



F. A. THURLOUGH, SHERIFF OF AROOSTOOK.

"A LWAYS look before you leap, sir," Old Davy Crockett said.
 The adage lives among us; tho Davy's long since dead—
 And, here the other day, when up Aroostook way,
 I heard the Sheriff's neighbors this little tribute pay:—
 "He never fails to carry thru the thing he undertakes;
 "He seems to have no aptitude for the making of mistakes;
 "The facts will serve, in Thurlough's case this very thing to prove
 "He always notes the principle, before he makes a move."
 For this, his town's behind him and so's Aroostook too;
 They back him up, in business, and in elections put him thru;
 And that is why he's listed, as one of Aroostook's leading men;
 And that is why he's Sheriff and will be Sheriff yet again.