Burleigh "for his letter to the county attorneys and sheriffs, and for his earnest efforts to have prohibition in the State of Maine made more effectual than ever." At the State convention of the W. C. T. U. at Bar Harbor last week we read that "the dominant party in Maine was severely arraigned for its alleged non-enforcement of the prohibitory law." This difference of opinion is no doubt explained by the fact that the Good Templars is a non-partisan temperance organization.

The assumed right of secession had an historic foundation; the assumed right of the Federal Government to administer justice and protect life and property in the States has not even that. [National Democrat.

This declaration is from a paper certified to from Grover Cleveland down, or up, as the National organ of the Democratic party. Secession was right, but the government has no right to protect the life, liberty and constitutional privileges of its citizens in the solid South, where Democratic majorities are created by stuffed ballot boxes and the use of the shot gun. Well, that sounds Democratic, sure enough.

The New York Herald suggests that the delegates to the All-American Congress were not taken through the South "because the South has no rights which a Republican is bound to respect." No, it might have been because the South is bound not to respect the laws which provide for a free ballot and a fair count as essentials in a Republican form of government; but it so happens that a Southern trip was long since arranged for.

It is reported that a Thomaston man has raised tobacco enough this year to construct 20,000 cigars, and pure Havana cigars made from tobacco grown in Thomaston are among the possibilities of the near future. But what if by mistake the tobacco should be made into sour krout and the cabbages into cigars? Stranger things have happened.

A third party writer says: "In the Republican party are three-fourths of the temperance men in Maine." Yes, and in the Democratic party are three-fourths of the rum men in Maine. Yet the third party, which claims to be *the* temperance party, does nothing more than to give aid and comfort to the rum party.

The delegations of Maine people who have been investigating the resources of South Dakota, and especially of Sioux Falls, have returned home. A majority of them say that while the West is very beautiful and enterprising, Maine is good enough for them.

It is said that Grover Cleveland was offered, by Tammany, an opportunity to rattle around in the Congressional seat made vacant by the death of "Sunset" Cox; but he wisely declined.

An oyster trust has been organized. Those who eat bivalves will now have to shell out additional cash.

MAINE GOSSIP. George Ryder's house, ell and stable, in Albion, were burned Tuesday night, Oct. 8th. The fire was discovered about 11 o'clock by Mrs. R., who had got up to get some medicine for her husband who was suffering from the phthisic quite badly. They saved nearly all of their goods. Loss $1,000. ......The Portland and Kennebec Coal Mining Company will begin operations at Fort Popham this week. The full amount of $2,500 has been raised, several prominent coal men having subscribed to the limit, $100......Emmons Blaine and wife arrived at Augusta last Thursday for a two days' visit, after which they returned to Bar Harbor. Mrs. James G. Blaine arrived at Augusta the 9th......James G. Blaine, Jr., has again taken up his labors in the Maine Central railroad shops at Waterville...... Col. F. E. Heath has been elected chairman of the Republican city committee at Waterville. ......Donald Morrison, who was convicted of manslaughter in killing United States Marshal Warren, of Maine, near the Canadian line in the summer of 1888, has been sentenced to 18 years in the penitentiary......Russell Sage, of New York, the millionaire, noted for his wealth, but much more for his penuriousness, has gone to St. John where he is the defendant in a suit brought by Col. J. N. Greene, of Bangor, for $50,000, money which Col. Greene claimed that he used for the Grand Southern Railway. The result of the case will be awaited with interest......The Maine State association of hotel keepers met in Lewiston Friday at the DeWitt House. President M. S. Gibson presided. Resolutions were passed in favor of a benefit association......Capt. Arette Hallowell, of Warren, a prominent and wealthy citizen, died Friday of Bright's disease......A syndicate has been formed in Rockland to build an opera house. They will lease the skating rink, which is a very large building. An addition will be built and will be fixed up in the best of style. ......Reports from the free high schools of the State received at the state superintendent of school's office for the fiscal year ending June 30th, show that 203 towns and cities maintained such schools, an increase of forty-two. The whole amount expended was $137,798, an increase of $21,940......An important new enterprise is being inaugurated at the new plant of the Bangor Electric Light and Power Company at Veazie. Wheel pits are being excavated beside those used for lighting and a system of water works will be put in to supply Brewer, Veazie, Orono and other towns. If a sufficient number of hydrants is taken, the company will increase the size of the building for the purpose......In the trial at Alfred of Rice K. Smith, a verdict of murder in the second degree was rendered. The jury were out three and a half hours. Exceptions will be filed......In the Milbridge case of Capt. Mitchell vs. Capt. Munson for alienating plaintiff's wife's affections, the jury brought in a verdict for $1,495.83. The older inhabitants remember a case like it between the British Consul at Eastport and an American citizen where the jury brought in a queer verdict of guilty, but no damage. Judge Kent would not receive the verdict and sent them out again, when they returned a verdict of not guilty......The Eastern Maine Christian Endeavor Union will hold its annual meeting in Ellsworth, Oct. 30th, instead of the 24th, as previously stated......The Boston Journal reports that G. H. Grant, speculator, Bar Harbor, Me., has gone into insolvency......The new steamer Portland launched at Bath Monday is the largest and finest steamer east of Long Island Sound. She was built for the Boston and Portland route......Congressman Reed's friends claim that he will have enough votes to insure his election as speaker......John C. Adams, deputy collector at Vanceboro was drowned Monday......Rev. Elias Bond, who graduated from Bowdoin in the class of 1837, and the Bangor Theological seminary in 1840, has just presented $5,000 to the Bowdoin College library. He is now a missionary at Kohala, Sandwich Islands.

IN BRIEF. The largest double track drawbridge in the world, across the Thames at New London, Conn., was formally opened to travel Thursday......Several cases of yellow fever are reported at Key West......The testimony against McDonald, the drug clerk suspected of poisoning the St. John people, is very strong......Ex-Senator J. G. Fair has resigned the presidency of the Nevada bank, San Francisco. Jas. W. Flood, son of the deceased bonanza millionaire, has been elected president......The corner stone of the new building of the New York World was laid Thursday. Joseph Pulitzer, Jr., the four-year-old son of the proprietor, laid the stone and addresses were made by Managing Editor Cockerill and Chauncey M. Depew...... The womans' Congress at Denver, Col., Oct. 10 elected Julia Ward Howe of Rhode Island, president; Isabel Howland of New York, secretary; Henrietta Wolcott of Massachusetts, treasurer; Sophia Hoffman of New York and Charlotte Pierce of Pennsylvania, auditors...... Although the Boston Base Ball Club did not win the pennant the Globe will pay that $1000 just the same, because the club fought so hard...... Three more suspects have been arrested in Chicago in connection with the Cronin murder ......The arithmetic of the jury in the case of Mrs. Preble v. Bates was corrected Friday at Boston by Judge Colt, who reduced the verdict to $28,496......Owing to a failure of crops in Ramsay county, Dak., hundreds of families are reported to be without means of subsistence during the coming winter......The French liner La Bourgogne, from Havre, which arrived at New York on Sunday, had on board Millet's Picture, "L'Angelus," which was recently purchased for the American Art Association for $100,000......Rev. Dr. Talmage's Tabernacle in Brooklyn was burned Sunday morning for the second time in its history. Loss about $150,000. It is believed that the fire was set by electric light wires......Passengers on the Philadelphia express had a narrow escape Sunday from death. The train was running 60 miles an hour through Rahway, N. J., when it jumped the track. The train and track were wrecked, but no lives were lost......President Harrison is denying himself to callers in order that he may have time to write his message......Another excursion for the South American delegates will be started in December, the party going down South......It was reported Monday that the grave of Ralph Waldo Emerson at Concord, Mass., had been disturbed by ghouls, but the undertaker states that although the casket was reached it was not opened by the vandals who apparently were frightened away......New York south of 59th street, was in darkness Monday night. The current in the electric light wires was shut off in all the dangerous places.

POLITICAL POINTS. In South Dakota the Republicans have elected 135 members; Democrats, 27; Independents, with Republican proclivities, seven. The Republicans have a majority on joint ballot of 125....Full returns show the total vote of North Dakota to be 39,500. Hansborough, Republican for Congress, received a majority of 5,000; Miller, Republican for Governor, 12,600; majority in favor of prohibition, 1,100. The total vote is in favor of the constitution. Seventy per cent. is the average Republican vote......The Republicans elected a mayor in Chattanooga, Tenn., last week. The Australian system of voting was used with good results......With a dozen towns to hear from, the official returns give 26,884 majority against the prohibitory amendment in Connecticut......Newark, N. J., and Indianapolis have elected Democratic mayors......It is telegraphed from Olympia that there is but one Democrat in the new State Senate and four Democrats in the lower House, giving a Republican majority of 94 on joint ballot in the first Legislature of the new State of Washington......It is reported that the Legislature of North Dakota will convene about the 12th of November........ The expressions of admiration for Mr. Blaine's speech at the opening of the All America Congress which have appeared in Mexican and South American papers are gall and wormwood to the Mugwump and Democratic press. ......Later advices from Montana give the Republicans a majority of five in the Legislature on joint ballot.

Horse Trot at Belfast Park.

The Waldo Trotting Horse Breeders Association has decided to hold its autumn meeting at the Belfast Park on this (Thursday) afternoon. There will be two purses—a free for all of $150, and a 2.35 class with a purse of $100 divided as usual. Five to enter and four to start. The entry fee is five per cent. and five per cent. additional from winners. If the receipts are not sufficient to pay expenses, purses will be paid pro rata. If the day is pleasant the trot will be a good one. In the free for all race the noted trotters, Elmbrook, Romulus, St. Lawrence and Miss Ledo will start and the contest between them will be sufficient to draw a large crowd. In the 2.35 class many good horses will start. This fall meeting will close the trotting for the season.

Nelson Badly Beaten at Lexington.

At the Lexington, Ky., races Tuesday the interest centered in the $5,000 stake for the 2.20 class. Nelson, the favorite, was badly beaten by the Chicago horse Jack, driven by Budd Doble, he winning the race in straight heats. Summary:

2.20 CLASS, STAKE $5,000.

Jack....................	1	1	1
Geneve S................	3	5	2
Nelson..................	4	3	3
Alcryon.................	5	2	4
Norval..................	2	4	5

Time, 2.18¾, 2.15, 2.16¾.

Meeting of the Waldo County Teachers Association.

It was a happy assemblage of teachers who had gathered at the High School room in Searsport last Friday for the opening exercises of the fall meeting of the Waldo County Teachers Association. These meetings have been made, through the efforts of all the teachers, and especially through the earnest efforts of the officers, most instructive and entertaining, and the teacher, young or old, who misses these conventions loses a great deal that might be of value in the management of school affairs, and the best methods of instructing the "young ideas how to shoot." Only about fifty teachers were present at the opening exercises, but they continued to come as the morning advanced and at the afternoon session the school room was completely filled with teachers and some of the pupils of the High school who manifested interest throughout the meetings. Owing to the absence of President Brown and Vice President Cook, the meeting was called to order by Superintendent Luce who presided during the day.

The exercises were opened with singing, and then the Secretary's report of the spring meeting was read and accepted. Continuing the work left undone at the last convention, the topic first taken up was the question: Resolved, "That corporal punishment should not be inflicted under any circumstances," opened by an interesting essay upon the negative side of the question by Miss Collier of Belfast. She spoke of the work at school as being best when acting in co-operation with home influence; when the influence at home is bad the scholar mixing with those at school has an influence over the others either of good or evil; when all endeavors have been wasted, moral suasion, kindness, all efforts but corporal punishment resorted to, then this element must enter to the correction of the pupil, chide the pupil gently and kindly but it must be firmly. The question was given to the members for discussion, Mr. J. S. Ferguson of Searsport being the first to speak. He had in his teaching yet to resort to corporal punishment nor did he expect to, but as with Miss Mortland of Searsport who followed, he could but admit that it must sometimes be a factor brought into school discipline. Mr. Chase of Belfast believed that every other method should be tried, but that as every law must have a penalty corporal punishment must often enter as a penalty. Mr. Towle of Searsport and Miss Carver of Searsport held somewhat opposite opinions upon the respect of the pupil gained through the means of corporal punishment given. Mr. Carleton of Troy related an incident where corporal punishment broke up a habit of leaving school. Others spoke upon the subject, Mr. Pendleton of Frankfort, relating an amusing incident where a rough scrimmage took place between him and some young sailors he had in his school. He came off conqueror and taught out a school from which a number of teachers had been driven. Mr. Marsh of the Searsport High school spoke briefly upon the subject, and then taking a vote of the members upon the question, only two voted that it should never be resorted to, while nearly all believed that it should be an occasional factor and a few thought that in some schools it should be frequently administered. As this had used up the morning session the meeting was adjourned until 2 o'clock.

The visiting teachers were well provided for. The hospitable people of Searsport were very ready to throw open their doors and welcome the visitors to their beautiful homes and kind entertainment. W. Grinnell of the Searsport House had very generously offered to provide for ten of the visitors, and his finely managed and excellent hotel became the very agreeable headquarters of a number of very appreciative guests.

The afternoon session was opened with music. Supt. Luce appointed as a committee on the choice of officers for the ensuing year: Mr. Chase, of Belfast, Mr. Ellis of Belfast and Miss Mortland of Searsport; as a committee on resolutions, Mr. Snell of Stockton Springs, Miss Pierce of Belfast and Miss Cole of Stockton Springs.

A paper on, "How can temperance instruction be made more efficient," was then delivered by Mr. E. C. Dow of Monroe. Mr. Dow's article showed thought and study and was an earnest appeal for the continuation of the work of which "sure, ah, sure will the harvest be." Many of the teachers followed with reports of what they had done in temperance instruction. Miss Robbins suggested the method of instruction on this be in performing the experimental lessons on alcohol mentioned in the report of the State Superintendent for the year 1887, and also by outside reading. "Music, to what extent profitable and practicable," was opened by an essay by Miss Robbins of Belfast. She considered its importance, as going hand in hand with the sciences; the discipline and culture in music, the advantages to be reaped; the pleasure to be derived and the aim in view to build up the moral, intellectual and physical parts of mankind. It was an able essay and was listened to with great interest. Mr. Marsh spoke upon the benefits in his school. Mr. Chase spoke of the work done in the Belfast High school, and of the methods of instruction in the Mass. schools and the schools in the larger cities of our State. Several others spoke upon the subject, including the Rev. Mr. LaMarsh, the eloquent blind preacher of the Methodist church, who spoke of the pleasure he had derived from music, and all seemed to wish that music should enter into school work and that music loving persons should be elected to positions of importance in the management of school affairs.

A recess of a few minutes was given in which social intercourse among the members was carried on.

After recess the secretary, at the request of the committee, read the report of the committee appointed at the last meeting upon the organization of a "Teachers' Improvement Society" in connection with the association. Action upon the report was not taken until later.

Mr. Higgins, of Thorndike, read an interesting and earnest essay upon the "Evils of the District System" as he had seen them. He considered the evils arising at almost every point. He expressed a wish for a change and hoped the day was not far distant when a change should be made. Mr. Higgins also read an essay by Mr. Brown upon the same subject. Mr. Luce spoke at some length upon the matter, answering some questions asked and explaining the town system. It is a system that must be done away with before long. Its evils are too apparent to warrant further continuation of a bad system. Mr. Luce is strongly opposed to the system, and we hope that before long some effort of his through the State government may cause the downfall of this pernicious system. It has done well in the past, but it has served its purpose and should give way to more advanced ideas.

The query, How to control disorder at recess was opened by Mr. Chase and spoken upon by Mr. Snell and Miss Cole, of Stockton Springs, Mr. Cook, of Troy, Mr. Brock, of Searsport, Mr. Marsh and Miss Keilbert, of Searsport. Hon. A. E. Nickerson of Swanville, spoke upon this question and upon the former one.

The meeting was then adjourned until the next morning at nine o'clock.

For the evening session an interesting programme had been prepared. By half-past seven Union Hall was well filled with teachers, pupils and many of Searsport's interested citizens.

The programme was opened with singing by a male quartette, consisting of three young gentlemen and one somewhat older. Their singing was much enjoyed, for all have voices of special merit. Miss Eames, of Belfast, had kindly consented to assist in the entertainment and the second exercise upon the programme was her recitation of "The Death Bridge of the Tay." Miss Eames' ability in this direction is too well known in this vicinity to need further commendation and it is sufficient to say that this as well as her next selection was rendered in her usual fine manner. Rev. N. LaMarsh followed with a humorous song in which his fine voice was much appreciated. Miss Eames then gave the humorous selection "Aunt Sophronia at the Opera," and then Supt. Luce addressed the audience upon the subject, "Habit as an educational product." He handled the subject in a careful and thoughtful manner and it was a masterly production upon an important subject in educational factors. After another selection by the quartette the exercises were closed.

SATURDAY'S MEETING.

The second day's session was opened at 9 o'clock in Union Hall, Supt. Luce presiding until the arrival of President Brown. "America" was sung as an opening selection and then Mr. Chase delivered an essay upon "The Advantages of Free Text Books." He had considered the subject in a careful light, having during the past summer seen some of the publishers of text books and obtained from them their ideas upon the subject. Some questions were asked and Supt. Luce gave some explanation of the system, as to its beginning and the results obtained in places where free text books were already established. The next topic taken up was, "Should declamations and select readings be required in ungraded schools," by Mr. E. L. Cook of Troy, followed by Mr. Carleton of Troy with an essay upon the same subject. They both believed that they should. Remarks were made by Miss Mortland, Miss Cole, Mr. Marsh, Mr. Chase and Mr. Carleton. The question "How shall the idle pupil be treated" was discussed at some length by many of the members. Many plans and devices to have the pupil industrious were given by different ones.

The report of the committee on nomination of officers was then called for and Mr. Chase reported the following selections made: For President, Mr. C. A. Snell of Stockton Springs; for Vice President, Miss Lilian P. Robbins of Belfast; for Secretary and Treasurer, Miss Angeline N. Carver of Searsport; for Executive Committee, Mr. Fred'k W. Brown of Belfast, Miss Emma F. Mortland of Searsport, Mr. Ross C. Higgins of Thorndike, and Mr. Snell and Miss Carver. The officers as chosen were elected.

The queries from the question box were then taken up and assigned to different members, Supt. Luce and Mr. Chase answering some of the queries before adjournment.

The afternoon session was called to order at one o'clock by President Snell. The queries were again resumed, discussions upon many of them being taken up. The program was continued by the reading of an essay upon "Teaching exercises in Arithmetic" by Miss Weed of Burnham. She had a valuable paper upon this subject, containing many excellent thoughts and suggestions.

An exercise in teaching Arithmetic was given by Miss Savage of Belfast. This exercise created some interest, for the class that had been selected to be taught Arithmetic was composed of some of the foremost teachers of the association. She illustrated at some length her way of instruction, especially in fractions, and impressed the association with the creditable way in which she would handle a class in this branch. She taught the method imparted at the Bridgewater Normal School of Massachusetts, from which school she will graduate next June.

As the time for adjournment was fast approaching it was voted to postpone the remainder of the topics until the first of the next meeting. The matter of the formation of a Teachers' Improvement Society was again brought up, and a committee consisting of Miss Pierce and Miss Robbins of Belfast, Miss Devereux of Stockton Springs, Mr. Higgins of Thorndike and Mr. Carleton of Troy were appointed to organize said society.

After passing a vote of thanks to the entertaining committee, to those so kindly furnishing entertainment, to the members of the male quartet, to Miss Eames and Rev. Mr. LaMarsh, and to Mr. Brown and the other officers of the Association, the meeting was adjourned, the date and place of next meeting to be left in the hands of the executive committee.

Though somewhat a smaller meeting than that held at Swanville last June, the convention was considered well attended. About a hundred teachers were present from nearly all sections of the county. All the sessions proved highly instructive and entertaining and many a teacher returned to their task on Monday morning with cheerful heart and renewed courage of completing their term of school with careful, conscientious and earnest labors in the great work of educating the young.

Fair of the West Waldo Agricultural Society.

This Society held its first annual show and fair at the Georges River Trotting Park Oct. 8th and 9th. Owing to the heavy storm of the 7th, which continued up to the morning of the first day of the fair, the exhibition of the stock and farm products were very light, but what was to be seen was of the very best. The trotting both days was very good. The last day was pleasant and a large crowd was in attendance to witness the races, which were very fine. The horses were quite evenly matched and some of them were among the best in the State, with low records. We were not able to be present until the last afternoon and are not prepared to give a detailed account, but will say that all were worthy of a premium whether they got it or not. Oscar Shibles, of Searsmont, exhibited a Jersey bull, three years old heifer, sheep, sow with pigs, 3-year-old colt, and carriage horse. Job Clements, of Montville, a Hereford bull, sheep, brood mare with colt. S. J. Gushee and Austin Wing, Hereford bulls. E. P. Walker, Elmwood Farm, stallion Morgan Knox, 3-year-old stallion, brood mare with colt, 3-year-old steers, 3 and 2 years-old heifers. George Stevens, of Liberty, herd of cows. John Berry, of Morrill, two fine stallions and draft oxen. Draft oxen were also exhibited by Daniel Merservey and S. G. Norton. Daniel Merservey, Daniel Weymouth and A. L. Norton, matched oxen. L. Cooper, John Ayer, and D. Merservey, 3-years-old steers. Twin cows and five heifers by S. L. Bagley. Very fine four-months-old calf by C. M. Howes. Splendid boar by G. A. Palmer. Sow and pigs by Dr. J. W. Clough. Two-years-old stallion by Briggs Turner. Brood mares with colts by E. A. Porter, Frank Knowles, J. W. Clough, Alden Robbins and A. L. Norton. Fruit by Thos. Carpenter, Geo. Randell and others. Vegetables by Jos. Beaulier, and last, but not least, a pumpkin that weighed 104 pounds, by Master Walter Clough. Following is a summary of the races:

Three-minute class.

Almo, bk. g., C. A. Edwards............	4	1	1	1
Adalaide, b. m., L. C. Morse...........	1	4	3	3
Niagara, b. s., Charles Bessey.........	5	2	2	4
Isabelle, T. H. Drake..................	2	3	3	2
Frank Nelson, bk. s., S. J. Gushee.....	3			

Time, 2.47½, 2.48, 2.48, 2.47½.

2.50 class.

Almo, bk. g., C. A. Edwards............	1	2	1	1
Kalula, b. m., H. M. Bean..............	2	1	2	2
Hiram D., br. s., John Wiley...........	4	4	3	4
Isabelle, T. H. Drake..................	3	3	5	3
M. L., b. g., M. L. Johnson............	5	5	4	5

Time, 2.46, 2.46, 2.45, 2.41.

This was a very exciting race for the reason that all the others combined against Almo, who was the favorite among the people.

2.40 class.

Almo, bk. g., C. A. Edwards............	1	1	1
Mischief, b. g., Fred Ripley...........	3	2	2
Charles B., b. g., Charles Bunker......	2	3	5
William Wallace........................	6	4	3
Wilkesmont, b. g., Abner Littlefield...	4		
Christo Patchen, Charles Dustin........	5	5	4
Niagara, C. F. Bessey..................	7	6	6

Time, 2.40, 2.39, 2.43½.

Free for all.

Romulus, b. g., H. M. Bean.............	1	1	1
St. Lawrence, b. g., Charles Dustin....	2	2	2
Von Helmont, bk. s., I. P. Tash........	4	3	3
Castle Dare, bk. s., E. A. Hussey......	3	4	4

Time, 2.32, 2.31, 2.31½.

This was a square, open fight between Romulus and St. Lawrence, who have each of them trotted less than 30, while the tussle between Von Helmont and Castle Dare for 3d and 4th was very exciting, so much so that we got two good races in one. Owing to the small amount of money taken at the gate on the first day, by reason of the unsettled state of the weather, the Association was compelled to make a discount, in paying the premiums, of 10 per cent., but all were satisfied and the most of them happy.

Vose of Knox exhibited a fine stepping two-years old colt, and Tibbetts of Rockport gave an exhibition mile with his pacer who is said to have made a mile in 2.23.

There was also a 3 years-old race Wednesday which was won by A. J. P. Happy Jack second.

Supreme Judicial Court.

JUDGE WALTON PRESIDING.

The October term of the S. J. Court, for Waldo county, began in this city on Tuesday morning, Justice Walton on the bench. Court was opened with prayer by Rev. G. B. Chadwick, of the M. E. Church. The indications are that the term will not last over two weeks. The following are the officers in attendance:

T. Wadlin, Clerk.
A. Wadsworth, Sheriff.
A. F. Sweetser, Co. Attorney.
J. W. Wallace, John T. Averill, Z. L. Downes, I. A. Elliott, and B. F. Young, Deputy Sheriffs.
John T. Averill, Crier.
R. W. Smith, Court Reporter.
E. A. Wadsworth, Messenger.

GRAND JURY. The Grand Jury is a new one and the following answered to the roll call, two not reporting: Otis Cornforth, Unity, foreman; John W. Bailey, Monroe; O. H. Cummings, Northport; John G. Damon, Belfast; H. L. Elwell, Brooks; Foss Hamilton, Searsport; Henry Hartshorn, Lincolnville; William F. Keller, Islesboro; Walter B. Knight, Troy; William Lassell, Searsmont; George W. Nash, Montville; Alexander Staples, Stockton Springs; Stephen Temple, Knox; George Townsend, Belmont; P. White, Winterport; Philo J. York, Frankfort.

All the traverse jurymen answered to their names as follows:

FIRST JURY. A. L. Brown, Belfast, foreman; William Adams, Morrill; William Bickford, Searsmont; Herbert Black, Searsport; William M. Bragg, Thorndike; W. B. Cammett, Waldo; Augustine Colburn, Belfast; Daniel Cousens, Stockton Springs; Charles O. Dickey, Northport; William Dickey, Lincolnville; James C. Durham, Belfast; L. N. Gilkey, Islesboro.

SECOND JURY. Orrin Learned, Burnham, foreman; Joel H. Grant, Monroe; Willard F. Hammond, Troy; Reuben Hopkins, Frankfort; J. R. Hurd, Winterport; Robert Kilman, Prospect; William H. Moody, Liberty; A. K. P. Moore, Belfast; George T. Nickerson, Swanville; J. L. Norton, Winterport; George E. Osgood, Palermo; N. B. Parkhurst, Unity.

SUPERNUMERARIES. Reuben Sibley, Freedom; Josiah Simmons, Montville; Job C. Vose, Knox; Oliver W. Whitcomb, Searsport.

Isaac Hill vs. W. C. and Adrian E. Tuttle, Belfast parties. An action to recover damages for an alleged assault and battery. Plff. says that on Feb. 4, 1889, the dog of one of the defts. annoyed him and he put him out of his office. Adrian Tuttle then came in and assaulted him, and later W. C. Tuttle came and renewed the assault. As a consequence he was injured and confined to his home two weeks, and damaged as he says $500. Defts. say that plff. made the assault and what they did was in self-defence. Verdict to be rendered Thursday morning. Williamson for plff. R. F. Dunton for deft.

Only one soap tray will be given to each family, and that with the first purchase of 50 cents worth of Brussels soap (no rosin), at A. A. Howes & Co's.

Abandoned Among Strangers.

The Bangor Daily News tells of the hard lot of Joseph Hilt, aged 73 years, and a former resident of Waldo county. The News says:

Mr. Hilt has lived at different times in Searsmont, where his family were most of them born and raised, in Presque Isle, in Ashland, and in Lowell, Massachusetts. Thirteen years ago, his wife having died, he left the children with whom he had lived, and led a wandering life for some time. They knew nothing of his whereabouts for all these years until, within a month, Mr. Hilt's daughter, Mrs. Davis, who lives at Lowell, Mass., was informed by relatives living in Aroostook that her father was in Ashland, poor and in distress, and needed her.

Mrs. Davis at once went to Aroostook and remained with her father three weeks, and then proposed to take him to her home in Lowell, to which he cheerfully assented. They left Ashland last Thursday, but the unfamiliar noise and bustle of the train so affected Mr. Hilt that Mrs. Davis found him difficult to manage, and stopping in Bangor applied for his commitment to the Insane Hospital. As he did not have a residence in Bangor, the city authorities were not disposed to incur the expense, and meanwhile Mr. Hilt was placed in jail, to await a hearing in the matter. Saturday it was decided that the unfortunate man was afflicted with senile dementia, and incapable of taking care of himself. The daughter having got him off her hands returned to Massachusetts, and the News predicts: "That the overseers of the poor will have the old man cared for at the city farm, and will set on foot inquiries as to his residence, with a view to returning him to the town which is responsible for him." It is believed to be either Ashland, Presque Isle or Searsmont.

Belfast Should Have Better Mail Facilities.

There ought to be some way by which Belfast could obtain better mail and train facilities, but the efforts in this direction have thus far been in vain. As for mail facilities, those which all Belfast is now grumbling at, and with good reason, are inferior to the service of many country towns. That the morning mail which arrives at Burnham at 4 a. m. should not be delivered in Belfast, thirty miles off, before 1 p. m.—giving no time to answer business letters or fill orders before the departure of the afternoon train—is a state of affairs that should not be tolerated. One day last week the train was three hours and a half coming from Burnham. To say nothing of the delay of the mails, think how pleasant it must be to one who has travelled from Boston, or beyond, to have to endure a three hours and a half ride over a distance that should be covered in one hour. The passenger traffic is, however, a matter that chiefly concerns the railroad company; the mail facilities concern the whole community, and some means should be devised to improve them.

The Efficiency of the Revenue Cutter Dexter.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE JOURNAL: Having recently, while lying in Vineyard Haven, received assistance from Revenue Stmr. "Samuel Dexter," M. L. Phillips commanding, I wish to testify to the efficiency and promptness with which she came to our relief. Just before daylight I found our vessel had dragged in so near the shore that I could not give her scope enough for safety should the wind increase much, as it then looked likely to do. Soon as it became light enough I discovered the cutter lying in the harbor, and at once set signal for assistance. She immediately came and towed us to a safe anchorage. But she had hardly taken hold of us before it was blowing a gale, and had she not come *promptly*, as she did, we must have gone ashore.

O. W. FRENCH,
Master Schr. "Flora Condon."
Belfast, Oct. 14, 1889.

BELMONT. Mr. Franklin Smith, of Hall's Corner, died Wednesday morning, Oct. 16th, aged 73 years. He had not been sick long, and passed peacefully away. Three daughters and one son survive him and have the sympathy of this neighborhood in their loss. Mr. Smith was a fine citizen, a good neighbor, and a friendly man.

Swift & Paul will give a patent soap tray (with the first purchase only) of 50 cents worth of Brussels soap.

News of Belfast and Vicinity.

We are obliged to omit our Marine register this week.

One day last week a boy drove four cows into the barn of Mr. B. T. Black on the east side, and left them loose. One of the cows gored a valuable horse making an ugly wound in the animal's hip.

We have frequently mentioned the finding of valuable pearls in the clams found in the river near the Head of the Tide, Belfast. Thayer & Adams, in this city, have one recently found that experts have valued at $12. It is of handsome color, large and perfect.

Mr. F. W. Shepherd, of this city, lost his pocket book Saturday somewhere between the office of Keating & Field and his home. The finder will be rewarded by leaving the same at the Journal office. See advertisement on third page.

The lessees of the Oak Hill granite works in this city, are W. O. Sargent, of New York, F. T. Sargent and Harry Luce, of Quincy, Mass. They are men of means and experience, and with one of the finest granite quarries in Maine, ought to do a large business. It is hoped the expectations of all will be realized.

Mr. Charles F. Wood, of Rockland, a prominent clothing dealer of that city, who was killed at the Scarboro crossing near Portland by the train passing over him, was well and favorably known in this city, where his wife has several relatives. Mr. Wood's business partner, Mr. Austin Philbrick, is a brother of Mrs. Geo. O. Bailey, of this city.

INSOLVENCY COURT. The following business came before the Court of Insolvency in this city last week: The first meeting of creditors of Frank F. Jellison, of Belfast, held and R. W. Rogers, Esq., appointed assignee. Willis N. Foy, of Montville, filed a petition for discharge. Discharges were granted John M. Lafolly, of Stockton, and Alanson Ford, of Searsport.

It is proposed to celebrate the second anniversary of Maple Leaf Council of United Fellowship, in this city, which occurs Oct. 23d, with an oyster supper. Mr. Henry Damon, of Boston, Supreme Director, will be present. Waldo Council, of Stockton, has been invited and will no doubt be present in force. The meeting will be held in Grand Army Hall and all members are expected to be present.

THE GEORGES VALLEY RAILROAD. The survey of the Union & Warren railroad route, made by Mr. Hancox, of Boston, has been completed. The line as surveyed is 7½ miles in length. It passes about 1,000 feet from the Warren lime quarries, and a spur will be built giving the works there every facility that could be desired. But two pieces of trestle-work will be required, one 50 feet and one 130 feet in length.

DR. DYER DISCHARGED. Dr. David D. Dyer, of Burnham, was arraigned before U. S. Commissioner Rand, in Portland Oct. 9, on a charge of liquor selling without a United States license. He denied ever selling any liquor. The hearing was continued Thursday morning, when the evidence was not considered sufficient to hold the Dr. and he was discharged. A Portland special to the Boston Herald says the charge grew out of a neighborhood quarrel.

FAMILY REUNION. Register of Deeds, J. G. Cook, and wife, of this city, went to Hermon last week to attend the reunion of the Gatchell family, of which Mrs. Cook is a member. Twenty one were present at the house of Mr. Frank R. Burnett, Mrs. Sarah W. Gatchell, the mother, 81 years old, a very smart and intelligent lady, has requested that a family reunion be held once a year, so long as she lives. The affair was a pleasant one. The next reunion will be held at Monroe.

We have received a communication relative to an incident at the Unity fair and in reply to an article in the Pittsfield Advertiser, but are unable to find room for it. Briefly, the judges were assailed for putting the editor of the Advertiser out of the stand. He says he had no opportunity for explaining his business; but the officer who ejected him says he did not make his business or name known, but declared that "he came there to stay and would not be put out." To say the least it was an unfortunate affair.

ACCIDENT. What looked at one time like a serious accident occurred at the Haraden wharf crossing in this city one day last week. The truck team of Swan & Sibley was crossing the railroad track, and unknown to the driver the train in shifting cars was slowly backing down the track. The horses had crossed over when the rear end of the car caught the body of the truck and jammed it against a pile of boards. The train was stopped just in season to avoid a more serious accident. The truck was smashed and nearly ruined, but the horses escaped injury....Capt. Eben D. Holmes, of this city, fell down the stairs leading to the city laundry, on Tuesday, but was not seriously injured.

DEER HUNTERS. W. E. Page, W. H. Sanborn, Fred Sanborn and Bert Gammons, of this city, will shortly go to Mt. Desert to hunt deer. The trip will be made in Mr. Page's yacht....Bancroft Conant and Adrian Tuttle, of this city, start to-day with a Monroe party for the head waters of the Machias river to hunt deer. The veteran driver John S. Twombly, of Monroe, with his four horse team, will take the party over the route traversed by the Belfast Deer Hunters two years ago. This party is safe to bring back several deer.

A TRAVELLED CANARY. At the rooms of Mrs. Moran and Mrs. Priest, in the house of Mr. Hiram Jones, High street, may be seen a bird owned by Mrs. Charles Harriman, now of Liverpool, England, formerly of Stockton, that has quite a record as a traveller. The bird was given to Mrs. Harriman eleven years ago, at Hamburg, by a sea captain, and has been to Portland, Oregon, three voyages, thus doubling Cape Horn six times; made one voyage completely around the globe, and has crossed the Atlantic ocean a great many times. The bird is pure yellow, and when younger was an excellent singer. Its owner wants the bird sent across to Liverpool, but it is thought that, owing to its age, it would not survive the voyage.

PERSONAL. Mrs. George E. Johnson, of this city, who has been absent about two weeks on a visit, returned home last week....Mr. Charles B. Hazeltine, of this city, says he shall shortly go into the Interior of Maine to hunt the caribou....Mr. Moses Brooks, of New York, the brother of the venerable mother of Collector Ferguson, was in Belfast last week. Mr. Brooks is 81 years old, but is very vigorous....Mr. F. A. Follett, of this city, went to Boston Friday....Mr. and Mrs. Geo. H. Brier, of Belfast, will spend the winter in Boston with their children....Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Small returned last week from a visit to Kennebec county.....Mr. Ned Follett, who has been learning dentistry with Dr. G. P. Lombard, went to Boston Friday to attend the Boston Dental College....We see by the Morning Press of Santa Barbara, California, that Mr. and Mrs. Frank A. Conant are to be congratulated: "At Santa Barbara, Oct. 5, 1889, to Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Conant, a son."...Dr. L. W. Pendleton, of Portland, came to Belfast Thursday evening and left for home Saturday morning. While here he visited some of his patients....Mr. and Mrs. O. G. White, of this city, went to Boston Friday....Mrs. Joseph Haskins, Mr. and Mrs. William Chase and family, of Bristol, Vermont, who were in Belfast last week the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Tucker, returned home Friday. Mrs. Haskins is a sister of Mr. Tucker. J. H. Montgomery, Esq., of Camden, was in Belfast last week. ....Mrs. E. A. Sherman and son, of this city, are visiting in Ellsworth....Mr. Percy Tuttle, of this city, who is attending the East Maine Conference Seminary, Bucksport, came home Saturday on his bicycle....Miss Dellie Conant, of this city, has returned from a visit to Portland....Mrs. W. C. Tuttle and Mrs. Bertha Wiggin, of this city, have returned from a visit to Boston....Mr. Geo. Trussell, who has been drug clerk at Kilgore & Wilson's, in this city, is now with Mr. C. O. Poor, in the place of Mr. Howard French....Mr. J. F. Rich, of Bridgewater, Mass., was in Belfast last week. He thinks of buying a farm in China....Capt. W. R. White, who has been in Belfast the past season, left Monday for Florida, where he commands a steamboat. ....Mr. F. R. Gray arrived in town Sunday.... Mrs. David Alexander, of this city, left Sunday for Ellsworth and will read in that vicinity....Miss A. A. Hicks, of this city, was last week elected a delegate to the National convention of the W. C. T. Union, for the district composed of the counties of Knox, Waldo, Sagadahoc and Somerset. Miss Emily Miller, of Searsmont, was elected an alternate....Mr. Howard French, of this city, who for six years has been in the drug store of Mr. Clarence O. Poor, left Monday for New York, where he will enter a College of Pharmacy....We read in the personals of the Fort Payne, Ala., Herald the following: "Geo. Mayo, of Maine, has come to Fort Payne to stay." This is Geo. Mayo, of Belfast......Mr. W. H. Carson, of Brockton, Mass., was in Belfast Monday visiting friends...... Mr. Fred Winters, of Portland, came to town Saturday returning Monday....Mr. Robert Burgess, of this city, went to Boston Saturday......Mr. George E. Brackett, of this city, went to Lewiston, Monday, on business connected with the Maine State Fair. ....W. A. MacDonald, of Sioux Falls, South Dakota, was in Belfast last week......Mrs. J. M. Fletcher and son, of this city, are in Boston on a visit....Mr. Fred Winters, formerly of this city, is now traveling for the house of F. A. Tibbetts & Co., Portland....Mrs. J. W. Burgess, of this city, has gone to Waterville, on a visit....Miss Mary Jackson, of this city, is in Boston for a few days....W. L. Littlefield of this city attended the annual dinner of the Loon Club, of which he is a member, at the Bangor House Saturday....Mrs. J. C. Cates and her milliner, Mrs. Connor, were expected home from Boston last evening. They will have all the latest fashions and novelties....Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Emery of this city, moved up from the Northport Camp Ground last Saturday and Mr. Emery went to Boston Tuesday for a few weeks visit....City Clerk Murch returned from Boston Monday. ... Capt. Joseph T. Conant, who has been at the Belfast Custom House while the deputy collector was away, left Tuesday for his New Hampshire home. ....Mr. Mark Andrews, of this city, left Tuesday for Boston....Mrs. G. A. Gilchrest left Belfast Tuesday for Rockland, to open her home there.... Mr. and Mrs. Charles T. Richards moved into their new home on Cedar street, Tuesday....Ephraim O. Shaw, of this city, has filed a petition in insolvency....Mr. Samuel Sleeper, of this city, is visiting friends at Hallowell ...W. H. Bickford, of Boston, is in Belfast visiting friends.

Samuel T. Young has been appointed postmaster at Liberty vice F. Knowlton removed.

The Commissioner of Pensions has appointed Dr. D. W. Bunker Pension Examining Surgeon at Castine.

The Rebekah Sewing Club, of this city, will take comfortables to tack and make other articles for fairs. Any society contemplating a fair this fall will do well to consult the Rebekah sewing club.

Col. John D. Rust and E. C. Payson, of Rockport, have been admitted to the firm of the Rockland Manufacturing Co. The firm is now running under the name of Rust, Morey & Payson. Their quarters are equipped with the best of machinery and they are doing a large business. [Rockland Free Press.

Chas. E. Lane, of Brooks, whom the Herald mentioned as being in Presque Isle, returned home Friday, having made more investments in this vicinity. He says that if he could close up his business interests in Brooks, he would locate here. Before he left, he tried to purchase the stallion Gen. Dexter, of L. M. G. Johnson, offering $800, which Mr. Johnson refused. [Aroostook Herald.

The steam yacht Juno, of Bath, came into our harbor on Friday last from Bangor. The party on board was A. M. Houghton, son of the owner, W. R. Kimball, J. H. McClellan and Frank Small. They were on a pleasure cruise and making short runs along the coast. The Juno left Belfast Saturday and was to make short calls at Camden and Rockland on the return to Bath.

PORTION OF A SKELETON UNEARTHED. Last week the water works crew, while digging near the hydrant, corner of Bridge and Green streets, unearthed, several feet below the surface, a portion of a human skull, that from its appearance must have been in the earth many years. No one even remembers of a graveyard in that vicinity, or of any person being buried there. It is something of a mystery.

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS. We are indebted to Mr. L. T. Shales, secretary of the Belfast board of health, for a copy of the 4th annual report of the State board of health....Capt. J. P. Stowers has again sent us files of daily papers from Buenos Ayres. We are always glad to hear from our Waldo county shipmasters....Our thanks are due to Mr. E. F. Chase for copies of the Washington Post containing full accounts, with illustrations, of the Knights Templar visit to the National Capital.

THE PENSIONER AND HIS PENSION. An interesting case came before the Probate Court, in this city, last week, the hearing occupying nearly a whole day. Ellis Young, of Lincolnville, a pensioner, is under guardianship, Mr. B. F. Young being his guardian. The family of Ellis Young has been a town charge and through the efforts of the municipal officers the man was put under guardianship, and a portion of his pension has been applied to the support of his family. Mr. Ellis Young last week petitioned the Court to have the guardian removed as he thought he was capable of taking care of his own business. A large number of witnesses were examined, but the matter was finally compromised before it reached the Judge. Mr. Young is to remain under guardianship and a satisfactory disposition is to be made of his income.

WILLS. The following are abstracts of wills filed at the October session of the Probate Court held in this city last week: Ignatius Cushman, late of Morrill, makes the following bequests: To his brothers Chandler and William Cushman, and his sister Harriet Washburn, the sum of $50 each; to William J. Thomas, $100; to his nieces, Martha Barton and Sophia Brooks, $50 each; to his nephew, Thomas R. Cushman, $50; to Lucenia Morey and Elisha Cushman, $25 each; to Hannah L. Currier, Flora Gay and Hattie Brown, $25 each. He also provides for tombstones for his father and mother. The remainder of the estate is to be distributed among the legatees in the same relative proportion as the above legacies are made. J. R. Mears is appointed executor ...Ella M. Banks, late of Belfast, bequeaths to her mother, Mary A. Clements, all her estate, both real and personal, and her father, Elijah Clements, is named as executor.

SHIPPING ITEMS. Sch. Charlotte T. Sibley, of this city, now at New York, has chartered to load lumber at Jacksonville for New London or New Haven, Conn., for $8.25 per thousand, and to receive 25,000 feet daily. The vessel will take out a cargo of iron....Capt. John W. Ferguson, of this city, has taken command of sch. Flora Condon, in place of Capt. O. W. French, who will take charge of sch. Jennie Carleton, of Camden. This schooner is less than one year old, 475 tons, and was built at Rockport. The vessel is now at Fernandina, and on her arrival at New York Capt. French will take command....Sch. Annie P. Chase, Capt. O. S. Ellis, arrived Saturday from Perth Amboy with a load of coal for Mr. Fred G. White. The vessel made a very quick passage. This is the fourth cargo of coal that Capt. Ellis has brought this season for Mr. White and he says that next season will be proposes to make nine trips between the two ports....The new three masted schooner built at Millbridge for Capt. W. S. Pendleton, of Islesboro, was launched on Thursday last. The steamer Castine took down an excursion party to witness the launching. Another vessel will be built at same place for the Pendleton Bros....The owners of sch. S. M. Bird, of Rockland, have decided to have a full poop deck put on to the schooner. The vessel is now on the Belfast Marine railway...... Sch. Isaac Oberton arrived at Bangor Sunday with 353 tons of coal for the Maine Central, after a remarkably quick passage of thirteen days from Fort Point to Philadelphia, discharging her load of lumber, receiving a cargo of coal, and returning to Bangor in the time mentioned....The Bangor Commercial of Saturday says: "Vessels are not over plenty in this port and freights are firm. Lumber freights are as follows: $2.00 in Boston; $2.50 to $2.75 to Long Island Sound ports and $3.00 to New York."...Sch. A. W. Ellis, of this city, was taken out on the marine railway last week at Rondout, N. Y., where she was cleaned and painted......Sch. Sarah L. Davis sailed from this port on Monday for Somes Sound to load paving for New York....The collision of sch. St. Johns, of Belfast with the British tramp steamer Fern Holme cost the owners of the schooner about $8,000. C. B. Hazeltine, Esq. made a final settlement in Boston last week ...Capt. R. F. Patterson, of sch. Meyer & Muller, arrived at his home in this city Monday from New York, where his vessel is discharging. Capt. Patterson has chartered to load lumber at Jacksonville for New York at $8 per thousand.... Sch. Flora Condon, Capt. Ferguson, at this port, has chartered to load hay for Jacksonville. F. G. White furnishes the cargo......Sch. Flora Condon has been chartered to load lumber at Jacksonville for New London or New Haven at $8.25 per thousand, free of commission and free of wharfage.

CHAT. That was a pretty good story of the man eating honey in a Belfast store when it was first told in the Journal some fifteen years ago, but it is not improved by age, or rather in the re-telling.... The spook scare has subsided now that its origin and object are generally known....John Stewart has built an addition to the rear of his building on Pleasant street for a carriage house and storage rooms and made the front into a stable with twenty-four stalls...The Camden Herald says of the recent visit of a party of ladies from Geo. S. Cobb Relief Corps to Belfast: "They report a very enjoyable occasion, and are loud in their praise of the ladies of Belfast and the hearty welcome and generous treatment bestowed by them."......A crew has been at work raising the Maine Central freight house in this city. The track was also raised a few inches and the floor of the cars brought on a level with the freight house platform. ...Mr. John G. Damon, of this city, served boiled clams last Thursday evening, to a company of friends, at his shop on Beaver street. The clams were excellent and the company voted Mr. Damon a first class entertainer.... The camp fire and clam stew at the Thomas H. Marshall Post Thursday evening was a very pleasant occasion, but owing to bad weather was not largely attended. ......Friday morning a gang were surveying the proposed railroad extension from Burnham to Canaan. The party started from Burnham....The portico over the main entrance to the Phenix House in this city is an improvement over the old piazza....City water has been put into the North Church....The boys continue to break glass with their "nigger shooters." The Windsor House was the sufferer last week. The "nigger shooter" ought to be suppressed....The Belfast train was late nearly every day last week. The delay at noon was on account of heavy freighting on the branch, and at night was caused by blocked trains on the main line....Miss Majorie D. Pilsbury celebrated her fifth birthday last Saturday, with a party of her little playmates....Mr. Geo. T. Read has thus far orders for only two steam heating apparatuses for dwellings. Stove dealers are putting in a large number of furnaces....Palestine Commandery Knight Templars talk of changing their by-laws to allow of the election of officers in December instead of January. This is done because every Masonic body in the city elects officers in January and the installations all come together ...A gentleman from Taunton, Mass., who has been in this vicinity buying live stock, shipped Tuesday by steamer Katahdin forty head, including oxen, cows and calves. Forty dollars were paid for the best cows....Seventy-five sheep were shipped on the Boston steamer one day last week. When ready to put them on board, two or three men each took a sheep in his arms and ran on board the steamer. The entire flock followed and in less than half a minute all were safely on board. ....The County commissioners began an adjourned term of court in this city Tuesday....Six car loads of ship timber from Thorndike arrived here Tuesday for H. M. Bean, of Camden. The timber will be sent to Camden by vessel....In digging to lay a water pipe into the North Church an old reservoir was discovered, Saturday, on Church street. No one remembers anything about it....There was a concert and dance with music by the Italian harpers, at the Belfast Opera House last Friday evening. The concert was much enjoyed, as was the dance by the small number present, but it was not a financial success....Good eating apples are very scarce in this market, and if brought in would find ready buyers....They continue to live well at The Lowder, Bangor—the family hotel of which Mr. J. B. Patterson is proprietor—judging from the bill of are sent us......Dinsmore & Son have got the plate glass front into the building at the corner of Main and High streets, and the old store looks much improved......Baker & Shales are putting on the iron covering on their new building in the rear of Main street.

"An Aroostook Excursion" next week.

WANTED. At this office, a smart, intelligent boy to learn the printers' trade. Pay begins from the start and is increased as advance is made. It is an excellent opportunity for a capable boy to learn a good trade, which is also an education. Apply at the Journal office.

The Unitarian Sewing Society will meet with Mrs. David Pierce this, Thursday, afternoon at 2 P. M. If stormy, Friday.

No members of the first jury ever had previous services as such, while eleven of the second jury have before served on a panel.

Mr. Henry L. Lord of this city, was called to Newburyport last week to attend the funeral of his sister, Miss Kate L. Lord, who died on the 10th, aged 57 years.

The Woman's Christian Temperance Union will meet with Mrs. A. E. Clark, next Saturday at 2 o'clock P. M., corner of Main and Charles streets. A full attendance is desired.

A dog fight on the street Monday noon attracted a large crowd. The city marshal was obliged to use his billy in separating the ugly brutes. Belfast has too many dogs.

C. E. Hancox, of Boston, the well known engineer, is doing the preliminary work on a line from Burnham to Canaan. It is expected this road will be built another year.

Mr. James Haney of this city, who recently sold his house on Bay View street to Moses R. Gray of Castine, has bought the Howes house on Union street, and after some repairs will move into it.

Monday Judge Johnson paid Mrs. S. W. Mathews, of this city, $5,000 life insurance on her late husband, from the American Legion of Honor. The company has been very prompt in payment.

Capt. Bramhall, of the Belfast city market, has shown us a barrel of extra bloater salt mackerel for which he paid $40. The fish weigh about two pounds each and retail for twenty-two cents per pound.

TO INVESTORS. J. W. Frederick & Co., of this city, do a quiet business in choice investments, some of which they advertise in to-day's paper. They take hold of only first class securities, and any one having money to invest should consult them.

GRAND OPENING. Geo. W. Burkett's grand opening of ladies' and children's garments will take place Thursday, Oct. 24th. Mr. Eustis, the representative of the Manhattan Cloak and Suit Co., will be present on that occasion and will place on exhibition the finest novelties ever seen in Maine.

C. A. Doe, of the drug firm of J. W. & C. A. Doe, quietly left for Maine about a week ago to take unto himself a wife in the person of Miss Susie Black, of Belfast, Me. Mr. Doe did not even inform his business partner on what day the wedding was to have taken place. Mr. and Mrs. Doe are expected in Fort Payne this week. [Fort Payne Herald 7th.

Mr. George H. Witherlee of Castine, is in Augusta on a short visit. Mr. Witherlee will be well remembered as the gentleman who gave the able and hearty address of welcome in behalf of his townsmen on the occasion of last year's visit of the First Maine Heavy Artillery to Castine. He has just returned from an extended vacation trip in the vicinity of Moosehead, with a party of friends. [Kennebec Journal, 14th.

"What are the poor doves to do this winter?" remarked a benevolent person last week. "The church belfries have been closed against them and every precaution taken to drive them from their roosting places on buildings." Between the snares and "nigger shooters" of the boys in summer and the hardships of winter the poor birds have a sorry time of it.

STEAMER NOTES. The Katahdin flew her colors at half mast, Tuesday, in respect to the memory of Capt. Thomas R. Shute, of this city, who was buried on that day. Capt. Shute was formerly pilot on the Katahdin......A heavy northeast gale prevailed on the Massachusetts coast Monday, and the Lewiston, with other eastern bound steamers, put into Gloucester, arriving here Wednesday.

HYMENIAL. Mr. W. B. Snow, the genial mail agent on the Belfast train, and Miss Eva V. Gray, both of this city, were married last evening at the home of the bride's mother, corner of Pearl and Union Sts. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. A. Savage of the Unitarian Church. The young people were pleasantly remembered in the way of presents. Mr. Snow, since his residence in Belfast has made many friends by his uniform courtesy. Mrs. Snow is also a general favorite. Their many friends extend congratulations and wish them much happiness.

SWAN LAKE TROUT. Reports come from Swan Lake that the citizens of the town have become fully alive to the advantage of protecting the trout. A gentleman interested in fish and game says that heretofore the people of Swanville have not given the warden the encouragement needed, but appeared to think that outside poachers should be kept away while they themselves caught the fish. The gentleman believes that if the trout should be left alone for a time they would become very plentiful and take the hook, thereby enhancing the interests of all the people.

THE KNIGHTS TEMPLAR. The Belfast Sir Knights and ladies who went on the excursion to Washington D. C., and other points have returned home. Mr. J. C. Cates came Saturday, Percy Pierce Sunday, and the others have been coming every day since. Col. Chase and Miss Maud Barker stopped at Philadelphia. Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Harriman remained a while in New York, while the others stopped in Boston. Mr. Cates was quite ill during his absence, but reports a very pleasant and agreeable excursion. All saw the President, and many were present at the reception at the White House.

A PITIFUL CASE. For more than a dozen years Capt. Hiram Y. Hodgdon, of this city, has been a helpless invalid, the result of paralysis. His body below the waist is paralyzed. His wife has had the sole care of him for all these long years. A few weeks ago Capt. and Mrs. Hodgdon moved to Northport. Mrs. Hodgdon has been ill several months with softening of the brain, causing mild insanity. Recently, through mistake, she took a quantity of carbolic acid, which doubtless caused her death. She died Monday. The helpless husband was so overcome by his wife's death that his own demise is not improbable.

W. C. T. U. The State Convention of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union was held in Bar Harbor last week. A new constitution embodying a more stringent temperance pledge was adopted. The resolutions took strong and advanced grounds for prohibition, for temperance instruction for the young, and in opposition to the use of tobacco. Woman suffrage and the third party were, according to the press reports, the chief topics. Officers were elected as follows: Mrs. L. M. N. Stevens, of Portland, President; Mrs. Sarah L. Crow, of Biddeford, Corresponding Secretary; Miss Clara M. Farwell, of Rockland, Recording Secretary.

OBITUARY. Capt. Thomas R. Shute, of this city, died at his house, Sunday, aged about 68 years. Capt. Shute had been ill for some time, and his death was daily expected. Capt. Shute was a native of Belfast, and had been a sailor from his youth. Early in life he commanded coasting and deep water vessels, but for twenty-five or thirty years he had been pilot and captain of steamboats, and no better pilot sailed east of Boston than he. For years he was pilot on the Boston and Bangor line of steamers and his skill contributed in no small degree to the popularity of that line. In 1870 the steamer William Tibbetts between Boston and Bangor was succeeded by the steamer Alliance, a propeller of 800 tons. Capt. Shute was the commander of the Alliance until she was withdrawn from the route. For the last few years Capt. Shute has been a pilot on steamer Tremont running between Portland and Boston, and was so engaged when he was taken ill. Capt. Shute was a courteous gentleman and a most excellent citizen. He leaves a wife, four daughters and one son. He was buried on Tuesday.

Geo. W. Burkett, at Odd Fellows' Block, Belfast, has just put in his fall and winter stock of dress goods, and has a large and better assortment than ever before. Read his advertisement....Mark Andrews, of this city, who is closing out his stock of clothing, will offer great bargains between now and January 1st....Dinsmore & Son, boot and shoe dealers in this city, are about to move into their new store at the corner of Main and High streets, when they will be prepared to offer some excellent bargains... W. T. Colburn, boot and shoe dealer in McClintock block, Belfast, quotes prices in his advertisement to-day that will be hard to beat ... Poor & Son, Belfast, offer to-day a choice line in smokers' articles, as will be seen by reading their advt. on third page....Mrs. Wells and Miss Dudley have returned from Boston with the latest styles in bonnets, hats and trimmings.....J. H. Gordon, Brooks, wants girls to work in his pants factory....Auction sale of stock, etc., at the Capt. Benj. Carver farm in Searsport, Saturday, Oct. 26, at 10 o'clock A. M., also farming tools, and some household furniture....Caution notice by E. H. Neally, Monroe....Machinery to be sold at auction at Stockton Springs, Oct. 24, at 2 o'clock P. M.

AGED BELLIGERENTS. On Monday a case came before the Police Court, in this city, that attracted much interest and pity. It was a case of assault and battery in which two aged brothers who live near neighbors at Dickey's Mills, in Belmont, became involved in a personal encounter. Reuben Dickey, aged 85 years, was the complainant, and his brother John Dickey, aged 79 years, the respondent. Reuben is a small man, bent with the burden of his many years, and he excited much sympathy as he told the story of the assault and exhibited his wounded hand and arm in evidence. The complainant said that some time ago he cut and shaved for his brother 1600 hay hoops and was to receive one half as compensation. The hoops were stored in John's barn. Last Friday Reuben sold his lot to Charles Dickey and went to the barn to deliver them. John objected and going on to the scaffold where Reuben was assaulted him with his cane, threw him down and beat him. Reuben had a bad hand and arm in consequence. Charles Dickey said he went to the barn and separated the brothers, taking Reuben away. John denied the assault and said that when he went to the barn and ordered Reuben to leave, the latter called him vile names and struck him in the face. John was found guilty and fined $5 and costs, from which he appealed and gave sureties for his appearance at the present term of the S. J. Court.

A good opening for a good boy at the Journal office.

SOME PUMPKINS. Last Saturday C. H. Sargent bought of N. R. Cross from Morrill, five pumpkins of the California variety that weighed 162 pounds.

Harvest Day will be celebrated at the Universalist Church next Sunday morning. The church will be trimmed and services appropriate to the day will be observed.

The Trustees of the Waldo County Agricultural Society have decided to hold the annual cattle show and fair for 1890, at the Park, in Belfast, on the third Tuesday and Wednesday of September.

Treasurer Redman, of the Waldo County Agricultural Society announces that he will pay all premiums awarded at the recent fair in full when he receives the state stipend.

WE KNEW IT WOULD BE SO. Mr. Charles E. Lane, of Brooks, who recently returned from Aroostook county, says that while at Presque Isle he frequently called on Mr. Charles S. Bickford editor of the Aroostook Herald, and that Mr. Bickford is well situated and in his short residence there has a wonderful hold on the affections of the people. We knew it would be so, for Charles is built that way.

ANOTHER VESSEL TO BE BUILT. McDonald & Brown, of this city, have contracted to build a four masted schooner for Capt. B. E. Young and others of Brewer and Bangor. The schooner will be 167 feet keel, 37 feet beam, 13 feet in lower hold, with a poop deck five feet in the clear running forward of mainmast, and to measure 800 tons. This will be the first four-master ever built in Belfast. The vessel will have a hard wood bottom, hackmetack top, and hard pine ceiling and planking. The keel will be laid about the middle of November, and the schooner launched next July.

A VERDICT FOR NEARLY $40,000. A Waterville dispatch, under date of Oct. 14th, to the Boston Globe has the following in relation to a Waldo county case:

A report was filed today by Col. Jasper Hutchins, of Bangor, master in chancery, appointed by the court in the famous equity case of Edmund F. Webb, administrator of the estate of Ann S. Fuller, versus Edmund A. and Selden K. Fuller, which has been pending for five years in Waldo county, and has been before the jury on issues of fact and twice to the Law Court. The bill was for discovery, and the master reports that there is due him from the defendants the sum of $38,500.70. The defendants are the sons of Ann S. Fuller, late of Freedom, who died in 1881, and who was supposed to possess a large amount of stocks and bonds, but at her decease none could be found, hence the suit, which has resulted in the largest verdict rendered in this county for many years. The case has been conducted by Webb & Webb of Waterville for the plaintiff and by Col. Fogler and Thompson & Dunton of Belfast for the defendants.

PALERMO. Mr. Horace T. Black of this town died Oct. 6th and was buried the 8th. He was 75 years old. He was a worthy and faithful member of the First Baptist church and will be greatly missed. His funeral services were conducted by Rev. F. A. Vinal of North Vassalborough....P. S. Worthing, who was recently appointed postmaster, has thoroughly repaired the old post office, inside and out, and now has charge of the mail. He has also put in a very nice letter case which makes the other look like a thing of the past.

POOR'S MILLS. Mr. Robert Patterson has been quite ill but is much better....Noyes Wentworth and George R. Patterson, who have been to Orland hunting, report deer plenty, also small game..... Mrs. Sarah Johnson, Miss Mary Woodbury and Miss Stella Banks are visiting friends in Boston. ....Hon. S. A. Payson had a fine field of corn this year from which he has harvested 250 bushels of sound and handsome corn....J. W. Banks has 600 bushels of oats this fall....J. M. Brown beats them all raising watermelons. He has half a dozen that are very ripe and of fine flavor. Who says this is not a good place for farmers?

KNOX. Preaching last Sunday at the stream by Rev. Mr. Graham. We were not present but understand it was a fine discourse. He was formerly on this charge and is a favorite here....Mr. Chas. Cox, late of Freedom, has opened a blacksmith shop at the corner. His reputation as a workman is established and we bespeak for him a good trade.... Miss Nora and Miss Ida Penny are both away from home. Miss Nora will spend the winter in Lowell, Mass.... We hope the idea of a reunion of the vets of Waldo Co will not be lost sight of, for I think Comrade Bateman struck the key note in every soldier's heart. So fall in boys for rations. Why not have it this fall in Belfast. It would be splendid to have a reunion and have Mrs. Packard there. I think the boys would willingly pay her expenses and something better.

MORRILL. Presiding Elder Wharff gave us a good sermon at the quarterly meeting service last Sunday P. M. This church has been without a pastor for the past two months, but Mr. Wharff informs us that he expects to send us a man before our next appointment, the 4th Sunday in this month. Rev. E. S. Gahan from Friendship was in town Saturday, and Sunday evening gave us a powerful sermon from Isaiah 35:11....Morrill S. S. meets in future at 2 P. M. Ladies Sewing Circle meets this Thursday P. M. and evening with Mrs. D. O. Bowen....Work on the steeple to the church is now in progress. It is being built on the south corner of the church and is patterned after the church at South West Harbor, as seen in the Methodist Conference Minutes. Honesty Grange has leased Storer's hall for one quarter and will hold its regular meetings Wednesday evenings as heretofore. The patrons talk of beginning work at once on a new hall. Some are quite discouraged, owing to our recent great loss.

MONROE. Apples are all nearly harvested and a fine crop is raised....The trustees met last Saturday to settle up the business of the late fair. The premiums will be paid as soon as called for, by the treasurer, F. L. Palmer....The daily mail recently ordered by government between here and Brooks began on the 14th and will be of great convenience to the public. People will get the Belfast papers at noon instead of 5 o'clock in the evening....A. H. Mayo and his youngest daughter are in Boston this week on a visit....C. M. Conant, C. A. McKenney, Willard Twombly, Jeff Neally, George Fisher and L. J. Withee are to start on their up river hunting trip this week....Edward E. Kelley of Belfast has been engaged to teach the winter term of school at the village.....Franklin Chase has some brown Leghorn pullets three and a half months old that have laid. Who can beat this?....New milch cows are in demand and bring a good price.

SWANVILLE. Work was begun on the Oak Hill Granite Quarry Tuesday. The quarry has been leased to New York parties. They began work with twenty five paving cutters and will increase the force as paving cutters apply. They propose to do an extensive business in that line, and all good paving cutters can obtain a job....Albert S. Dane, who has been at work for C. J. Hall at Somes Sound, arrived home Friday....C. M. Marden went to Bangor Saturday on a business trip ......H. C. Marden is teaching school in the Neally district, Monroe....The hunting party composed of State Constable Partridge, Dr. Cole, Will E. Nickerson and five Cunninghams arrived home Saturday after an absence of eleven days. They pitched their tent at Pistol Lake near Lake Nicatous, and found fish and game abundant but very shy. They report having a right good time ....Mrs. C. H. Black and daughter are in town for a few weeks, the guests of Mrs. Melinda Black.... A. S. Nickerson and wife arrived home last week. While away visited Chelsea, Everett, and Salem. ....The Ladies Aid Society will meet with Mrs. Lulu Patterson Nov. 7th....Rev. R. G. Harbut will preach at the church in this place next Sunday Oct. 20th at 2:30 P.M., standard time.

WALDO. The levee and fair held at Knolme Grange hall was well patronized. The outline quilt was drawn by A. S. Blanchard, High School teacher at So. Brooks....Quite a number of sick horses in town. J. B. Payson and L. L. Barlow have each lost one and several others are dangerously sick....E. C. Chase of Bangor has been a brief visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Chase, last week....The turnip crop is light and the quality not equal to former years. J. L. Chase will harvest about two hundred bushels....Grain does not turn out very well according to the amount of straw, and threshers are not getting very rich.... A large amount of hay will be pressed in this vicinity. It has been a number of years since the county has been so barren of young stock as at the present time. Farmers are using grass and grain fertilizers and keeping less stock. It remains to be proved whether this is good farming or not; but it is a settled fact that raising beef at present prices is a losing business....Sheep and lambs are not bringing as good prices as for a few years past. Dealers find a better class of sheep in Aroostook than in the older counties; consequently we must wait until later in the season for a good market....Highway surveyors should remove the loose stones from roads as required by law...... Foxes have confiscated more than fifty hens and chickens from C. A. Walker.

FREEDOM. Henry Thompson died suddenly Friday morning of heart disease, aged 57 years. He had been in poor health for several months, but was able to attend to business until the day of his death. Mr. Thompson was a native of Montville. Has been in trade here on his own account some 20 years, and was for some years previous a clerk in the store of Benj. Williams. Funeral services were held at the Congregational church Sunday afternoon, Rev. G. F. Bradford, officiating. The house was thronged with friends of the deceased. The casket bore many beautiful tributes, the gifts of neighbors and friends. A genial, honest, respected christian man has gone, who will be greatly missed by a large circle of acquaintances. Mr. Thompson was a member of the Freewill Baptist church at North Montville and had taken an active interest in religious matters for many years. He leaves a widow. Two brothers and two sisters survive him....The old burying ground at the village is to be abandoned as a place of burial and it is well that it should be. Those who located it acted on the plan of the quakers, of whom Whittier says: "The dreariest spot in all the land to death they set apart," for a more unsightly, inconvenient location it would be hard to select. A new ground has been laid out and graded on the County road about one-fourth mile above the village. A receiving tomb is also being built. Mr. Thompson is the first to be interred in the new cemetery....Mr. J. M. Ayer of Boston is visiting his parents in Freedom....Mrs. Geo. H. Sprowl returned from Boston on Friday last....Mr. B. Hill was in town last week....Dr. A. J. Billings represented Dana B. Carter Post, G. A. R., at the dedication of the soldiers' monuments at Gettysburg, Pa.

EAST THORNDIKE. The apple and potato crops were very light in this section....Farmers are well along with their fall work......Mr. James Rackliffe and family of Bangor are in town visiting friends....Willie Higgins is at home on a short visit from Mass....Miss Lilla Collin is going to Bangor to take lessons in music....Miss Annie Files is visiting her sister at Corinth.....Mr. J. Heath is repairing his house.

LINCOLNVILLE. The Good Templars of this place recently held a levee and sociable at the band hall....A sociable and donation was held at the band hall last week for the benefit of the pastor and was pronounced by many the best of the kind held here for some time. The net receipts were about $18....Frankie, a young son of Melzer Higgins, while at play around the Coleman kilns last week, by some means pulled a heavy piece of timber down upon his leg, crushing it in several places.

UNITY. Mr. Thomas B. Hussey has returned to Montana, also Mr. Chas. Severance and family, who have been in Europe since the middle of July. Miss Vonnie Hussey will remain in Paris and Germany for a couple of years of study.... There are two high schools in progress in town. One at Unity village taught by Mr. Peabody, and one at Farwell's Corner taught by Ada M. Jones....Hillside Lodge, I. O. G. T., will celebrate its 7th anniversary the 18th inst. A supper and good entertainment is anticipated.

STOCKTON SPRINGS. Mr. E. H. Dennis and family have gone to New York, where they will spend the winter....Mr. J. W. Thompson has finished a new building over the Woodcliff Mineral Spring. It is a great improvement to the looks of Fort Point....Mr. E. P. Parks has left town to go mate in a new Government schooner just built at Boston. Mr. Parks is a fine young man and we wish him success....Mr. E. F. Staples is carrying cargoes of apples to Bar Harbor where he has made good sales......Work has been resumed by the Stockton Mineral Springs Co.

BURNHAM. Sebasticook grange had an oyster supper Saturday Oct. 12th, to which outsiders were invited. A goodly number were present. The grangers will hold a public meeting Saturday evening Oct. 19th, at seven o'clock at Town Hall. Hon. L. C. Libby will address the meeting on the advantages of home life and agriculture in Maine over the west....Mr. Henry Graves is soon to open trade in the store recently vacated by John McAlister....Messrs. Henry Cole and E. A. McAlister are getting their goods in position and will open their store to the public the present week.... Dr. Dodge and wife of Troy spent a day last week with his mother in this place.

SEARSMONT. The stores of E. L. Bean and David Cobb, of this town were entered by burglars on last Thursday night. Both stores were entered by breaking a pane of glass from the front door and removing the fastening. From the Bean store $200 to $300 worth of goods were taken, mostly jewelry and cutlery. Some watches and other small articles were taken from the Cobb store....The Drama "Our Folks," arranged by the Sewing Circle connected with Victor Grange was a complete success in every sense of the word. The actors, all amateurs, evinced decided talent in their several parts, and were loudly applauded by a large and appreciative audience. Many were present from adjoining towns, Belfast in particular being well represented. The money raised will be expended on the new Grange Hall. Net proceeds $88.22.

BUCKSPORT. The attendance at the East Maine Conference Seminary is already larger than at the corresponding term of last year, and more students are expected the last half of the term. This school has been steadily growing for five years at an average of over fifty students per year. The present outlook promises to maintain this rate. An unusual religious work is in progress, twelve students having already been converted. Rev. C. L. Bisbee, of Winthrop, gave an illustrated lecture on the evening of Oct. 2. The subject was Palestine, and the lecture was much enjoyed....Mrs. Elizabeth H. Pierce called a neighbor living in the same house at 2 o'clock Monday morning by rapping on the wall and saying she wished she could breathe, and they got her from the bed to the lounge and about a half hour after she expired. Her age was 80 years 9 months and 2 days....Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Emery returned home from a two weeks' stay in Boston by the Saturday evening train.

CAMDEN. The four masted schooner building at the yard of H. M. Bean for Capt. Abner R. Wixon and W. R. Bowne of West Dennis, Mass., will be launched about Oct. 26. Her dimensions are 221 feet keel, 21½ feet deep and 47 feet beam. She will be furnished with an engine of 25 horse power and her pumps will have a capacity of 700 gallons per minute. She will also have a steam wrecking pump of 700 gallons per minute capacity, and will be heated by steam throughout. The schooner will have a carrying capacity of 2,800 tons on 19½ feet of water, and is to be named the Mattie G. Rowne for Mr. Rowne's wife, and is to be commanded by Capt. Abner R. Wixon, formerly master of sch. Sarah L. Ward of Boston. The Ward was built by H. M. Bean for Capt. Wixon five years ago....The Business Men's association of Camden village Saturday evening gave a dinner at the Bay View house, complimentary to Capt. J. F. Allen, of Fall River, Mass., captain of the four masted schooner Cornelius Hargraves, recently launched. The company presented him with a luxurious easy chair.

JACKSON. A shocking accident occurred last Saturday to Mrs. Charles E. Small, of this town. As she was replenishing the stove with wood she became unconscious, and upon recovering found her clothing in flames, but succeeded in attracting the attention of some workmen at the barn, who smothered the flames as soon as possible, but not until she was burned in a shocking manner about the breast and shoulders. A physician was immediately summoned. Her case is a critical one....Mr. E. A. Carpenter is the happy possessor of a new reversible sulky steel plow, manufactured by Belcher & Taylor, Chicopee Falls, Mass. It works like a daisy. He would be pleased to supply any farmer in want of one at a very low price......Mr. E. Johnson is prepared to furnish stencils for marking pressed hay, bags etc........ The farmers are now drawing their fall work to a close as fast as possible, such as harvesting vegetables, husking corn, threshing grain etc., etc. This year it is "full barns and empty cellars," as the hay crop was large and grain never heavier strawed, while the yield of potatoes and other vegetables is very light and of apples much light. .....The writer acknowledges, with thanks, the receipt of a basket of beautiful, luscious pears from the orchard of Mr. Levi Rich, who excels in the cultivation of the most popular varieties of pears and grapes....Mrs. A. J. Fletcher has gone to Boston to visit her sister Mrs. H. P. Fletcher. She was accompanied by her mother, Mrs. C. H. Wright....Mrs. Mary Stearns and granddaughter, Mrs. Salisbury, have moved back into the old homestead house. They have been living at Brooks the past year....Star of Progress Grange received an official call from Deputy G. W. Ritchie last Saturday night; they also entertained visitors from Harvest Moon Grange.

WINTERPORT. Mr. Samuel N. Downs died at his home near Ball Hill, on Wednesday morning, after a long and painful sickness. He leaves a wife and adopted son to mourn their loss, having lost his only child some years ago. His age was [illegible] years. The funeral services were held at his late residence on Friday afternoon under the charge of Warren Post G. A. R. of which he was a member. They gave him a soldier's burial. The services at the house were conducted by Rev. H. W. Norton, with singing by the Methodist choir. At the cemetery the Post was assisted in their beautiful and impressive service by a part of the Cornet Band who furnished the martial music. His army record as obtained from one of his comrades is as follows: Comrade Samuel N. Downs first enlisted in Co. H 4th Maine Reg't Nov. 1861, was discharged Dec. 31, '63 at Brandy Station, Va. He then re-enlisted in the 19th Maine Reg't Dec. 31st '63 and was discharged on the 17th of March '65 at South St. Hospital, Philadelphia. He was engaged in 24 battles, among which were second Bull Run, Chancellorsville, Mine Run, Wilderness, Spottsylvania, Cold Harbor, Fair Oaks, Weldon Railroad, Brandy Station, Malvern Hill, North Anna, Yorktown, Gaines' Mills, Petersburg, Chantilla, Deep Bottom, White Oak Swamp, and finally Gettysburg, where he lost a leg. Mr. Downs was a brave soldier and a worthy citizen and there was a large gathering of relatives and friends, as well as a large delegation from the Post and Corps, to pay their last respects to their deceased comrade. The floral offerings were beautiful and abundant ...Miss Mary McKinnon, Little Ella Fogg and Baby Marion Goodhue are sick with fever. Blanche Baker at the Cove is also sick with fever. Mr. M. R. Baker's family have been sick with German measles....Little Byron McDermott cut his leg badly by stepping through a pane of glass on Saturday....Mr. John M. Snow was at home last week for a short visit.... Mrs. Clara Spaulding and daughter have returned to Boston....Mrs. T. G. Stoddard, of Boston, who has been visiting Mrs. Daniel Dyer, returned to her home on Tuesday of last week....Mrs. Margaret Mudgett, of Prospect visited friends in town last week....Mrs. C. W. Trevett has gone to Boston for a brief visit....Percy S. Hall left on Monday for Augusta where he will serve as attendant in the convalescent ward at the Insane Asylum and also lead the orchestra there....Mrs. C. M. Chase and daughter, Miss Sophie, left for Castine on Thursday last where they will spend the winter. Mrs. Alvin Simmons left on Wednesday's boat for Boston where she will spend the winter....Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Clements, of White's Corner are visiting friends in Lowell, Mass....Miss L. A. Grindle has gone to Rockport for a few weeks......It is currently reported that Mr. Frank Perry has taken to himself a wife....Mrs. Robert Colson, of Northport, was in town for a day or two last week..... Mrs. Margaret Atwood is at home for a visit.... Miss Lizzie Littlefield left on Saturday's boat for Boston for the winter....Mrs. Mary Avery, of Westerly R. I. was the guest of her sister Mrs. Charles Shaw last week......Mr. Howard Varney, who was hurt while at work on a vessel at Camden last week, was not so seriously injured as reported, but was able to go to work again in a few days.... Mr. and Mrs. Eben Couillard, of Saccarappa, were in town over Sunday....Capt. O. C. Clifford has gone to Bangor to work on the schooner Gertrude A. Bartlett. He expects to go in her this winter. ......Little Mary Helen Coffren celebrated her 3d birthday last week. She had lots of pretty presents and distributed birthday cakes very generously among her friends.

Searsport Locals.

Mrs. O. P. Clark has moved into the D. Y. Mitchell house.

The teachers' institute held here last week was fully attended and very successful.

James I. Johnson and Joseph P. Curtis opened a hardware store at Saccarappa last week.

Rev. N. LaMarsh is in Augusta this week attending the State Sunday School Convention.

Capt. Wilbert Ellis has moved into the village and will occupy the James Treat house.

John Howe Jr., deputy collector here from 1841 to 1845, died in Boston Oct. 8th, aged 83 years.

Dinsmore Smith, who is employed in the spool mill at Lincoln, is visiting his father and friends here.

All those interested in singing are requested to meet at the Cong. Conference room this, Thursday, evening.

John and Albert Williams, of Lowell, Mass., were in town Monday to attend the funeral of their brother.

F. E. Whitcomb has just completed for his cottage at Swan Lake one of the prettiest signs ever made in Waldo county.

Capt. P. Pendleton left Monday on steamer Penobscot for a visit to friends in Boston, New York and possibly Washington, D. C.

Mr. Howe and wife, of Providence, R. I., who have been visiting their son Thomas R. Howe, left Tuesday for their home by steamer Katahdin.

The selectmen will be in session the 26th inst. to hear argument in relation to giving the Westinghouse Electric Light Co. permission to erect poles and maintain lines in our village.

Mrs. H. J. Shute recently put up quite an extensive hot house and proposes to supply this market with plants and flowers. Geo. T. Read of Belfast is engaged in piping it for steam heat.

The body of Axtel Williams, who died at the Asylum in Augusta, Oct. 12th, was brought here and the funeral took place Monday afternoon. Mr. Williams was 26 years and 8 months old.

One of our sea captains who got belated to steamer Penobscot one day last week at Camden [illegible] mention made that Capt. Ingraham by [illegible] with the line gracefully swung the [illegible] enabling him to get on board.

[illegible] C. S. Cummings of Rockland will lecture at [illegible] M. E. church next Thursday evening, 24th [illegible] subject "From the Cradle to the Grave." [illegible] coffee and doughnuts will be served in the [illegible] All are cordially invited. Adults [illegible] cents. Children 15 cts.

Charles Emery of Frankfort, who has been employed as an assistant at the Insane Asylum, Augusta, and who was recently stricken by a paralytic shock, arrived on steamer Katahdin Tuesday. He was brought ashore in a helpless condition, and was taken to the residence of C. D. Harriman. Mrs. Harriman is his sister.

Charles E. Elliot of New York, a member of the [illegible] Congress who will be well remembered by [illegible] here, having passed his summers in Searsport [illegible] a youth. His speech at Portland on the [illegible] of the delegates was one of the best [illegible] there. In alluding to his native state he [illegible] "The second best thing Maine produces is [illegible] the best her women," which sentiment [illegible] generously applauded.

THE GETTYSBURG EXCURSION. W. B. Sawyer, [illegible] with the delegation from here recently visited the battlefield of Gettysburg, desires us to extend [illegible] thanks to those who so generously contributed the means to enable him to attend the dedication [illegible] Maine monuments on that memorable battle [illegible] He says in his note: "The programme was a grand success and the weather everything that could be asked. We of the 19th Maine Regt. were able to locate our positions with but little difficulty. Changes have taken place and some of the landmarks have disappeared—trees have been cut and fences removed, but many of the rifle pits still remain. After leaving Gettysburg our party went as far as Harpers Ferry, which remains unchanged. We next proceeded to Washington, where we arrived Friday evening and remained [illegible] visiting many places of interest, among them the Washington monument, which is built of marble, is 555 feet high and cost nearly one and a quarter million dollars. The ascent is made by a flight of winding stairs or an elevator. It requires twelve minutes to make the ascent and return by the elevator. One party remains while a former returns. From the top a fine view is had of the city and surrounding country. There are a large number of memorial blocks in the monument, given by the different States and by societies. The first was given by our State, and is about thirty feet from the base. It has the simple inscription 'Maine' on the inside. We observed marked improvements in the city since the close of the war. The entire trip I shall always remember. It is very pleasant to the ex-soldier to see what a grateful government has done and is still doing to honor those who fell in its defence."

CAPT. NOYES' PEACH TREE. The Morning Oregonian of Portland, O., publishes the following in the issue of Sept. 9:

In the grounds of Captain Cyrus M. Noyes's handsome residence at the corner of E. and Twentieth streets is a peach tree which is a wonder. [illegible] is a highly favored state, and the equal of which it is doubtful if any other state in the Union, or for that matter, any other country in the world has produced.

Four years ago last Fourth of July Miss Nelly Noyes, Captain Noyes's daughter, after eating a peach, planted the pit. It grew and flourished, and is now a handsome, thrifty tree about fifteen feet high. She has on it some 200 peaches of remarkable size, appearance and flavor, equal if not superior in size to the largest ever seen here, many of them measuring ten and a half to eleven inches in circumference. The stem of the tree is between three and four inches in diameter, and the spreading limbs with their load of magnificent fruit are a perfect marvel for four years growth and show what Oregon soil and climate can do in the fruit-raising line.

The peach is a clingstone, and will be the original of a very valuable variety, which will be known as the Nelly Noyes. Captain Noyes is very proud of the magnificent fruit, and has been striving to have the latter attain its full size and perfection in order to exhibit it to his friends; but some bad boys in the neighborhood have been trying their best to prevent this by stealing the peaches, and have succeeded in getting a number of them. Captain Noyes should have some of these boys arrested and taken before the police judge, where they would get a dose that would put them out of the line of stealing anything for a while. Anyone thinking of a tree which beats Captain Noyes's tree is invited to come to the front.

NORTH SEARSPORT ITEMS.

[illegible] M. W. Ellis has moved to Searsport village.

[illegible] M. Larrabee visited relatives in Stockton [illegible] last week.

[illegible] Arico, of the Head of the Tide, Belfast, was in town last Sunday.

[illegible] J. W. Smart in last week's paper, should [illegible] Mrs. J. W. Smart.

There will be a Sunday School concert at the [illegible] next Sunday the 27th inst.

Rev. N. LaMarsh of Searsport will preach at the [illegible] next Sunday at 2 p. m.

One of the recent arrivals in town is a son at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. E. Marden.

Miss Addie B. Mathews attended the Teachers' Convention at Searsport last Friday night.

Winnefield Reed is taking a trip on the briny deep with Capt. Otis Colson in sch. E. L. Warren.

Mrs. Gregory and Miss Alice Colliard, of Hampden have been in town recently visiting at Oliver Whittum's.

Oscar Edgarly, of Newburyport, Mass., lectured in [illegible] at the Spiritualist meeting at Oliver Whittum's last Sunday.

Mrs. Susan Towle, with her guest Mrs. Della Rowe of Lynn, Mass., visited Mrs. John Hagan at Stockton Springs, last week.

Mr. H. F. Carter and daughter Lulu, of Northport Ave., Belfast, were in town last Sunday making calls on their old neighbors and friends.

Herbert Black sold last week to Nathaniel Little, [illegible] Prospect a four year old cow and a two year old heifer. The cow girthed 6 ft. 8 inches and the heifer 6 ft. 4 inches. Both grade Herefords.

Fourteen were initiated in Good Templars lodge in Swanville last Saturday night, and among the number were six from this town, as follows: Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Nickerson and two daughters, Misses Laura T. and Marion M. and Flora M. Nickerson and Ruth Thomas.

Herbert Black recently bought a sulky plow of F. B. Daggett, of Sandy Point. It is a daisy, and the only sulky plow made that will plow stony, rough side hill or level land. This plow is from the Belcher & Taylor Agricultural Tool Co., Chicopee Falls, Mass.

On the 7th inst. Mr. Frank Herriman of Swanville, a very promising young man, drove to the residence of James E. Marden of this place and took from his family circle Miss Addie M., his only daughter, a most estimable young lady, and drove to the residence of A. F. Mathews Esq. and there the two were united in marriage. The happy couple have hosts of friends in this town and Swanville who wish them happiness and prosperity on the journey through life.

PROSPECT. I should have reported before that our old friend and jolly neighbor, Mr. Philip Holmes, now of Salem, Mass., has paid a visit to friends and relatives here. He also attended the reunion of the 26th Maine regiment at Winterport, and everyone enjoyed the jolly talk of their old comrade. Mr. Holmes came from New Jersey and settled here and married Miss Ameline Staples. He followed the sea until the war when he enlisted in the 26th Maine and in the Red River expedition was wounded in the shoulder and, after being at home some time, Dr. Abbott cut the bullet out below the shoulder blade. When he first arrived home the wound was often painful and he carried the shoulder lower than the other but for all that he brought home in his haversack a big, tame grey squirrel that rambled about the house and out of doors until tired, when he would crawl into the old haversack and take his rest. A short time ago Mr. Holmes moved away from Prospect to Salem, Mass. But what will be news to the people here is that his daughter, a pretty black eyed young lady, full of fun, with an excellent memory is now an actress of no small repute. The following is from the Morning Call, of San Francisco, of Sept. 5, 1889:

The Stowaway, now running at the California, and relied upon so much as a magnet, is not drawing so well as the general acting of the company. Fine scenery in connection with the excellent cast is doing the needful for Messrs. Little and Davis, as well as for the management of the theatre. Mr. Frank Losee is a polished villain. Mr. Francyln Regild, the swell, is an improved dude, if there can be any improvement in that direction, and the Misses Marion Elmore and Grace Thorne are clever in the respective personations they assume. The sympathetic business in the person of the deserted wife, Florence Etherington, is intrusted to Miss Sarah Holmes and the pathetic manner in which she plays the part makes such a demand on the female portion of the audience that many leave the house with cambrics dampened by tears, with red edges to their eyelids and just a suspicion of carmine on the tip of the nose. The acting in the Stowaway will give the piece a profitable run.

Mr. Holmes son Frank is agent and manager at a good salary for putting steam and hot water apparatus into houses and factories in the United States and Canada.... A large number assembled at the Roberts' school house last Sunday. Communion services were held after the baptism. Only one was immersed and one sprinkled. There was a full house at the evening meeting. There were seven present from the Head of the Tide—Henry Bailey and wife, Mr. Hatch, wife and son, Mr. Skinner and wife. Rev. Mr. Harlow preached from Phil. 3d chap., and his discourse was very interesting and instructive. A social meeting followed the sermon, and the interest still continues. It was learned that some of the candidates for baptism had friends die and could not come, and among them were Mr. Clark, of Frankfort, and Mr. Staples, of Searsport.... Mrs. Ella Littlefield has returned home from a visit to Boston.

NORTH HAVEN. Schs Electric Flash Capt. Smith and Phebe and Emma, Capt. Small, sailed from this port for Boston last week, the first with a cargo of stone.... B. C. Calderwood has been appointed town clerk to fill the vacancy caused by the death of E. C. Crabtree.... The canning factory has started up and is packing clams.... Permanent arrangements have been made for a daily route between this town and Rockland from May 1st to Nov. 1st and three times per week during the other six months. Capt. W. A. Mills is the carrier.... Will Hopkins and W. O. Brown of Vinalhaven and Geo. McDonald of North Haven were arrested and taken before Trial Justice Kittridge at Carvers Harbor for an offence committed in this town Sept. 20th. The parties were fined.... School in district number three began on Monday taught by Charles Turner.... The Weld cottage Iron Point, will be completed Nov. 15th.... Sch Lillian, Capt. Geo. W. Brown, arrived from Boston last week with freight for C. S. Staples and F. H. Smith.

APPLETON. F. O. Keating claims that he raised four tons of pumpkins this year.... F. E. Sprague came home to his father's last week. He has been in the Kennebec Journal office seven years, most of the time in the employ of his uncle, Alden Sprague, the former proprietor of the Journal.... G. A. Pease and wife are visiting on the Kennebec and will go down the river as far as Richmond. ...Gilman Mitchell has been sick with typhoid fever, but is recovering very slowly.... The recent rains have enabled the Ames Bros. to resume threshing and farmers are hauling in their grain. ....E. D. Gushee, who was hurt last week by being thrown from a load of casks, is so as to be out, but still quite sore. .... The bridge across Pettengill stream has been rebuilt this fall. Carleton Edgecomb did the job.... Geo. Ames began Monday to finish off the inside of his house. B. F. Simmons does the work. It was finished outside last season. ....The dry house of Thurston Brothers, S. Union, was burned last Saturday evening with 10 M. feet of lumber. The fire caught about the engine. Loss $[illegible]; no insurance .... Mrs. M. F. Hanly attended the W. C. T. U. Convention at Bar Harbor last week and reports a very enjoyable time .... Freeman Linneken of Liberty picked two ripe strawberries last Thursday.

BROOKS. Senator Rich has one of the best vegetable gardens in this vicinity, and a good variety of fruits in their due season. Among other things he raised some nice watermelons this year and a sample left on the table of your scribe shows that even here in frozen Maine a delicious article can be grown. The doctor does not forget his friends either when he gathers in a harvest...... Michael Chase and daughter Lena are in Massachusetts.... [illegible] Jones and wife recently made a visit to the old home. They have a good position in a training school for boys in Massachusetts .... John M. Dow has left with us a queer vegetable freak in the shape of twin pumpkins. It is quite a curiosity.... Tilton Elliott is doing a heavy job in clearing the rocks from his new field, called the Rowe [illegible] .... Small & Harris are putting the finishing touches on the Leather's house and will soon have their contract completed.... Mrs. Maggie Parsons has returned from Aroostook, where she has visited her brother Zadoc Forbes. He lives in Lyndon and has a family of six children. All the older people here will remember "Zed" as he was familiarly called in Brooks...... The Sunday school concert at the Quaker chapel last Sunday was very fine but we have neither space nor time to present a full programme. Miss Clara Jellison presided at the organ, and some fine musical selections were presented. The Treat sisters, Gertie Pilley, Elliott and Edwards, Gracie and Lulie Dow and several other persons assisted in that part of the programme. The readings, recitations and declamations were all creditable to the school. It is the last concert of the season.... The stores are stocking up for the winter trade. Mr. Dow has put in a good invoice of serviceable boots for women and children.... Mine host of the Brigg's house has been repairing and improving his stable.... Ed, son of John W. Lang, Esq., is stopping in Brooks and rumor says he has obtained a bride in the person of Miss Hattie Johnson.

News of the Granges.

The next meeting of Waldo Pomona Grange will be held Nov. 5 with Dirigo Grange, Freedom. The following is the programme: 1st, opening exercises; 2d, report of Granges; 3d, address of welcome, Sister Bellows; 4th, response, Sister Bowen; 5th, conferring fifth degree; 6th, remarks for good of the order; noon recess; 7th, singing by the choir; 8th, question, Resolved that our State and county fairs are of great value to the farmers of the State, opened by Bro. Ellis, aff., Bro. D. B. Johnson, neg.; 9th, essay, Sister Bartlett; 10th, recitation, Sister Jennie Johnson; 11th, story, Sister Susan Fye; 12th, quartette, Bro. and Sister Vose and others; 13th, poem, Sister Ayer; 14th, closing.

"No resin" in Brussels soap is sold at Swift & Paul's, 7 bars for 50 cents, and a patent soap tray free.

Boston Produce Market.

BOSTON, Oct. 15, 1889. The butter market was quiet yesterday, with no material change in prices, though the tendency continued in buyers' favor. For strictly fine fresh creamery 24@25c was a top [illegible], and second grades were easy at 22@23c.

Cheese sold in lots as wanted at 10½@11c ℔ for best factory. Fancy marks were held a fraction or two higher. Liverpool advanced to 52 shillings.

Fresh eggs continued in light supply and sales ran along to 23@25c ℔ dozen. Held and ice house stock dull.

Fresh killed spring chickens, Northern and Eastern choice, 17@20c; fair to good, 10@16c; fowls, choice, at 14c; live fowls, 8c.

Beans—Choice small N. Y. hand-picked pea at $2 [illegible]; choice New York large hand picked, $2 [illegible]; small Vermont, hand picked, $2 40@2 45; choice yellow eyes at $2 75@2 85.

Hay—Choice prime hay, $17 00@18 00; fair to good at $15@17; Eastern fine, $13@15; poor to ordinary, $10@13; East swale, $10. Rye straw, choice, $10@16 50; oat straw, $8@9.

Potatoes—Houlton Hebrons, 50c; Houlton Rose, 45@50c; Aroostook Hebrons, 50c; do Rose 50@55.

Apples are quiet, with the quotations: Snows, $3@3 50; pound sweets, $3@3 50; Greenings, $2@2 25; Harveys, $2 50@2 75; Baldwins, $1 75@2 25; Hubbardstons, $2@2 25; Ben Davis, $2 50@2 75; common sweets, $1 50@2; common apples, $1@1 50.

SHIP NEWS.

PORT OF BELFAST.

ARRIVED.

Oct. 12. Sch. Annie P. Chase, Ellis, New York.

SAILED.

Oct. 11. Sch. James Holmes, Ryan, Boston.
Oct. 14. Sch. S. L. Davis, Jones, Mt. Desert.

AMERICAN PORTS.

New York, Oct. 7. Arrived schs. Fannie & Edith, Hart, Franklin; A. W. Ellis, Ryder and A. Hayford, Warren, Rockland; D. M. French, Haskell, Bangor; Stella M. Kenyon, Williams, Somes Sound; 8th, cleared Sch. St. Johns, Gilmore, Jacksonville; 9th, arrived sch. Meyer & Muller, Patterson, Fernandina; 10th, arrived sch. Florence & Lillian, Smith, Jacksonville; 11th, cleared sch. Austin D. Knight, Drinkwater, Fernandina; 12th, cleared ship Willie Rosenfield, Dunphy, San Francisco; 13 arrived sch Abraham Richardson, Bangor.

Boston, Oct. 8. Arrived sch Sarah W Lawrence, Haskell, Philadelphia; 9, arrived schs Flora Rogers, Rogers, Brunswick, Ga; Daylight, Hodgdon Baltimore; Lillian, Ryan, Belfast; 10, arrived sch Geo. B. Ferguson, Ferguson, Rondout; 11, arrived sch Yale, Simpson, Baltimore; sailed sch Sarah W Lawrence, Philadelphia.

Philadelphia, Oct. 8. Arrived sch Mark Gray, Grindle, Vinalhaven.

Baltimore, Oct. 7. Sailed sch Lois V. Chaples, Ross, Jacksonville; 10, arrived sch Belle Hooper, Gilkey, T. I.; 11 cleared sch Olive Pecker, Hall, Boston.

Bangor, Oct. 9. Cleared sch Charlotte Fish, Pendleton, New York; 10, cleared sch David Faust, Staten Island; 11, arrived schs Hattie H. Barbour, Fletcher, Richmond; Susan N. Pickering, Haskell, Philadelphia; 12, arrived schs Isaac Oberton, Trim, Philadelphia; Kenduskeag, Norton, Elizabethport; M. W. Griffing, Batchelder, Wareham; cleared schs. H. J. Cottrell, Haskell, New York; Norembega, Harding, New Haven; 13, cleared schs. E. H. Herriman, Wood, Norfolk; Lizzie Poor, Dickey, Boston.

Norfolk, Oct. 8. Sailed bark Freeda A. Willey, Key West; 11, sailed sch Nellie F. Sawyer, Barbadoes.

Fall River, Oct. 8. Passed up sch Carrie A. Norton, Hodgdon, for Somerset.

Bath, Oct. 9. Sailed sch Kit Carson, Smith, New York.

Perth Amboy, Oct. 9. Sailed sch Annie R. Chase, Ellis, Belfast; 12, sailed sch Cyrus Hall, Coombs, Fernandina.

New Haven, Oct. 10. Sailed sch Sandy Point Grant, New York.

Portland, Oct. 10. Sailed sch Tecumseh, Farrow, Baltimore.

Fernandina, Oct. 11. Arrived sch Prescott Hazeltine, Kneeland, Demerara.

Charleston, Oct. 12. Arrived sch. Morris W. Child, Torrey, Bangor.

FOREIGN PORTS.

Havana, Oct. 3. Sailed sch Lena N. Storer, Lee Pascagoula.

MARITIME MISCELLANY.

The lighthouse board gives notice that the Egg Rock whistling buoy, Frenchman's Bay, Me., and the whistling buoy off Little River, (Cutler Harbor) Me., will be removed this month for the winter season. Also, that there is a sunken wreck about 7½ miles southeast from Cape Elizabeth Light, with 8 feet of mast above water.

The revenue cutter Samuel Dexter, Capt. Phillips, reports has saved $23,000 worth of Marine property the past month, the best work being the rescue of the sch Flora Condon from the shore at Vineyard Sound. The vessel was granite loaded. In September the cutter boarded 232 vessels. [New Bedford Standard.

DISASTERS. Ship Frederick Billings, at San Francisco Oct. 2 145 days from New York, reports Aug. 2, the vessel was in a violent gale, and while the ship was struggling along under three lower topsails she was boarded by a heavy sea, breaking in 15 feet of the after part of the forward houses and rooms and flooding the decks with water, splitting the mainsail and cleaning out the gallery, carpenter shop and engine room. Capt. Sherman says the passage was the most trying one he ever made.... Ship Jacob E. Ridgeway which arrived at San Francisco Oct 2 160 days from New York, reports that she encountered severe northwest gales in the Pacific. The ship was badly strained, and carried away the maintopgallant yard. The decks were flooded, and Emile Schwabe, a seaman, was washed overboard and lost while hauling in an oil-bag which had been thrown over. He was 23 years of age and a native of Germany .... Barque Henry Norwell, McGilvery, at New York from Zanzibar, reports had very heavy weather off Cape of Good Hope, blowing new sails out of the bolt ropes, shipping large quantities of water and sweeping decks.... Sch. J. P. Blake, of Parrsboro, ashore on Burnt Island Ledges, near Isle au Haut, has been surveyed and condemned. The hull was sold at auction for $7 and the cargo of coal screenings for $10. L. E. Lunt of Portland bought chains, anchors and rigging. A part of the vessel's keel has come out, and she must go to pieces if the wind continues southerly.... Schr. William Buttman (of Searsport), Closson, arrived at New London Thursday night leaking 500 strokes an hour, and proceeded early Friday morning. She is from Promised Land, LI, with a cargo of fish oil for Boston.... The sch. Euratas, Capt. Holt, Bangor for Newark, lumber loaded, sprung a leak at 8 o'clock Sunday night off Boon Island and became unmanageable. She set signals of distress and was boarded by Capt. Woodbury of the sch. Charles Dyer with a volunteer crew, who, after a perilous effort, rescued the captain and crew. The vessel has since drifted ashore on the back of Lanesville breakwater and is going to pieces. She is owned in Sandwich, Mass.

MARRIED.

In Belfast, Oct. 15, by Rev. J. A. Savage, W. B. Snow and Miss Eva V. Gray, both of Belfast.

In Searsport, Oct. 9, at the residence of the bride's father, C. H. Stevens, by Rev. Norman La Marsh, Eugene L. Prescott and Emily L. Stevens.

In Brooks, Oct. 9, by Rev. H. Small, Elberton L. Hall, of Knox, and Miss Kittie B. Whitney, of Unity.

In Brooks, Oct. 10, by Rev. H. Small, George E. Lane and Miss Hattie E. Johnson, both of Brooks.

In Searsport, Oct. 7, by A. F. Mathews, Esq., Frank D. Harriman of Swanville, and Miss Addie M. Marden, of Searsport.

In Camden, Oct. 5, Frank J. Bloot and Miss Welthea E. Drinkwater, both of Camden.

In Rockland, Oct. 5, Louie H. Jason and Gertie L. Perry, both of Rockland.

In Lincolnville, Sept. 29, Nathaniel M. Hannan, of Liberty, and Alberta L. Frohock, of Lincolnville.

DIED.

In this city, Oct. 13, Capt. Thomas R. Shute, aged 67 years, 8 months and 23 days.

In this city, Oct. 12, Hattie K. Bennett, aged 48 years and 6 months.

In Burnham, Sept. 26, of cholera infantum, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. William Huff, aged about 2 months.

At the Maine General Hospital, Oct. 7, Elva M. Curtis, wife of Edward F. Curtis, of Knox, aged 28 years and 5 months.

In East Belmont, Oct. 16, Franklin Smith, aged 73 years.

In Northport, Oct. 14, Mrs. Melissa C., wife of Capt. Hiram Y. Hodgdon, aged 51 years, 3 months and 17 days.

In Searsport, Oct. 10, Amos C. Staples, aged 39 years, 5 months and 29 days.

In West Searsport, Oct. 4, Mrs. Mary P. Curtis, aged 84 years.

In Freedom, Oct. 11, Henry Thompson, aged 57 years and 3 months.

In Beverly, Mass., Oct. 8, Mabel Etta, oldest daughter of Samuel and Etta I. Hamilton, formerly of Rockland, Me., aged 17 years, 2 months and 21 days.

In Rockport, Oct. 6, Myrtle, daughter of Capt. and Mrs. Samuel W. Kent, aged 8 years, 7 months.

In Rockport, Sept. 27, William E. Clough, aged 43 years.

In Rockland, Oct. 10, Estelle, daughter of the late Dudley Philbrook, aged 16 years, 8 months and 8 days.

In Portland, Oct. 8, Charles F. Wood, of Rockland, aged 47 years, 3 months and 15 days.

In Rockland, Oct. 8, Lois A., wife of Joseph H. Karl, aged 32 years, 4 months and 24 days.

In Rockland, Oct. 8, Helen L., daughter of Alvra W. and Laura B. Gregory, aged 3 months, 24 days.

In Rockland, Oct. 8, William H. Coffin, aged 23 years, 9 months and 4 days.

In Boston, Oct. 4, Capt. John Boardman, of Camden. The remains were brought home for burial.

In North Haven, Oct. 4, Georgie A., wife of Willard M. Stone, aged 28 years, 1 month and 14 days.

In Vinalhaven, Oct. 3, Sally R. Norwood, aged 84 years, 4 months and 7 days.

In Washington, Oct. 2, daughter of Alden Cunningham, aged 20 years.

In Benton, Oct. 2, Viola E., wife of James Leighton, and daughter of Thomas Jones, of Union, aged 47 years and 4 months.

In Appleton, Oct. 1, John N. Bills, aged 62 years.

In Thomaston, Sept. 30, daughter of Edgar D. and Jennie C. Daniels, aged 16 days.

In Vinalhaven, Sept. 30, Stuart Tolman, aged 53 years.

In Pasadena, California, Sept. 13, Geo. W., son of J. S. and C. W. Fogerty, formerly of Rockland, aged 28 years, 2 months and 16 days.

In Ellsworth, Oct. 7, Mrs. Prudence R., wife of Haskell S. Lancaster, aged 70 years.

In Ellsworth, Oct. 1, Mrs. Olive M. Day, formerly of Lewiston, aged 82 years and 10 months.

In Waterville, Oct. 4, Rev. David N. Sheldon, D. D., aged 82 years and 3 months.

In Danvers, Mass., Oct. 3, Jesse Gardner, formerly of Castine, aged 70 years and 4 months.

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Beans, pea, ℔ bu,	2.25@2.50	Lamb, spring, ℔ ℔,	6@8
" medium,	2.00@2.25	Lamb Skins,	50@80
" yellow eyes,	2.00@2.25	Mutton ℔ ℔,	5@6
Butter ℔ ℔,	18@22	Oats ℔ bush, 32 ℔,	35@38
Beef ℔ ℔,	5@7	Potatoes,	40@45
Barley ℔ bush,	60@65	Round Hog ℔ ℔,	5½@6
Cheese ℔ ℔,	10@12	Straw ℔ ton,	6.00@8.00
Chicken ℔ ℔,	12@16	Turkey ℔ ℔,	00@00
Calf Skins ℔ ℔,	6@7	Veal ℔ ℔,	5@6
Duck ℔ ℔,	0@0	Wool, washed ℔ ℔.,	32@33
Eggs ℔ doz.,	23	Wool, unwashed,	24@25
Fowl ℔ ℔,	10@12	Wood, hard,	3.50@6.00
Geese ℔ ℔,	00@00	Wood, soft,	3.00@3.50
Retail Market.		*Retail Market.*	
Beef, corned, ℔ ℔	7@8	Lime ℔ bbl.,	1.00@1.05
Butter Salt ℔ box,	18	Oat Meal ℔ ℔,	4½@5
Corn ℔ bush.,	53	Onions ℔ ℔,	3@3½
Cracked Corn ℔ bush.,	53	Oil, kerosene, ℔ gal.,	11@12
Corn Meal ℔ bush.,	53	Pollock ℔ ℔,	3½@4
Cheese ℔ ℔,	12@14	Pork ℔ ℔,	7@9
Cotton Seed ℔ cwt.,	1.40	Plaster ℔ bbl.,	1.00@1.05
Codfish, dry, ℔ ℔.,	5@8	Rye Meal ℔ ℔,	3½
Cranberries ℔ qt.,	8@10	Shorts ℔ cwt.,	1.00
Clover Seed ℔ ℔,	11@16	Sugar ℔ ℔,	8@9
Flour ℔ bbl.,	5.50@7.50	Salt, T. I., ℔ bush.,	40
H.G. Seed ℔ bu.,	1.95@2.00	Sweet Potatoes ℔ ℔,	3@3½
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Auction Sale.

TO be sold at public auction at **Stockton Springs, Thursday, Oct. 24, at 2 o'clock P. M.,** the entire machinery formerly owned and used by W. H. KELLY in the manufacture of pants, consisting of one six-horse power engine and boiler, 16 sewing machines, 2 button hole machines, 3 pressing machines, shafting, tables, and all other articles used in a first-class pants factory. ☞ This machinery is all in good condition and presents a rare opportunity for some one to obtain a complete outfit for the manufacturing of pants.
PER ORDER OF OWNER.
C. C. CRARY, Auctioneer.
Searsport, Oct. 16, 1889.—2w42

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WE can place a few choice mortgages in sums of $300, on valuable lots on Randolph street, St. Paul, or Randolph Electric line, running between St. Paul and Minnehaha and Minneapolis. Value of this property twice to three times the mortgage and constantly increasing. Interest 7 per cent., payable semi-annually at the Minnesota Savings Bank, St. Paul. These mortgages run to Mr. Andrew Delaney, cashier of this bank, and are endorsed by him. Run 3 years. All interest payable at the bank and remitted in New York funds without charge to loaners. Title guaranteed and any reference needed as to standing of parties will be furnished.
3w42 J. W. FREDERICK & CO., Belfast.

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WILL be sold at public auction at **Searsport, on Saturday, Oct. 26, at 10 o'clock A. M.,** at the farm owned by Capt. BENJ. CARVER, of New York City, all the stock, consisting of two yoke of oxen, three two years old steers,—all suitable for beef—three cows and a very nice five years old colt. Farming tools of all description used on a first-class farm, and some household furniture.
C. C. CRARY, Auctioneer.
Searsport, Oct. 9, 1889.—2w42

Housekeeper Wanted.

A GOOD HOUSEKEEPER WANTED in a small family. To the right person a good situation is offered. Address, Belfast Postoffice, box 545, or apply in person to W. E. MARSH.
Belfast, Oct. 9, 1889.—41

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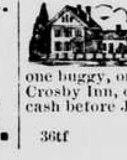

My house corner of Cedar and Park Sts., good orchard, ½ of an acre of land. Water in house and stable, all in good repair. Also two horses, one sleigh, one pung, one buggy, one lounge, one ice chest, two shares in Crosby Inn, one grocery wagon, all to be sold for cash before January 1st.
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We shall place before the public for one week ATTRACTIVE BARGAINS in

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Constantly on hand, at prices that will attract the trade.

Our immense store in Odd Fellows Block is completely jammed with NEW GOODS and every article is a BARGAIN.

GEO. W. BURKETT,

Odd Fellows' Block, Main Street.

PROBATE NOTICES.

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

SUSAN C. MATHEWS, named Executrix in a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of SPENCER W. MATHEWS, late of Belfast, in said County of Waldo, deceased, having presented said will for Probate.

Ordered, That the said Susan C. give notice to all persons interested by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in the Republican Journal, printed at Belfast, that they may appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Belfast, within and for said County, on the second Tuesday of November next, at ten of the clock before noon, and show cause, if any they have, why the same should not be proved, approved and allowed.
GEO. E. JOHNSON, Judge.
A true copy. Attest:—BOHAN P. FIELD, Register.

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

J. R. MEARS, named Executor in a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of IGNATIUS CUSHMAN, late of Morrill, in said County of Waldo, deceased, having presented said will for Probate.

Ordered, That the said Mears give notice to all persons interested by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in the Republican Journal, printed at Belfast, that they may appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Belfast, within and for said County, on the second Tuesday of November next, at ten of the clock before noon, and show cause, if any they have, why the same should not be proved, approved and allowed.
GEO. E. JOHNSON, Judge.
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At a Probate Court held at Belfast, within and for the County of Waldo, on the second Tuesday of October, A. D. 1889.

ALONZO E. BRADFORD, Guardian of MIRA A. HUNT, minor child of ELIAS D. HUNT, late of Thorndike, in said County of Waldo, deceased, having presented a petition for license to sell certain real estate of said minor, situate in said Thorndike, consisting of an undivided third part of the homestead farm of GEO. W. PENDLETON deceased.

Ordered, That the said Alonzo E. give notice to all persons interested by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in the Republican Journal, printed at Belfast, that they may appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Belfast, within and for said County, on the second Tuesday of November next, at ten of the clock before noon, and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.
GEO. E. JOHNSON, Judge.
A true copy. Attest:—BOHAN P. FIELD, Register.

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

LORENZO GARCELON, widower of FRANCES A. GARCELON, late of Troy, in said County of Waldo, deceased, having presented a petition for an allowance from the personal estate of said deceased.

Ordered, That the said Lorenzo give notice to all persons interested by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in the Republican Journal, printed at Belfast, that they may appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Belfast, within and for said County, on the second Tuesday of November next, at ten of the clock before noon, and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.
GEO. E. JOHNSON, Judge.
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At a Probate Court held at Belfast, within and for the County of Waldo, on the second Tuesday of October, A. D. 1889.

ALICE L. G. WEYMOUTH, widow of AUSTIN W. WEYMOUTH, late of Troy, in said County of Waldo, deceased, having presented a petition for an allowance from the personal estate of said deceased.

Ordered, That the said Alice give notice to all persons interested by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in the Republican Journal, printed at Belfast, that they may appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Belfast, within and for said County, on the second Tuesday of November next, at ten of the clock before noon, and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.
GEO. E. JOHNSON, Judge.
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At a Probate Court held at Belfast, within and for the County of Waldo, on the second Tuesday of October, A. D. 1889.

VENNIA E. BLAKE, widow of EDWIN G. BLAKE, late of Stockton Springs, in said County of Waldo, deceased, having presented a petition for an allowance from the personal estate of said deceased.

Ordered, That the said Vennia E. give notice to all persons interested by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in the Republican Journal, printed at Belfast, that they may appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Belfast, within and for said County, on the second Tuesday of November next, at ten of the clock before noon, and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.
GEO. E. JOHNSON, Judge.
A true copy. Attest:—BOHAN P. FIELD, Register.

THE subscriber hereby gives public notice to all concerned, that he has been duly appointed and taken upon himself the trust of Administrator of the estate of

ANN RICKER, late of Jackson,

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

THE subscriber hereby gives public notice to all concerned, that he has been duly appointed and taken upon himself the trust of Executor of the estate of

ELIZA MERITHEW, late of Searsport,

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

WALDO SS.—In Court of Probate, held at Belfast, on the second Tuesday of October, 1889. HANNAH J. BOWDEN, Guardian on the estate of ELMIRA WYMAN, late of Burnham, in said County, deceased, having presented his first and final account of Guardianship of said estate for allowance.

Ordered, That notice thereof be given, three weeks successively, in the Republican Journal, printed in Belfast, in said County, that all persons interested may attend at a Probate Court, to be held at Belfast, on the second Tuesday of November next, and show cause, if any they have, why the said account should not be allowed.
GEO. E. JOHNSON, Judge.
A true copy. Attest:—BOHAN P. FIELD, Register.

WALDO SS.—In Court of Probate, held at Belfast, on the second Tuesday of October, 1889. L. D. CARVER, Administrator on the estate of DANIEL L. WYMAN, late of Burnham, in said County, deceased, having presented his second and final account of administration of said estate for allowance.

Ordered, That notice thereof be given, three weeks successively, in the Republican Journal, printed in Belfast, in said County, that all persons interested may attend at a Probate Court, to be held at Belfast, on the second Tuesday of November next, and show cause, if any they have, why the said account should not be allowed.
GEO. E. JOHNSON, Judge.
A true copy. Attest:—BOHAN P. FIELD, Register.

THE subscriber hereby gives public notice to all concerned, that he has been duly appointed and taken upon himself the trust of Executor of the estate of

WILLIAM E. MITCHELL, late of Belfast,

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

THE subscriber hereby gives public notice to all concerned, that he has been duly appointed and taken upon himself the trust of Executor of the estate of

MARTHA E. COX, late of Liberty,

in the County of Waldo, deceased, by giving bond as the law directs; he therefore requests all persons who are indebted to said deceased estate to make immediate payment, and those who have any demands thereon to exhibit the same for settlement to him. R. W. COX.

THE subscriber hereby gives public notice to all concerned, that he has been duly appointed and taken upon himself the trust of Administrator with the will annexed of the estate of

RHODA STUBBS, late of Winterport,

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

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

FRANK RICKER, late of Jackson,

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

State of Maine.

County of Waldo SS. Court of Insolvency.

In the case of WAYLAND KNOWLTON, Insolvent Debtor.

TO the Hon. Geo. E. Johnson, Judge of Probate and Insolvency in and for said County: Respectfully represents Wayland Knowlton, the insolvent, that his family, himself and wife, and four children, the youngest four years old, all of whom are dependent on him for support; that the assets belonging to said estate will probably amount to the sum of three thousand dollars. Wherefore he prays that such sum may be allowed to him out of his estate for the necessary support of himself and family, as to your honor shall appear just and proper. WAYLAND KNOWLTON, Insolvent Debtor.

COURT OF INSOLVENCY.

Notice on the petition ordered to be given by publication two times in the Republican Journal, a newspaper published weekly in Belfast, once a week for two successive weeks, and hearing on same to be had on Wednesday, the 13th day of November, A. D. 1889, at 2 P. M., at Court of Insolvency, at Probate Office, Belfast, Maine.
2w42 GEORGE E. JOHNSON, Judge.

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A FAMILY MEDICINE.

Some Advice to Mothers—What to Give the Little Ones.

Strong, vigorous, and healthy children are what we all want, and how to keep our little ones in good health is the question of the greatest interest to us all. *Children are peculiarly liable to nervous disorders;* they become **nervous, restless, fretful, cross,** and **irritable;** their **night's sleep is not calm and restful,** but they **toss restlessly from side to side, murmur** or **talk in their sleep,** and **wake tired** and **unrefreshed** in the morning. They have an **irregular appetite, grow thin** and **pale, look slight** and **puny,** and their **growth** and **development** become stunted.

If your children are sick, *do not use stupifying medicines,* but give that **greatest of all children's remedies,** Dr. Greene's Nervura, the great nerve invigorant and health restorer. This wonderful remedy is, above all, a **family medicine,** and its name is a household word in thousands of homes all over the land. It is made from **pure** and **harmless vegetable remedies,** is **calming, soothing** and **healing** to the **nerves,** and at the same time **strengthens** and **invigorates** the **entire system,** restoring a healthful color to the cheek, refreshing sleep, strong nerves, stout limbs, and that bounding health and vitality which all children should have. It is perfectly safe to give to children of any age, and its curative and restorative effects are wonderful.

Do not neglect the health of your children, parents. Remember that sound health and good vitality in childhood will make strong, lusty and vigorous men and women, and that nervousness and ill health in youth will beget weakness and debility in after life, to be sources of misery, sorrow, ruined hopes and unfulfilled ambitions.

Use Dr. Greene's Nervura in all nervous diseases of infants and children, and see them improve in health and strength every day and every hour.

☞Be sure and get the right remedy. Druggists often try to sell those who call for Dr. Greene's Nervura their own preparation or something on which they make a greater profit. Do not be deceived by them, but insist upon having this great restorer of health and strength, which you *know* will cure.

Dr. Greene, the famous specialist in the cure of nervous and chronic diseases, of 34 Temple Place, Boston, Mass., can be consulted free of charge, personally or by letter.

"Like Magic,"

THE effect produced by **Ayer's Cherry Pectoral.** Colds, Coughs, Croup, and Sore Throat are, in most cases, immediately relieved by the use of this wonderful remedy. It strengthens the vocal organs, allays irritation, and prevents the inroads of Consumption; in every stage of that dread disease, Ayer's Cherry Pectoral relieves coughing and induces refreshing rest.

"I have used Ayer's Cherry Pectoral in my family for thirty years and have always found it the best remedy for croup, to which complaint my children have been subject."—Capt. U. Carley, Brooklyn, N. Y.

"From an experience of over thirty years in the sale of proprietary medicines, I feel justified in recommending Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. One of the best recommendations of the Pectoral is the enduring quality of its popularity, it being more salable now than it was twenty-five years ago, when its great success was considered marvelous."—R. S. Drake, M. D., Beliot, Kans.

"My little sister, four years of age, was so ill from bronchitis that we had almost given up hope of her recovery. Our family physician, a skillful man and of large experience, pronounced it useless to give her any more medicine; saying that he had done all it was possible to do, and we must prepare for the worst. As a last resort, we determined to try Ayer's Cherry Pectoral, and I can truly say, with the most happy results. After taking a few doses she seemed to breathe easier, and, within a week, was out of danger. We continued giving the Pectoral until satisfied she was entirely well. This has given me unbounded faith in the preparation, and I recommend it confidently to my customers."—C. O. Lepper, Druggist, Fort Wayne, Ind.

For Colds and Coughs, take

Ayer's Cherry Pectoral,

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Dr. J. C. Ayer & Co., Lowell, Mass.
Price $1; six bottles, $5. Worth $5 a bottle.

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Take Notice! All Summer Complaints, Cramps, Colic, &c. &c. are always cured by Perry Davis' Pain-Killer.

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City of Belfast.

UPON the application of the WESTINGHOUSE ELECTRIC COMPANY, of Pittsburg, State of Pennsylvania, for a permit to construct its lines upon and along certain streets and highways in said city, the poles to be located as specified in said application, notice is hereby given that a hearing will be had at the Aldermen's Room, on Thursday, the 24th day of October, 1889, at 7 o'clock P.M.
Dated at Belfast, this 7th day of Oct., 1889.

L. F. McDONALD, Mayor
G. G. PIERCE, and
F. E. CROWLEY, Aldermen
G. T. OSBORN, of the
GEO. W. BURKETT, City of Belfast.
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MEN'S BOOTS FOR SALE.

I have on hand a stock of **FINE, CUSTOM MADE THICK BOOTS,** which will be sold at a low price. Call and examine them.
FRED TIMM.
No. 66 Main Street, Up Stairs.
Belfast, Sept. 2d 1889.—39tf

125 BOXES Babbitt's Soap

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Howes & Co.

VEST MAKERS!

I can now furnish my customers with VESTS, if they will call or send to GEO. A. QUIMBY.
Belfast, Oct. 10, 1889.—41tf

[Written for the Journal.]

Sunset.

BY REV. J. H. BEALE.

Thickly the curtains are gathering 'round thee,
King of the day, and thy brightness enfold!
Close in their web they already have bound thee,
Woven in purple and scarlet and gold.
Densely the clouds with their shadows are bending
Low o'er thy couch in their tender surprise,
Fond as a mother her darling defending
Safe in her mantle from torturing eyes.

Thus to thy rest thou art calmly descending,
Soon to be lost in the darkness of night:
Clouds in their texture thy smile inter-blending
Clothe the horizon in garments of light.
Softly, then softly the sunlight retreating
Noiselessly turneth the key of the day,
While to our hearts the kind whisper repeating,
"Beauty in heaven ne'er fadeth away."

Gently the shadows are quietly stealing
Over the landscape that stretches afar,
Robe of the night her fair beauty concealing,
"Pinned at its girdle by evening's bright star."
Soon all the jewels in heaven are shining
Bright from the depths of the azure above,
Silvery fingers of light intertwining
'Mid her dark tresses the brightness we love.

Night with her beauty thus ever revealing
Wealth of the universe seen not by day;
Glories that sunlight but aid in concealing
Stretch o'er our vision in gorgeous array.
Then to our ears the heavens are bringing
Voices that only we hear in the night,
Songs that "the sons of the morning" are singing
Sweeping through space in their glorious flight.

Swiftly the day on its mission hath speeded
Morning and noontide and shadowy eve,
But as its duties and burdens receded
Happiest memories only they leave.
Hope with a chain that forever is weaving
Fanciful webs as they flit through the heart,
Deftly her fingers our vision deceiving,
Swift as the flight of her shuttle they dart.

Weaving in kindness the woof of its story
Softly amid the fine warp of the past,
Blending the colors of beauty and glory
Ne'er by the traces of sorrow o'ercast.
Hope, the fair maiden, her shuttle is plying
Hither and thither in happiest dream,
While the glad heart on her promise relying
Eagerly waits for the morrow's first gleam.

Hope cheers the heart that is quietly dreaming
Held in the grasp of her gentle control;
Thoughts of the day are but real in seeming—
Dreams are the truest impress of the soul.
Through all the heart their bright texture entwining,
Dreams of the future 'mid scenes that are old
Bring us a web with its glory still shining
Woven in scarlet and purple and gold.

Mortal, at death like this sun in its setting
'Round thee is folded a mantle of love:—
Life of my soul, then no shadow begetting
Soar thou away to thy mansions above.
Brightly reflected in visions of glory
Beameth the heavenly light on thy face,
Leaving in death this most wonderful story,
"Fled is the soul with its marvelous grace."

Death at his worst like the shadows that darken
Brings to the Christian the welcoming rest;
Songs of the spheres to the ears that will harken,
Glories unfold to the eyes of the blest.
Quickly the hopes that arose in the vision
Pale in the splendors of heavenly glow,
Dreams of the soul that had painted Elysian
Changed to the real thou clearly shalt know.

Literary News and Notes.

"Improvement of Highways" is the title of a little book published for free distribution by the League of American Wheelmen. Fifteen thousand of these books will be sent to Highway Committees, Road Surveyors, Legislatures and to those interested in the improvement of the roads of this country. It goes out as a missionary to plead the cause of better roadways and to point the way to reform. The book may be had by enclosing a two cent stamp to Abbot Bassett, Sec'y L. A. W. Box 5267, Boston, Mass.

Mr. Frank R. Stockton's new story, "The Merry Chanter," which will begin in the November Century, is something like that author's "Casting Away of Mrs. Lecks and Mrs. Aleshine" in its nautical plot. Ex-Minister Lothrop is authority for the statement that the last-named story was read with absorbing interest not only by the Czar of Russia and the entire royal family but by all the court, and the remarkable adventures of those ladies were the theme of much conversation at dinner-parties and other gatherings in Russia.

The Art Amateur for October gives two large colored plates of even more than usual excellence—the full-length figure of a beautiful horse, after a study from life by the famous painter, Chelminski, and a highly decorative panel of nasturtiums. China painting receives most liberal attention this month, the designs, especially, being numerous and useful. The text abounds in practical hints, with working drawings for Art Needlework, Wood Carving, Illumination, and Painting in Oil and Water Colors. No one thinking of taking an art journal should fail to acquaint himself with the very liberal offer to new subscribers made by the publisher, Montague Marks (23 Union Square, New York.)

"A Step Aside," by Charlotte Dunning, is the ninth number of the Riverside Paper Series (Houghton, Mifflin & Co., Boston, 50 cents). The London Spectator said of it: "This little story preaches in a way that is not less forcible because it is unobtrusive, the moral of the insidious influence of luxury and the craving for wealth. Hugh Langmuir loves Pauline, the daughter of a French teacher of painting and drawing in New York. He is a good, honest fellow, but his ambition is to be rich; and she is petted and spoilt by a rich woman. Miss Dunning describes with much skill how the bad influence in the two lives works together till the 'step aside' is taken. Altogether this is an excellent little book."

The Hairbreadth Escapes of Major Mendax, by F. Blake Crofton, is a new book for boys, published by Hubbard Bros., 723 Chestnut street, Philadelphia. The Major's surname is suggestive, and in truth, or otherwise, he is a happy combination of Baron Munchausen and Col. Thomas P. Ochiltree. To an audience of appreciative but sharp-witted small boys the Major relates his perilous encounters, startling adventures and daring exploits with Indians, cannibals, wild beasts, serpents, balloons, geysers, etc., all over the world, in the bowels of the earth and above the clouds. His stories are well told and while too improbable to deceive the most credulous reader are yet very amusing. The book is fully illustrated by Bennett, handsomely bound, and sells for $2.

"Our Town," Margaret Sidney's latest work, is a book in which the author sets herself to work to consider one of the most important problems of our every-day life—how to make things in a community better, socially, morally and religiously, without obstructive effort. As a story, simply, "Our Town" is full of brightness and action. The various characters are drawn with a deftness and skill which only comes from close observation and long experience with the pen. The characters which deal with the strike are unusually strong, and the suggestions which the author makes as to the adjustment of the differences between capital and labor are evidently born of a conscientious study of the question. The volume is dedicated "to all members of the Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor." Boston, D. Lothrop Co. Price $1.25.

The West India Hurricanes, and the March "Blizzard," 1888, by Everett Hayden, comes to us from the Forest and Stream Publishing Co., 318 Broadway, New York. Price $1. It is an abstract of a lecture delivered before the Seawanhaka Corinthian Yacht Club, New York, Feb. 9, 1889, by the author, who is the marine meteorologist of the United States Hydrographic Office, Washington, D. C. The work is illustrated by twenty-three plates, which add greatly to its interest and value. These include a relief map of North America, and a chart illustrating the diversion of ocean commerce into the Bay of North America that will result from the completion of the Nicaragua Canal. The ship master, the ship owner and the student of meteorology will find this publication valuable. It closes with The Sailor's "Rule of Three."

In a storm at sea there's a rule of three,
Which every sailor knows,
And all but fools observe these rules
No matter how it blows:
1. Always lie-to on the coming-up tack,
For if you don't you'll get taken aback,
And forever thereafter regret it.
2. Many a man his vessel saves
By using oil to calm the waves
And don't you ever forget it.
3. Look out for the first rise after low,
When the wind will shift and stronger blow—
Well, follow these rules, and let it.

A big machine which will turn out 80 finished steel railway ties per hour, has been tested in Pittsburg.

The health of Lord Tennyson is now completely restored. The aged poet may almost daily be seen frequenting the beautiful drives in the neighborhood of Haslemere, while it is not unusual to see him walking.

It is reported that the Emperor of China is considering the propriety of sending out of that country all Americans employed by Chinese and placing greater restrictions upon the presence of Americans in treaty ports.

Foundations for the new and great library of congress are now building. General Casey, the engineer in charge has about $6,500,000 allowed him for the structure. The library will be large enough to serve for 90 years, and with small additions for 120.

Mrs. J. C. Anderson (colored), aged 45 years, the mother of 16 children, has eloped with a 25 year old dude of Xenia, Ohio, named Evans. Mrs. Anderson's husband is a shoe maker. Evans leaves a young wife. The elopers are supposed to be in St. Louis.

The London Chamber of Commerce has discussed a scheme submitted by William Smith, a harbor engineer of Aberdeen, for the construction of railways to convey ships from ports to inland manufacturing centres. The project was regarded with favor.

Woman suffrage has received a severe blow in Washington Territory, where it was fast becoming an institution. The defeat of this phase of suffrage two or three to one indicates that after trial it was found to be a source of trouble and annoyance, conferring no substantial benefits upon anybody.

The late Dr. Barnard, of Columbia college, has willed all his estate, excepting the income which goes to Mrs. Barnard, to Columbia college. The value of the gift is estimated at about $80,000, and includes a valuable collection of rare books and manuscripts got together by the dead scholar.

Ocean steamers can now go to the Matadi, at the head of navigation on the lower Congo, the point from which the railroad is to start for Stanley Pool. There is a channel sixty feet deep. Goods can now be shipped from any of the ports of the world to the foot of Livingstone Falls without breaking bulk.

The Engineer

Of the Wakefield, Mass., Rattan Works, C. N. Young, says: In all cases of billiousness accompanied with those terrible sick headaches, I have found no other medicine that seems to take hold and do the good that your Sulphur Bitters does. It is the best family medicine made. 2w42

Proud father—"Heaven! What a passion for the sea my son Siegfried has. Last evening he went to a naval ball; afterwards he was seasick, and now—he is eating raw claims."

An Eminent Democrat on Subsidies.

Arthur Sewall, Esq., of Bath, one of the principal shipbuilders of the country, presents in the Independent his views as to what Congress should do to encourage American shipping. He says:

"Of the nations of the world but few are naturally maritime nations as are we. In point of resources for shipbuilding we are unequaled. Cheap labor only we lack, and labor is by far the largest component in the cost of a ship's construction. But our resources are fast developing, the cost of production is steadily diminishing, the efficiency of our workmen is superior to that of other nations. All this is rapidly offsetting England's advantage. The aid that American shipping needs is, therefore, but temporary; but such aid must be generous and immediate. It must come from the Government, and, if it is to be given, should be given openly and directly—call it protection, subsidy, bounty, as you will. I favor the payment by the national Government to the builders of American ships exceeding 2,000 tons register and used in the foreign trade, $10 per ton for wooden sail, $20 per ton for steel or iron sail and slow steam, $25 per ton for steel or iron steam with speed not less than fourteen knots, for a period of ten years. To the owners of these vessels I favor a further payment of 20 cents per registered ton for every 1,000 miles sailed in the course of foreign trade—this payment to be for the same period. And at the end of this time we shall have built up a merchant marine that will compare favorably with that of any other country in the world. We shall have established permanent plants and facilities which will enable us to maintain, renew and increase it. We shall have obtained a fair share of the carrying trade of the world, of which, once obtained, we can never again be deprived."

It will be noticed that this plan of Mr. Sewall corresponds in its general feature with the recommendations of the American Shipping and Industrial League, of which Mr. Sewall is one of the chief officers. It gains additional significance from the fact that Mr. Sewall is the Maine member of the Democratic National Committee. When the proposition looking to Government assistance to American-built ships comes up in Congress, it is reasonable to expect that a considerable proportion of the better element of the Democratic Representatives will be found voting with the Republicans. The membership of the American Shipping and Industrial League, the organization of shipbuilders, shipowners, merchants and others interested, which is working for protection for our foreign commerce, is divided between the two parties. The President of the league is Gen. Wheeler, one of the Southern Democratic Congressmen. [Boston Journal.

The Failure of the Fisheries.

The Western Bank fleet has failed to earn money enough to pay provision bills this year, and owners are several thousands of dollars out of pocket. The cod and haddock fleet has done well. The mackerel catch, as is well known, has been a failure, not 2,000 barrels having been packed this year. The catch prospects are certainly no brighter than they have been for several weeks previous, and there is now no hope of getting more than 15,000 barrels, not half as many as last year. When we compare this with the catch of 1884, which was nearly 500,000 barrels, or with 1885, which was 330,000 barrels, some idea can be formed of the great loss which New England has sustained in the failure of the mackerel fishery.

There are now 339 cotton mills in the Southern States. In 1880 there were 142.

There are sixty paper towns in Southern California, comprising 79,350 town lots, and the whole 60 have only 235 inhabitants.

It is stated on excellent authority that Mr. Kennan's papers on Siberia in The Century have been read by the Czar—with what result remains to be seen.

The Government dry dock, just opened at the navy yard in Norfolk, Va., is 530 feet over all, and will hold 8,000,000 gallons of water. It has cost over $500,000.

Several thousand Jews who have been expelled from Russia and have taken temporary refuge in England intend to go out as colonists to the Argentine Republic in South America.

The British steamer Ernmoor went to the bottom in a West India hurricane and nineteen men were drowned. Seven of the crew were rescued after three weeks' struggle in an open boat.

Californians propose to restore and keep in good condition Sutter's Fort, where California gold was first discovered. A hall containing relics of the pioneer era will probably be erected on the lines of the old fort.

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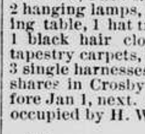

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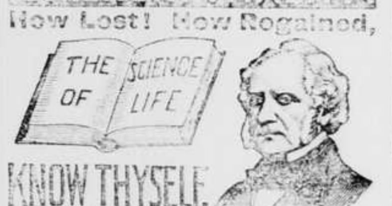

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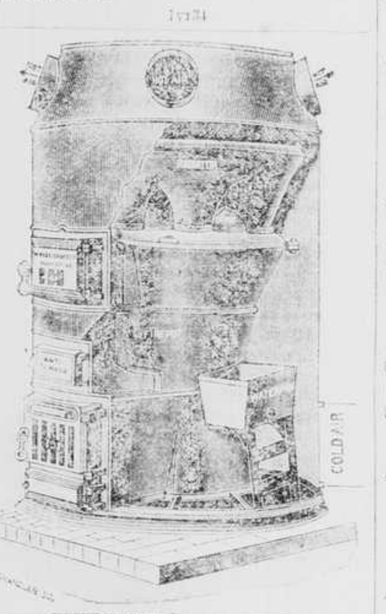

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A certain parcel of land, being the same described in a deed from George Clifford to said Charles B. Sanford, dated October 2[illegible], A. D. 1876, recorded in Waldo Registry of Deeds, Vol. 1[illegible], Page [illegible].

Also a certain parcel of land described in a deed from said Clifford to said Sanford, dated November 1[illegible], 1876, recorded in said Registry, Vol. 1[illegible], Page 12.

[illegible]

And whereas the conditions of said mortgage have been broken, a foreclosure is claimed [illegible].

LLEWELLYN J. MORSE,
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