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LOCAL AFFAIRS.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS THIS WEEK.

In bankruptcy—Est. Franklin F. Gray. Exec. succe.—Est. Lucy J. Sagarth. Mrs. Louise Royal—Beast-pie found. Stephen L. Kingsley—Notice of foreclosure. G. A. Farber—Apolony. W. R. Parker Clothing Co.—Clothing. E. J. Walsh—Shoe store. Giles & Burrill—New market. Charles H. Leland—Fruit and confectionery. WEST TRENTON: N. W. McFarland—Boat found. MISCELLANEOUS: The Procter & Gamble Co.—Lenox soap.

SCHEDULE OF MAILS AT ELLSWORTH POST OFFICE. In effect Oct 14, 1901.

GOING EAST—7:35 a. m., 6:45 p. m.
GOING WEST—11:55 a. m., 5:25 p. m.
MAIL CLOSURE AT POST OFFICE.
GOING EAST—6:30 a. m., 5:30 p. m.
GOING WEST—11:55 a. m., 5 and 9:30 p. m. SUNDAY.
Train from the west arrives at 7:35 a. m., departs for the west at 6:45 p. m. Mail closes for the west at 5:30 p. m.

Mrs. S. A. Goodwin is visiting in Massachusetts.

The sprinkling cart was welcomed on the streets last week.

Lygonia lodge, F. and A. M., will work the third degree this evening.

L. F. Giles, who has been ill the past two weeks, continues to improve.

Superintendent of Schools George B. Stuart is taking the school census.

The festival chorus will meet at Manning hall to-morrow evening as usual.

Miss Sophie Walker returned yesterday from an extended visit in Massachusetts.

Eclotic lodge, F. and A. M., will give a sociable at Manning hall next Tuesday evening.

The ladies' aid society of the Baptist church will serve supper at the vestry this evening.

H. C. Dodge has gone to Bar Harbor, where he has secured employment. His family will follow later.

Soprano voices are much needed in the festival chorus. It is by no means too late to receive new members.

Montelle W. Abbott, of Bucksport, was in Ellsworth over Sunday, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Alexander.

Mark Hertz and wife, who have been living in Boston since last summer, returned to Ellsworth last night.

Miss Georgia Tripp, after a week's visit with friends in this city, returned to her home in Bar Harbor yesterday.

William D. Clark, of Randolph, Mass., a student at Thayer academy, Braintree, is the guest of his cousin, Mrs. F. W. Boutin.

H. W. Carr has added a second-hand furniture department to his business, occupying the store on Water street just below his market.

The K. O. K. A. baseball team, of Bar Harbor, will play the K. O. K. A. team of Ellsworth, at Wyman park, next Saturday at 2 o'clock.

The ladies of the Unitarian society will have their annual sale and supper Thursday, May 1. An entertainment will be given Friday, May 2.

To-morrow, Fast Day, is a legal holiday. The post-office will be closed from 8 a. m. until 5:30 p. m., or other distribution of the evening mail from the west.

County-Attorney E. E. Tracy was in Ellsworth Monday. He left early Tuesday morning for Bucksport, to work on preparation of the Ware murder case for trial.

Dr. A. C. Hegerthy has purchased of Dr. F. E. Thomas, of Brewer, the Hurley building, a three-story store and dwelling on the south side of Main street, near Hancock street.

Mrs. George P. Dutton will speak at the Congregational vestry on Friday evening at 7:30 on "College Settlement Work" in Boston, relating experiences at the Dennison house the past winter.

The steam tug "Little Round Top" was inspected Monday by Walter Blainden, inspector of boilers, and Charles Cousins, inspector of hulls. The inspectors pronounced her in better condition than last year.

Last Thursday evening Eclotic lodge worked the third degree on four candidates. To-morrow evening the third degree will be worked on four more. A turkey supper will be served at 6:30 o'clock.

Mrs. W. W. Morrison left yesterday for Boston to remain with Mrs. S. J. Morrison, who is receiving medical treatment there. W. W. Morrison, who accompanied his mother to Boston, will return the latter part of this week.

Clerk of Courts J. F. Knowlton has shown rapid improvement the past week, and his physician now considers him out of danger. This is pleasing news to his many friends, who have entertained grave fears the past few weeks.

A base ball team has been organized at the high school. Charles Knowlton is manager, and Edward Doyle captain. The school has material for a good nine. Members of the track team are practicing for the athletic meet at Orono May 17.

C. K. Blapham, of Philadelphia, who is, with E. H. Young, stopping at Mrs. James' Branch pond, fishing, on Sunday landed a seven-pound salmon and a four-pound square tail trout. Mr. Blapham expects to spend three weeks in this locality.

Judge A. P. Wiswell, of Ellsworth, F. W. Jacques and E. E. Nears, of Bar Harbor, have bought Wesley Salisbury's camp at Half-way island, upper Branch

Pond. The camp is comparatively new. It is well built and roomy. A large stone fire-place is one of its attractions.

Rev. J. P. Simonton left yesterday for Caribou, to attend the East Maine Methodist conference. Mr. Simonton has been invited to return to the church here, and it is earnestly hoped by the members of his congregation and his many friends in the city that he will be reappointed to this charge.

The Kingsbury Bottling Co., of Rockland, is soon to open a branch establishment in the Odd Fellows' block in this city. Machinery has already been shipped, and the establishment will be running in a few weeks. In connection with the bottling business, there will also be a retail department.

A union meeting of Junior and Senior C. E. will be held at the Baptist church Sunday evening. Mrs. Kerr will give a blackboard address on "Samuel's Call". The attendance at the concert in the Baptist church Sunday evening was almost as large as at Easter. The exercises were highly appreciated.

Last Sunday was observed by the Unitarian Sunday school as "Association Day". In place of the usual lessons, there were short papers by members of the school on the various departments of the American Unitarian association's work. Miss M. A. Greeley gave a history of Unitarianism in Ellsworth, which was of particular interest.

At the Congregational church Sunday evening Rev. A. H. Coar, of the Unitarian church, spoke on "Christian Idealism in the Family". The next union service of the Congregational and Unitarian churches will not take place until Sunday, May 11, at the Unitarian church, when Rev. J. M. Adams will speak on "John Howe, the Forerunner of the Reformation".

The eighty-third anniversary of Odd Fellowship will be observed in Ellsworth Friday evening by Lejok lodge, Wirvura encampment and Nokomis Rebekah lodge. There will be a banquet at 7 o'clock. This will be followed by anniversary exercises of music, readings and singing, a programme arranged by the grand lodge being followed. The evening will close with an old-time Odd Fellows' social dance.

The fishing schooner "Tamson", of Southwest Harbor, which has been undergoing repairs at Curtis' yard, came off the railway last week. The schooner "Lydia M. Webster", of Trenton, which was damaged in collision with the steamer "Cimberis" at Northeast Harbor a few weeks ago, took her place on the railway. The fishing schooner "Pride of the West" is also on the railway for general repairs. The "Minneola" will be the next vessel taken out.

Alex. D. Stuart has sold the yacht "Bambler" to Capt. Rice, of Outer Long Island. She will be converted into a fishing sloop. When the Long Island men get her in sea-going shape, Ellsworth yachtsmen may expect to see her up here some fine day to carry off the prize in a race. The famous old Ellsworth yacht "Empress", sold a few years ago by Frank S. Lord, will be back in Union River by this season, having been purchased recently by Mr. Stuart to replace the "Bambler".

The Ellsworth literature club held its annual meeting Monday evening with Miss W. A. Clark. There were papers on Dante, summing up the year's work, and a solo by Mrs. E. J. Walsh. This meeting closed the season's work, and plans for another year were discussed. It was decided to take up Browning. Rev. A. H. Coar was re-elected president. The other officers are Mrs. T. H. Campbell, secretary, Miss Annie F. Mallan, Miss Laura McCarthy, Rev. J. M. Adams, executive committee. At the close of Monday's meeting, refreshments were served.

On Thursday evening of next week the annual concert and ball of Senator Hale hose company will take place. The concert will be by the "Woody Workers", a specialty company from Portland, assisted by Bangor. The programme appeared in THE AMERICAN last week. The sale of tickets has already commenced. Reserved seats will be on sale at Wiggin & Moore's Saturday. The hose company will devote the proceeds of their ball to the purchase of rubber coats and other equipments to be carried in the new hose wagon which they hope the city will buy.

The village improvement society at a meeting at the home of Mrs. L. A. Emery Monday afternoon, discussed plans for raising money for village improvement. A dramatic entertainment to be given, if possible, early in May, and a lawn party to be given in June, are among the plans proposed. Committee appointed Monday will report to-day. The society has subscribed \$25 toward a water supply for Woodbine cemetery, and will also contribute to the work of grading and improving the ice house lot at the corner of Park and Oak streets, purchased last fall by the society. A part of the expense for this work will be borne by the Park street improvement society.

While the soap factory is already running, and turning out considerable soap, Mr. Sherwin, the manager, is still busy with improvements, and it will be a few weeks yet, he says, before he can pronounce the factory in complete running order. The company has been delayed by the freight tie up due to the breaking of the Bangor bridge. The factory has many orders, and to increase its capacity, an addition 2500 and running up two stories will be built. It will be so built that another story may be put on if needed. By improved machinery the capacity of the factory has already been greatly

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Friends of Mabel Monaghan will be interested to learn that she has quite recovered her health, and is again at work in Boston studying and singing occasional engagements. Last week she was the soprano soloist at a concert given in Charlestown by the Orpheus club, of Somerville, whose conductor is H. Carleton Slack. The Ariel Ladies' Quartette Co. is the title of an organization to which she has been added as first soprano. The other members are Miss Annie F. Abbott, second soprano and violinist, Miss Alzaleen M. Sampson, first alto, and Miss Eva A. Mackenzie, second alto and reader. Miss Monaghan also acts as pianist. This organization has already a wide reputation, having in previous seasons appeared throughout the middle and western states.

The schooner "Storm Petrel," as trim and staunch a vessel as sails out of Union river, sails this week for Roundout with staves. In all except the name, Capt. Alexander Boney has practically a new vessel. Her home is the entry of less fortunate captain. An improvement over the captain's quarters found in most small coasters, is the separation of captain's cabin from his stateroom. Capt. Boney has a roomy, light cabin, with a stateroom opening off of it, and toilet room on opposite side of the companionway. The interior finish of the house, hard pine in the natural grain, is most small and attractive. All the rooms are carpeted with linoleum. Altogether Capt. Boney has about as comfortable quarters as can be found on any vessel of the "Storm Petrel's" size, and more comfortable than on many larger vessels.

Through Trains to Bangor.

The temporary bridge of the Maine Central railroad across the Penobscot at Bangor, was completed last Monday. Monday night the first train to cross the river since the bridge went out on March 25, went across to Bangor. Yesterday the regular train service on the Mt. Desert branch and Washington County railroad, which was upset by the loss of the bridge, was resumed. Ellsworth appreciates the early morning mail and late train out more than before the fiasco, for now it is known how it feels to be without these trains. Hancock county towns who receive mails by stage routes from Ellsworth, will again be up to the time, instead of a day behind.

TREWORGY'S TRIAL.

O. F. Fellows, His Counsel, Says It Will Not Begin May 6.

O. F. Fellows, counsel for William T. Treworgy, under indictment for murder of Sarah Ware, who has until April 25 in which to inform the court whether he will be prepared to try the case by May 6, tells THE AMERICAN to-day that the trial will not begin the first Tuesday in May. It will be impossible for him to be ready for trial by that time. It probably will be postponed until July.

It was the understanding when court adjourned last week that if the case could not be tried May 6, it would have to be postponed until the third Tuesday in July, that being the earliest date which Judge Savage and the counsel on both sides could fix upon. There is a possibility that some earlier date may be found, but every indication now points to postponement until July.

Fire in Trenton.

The house at Trenton known as the Parcher house, owned by George Stafford, of Bar Harbor, was burned Friday noon.

The fire originated in the attic and was well under way when discovered. Although the house and barn were connected, the men managed to save the barn.

Sparks from the fire set fire to Benjamin Jordan's barn, but the fire was put out before any damage was done.

The whole loss is about \$1,500, well insured.

COMING EVENTS.

Wednesday, April 23, at Baptist vestry—Supper by ladies' aid society; 15 cents.

Saturday, April 25, at Wyman park, 2 p. m.—Baseball, K. O. K. A., of Bar Harbor, vs. K. O. K. A., of Ellsworth. Admission, 15 cents.

Tuesday, April 29, at Manning hall—Sociable by Eclotic lodge, F. and A. M.

Thursday, May 1, at Hancock hall—Concert and ball of Senator Hale hose company. Concert by the Woody Workers, of Portland, assisted by Mrs. W. A. Nelson, of Bangor, contra-soprano. Tickets—25, 35 and 50 cents.

Thursday and Friday, May 1 and 2, at Unitarian vestry—Fair and supper. Supper Thursday evening; 25 cents. Entertainment Friday evening.

Friday, May 2—Seaside local union at Buxhill.

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CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR.

Topic For Week Beginning April 27. Comment by Rev. S. H. Doyle.

Topic.—Samuel's call.—I Sam. iii, 1-21. (Union meeting with the Juniors.)

Samuel in the Old Testament and Timothy in the New Testament are the inspirations to the dedication of childhood to faith in God and to the service of God.

Samuel was carefully prepared for the call of God. He was the child of pious parents—Elkanah and Hannah.

God's call came to Samuel at a very early age. Samuel was probably only twelve or thirteen years of age when God called him to a special and important mission.

Samuel responded to the call of God. Willingly and enthusiastically he entered the service of God and gave his entire life to His service.

BIBLE READINGS. Deut. v, 16; II Kings xxii, 1-6; Ps. i, 1-6; viii, 1-8; Prov. i, 8-16; vi, 20-23; Eccl. xii, 1; Mark ii, 14; Eph. vi, 1-3; Col. iii, 20; II Tim. i, 3-5; III, 10-17.

Sympathize With Others. Because we have sorrows of our own we must not be indifferent to those of others.

The Song of the Heart. A song in the heart is better than a grand piano in a gilded parlor.

God in the Church. It is true that God is found in our homes and in our offices as much as in church, but it is also true that if we do not yield reverent worship to Him in church we shall not see Him.

The Busy Man and the Loafer. The busy man may be tempted by one devil, but the loafer is tempted by a dozen.—Church Standard.

Asleep in Jesus. "Asleep in Jesus"—words of balm that permeate our souls with calm.

Mutual Benefit Column.

EDITED BY "AUNT MADGE".

Its Motto: "Happy and Hopeful."

The purposes of this column are succinctly stated in the title and motto—it is for the mutual benefit and aims to be helpful and hopeful.

"IT ISN'T THE THING YOU DO, DEAR." It isn't the thing you do, dear, It's the thing you leave undone.

The stone you might have lifted Out of a brother's way, The bit of heartsome counsel

These little acts of kindness So easily out of mind, These chances to be angels

For life is all too short, dear, And sorrow is all too great To suffer our slow compassion,

Two more answers have been received to "Grandma G's" inquiry in regard to Thomas A. Kempis.

Dear Aunt Madge: I send enclosed a short account of Thomas A. Kempis for which request was made in the M. B. column.

The birds which, as usual, we fed through the winter, are repaying us now by their sweet songs.

Coben, Illinois. J. J. Thomas A. Kempis (Thomas of Kempen, which is a town in the Prussian Rhine province)

He had a high character for sanctity and ascetic learning, but his historical reputation rests almost entirely on his writings, of which the "Imitation of Christ" is best known.

Your spring-greeting from the West, with its echo of birdsong and glimpse of bright flowers, is very cheering.

Dear Aunt Madge: May I come in for a few minutes and give "Grandma G." a little sketch of the author of "Imitation of Christ"?

Thomas A. Kempis was born in Kempen in 1379. He entered the Augustinian convent of Apenberg in the year 1400 and remained there until his death which occurred in 1471.

One of the books which I have read the past winter is "Brothers All." This is a book with a good moral and shows what kindness, patience and forbearance will do when persisted in.

It gives me pleasure to give you an affirmative answer to your query of our meeting in the sick-room some time ago, but I did not know it myself until you asked the question above.

LETTERS. "O, the long expected letter In the dear, familiar hand;

Dark days make a good background for bright lives.

Dear M. B. Sisters: Who hasn't felt the spirit of the above lines at times? If any, it is because their friends are all about them.

Advertisements.

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A Chicago Society Lady, in a Letter to Mrs. Pinkham says:

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until illness came upon me three years ago. I first noticed it by being irregular and having very painful and scanty menstruation.

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lovely one that I received from Aunt Madge with several others at the same mail decided me. Now I am old-fashioned, I admit, but really sometimes I sigh for the old-fashioned letters—the stilted kind that commenced "Honored Madam" and ended with "Your obedient servant."

But now how many letter writers are even fair penmen when we come to plainness, and then the fad of writing first across, then lengthwise of the sheet, first page, last page, then open and write in the middle of the sheet, if sheets are used.

I am sure, Ego, I am greatly obliged for your compliments, and those of us who have read with interest the first page of a letter and then searched so long to find the second page that we lost the thread of connection, will appreciate your plea for the straight though old-fashioned letters.

Another thing, that the "vertical writing" will have its brief day, and be a thing of the past ere long, is a comfort.

I hear many good words for our cook book. I would suggest that if a number of persons in a neighborhood or town wanted copies one order could be made up and thus save time and trouble.

"Aunt Madge's Cook Book," a collection of every day recipes from the Mutual Benefit column of THE AMERICAN, mailed to any address on receipt of 5 cents. Stamps (1 or 2-cent) will be accepted. Address THE AMERICAN, Ellsworth, Maine.

Hetty Green's Great Riches.

"Hetty Green's wealth consists largely of government bonds, railroad stocks and mortgages," writes Leigh Mitchell Hodges in the Ladies' Home Journal.

"Several years ago she made a tour of inspection of all the property on which she held mortgages. She spent two years traveling and stayed at forty hotels in as many cities.

Most people have two ears—a live one and a dead one. The live one they keep open for the failings of the world, and the dead one for the virtues.

Stutterton—G-g-good morning! Catterton—Good morning. Say, do you always stammer like that? Stutterton—N-n-No. Only w-when I t-t-try to talk.

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W. C. T. U. Column.

The editor invites secretaries of local unions of the W. C. T. U. in Hancock county, and white ribboners generally, to contribute to this column reports of meetings or items that will be of interest to workers in other parts of the county.

LETTER FROM COUNTY PRESIDENT. DANBURY, N. H., April 18, 1902.

My Dear Sisters: I want to send you just this little word of greeting and to tell you I have not forgotten you.

We are rejoicing over the new union and the new Y lately organized by Miss Alice Moore.

Arrangements are being made for the convention which will be held with Bar Harbor union about the middle of May.

Secure all the new members you can before convention. Let us know how you are all prospering. I shall be glad to hear from any of you. My address for awhile will be as below.

Sincerely yours, always for temperance, LILLIAN MAY ROBBINS, Danbury, N. H.

NORTHEAST HARBOR.

The Northeast Harbor W. C. T. U. met with Mrs. A. L. Manchester Tuesday evening, April 15, with twenty members present.

SOUTHWEST HARBOR.

Miss Katherine Freeman is proving herself a very charming president of the Y's. Our debate of April 17 was very interesting.

Under the auspices of the Y's the library will be opened to the public every night except Sundays. Daily papers are furnished by the Y society.

Preservation of Native Birds. Somebody proposes to stock the lower part of India with Mongolian pheasants.

It seems as if, instead of introducing new species where they do not belong, some effort might well be made to preserve native birds and animals.

The people at Kastri could only raise about \$5,000 in the time given, and so it was extended five days, but the whole of the major's left ear was sent in as a warning that they must hustle around.

It proved a pretty costly adventure for the brigands. They had lost five men killed and one wounded and failed to get any ransom at all.

DR. H. W. HAYNES begs to notify his patrons and others that until further notice his dental rooms will be closed on Wednesday afternoons.

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Held For Ransom

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At Kastri, Greece, which is an old town situated about thirty miles southeast of Mount Parnassus and only a few miles from the gulf of Corinth, the party of us who had been traveling together for several weeks broke up.

It was the first case of brigandage around Kastri for ten years, and authorities were so slow to act that the fellows got clear away with their captive.

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COUNTY NEWS.

For additional County News, see other pages.

Gouldsboro. School begins to-day. Miss Ella Tracy of this place will teach.

N. H. Sowie went to Bar Harbor this morning. He will be employed there for some time.

Daniel Libby has gone to Prospect Harbor where he will be employed as engineer in the sardine factory this summer.

The South Gouldsboro sardine steamer, "Gertrude L.", is hauled up here to be repaired and enlarged. W. W. Strout is doing the work.

The schooner "Seth Nyman" brought freight from Portland last week for Mrs. Shaw and A. E. Guptill. She loaded here with staves for Rockland.

Fred L. Bartlett has purchased lumber with which to build a stable and sheds in place of those burned a short time ago. The lumber was brought from Cherryfield Saturday by the schooner "Agnes Mabel". Work on the buildings will begin at once.

John Bakeman and son Oliver took two very large cod fish Apr. 17.

C. H. Blake and son are putting their yacht in order for the summer's sailing.

Mrs. Charles H. Blake and daughter, Mrs. Brooks Grindle, went to Bangor this week.

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Brookline. J. B. Babson is having extensive repairs made on his house.

Miss E. A. Mayo leaves to-day for Boston on business.

E. J. Carter, who has been in Machias for a few weeks, has returned home.

Charles Blake left last Saturday for New London, Conn., to join the yacht "Iana".

Miss Gertrude Parker and Miss Mabel Tapley came Saturday to begin their school to-day.

An entertainment and social, given under the auspices of the grange, were held at Grange hall Saturday evening. Proceeds are for the public library. Ice-cream was served.

Schools in town begin to-day with the following teachers: North Brookline, Mrs. Alena Fyfe; Bay, Z. D. Hartshorn; Naskag, Miss Mary Nelson; Cole district, Miss Mabel Tapley; Corner, Miss Parker; of Swanville; Haven, Miss Jennie Cole; West Brookline, Miss Moss Dollard; No. 7, Miss Gertrude Parker.

April 14. UNE FEMME.

Oak Point. Herford Murch is cook with Capt. Paterson of Ellsworth.

Capt. Fred L. Murch is loading his vessel with gravel for Bar Harbor.

A. H. Grindle and wife were in town Sunday visiting relatives.

John Kimball is employed at Seal Harbor on a very fine cottage.

J. H. Galley and D. B. Alley visited friends at Bartlett's Island recently.

Harry McFarland has gone up river to drive logs for some Ellsworth parties.

James Seavey was in town Sunday. He is employed at Seal Harbor for the season.

Capt. James Bray, of Bar Harbor, called on his sister, Mrs. Cushman Alley, on Sunday.

R. L. Murch will not attend to the market business this season. He will turn his attention to the cultivation of strawberries.

April 21. PLUTARCH.

South Hancock. Charles R. Bunker and Clarence Stearns, of Somerville, Mass., and Miss Mabel Allen, of Bangor, were in town Friday, called here by the death of Miss Helen A. Wooster.

The many friends of Mrs. Charles Campbell, one of the well known and highly esteemed summer residents here, were pained to learn of her death, which occurred at her home in Cherryfield, April 22.

The sympathy of the community goes out to Mrs. A. E. Wooster. In the death of her daughter Helen, which occurred at Patten, on Tuesday last. Funeral services were held at her home here on Friday, Rev. George H. Salley officiating. The floral offerings were many and beautiful, principally from friends in Massachusetts and the teachers of the Hodgkins school, Somerville, where Miss Wooster had been employed as teacher for some time previous to her illness.

April 21. W.

North Lamaine. Edward Jordan, of Mariaville, was the guest of Almon Gray the past week.

COUNTY NEWS.

For additional County News see other pages.

Atlantic. Dr. Small has had his buildings newly painted.

Rilla and Rita Staples has secured funds to buy a flag for the schoolhouse.

Harris Gott, Isaiah Stanley and Alfred Orcutt have gone to Frenchboro to work in the saw mill.

Capt. Alce Kennedy was here in his new smack to talk over business with the lobster fishermen for the coming season.

Spring term of school begins Monday, taught by Miss Marion Curtis, of Dennysville, a graduate of the Farmington normal school.

April 14. S.

Mrs. Amanda Stockbridge has typhoid fever.

The public library has now about 600 volumes.

Road Commissioner Smith is doing some good work on the roads.

Mrs. Dora Stinson has been appointed postmistress at Swan's Island.

Capt. John D. Staples left Thursday for Portland, from which place he will sail during the summer.

Thomas Pinkham, Howard Staples and Randall Trask left this week for a summer fishing trip.

April 21. S.

Mariaville. Mrs. Abbie Bowden, who has been visiting in Trenton, has returned home.

Mrs. E. N. Hodgkins and children, of Trenton, are visiting her mother, Mrs. Frank Closson.

Mrs. David Closson and children, of Bayside, spent Sunday with her father, David Moseley.

Woodbury Bowden, wife and son Lester are stopping with Mr. Bowden's mother, Mrs. Abbie Bowden.

Roland Hodgkins and Adelbert Hodgkins, who are repairing the steamer at Green Lake, came home to stay over Sunday.

April 21. ARE.

South Deer Isle. The roads are getting quite dry in most places but are very rough.

Planting has commenced in a very small way, but most of the ground is still too wet to work.

The scribe has pear blossoms from twigs broken off and put in water two weeks ago. Any one who wishes to force the season can obtain fruit blossoms very easily in this way.

The Sunday school board held a meeting Tuesday evening and transacted the usual annual business. Mrs. Hattie Hendrick was elected superintendent and Mrs. Annie Stinson assistant. The other officers were re-elected.

April 18. EGO.

Ora. Bert Kincaid and Granville Jellison are driving their logs to Salisbury's mill at lower Beech Hill pond.

Mrs. Aaron Salisbury went to Bucksport last Monday for a few weeks to visit her daughter, Mrs. Walter Smith.

George Johnson's family, who have lived in Bangor the past winter, have returned home. Will Johnson, a son who went to California twenty-six years ago, has returned for a few months to visit his old home and scenes of his boyhood.

April 14. DAVIS.

Mariaville. Mark Frost has gone to Bar Harbor for medical treatment for spinal trouble.

Roads are in bad condition on account of the heavy teaming. There are many deep ruts.

Alice Kellher is in poor health. She and her brother, E. G. Morrison, are keeping the Morrison farm.

Work on the new chapel has been resumed. It is now being clapboarded and painted. John Jordan is doing the work.

April 21. S.

Amherst. Major Leard has moved his family to Bangor, where he has employment.

Mrs. Ingalls, of Oriand, who has been spending the winter with her daughter, Mrs. W. L. Hussey, has returned home.

Mrs. James Abbott, of Charleston, who was called here by the illness of her sister, Mrs. Nickerson, returned home Friday.

Mrs. Julia Toole, wife of L. Toole, foreman of the tannery, died Saturday of consumption. The remains were taken to Brewer for interment.

April 15. N.

Seal Cove. School opens to-day in charge of Miss Louise Heath. Miss Myra Powers goes to Center.

Schooner "J. Nickerson", Capt. James Kelley, is in the harbor stone laden, from Stonington for New York.

Capt. J. H. Rumill lost a valuable colt a few days ago. The animal died of pneumonia. It was one of a handsome span of colts which have been much admired.

April 21. CLIMAX.

South Penobscot. Maude Thompson has gone to Bangor to work in a knitting factory.

Mrs. Abby Condon and Mrs. Carrie Snow came home from Boston Saturday. Harry Wescott came from Waterville last week and will go to the Banks. Eugene Guilford has gone to Waterville to take his place in the pulp mill.

ELLSWORTH MARKETS.

WEDNESDAY, April 23, 1902.

MAINE LAW BOARDING WEIGHTS AND MEASURES. A bushel of Liverpool salt shall weigh 60 pounds, and a bushel of Turke Island salt shall weigh 70 pounds.

The standard weight of a bushel of potatoes, in good order and fit for shipping, is 62 pounds; of apples, 44 pounds.

The standard weight of a bushel of beans in good order and fit for shipping, is 62 pounds. Of wheat, best, rye-bags, turnips and peas, 60 pounds; of corn, 56 pounds; of onions, 52 pounds; of carrots, English turnips, rye and Indian meal, 50 pounds; of parsnips, 45 pounds; of barley and buckwheat, 45 pounds; of oats, 35 pounds, or even measure as by agreement.

The prices quoted below are the retail prices at Ellsworth. Farmers can easily reckon from these what they are likely to receive in trade or cash for their products.

Country Produce.

Creamery per lb. 20.00 Dairy 22.00 Cheese. Best factory (new) per lb. 16.00 Best dairy (new) 16.00 Dutch (imported) 16.00 Neufchâtel 16.00

Eggs. Eggs fluctuate between 12 and 15 cents. The prevailing price for day is 14 cents.

Fresh laid, per doz. 12.00 Poultry. Chickens 22.00 Fowl 17.00

Best loose, per ton 14.00 Hail 15.00 Straw. Loose 10.00 Hail 18.00

Seeds. Herdgrass, bu 3.75 Alsike, lb 20.00 Hungarian, lb 1.75 White clover, lb 20.00 Brown top, lb 10.00 Peas 20.00 Red clover, lb 15.00 Canada, bu 2.00

Vegetables. Potatoes, pk 30 Apparagus, bunch 40 Sweet potatoes, lb 05 Tomatoes, lb 15 Onions, 05 Turnips, lb 05 Bermuda onions, 08 Beets, lb 05 Lettuce, 10 Cabbages, 05 Red-leaf, 08 Carrots, lb 05 Cucumbers, 15 Parsnips, lb 05 Spinach, pk 30 Beans-per qt 10 Dandelion gr, pk 25 Pea, 10 Celery, bunch 25

Fruit. Strawberries are in the local market, but prices from day to day vary greatly. Marketmen think they will be selling for 30 cents before another week.

Apples, pk 40 Oranges, doz 35.00 Cranberries, qt 10.00 Lemons, doz 25.00

Groceries. Rice, per lb 06.00 Pickles, per gal 45.00 Mocha, 40 Olives, bottle 25.00 Java, 37 Vinegar-per gal 20.00 Pure cider, 20

Tea-per lb 45.00 Crackers-per M 05 Oolong, 30.00 Oatmeal, per lb 04 Buckwheat, pkg 20

Sugar-per lb 04 Graham, 04 Granulated, 04 Coffee-A & B, 05 Rye meal, 05 Yellow, C 05 Molasses-per gal 02.50 Lard, 55.00

Porto Rico, 50 Astral oil, 15 Lumber and Building Materials. Lumber-per M 1.25 Spruce, 1.25 Hemlock, 1.25

Hemlock boards, 12.00 Clapboards-per M 1.25 Spruce, 1.25 Extra spruce, 24.00 Spruce floor, 16.00 Spruce, No. 1, 17.00

Plum, 12.00 Clear pine, 35.00 Matched pine, 15.00 Laths-per M 35.00 Shingles-per M 2.75

Cedar, extra 2.00 " clear, 2.35 Nails, per lb 04.00 " 2d clear, 1.05 Cement, qt 1.00 " extra cbe, 1.05 Lime, per cask 95

" No. 1, 1.25 Brick, per M 7.00 " scotts, .75 White lead, pr 05.00

Provisions. Beef, lb 15.00 Pork, lb 16.00 Steak, lb 12.00

Roasts, 12.00 Chop, .18 Corned, 08.12 Pig's feet, .18 Tongues, .18 Ham, per lb 14.18

Tripe, .05.00 Shoulder, .10 Veal: 1.00 Bacon, .16.18

Roast, .18 Salt, 11.00-12.00 Lamb, .10.12 Lard, 11.00-12.00

Lamb, 10.00 Sausage, .10 Tongues, each 05

Fresh Fish. This is the last week for smelts. Eastern halibut was received in the local markets this week.

Cod, 05 Haddock, 05 Halibut, 14.00 Clams, qt 20.00 Smelts, 10 Oysters, qt 20.00 Lobsters, lb 22.00

Fuel. Coal-per ton 6.50 Wood-per cord 3.00 Dry hard, 3.00 Dry soft, 2.00 Roundings per load 1.00

1.00.25 Nut, 6.50 Blacksmith's 6.00

Flour, Grain and Feed. Corn and wheat are higher. Millers are asking an advance of 20 cents a barrel on flour. Local prices are unchanged.

Oats, bu 75 Flour-per bushel 4.50 5.25 Shorts-bag 1.25 Corn, bag 1.50 Mixed feed, bag 1.25

Corn meal, bag 1.40 Middlings, bag 1.25.00 1.40.00

Hides and Tallow. Hides-per lb 25.00 Lamb skins, 25.00

Ox, 05 Tallow-per lb 02.00 Cow, 05.00 Bull, 05.00 Triel, 02.00

Calif skins, green 25.00

It Was a Dream. When a certain divine was a younger man and chaplain at the University of Pennsylvania, like other ministers who filled that position he was much troubled over the apparent lack of attention from the students during the morning exercises in the chapel.

The exercises hardly ever continued for more than fifteen minutes. Some of the students were in the habit of taking their books into the chapel and studying there during the services to make up for their tardiness of the night before in not preparing their lessons.

The young chaplain was desirous of breaking up the habit, so one morning preceding his customary five minutes' address he spoke as follows:

"Young gentlemen, last night I dreamed I was here in the chapel addressing you. And as I spoke I saw every eye fixed upon me, every man attentive, while in all the chapel there was not a book opened, and then I knew it was a dream."

German Scotch. "A good story comes from Sydney," says the London Globe, "where letters have been received from two American business firms asking whether communications to Australian merchants should be written in English or in the language of the country."

"It recalls an astonishing trade circular received a short time ago by a business firm in Glasgow from a German manufacturer, also written in what his versatile clerk had apparently taken for the language of 'the country. It was in the best 'kailyard' style and spoke of a 'muckle consignment o' chemicals.'"

Mis Gusch—Am I fond of Paderewski? Indeed I am. Why, there's a fascination in his very name! Mr. Grabbe—I don't know about that, but there's certainly a queer spell about it.

KITFERRY TO CARIBOU.

One Week's Winnowings of News, Novelty and Nonsense.

Jonathan G. Clark, of Bangor, for many years a prominent retail clothing merchant, died Monday, aged seventy-three years.

Patents have been granted to Maine inventors as follows: F. McDonald, Rumford Falls, electrolytic machine; W. W. Weaver, Augusta, dandy roll cleaner.

Rev. G. W. Hinckley of Good Will farm, Fairfield, announces that he has received word from New York of a pledge of \$15,000 toward the proposed manual training building at the school. This makes a total of \$46,000 of the \$50,000 needed to erect, equip and endow the building.

A four-story wooden building owned by John and Samuel Robinson at Skowhegan, and occupied by them as a planing mill, was badly damaged by fire last week, and the plant of the Marston Worsted Co., adjoining, was damaged by smoke and water. The loss is about \$5,000, with partial insurance.

M. F. Dunn, chief train despatcher of the eastern division of the Maine Central at Bangor, has been promoted to acting superintendent of that division, to succeed Supt. A. A. White, resigned. Arthur B. Crossman, of Portland, will take the place at Bangor made vacant by the promotion of Mr. Dunn.

A large ambergis find in the bay near Campobello recently, has been vouched for. It is a fortune for the two lucky young men, Messrs. Mitchell and Story of Lubec. Chemists gave it all the known tests, and proved it to be the genuine, simple pure article, worth to the finders something like \$40,000. The young men were hunting ducks when they found the ambergis.

Gen. John F. Anderson, of Boston, died at the Cumberland club, Portland, Saturday, after a brief illness with Bright's disease, aged sixty-eight years. Gen. Anderson was born in Wiscasset, but had lived nearly all his life in Boston. At the opening of the Civil war he went out as major in the 24th Massachusetts regiment, returning at the close of the war with the rank of brigadier-general. His father, Hugh J. Anderson, was governor of Maine in 1844-46.

At a meeting of the Boston & Maine and New York, N. H. & H. R. R. officials it was decided to inaugurate a through New York-Portland train service during the coming summer. This train will leave New York, June 23, and returning, will leave Portland the following day. The train will leave New York at 9 p. m., arriving in Portland by the Worcester, Nashua & Portland division of the Boston & Maine at 6.30 a. m.

There was a small burglary at Milbridge early Monday morning of last week, evidently the work of the same gang which on Monday evening stole a handcar at Cherryfield, and entered the depot at Franklin and O'Brien's store at Washington Junction, as reported in THE AMERICAN last week. At Milbridge the postoffice was broken into, the safe blown open and \$3 in cash and some stamps were stolen. A young man who was awakened by the explosion in blowing the safe, fired two shots from his rifle to frighten the thieves. The shots were returned by one of the men with a revolver, but none took effect.

Value of Advertising. He didn't do much and his thoughts, it is plain, were borrowed from various sources. He looked upon toll with an eye of disdain. As a waste of superior forces. But somehow he kept getting further ahead. Fate never seemed unkindly to caper; For all that he did and whatever he said He carefully put in the paper.

If he made a small speech, or was ill with a cold. He sent for a journal let quickly; Till the people would anxiously wait to be told. If his status was robust or sickly. And at last the community looked upon him As a power, a destiny shaper. While the worker remained in obscurity dim, 'Cause his name didn't get in the paper. —Washington Star.

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Why? Tommy-Pop, was Job a doctor? Tommy's Pop—Not that I have ever heard, my son.

Tommy—Then why does the Bible have so much to say about the patients of Job?—Philadelphia Record.

The Vulnerable Point. Percy—I've made Pauline sorry that she threw me over.

Guy—In what way? Percy—Why, I'm attentive now to a girl five years younger than she is.—Detroit Free Press.

It is a safe rule that you should always buy a little better tea than you can afford. The saying has an air of paradox, but it may be taken as literally true. For between ordinary tea and a fancy tea like Chase & Sanborn's package tea, there is almost as much difference as between a drink and a food. The harder you work, the more you need rest and the refreshment of a strict high-grade tea. It is not a question of what you can afford when health and strength are to be considered. It is a safe rule to practice a little wise extravagance here.

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WEDNESDAY, APRIL 23, 1902.

A Republican State Convention

WILL BE HELD IN City Hall, Portland, Wednesday, June 11, 1902, AT 1:30 O'CLOCK P. M.

for the purpose of nominating a candidate for governor to be supported at the September election, and transacting any other business that may properly come before it.

The basis of representation will be as follows: Each city, town and plantation will be entitled to one delegate; and for each 75 votes cast for the republican candidate for governor in 1900, an additional delegate; and for a fraction of 40 votes in excess of 75 votes, a further additional delegate.

The State committee will be in session in the reception room of the hall at 12:30 p. m. on the day of the convention, for the purpose of receiving the credentials of delegates.

All electors of Maine, without regard to past political affiliations, who believe in Republican principles and endorse the policy of the republican party, are cordially invited to unite under this call in electing delegates to this convention.

For order, Republican State Committee, F. M. SIMPSON, Chairman.

BYRON BOTT, Secretary, Bangor, April 16, 1902.

STATE OF MAINE.



By the Governor.

A PROCLAMATION.

Following an unbroken custom which has existed among the people of New England from the earliest Colonial days, with the advice and consent of the Executive Council, I hereby designate Thursday, the twenty-fourth day of April, as

FAST DAY.

This day, revered by the fathers, comes to us consecrated by observance for many generations. It is appropriate that we should continue to respect a custom so deeply enshrined in the hearts of the people, and I earnestly recommend that the day be observed in a manner consistent with the purposes for which it has been set apart.

Given at the Executive Chamber, in Augusta, this twenty-fourth day of March, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and two, and of the Independence of the United States of America the one hundred and twenty-sixth.

JOHN F. HILL.

By the Governor. BYRON BOTT, Secretary of State.

The republican district convention will be held at Waterville on Tuesday, June 10, at 10 o'clock. The State convention will be held on the following day, Wednesday, June 11, at Portland.

We give in our news columns a summary of what has taken place during the past week relating to the two schemes that are just now of absorbing interest in this vicinity—the Ellsworth-Castine electric railway and the development of the Union river water power.

The Senate, last Wednesday, passed the Chinese exclusion bill, but not until it had been so amended as to be a virtual re-enactment of the Geary law. The fear that some of the provisions of the new bill would be found to abrogate our treaty with China, and so hamper the possibilities of trade with the Orient at a time when the remarkable success of American manufacturing enterprises makes the acquisition and cultivation of new and extensive foreign markets imperative, was responsible for the action of the Senate.

Considerable interest is felt as to the effect which the removal of the tea import duties will have upon the consumption of that article in the United States. The import figures covering the period since the imposition of an import duty upon tea (June 13, 1898) do not justify the assertion frequently made some years since that a small tax would increase the consumption of tea by insuring better qualities. The average annual importation of tea since the enactment of the law which placed a duty upon tea has been but about 83,000,000 pounds, while the average during the preceding three years was about 98,000,000 pounds per annum.

A reduction of \$59,000,000 in exports and an increase of \$79,000,000 in imports do not seem to discourage Mr. Austin, chief of the bureau of statistics, with reference to the con-

dition of the foreign commerce of the United States. The chief reduction in our exports can be traced to the destruction of our corn crop by the drouth of last year. Corn has become so important a factor in our export trade, both in its natural state and in the condensed form of beef and pork, that a loss of one-fourth or one-third of the enormous crop means a great reduction in the surplus. In the last four years the exportation of corn has averaged about 200,000,000 bushels per annum. In the present fiscal year it will not amount to one-fifth of that quantity.

There has developed among the minority of the Senate committee on the Philippines a disposition to prolong the investigation of that committee and so delay adjournment beyond the middle of June, at which date the steering committee had hoped to complete the work of the session. The democrats have demanded that Aguinaldo be summoned as a witness, and are evidently seeking to embarrass the administration in every way possible. Senator Culom, a member of the steering committee, says that if the isthmian canal bill gets before the Senate it will be impossible to adjourn before the middle of July, and Senator Allison, chairman of the committee, is authority for the statement that the canal question will be considered at this session.

The debate on Cuban reciprocity has been interesting and instructive. General Grosvenor in a very able speech gave notice that the time was not distant when a general revision of some of the Dingley schedules would become necessary, and grew eloquent in his peroration when he announced that the principles of protection were greater than any single tariff bill, and the acumen of the party too great to be chained to duties which had outlived their usefulness. His speech produced a great effect on the younger members. The fate of the bill in the Senate is still in doubt, but the pressure from outside is increasing and, while some of the opponents of the bill have been talking of delaying legislation until too late for consideration in the Senate at this session, the warning has come from the senators that such a course would be met by their attaching a Cuban reciprocity clause to some appropriation bill.

COUNTY GOSSIP.

Real estate activities in Bluehill remind the people over that way of the mining boom of twenty years ago.

Flossie Emery, of Great Pond, is dead. There is a lesson for all of us in this life, which teaches how little physical limitations have to do with limiting our mental vision or our opportunity for influencing others for good.

Down at Birch Harbor they are building a new Baptist church. The men give freely of their time on the building, while the ladies entertain them at dinner. Such co-operation insures early completion of the building and a live church.

The Italian invasion at Stonington quarries, which threatened a strike of the native workmen, adjusted itself in an unexpected way. Instead of the native workmen striking, it was the Italians who struck when they found they were expected to work a nine-hour day instead of one of eight hours. About fifty Italians were in the crew which arrived. Twenty-five of these, who had money enough to get back to New York, left; the others are awaiting money from New York to get them back there.

Aprons of the report that the new fish hatchery at Moosehead lake is to be used in an endeavor to stock Maine waters with land-locked salmon, the Waterville Mail puts in a plea for the square-tailed trout, arguing that the same effort and money expended in the culture of the latter would result more satisfactorily in every way. There are many fishermen in Hancock county who will hold up both hands in favor of the Mail's suggestion. It will not require a very long search to find old fishermen who declare, the opinions of experts to the contrary notwithstanding, that good trout ponds have been spoiled by the planting of salmon. In this vicinity, Green lake and Branch pond are natural salmon ponds, and the fish grow to immense size. True, there are trout, and big ones, in these lakes, but the lakes are principally salmon waters. Upper and lower Patten's pond, on the other hand, are natural trout ponds, and men who have fished there for years, and compare the past with the present conditions, believe the introduction of salmon to be the reason for the falling off of trout fishing.

POLITICAL NOTES.

The democratic state convention will be held at Bangor, Tuesday, June 17.

The republican town committee of Eden has issued a call for a caucus to be held Saturday evening, April 26, to nominate a candidate for representative. Eden is in a class by itself this year. The candidates for the nomination are Benjamin Hadley and C. C. Morrison.

Capt. George H. Tapley, of West Brooksville, is in the field as a candidate for nomination for representative to the legislature from the class towns of Castine, Orland, Brooklin, Brooksville, Long Island, and Aurora. Capt. Tapley is a retired sea captain, well informed in affairs of the state and a popular citizen. He is a strong candidate.

Correspondence.

From the National Capital. WASHINGTON, D. C., April 17, 1902. To the Editor of The American:

"Spring, spring, gentle spring" has not been in a mild mood this season, according to local standards. Notwithstanding, the verdure of the trees is well advanced, the parks are green and the flower plots are gay with early blossoms. Other sure indications, seen weeks ago, on occasional vacant lots, were the school boys intent on a game of ball, and in door-yards and walks, young misses skipping rope and small boys playing marbles.

It has been a comfortable time for sight-seeing, and the number of excursionists in the city is said to exceed that of any other season's record, outside of some unusual attraction. The models of the Gen. Grant statue in the basement of Corcoran art gallery have attracted many. The award of \$250,000 called out over a score of models by as many first-class artists. The committee announced their decision Monday, leaving many disappointed aspirants. All the designs were meritorious. A force of workmen commenced Tuesday to take down the models, preparatory to an exhibit of models for the statue of Gen. McClellan.

The masonic fair and exhibition at Convention hall and Armory annex was opened Monday night, President Roosevelt at the White House making the initiative move by a pressure of the electric button. Magnificent decorations and gorgeous electrical effects abound. The attendance is reported as exceeding all past records of the ever popular masonic gatherings.

Tuesday at the Church of the Covenant, occurred the burial service of the late Rev. Dr. DeWitt Talmage. Thousands gathered about the corner entrance, and when the doors were opened the pews soon filled, crowds of people awaiting outside the conclusion of the service to enter and join the ranks of those filing past the bier for a last look at the dead pastor. The front of the altar was a mass of white and colored bloom. President and Mrs. Roosevelt sent a wreath of white flowers. The top of the casket was covered with a net work of violets.

The funeral service was impressive in every detail, from the singing of the grand old hymn "Lead Kindly Light", a favorite of the dead pastor's, "Beyond the Smiling and the Weeping", and "It is Well with Every Soul" by the church choir to the magnificent eulogies of the noted clergymen. Rev. Dr. T. S. Hamlin, pastor of the church, officiated. He was assisted by Rev. Thomas Chalmers Easton, an almost life-long associate of Dr. Talmage; Rev. J. S. T. Nicolls, of St. Louis; Dr. Howard Sugdam, of New York; Dr. Van Dyke, of New Jersey, Rev. James Demerest, of New York and the Rev. D. E. P. Terhune.

Dr. Talmage went to Mexico about seven weeks ago for his health. Finding no relief, he returned here, and gradually grew worse. Though somewhat thinner in flesh, his face would have seemed familiar to the army of Christian Herald readers, who have known him only by the representation of his features in the paper, week by week. Rev. Dr. Kiopisch was among the honorary pall bearers.

Bishop Hurst, of the Methodist church, is seriously ill here, from an acute attack of nervous exhaustion.

We are glad to read in THE AMERICAN evidences of prosperity in Hancock county, especially the possibility of an electric railway between Ellsworth and Castine.

The President and Gen. Miles.

The republican friends of Gen. Miles have started a campaign with the object of persuading President Roosevelt to forego his expressed determination to retire. Gen. Miles for insubordination, instead of allowing him to serve until August, 1903, when he will retire by operation of law.

Yesterday afternoon Senators Hale, Husk, McCone, and Allison, all personal friends of Gen. Miles, as well as of President Roosevelt, called at the White House and an extended conference took place.

These senators pointed out to the President that it would be a grave mistake for him to rebuke the conduct of Gen. Miles in the manner indicated; that it would create another Sampson-Schley controversy; cause bad feeling in Congress; injuriously affect the discipline and esprit du corps of the army, and, above all, that it would seriously endanger the success of the republican party at the coming congressional elections.

President Roosevelt was somewhat astonished at the earnestness with which the case was laid before him. He agreed, however, it is said, to some pleadings of the senators to the extent of assuring them that no action should be taken before Secretary Root's return from Cuba, which will be about the first of May.

The President agreed fully with the senators that the situation was very embarrassing, and he was anxious to avoid a Roosevelt-Miles controversy as he was to end the Sampson-Schley dispute. The President told the senators, however, that he should make it a condition precedent to his suspension of judgment that Gen. Miles should at once cease his attacks on the army and those in control.

It is said that Gen. Miles has himself made overtures for peace to the President. Some days ago he wrote to Mr. Roosevelt, it is claimed, for a personal interview for the purpose of talking over his case. To this the President, it is said, replied that if Gen. Miles would set forth his reasons for asking the interview and just what he wanted to say, it would then be determined whether the request would be granted. It is not known whether Gen. Miles has replied to this offer, but it is generally thought that the answer was the call of the republican senators at the White House—Washington Times.

Haskell-Gaspar.

Miss Sarah E. Haskell and Ernest E. Gaspar, both of Somerville, Mass., were married April 15, by Rev. W. B. C. Merry, at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. Frank Nary, Revere, Mass. About fifty relatives and friends were present.

The bride is a sister of Mrs. H. E. Hill, of Ellsworth, and the groom was formerly of Surry.

The bride was tastefully gowned in white muslin, wearing white roses in her hair, and carrying bridal roses. Her niece, Miss Hazel Nary, was maid of honor, attired in white muslin, carrying mayflowers. Guy Monroe and Marion Fish, of Somerville, were flower children, carrying mayflowers.

A pleasant reception followed the ceremony. The bride's aunt and uncle, Mrs. G. F. Stetson and L. S. Haskell, assisted in receiving.

The couple received many useful and pretty gifts. About 9:30 the bridal party left in a shower of rice. They will reside for the present in Somerville.

\$100 Reward, \$100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address, F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by druggists, 7 c. Hall's Family Pills are the best.

Special Notices.

NOTICE.

To official authority for the State of Maine, county of Hancock, townships of Lamoine, Hancock, Franklin and plantation No. 8: OVER three thousand acres in Canalicocus Park have been burned to glacial deposits, clay strata or rock bottom. I demand exemption from taxes on this Austin property for one hundred years.

MARY C. FREZT AUSTIN.

NOTICE.

THIS is to notify all persons holding orders drawn on the town of Trenton, prior to March 5, 1902, to present the same to Mark Hayes, treasurer of said Trenton, for settlement, as interest will be stopped at this date.

MARK HAYNES, Treasurer.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

DO not trespass in Canalicocus Park. I demand protection to life and property from the county of Hancock, the State of Maine, and the United States of America.

MARY C. FREZT AUSTIN.

Found.

DROPPED UP—A white flat bottom boat, near the bridge in Trenton. Owner can have by proving property and paying charges.

N. W. McFARLAND, West Trenton, Me.

LOST—An oval breast-pin, containing lock of hair. Owner may have same by proving property and paying charges. Mrs. LOUISE ROYAL, Ellsworth.

For Sale.

ONE band saw machine 1 buzz planer, 1 surface planer, 1 large and 1 small wood turning lathe, 1 ripping saw machine, 1 saw bench, all iron, running saw, 7 1/2 H. P. gasoline engine. All in good working order. Also hangers, shafts, pulleys, etc. ISAAC L. HODGKINS, Ellsworth, Me.

Advertisements.

Our store was established in the early days of Ellsworth, 1833. You will find our stock complete—Toilet Articles and everything else usually carried in first-class drug stores. Physicians, supplies and mail orders a specialty.

PURE NORWEGIAN COD LIVER OIL

This oil is prepared from the fresh livers of the Cod by a special process known to the natives of the Lofoten Islands, Norway. It is as palatable as Cod Liver Oil can be made. Much superior to the old manner of leaving the livers for some time and then extracting the oil. All the nutritive and flesh-forming properties are contained in the oil under the new process and a much more palatable article is obtained. It will be retained on the stomach much more readily than the old style Newfoundland Oil. We can recommend it with confidence to those suffering with wasting of flesh and blood, caused by long standing coughs and other diseases by which one's weight is reduced. Pint bottles, 50c. Three for \$1.25.

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DRAPERIES CURTAINS CARPETS

E. J. DAVIS.

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All traces of the recent disastrous fire have been removed, and I am now in shape to meet every demand.

REPAIRING FURNITURE A SPECIALTY.

L. W. JORDAN, Holmes Building, Ellsworth.

Advertisements.

We have just returned from Boston with a full line of Carpets, Wall Papers, Oil Cloths, Linoleums, Straw Matting, Rugs, Art Squares.

A special bargain we have to offer this spring is an ALL-WOOL CARPET for 50c per yd. We have several patterns of these goods, which are a specially good value.

WE CUT, MAKE AND LAY CARPETS TO ORDER WALL PAPERS. Full lines of the latest styles, ranging in price from 10c to 25c per double roll.

Paints, Oils, Varnishes and White Lead. We sell the very best mixed paints, all colors, for \$1.50 per gal.

WHITING BROS. Why pay \$1.75 when you can save 25c per gallon by buying of us?

LADIES: I have an Experienced Milliner this season. When in need of a new Hat call at my store and you will FIND THE LATEST STYLES AND PRICES.

to suit. I have a fine assortment of trimmed and untrimmed Hats. A. E. MOORE, Cor. Main and Franklin streets.

HOT WATER HEATING AND PLUMBING. Latest improvements in both systems. First-class workmanship. Prices as low as is consistent with good work.

"CLARION" RANGES, FURNACES, STOVES. Pearl, agate and granite ware. Crockery and tin ware. Ammunition of all kinds. Special attention given to repairing.

Main Street. J. P. ELDRIDGE, Ellsworth, Me.

EVERYTHING. Indicates an early spring. It is too early yet to plant out doors, but not too early to plan your garden. If you expect your crops to grow, you must feed them.

ELLSWORTH GREENHOUSE. Chemical fertilizers furnish food in a concentrated form. Quantities of Phosphate can be obtained in large or very small quantities at the

To Let. STORE—Rooms—first floor and basement—in Masonic block on State street, until recently occupied by the Hancock County Publishing Co. Inquire of JOHN B. REDMAN, agent, in the same building.

Legal Notices. THE subscriber hereby gives notice that he has been duly appointed executor of the last will and testament of Lucy J. Segebarth, late of Ellsworth, in the county of Hancock, deceased, no bonds being required by the terms of said will. All persons having demands against the estate of said deceased are desired to present the same for settlement, and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately. JOHN B. REDMAN, April 1, 1902.

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE. WHEREAS Bartlett Hodgkins, of Eden, Hancock county, Maine, by his mortgage deed dated November 19, a. d. 1892, recorded November 25, a. d. 1892, in book 265, page 230, of the registry of deeds for Hancock county, Maine, conveyed to Samuel K. Whiting a certain parcel of real estate situated in that part of the said town of Eden known as Bar Harbor, and bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at the southwest corner of land now or formerly of Samuel Treat on Second South street; thence on said street west four rods to the east line of land now or formerly of Thomas Dorr; thence north along said Dorr's line seventy-five feet to the south line of land of James Richards; thence east along said Richards' line four rods to the land of said Treat; thence south along said land of said Treat seventy-five feet to the point of beginning, with line of condition thereof. And whereas said mortgage and the debt thereby secured was by said Whiting assigned to John A. Peters, Jr., of Ellsworth, in said county, by assignment dated March 25, a. d. 1898, and recorded in said registry, in book 298, page 284.

And whereas said mortgage and the debt thereby secured was assigned by said Peters to the undersigned, Stephen L. Kingsley, of said Eden, by assignment dated April 21, a. d. 1898, and recorded in said registry, in book 375, page 418.

And whereas the condition of said mortgage has been broken, now, therefore, by reason of the breach of condition thereof, I claim a foreclosure of said mortgage.

STEPHEN L. KINGSLEY, J. A. Peters, Jr., atty. Ellsworth, Maine, April 23, a. d. 1902.

Insurance Statements. COMMERCIAL UNION ASS'CE. CO. LONDON, ENG. ASSETS DEC. 31, 1901. Real estate, 888,148.69; Mortgage bonds, 272,500.00; Stocks and bonds, 1,842,285.00; Cash in office and bank, 265,097.94; Bills receivable, 5,173.43; Interest and rents, 12,928.50; Uncollected premiums, 574,139.24; All other assets, 208.47; Gross assets, \$3,921,242.66; Deduct items not admitted, 1,268.47; Admitted assets, \$3,920,034.19; LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1901. Net unpaid losses, \$401,615.00; Unearned premiums, 2,979,297.72; All other liabilities, 90,728.72; Total, \$3,771,741.44; Surplus over all liabilities, 1,148,292.75; Total liabilities and surplus, \$3,920,034.19. O. W. TAPLEY, Agent, ELLSWORTH, ME.

Legal Notices.

Bankrupt's Petition for Discharge. In the matter of Franklin P. Pray, individually and as a copartner with Arthur E. and Frank W. Pray, as F. P. Pray and Bankrupt.

To the Hon. Nathan Webb, Judge of the District Court of the United States for the District of Maine.

FRANKLIN P. PRAY, of Eden, in the county of Hancock, and State of Maine, in said district, respectfully represents that on the 7th day of December, last past, he was duly adjudged bankrupt under the Acts of Congress relating to bankruptcy; that he has duly surrendered all his property and rights of property, and has fully complied with all the requirements of said acts and of the orders of court touching his bankruptcy.

Wherefore he prays that he may be discharged by the court to have a full discharge from all debts, both individual and copartnership provable against his estate under said bankruptcy acts, except such debts as are excepted by law from such discharge.

Dated this 14th day of April, a. d. 1902. FRANKLIN P. PRAY, Bankrupt.

Order of Notice Thereon. DISTRICT OF MAINE ss. On this 19th day of April, a. d. 1902, on reading the foregoing petition, it is— Ordered by the court, that a hearing be had upon the same on the 10th day of May, a. d. 1902, before said court at Portland, in said district, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, and that notice thereof be published in the Ellsworth American, a newspaper printed in said district, and that all known creditors and other persons in interest, may appear at the said time and place, and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is further ordered by the court, that the clerk shall send by mail to all known creditors copies of said petition and this order, addressed to them at their places of residence as stated.

Witness the Honorable Nathan Webb, Judge of the said court, and the seal thereof, at Portland, in said district, on the 19th day of April, a. d. 1902. A. H. DAVIS, Clerk. A true copy of petition and order thereon. Attest—A. H. DAVIS, Clerk.

HANCOCK S. J. COURT.

APRIL TERM ENDED LAST WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON.

ADJOURNMENT TO MAY FOR TREVORGY TRIAL—SUMMARY OF THE TERM—TWO TRIALS, SEVEN DIVORCES.

THE COURT. Presiding Justice—ALBERT H. SAVAGE. Clerk pro tem—JOHN B. REDMAN. County Attorney—B. E. TRACY.

The April term of the supreme judicial court for Hancock county adjourned last Wednesday afternoon to Tuesday, May 6, when the trial of William T. Trevor, on indictment for murder of Sarah Ware, will begin.

Mr. Fellows' familiarity with the case will aid him in his arduous task, but in spite of this advantage, it looks now as if trial would not take place until July.

The traverse jurors who served at the present term were ordered to report on May 6. It is probable that sixty other jurors will be summoned, and from eighty-one men it is hoped to get twelve who are acceptable to both sides and to the court.

The April term was not a busy one, so far as trial of cases is concerned, but quite a number of cases have been disposed of. Seventy-six cases came off the civil docket, thirty-two by judgment, thirty-seven by entry of neither party; and seven divorces. The number of new cases entered was sixty.

There were only two jury trials—one civil and one criminal case. The clerk of courts received in fines, most of which was for violation of the liquor law, \$2,100.

DIVORCES DECREED. Divorces were decreed in addition to those previously reported as follows: Mabel Powers, libellant, from Harry W. Powers, for cruel and abusive treatment.

Emma L. Young, libellant, from Eugene H. Young, for cruel and abusive treatment. Custody of minor child decreed to libellant. Tracy for libellant.

Lavie M. Carpenter, libellant, from Serenus Carpenter, for utter desertion. Giles for libellant. Charles Hooper, libellant, from Lottie May Hooper, for utter desertion. Clark for libellant.

NEW CITIZENS. Naturalization papers were issued to the following, in addition to the one reported last week: Robert Able, of Sullivan; William H. Denery, John J. McCarthy, Charles W. Wedberg, of Bar Harbor.

ASSIGNED LIST. Following is the record of disposal of cases on the assigned list not previously reported: 80. Emerson vs. Rich. Giles; Patten. Continued.

24. State vs. Gould et als. Tracy; King. Nether party. 25. State vs. Gould et als. Tracy; King. Nether party.

26. State vs. Gould et als. Tracy; King. Nether party. 27. State vs. Gould et als. Tracy; King. Nether party.

311. Cunningham vs. Johnson. Deasy; Clark. Continued.

Seaside Local C. E. Union. The meeting of Seaside Local Union of Christian Endeavor, which was postponed from last month on account of inclement weather, will be held at the Baptist church, Bluehill, Friday, May 2, beginning at 2 p. m. The programme previously announced for March will be carried out.

A GREAT WATER POWER.

Engineer Jackson Inspects Dams and River.

The intensest interest regarding the development of the water power on Union river continues.

Since the last issue of THE AMERICAN nothing new in the situation developed until yesterday, when William B. Jackson, travelling engineer of the Stanley Electric Manufacturing Co., of Pittsfield, Mass., arrived in town.

Mr. Jackson came to Ellsworth for the purpose of examining more fully into the volume, fall and storage facilities at Union river and its tributary lakes and streams, and the power sites recently acquired by the people interested in the Hancock County Railway Co.

In company with Henry M. Hall he visited each of the six falls on the river between tidewaters and the Maine Central bridge at the Falls, and afterwards drove to the outlet of Green Lake and to the high land on the Otis road overlooking the great basin and marshes extending from above the head of the falls to near Jordan's bridge between Waltham and Mariaville.

Mr. Jackson has not yet had time to carry his investigations very far, nor to arrange and compile the results, but he freely expresses his satisfaction with the natural opportunities afforded for the economic utilization of the rainfall of this entire watershed.

Word has been received that Mr. Hallman, accompanied by others who are interested in both the electric railway project and in the water power scheme, will arrive in Ellsworth to-day or tomorrow, and that during their stay here they will organize a corporation for the purpose of carrying out the water power scheme.

HANCOCK CO. RAILWAY CO.

Surveying Party has Crossed the River—Now in Surry.

The surveying party of the Hancock County Railway Co., which last Wednesday had reached Union river, has since proceeded westward, and is now at work in Surry.

Several routes in and out of the city were gone over. How best to get from the top of Cork hill to the top of Bridge hill is a perplexing question for the engineers.

No decision has yet been arrived at, but after leaving Bridge hill the section between Ellsworth and Serry presents no serious difficulties.

It is expected that the survey will have been made as far as Bluehill by May 1.

CHURCH NOTES.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL.

Rev. J. P. Simonton, pastor. Sunday, April 27—Sunday school at 11.45. Junior league, 3 p. m. Epworth league at 6.30. Other services omitted on account of absence of pastor.

Prayer meeting Friday evening, at 7.30. Class meeting Tuesday evening.

UNITARIAN.

Rev. A. H. Coar, pastor. Sunday, April 27—Morning service at 10.30. "Science and Religion." Sunday school at 11.45.

Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock, teachers' meeting at home of Mrs. Wiggins. "The Transfiguration."

CONGREGATIONAL.

Rev. J. M. Adams, pastor. Friday evening at 7.30, prayer and conference meeting. Mrs. Dutton will speak of "Settlement Work in Boston."

Sunday, April 27—Morning service at 10.30. Sunday school at 11.45.

BAPTIST.

Rev. David Kerr, pastor. Friday evening at 7.30, prayer-meeting. All welcome.

Sunday, April 27—Morning service at 10.30. Sermon by the pastor. Sunday school at 12 m. Junior C. E. at 6 p. m. Evening service at 7. Subject: "Samuel's Call." Union meeting with Junior C. E.

Trenton—Service Sunday at 2.30 p. m.; Mr. Kerr.

ELLSWORTH FALLS.

M. D. Haslam was at home from Hall Quarry over Sunday.

F. E. Fitts moved his portable engine and boiler to Green Lake on Tuesday.

George C. Fernald is at home from Victory, Vt., for two weeks' vacation.

Miss Minnie H. Moore and Miss Ethel Jellison were in Waltham Saturday and Sunday.

F. P. Witham has rented a part of W. H. Moore's house. He moved his family there last week.

About a dozen of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Smith's friends dropped in on them Tuesday evening, and had a very pleasant time.

The annual supper of the ladies' sewing circle, planned for Thursday evening, April 24, has been postponed for one week.

Green Lake Fish Record.

GREEN LAKE, April 22 (special)—Following is a record of the fish taken at Green lake for the four days ending yesterday:

Capt. F. H. Noble, Bangor, 4 and 5 pound salmon.

M. E. Bragg, Bangor, 6 pound salmon.

D. W. Nason, Bangor, 5 pound salmon.

B. E. Higgins, Green Lake, 5 pound salmon.

A. E. Higgins, 4 1/2, 4, 3 1/2, 4 1/2 pound salmon.

George W. Harriman, Bangor, 7, 6, 5, 3, 3 pound salmon; 2 pound salmon.

Five other boats were on the lake Sunday, but party did not register, and their catch is not known.

As Brewer and Bangor bridge is completed, a large crowd of fishermen is expected to visit the lake Fast Day.

COUNTY NEWS.

Additional County News on other pages.

Bucksport.

SEMINARY NOTES.

Prof. E. A. Cooper is attending conference at Caribou.

On Saturday evening the seminary girls gave a Mother Goose party in the Franklin street vestry, for the benefit of the church. Net proceeds, \$12.

Charles F. Park, jr., who is student department secretary for the International committee of the Y. M. C. A., spent Sunday at the seminary and addressed the young men of the school in the afternoon. Mr. Park speaks with an enthusiasm and directness that appeals to young men.

The visit of Bishop Walden will long be remembered by the students. The bishop conducted the chapel exercises Friday morning, and spoke briefly to the students, advising them to form the habit of correct and systematic reading.

During the day he visited different classes, and has commended the work of the various departments. In the evening he gave an address on "Africa and its Evangelization." The bishop's rich and varied experiences have given him a profound knowledge of this subject.

There was an unusually good game of baseball on the home grounds Saturday. Though Castine won by 7-6, the seminary team has the satisfaction of knowing it put up a good fight. The gate receipts were the largest received at a baseball game here in several years.

Thursday Coburn classical institute will play the seminary team at Bucksport. The first game with Kents Hill this season will be played in Bangor on Friday. The athletic association will run an excursion. The C. C. I. boys have arranged to remain over night at Bucksport and will attend the game at Bangor.

North Deer Isle. Elmer Hardy is in Rockland.

Mrs. Frank Haskell and daughter Ethel are in Rockland this week.

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alanzo Hutchinson died April 14.

Nesl Dow, of Sedgwick, is employed by Capt. Charles Babson at Ekemoggin.

Mrs. Ellis is visiting in Brooksville this week with her daughter, Mrs. Genevieve Allen.

Herbert Black, of Little Deer Isle, has gone to Beverly, Mass., where he has employment on a yacht.

Mrs. Mark Louch has returned from Boston, where she went recently for medical treatment. She is much improved in health.

Capt. Charles Haskell has arrived home from Pensacola, Fla., in schooner "Susan N. Pickering". The vessel is discharging in Bangor.

The remains of Mrs. Sarah E. Tilton, of Wareham, Mass., were brought here for interment last week. Deceased was a former resident of this place.

April 21. E. Eastbrook. Rev. D. B. Smith, of Franklin, preached here Sunday.

Mrs. Medora Bunker and daughter Minnie, of West Sullivan, were in town last week.

Mrs. Lucy Babcock, who has been stopping at Waltham during the winter, is ill at Mrs. Cora Kingman's.

Fred Billings and family, of Franklin, were in town last week to attend the wedding reception of his brother, Henry Billings.

One of Eastbrook's esteemed young men, Henry Billings, was recently married to Miss Myrtle Pickett, of Harrington. Their many friends wish them a long and happy married life.

April 21. B. Bluehill. Howard E. Stevens, of Chicago, formerly of Bluehill, has just announced his engagement to a Chicago society belle. It is expected that the wedding will take place shortly. Mr. Stevens is well known in Bluehill, where he was born and lived until a few years ago. He is a graduate of Bluehill academy and of the University of Maine, class of '97. He is one of the promising younger sons of the State of Maine, and has recognition in his chosen profession, that of civil engineer. He is a member of the Bluehill Baptist church. His old friends in Bluehill extend congratulations and wish him the happiness he deserves.

OBITUARY.

FLOSSIE P. EMERY.

The news of the death of Flossie P. Emery at Great Pond on Friday, caused sincere sorrow not only in the community where she had always lived, but throughout the county, where she has many friends, most of whom know her principally through her writings.

Flossie was born at Great Pond, Aug. 1, 1868, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James F. Emery. Handicapped through life by physical deformity, she possessed an intellect out of all proportion to the dwarfed body, and by improving her opportunities became an influence for the good and the beautiful that reached out beyond her own little circle.

She was a constant yet discriminating reader, selecting the best of current literature, and getting from it some pearls which she treasured in her own mind. She read not only the best fiction, but kept posted on national affairs and the doings of the wide world.

Not only a reader, she was also a bright and interesting writer, and has contributed many stories to magazines and papers. Several of her stories have appeared in THE AMERICAN. She was the regular correspondent of THE AMERICAN at Great Pond for many years, and a frequent contributor to the Mutual Benefit column, in which she took deep interest. Her broadness of view and the hopeful spirit are shown by her letters to the Mutual Benefit column. A few months ago, after a prolonged illness, she wrote:

It is hard to understand why there should be so much suffering in the world, but if we never had sickness or sorrow we could hardly realize how many good hearts there are around us.

A few weeks later she wrote:

My wondering over the sufferings of the world is because the whys and wherefores of nature's laws are sometimes hard to comprehend, not because I think all suffering is sent by our Creator.

I have no doubt there are many driven away from God by just the thought that He is the author of all their woes, and they see in Him only the stern judge, not the all-wise and loving Father. It may be said that as earthly parents inflict punishment, but a wise parent will give to each child just the training suited to its needs and temperament—for one, perhaps, the rod, and for another only loving counsel. Then how can we think that the heavenly Father, so infinitely wiser and more loving, whose desire is to win all men to Himself, will use means that will drive even one soul farther away? * * * * * If we but ask, He will gladly give us spiritual strength to endure physical weakness.

We do not all think alike, nor do I believe it necessary. There are many gates to the holy city; there must be as many roads leading thereto. What matter by which we travel so that we have the password at the end?

Surely Flossie possessed to a marked degree the "spiritual strength to endure physical weakness," of which she speaks. Only a few weeks ago, in her last letter to the column she says:

Truly "our mind to us a kingdom is", and the horizon ever widens before that eye of the mind which industriously seeks new interests, though it may be narrow indeed to our physical sight.

The words of this girl whose own life was so limited by physical suffering are a reproach to those who complain so often and so bitterly of their own little sufferings. Her mind rose above the afflictions of the body and she saw with clearer vision than many more favorably situated. Her life is a sermon, the influence of which will long be felt by those who have been brought in contact with it.

GEORGE ADDISON DODGE.

George Addison Dodge, son of the late Addison and Mary B. Dodge, died at Providence, R. I., April 11, aged sixty-five years.

He leaves a widow and son. Mr. Dodge left Ellsworth when a young man and settled in Providence. He was in the employ of Collins Steam Engine Mfg. Co. thirty-five years. He served in the Civil war, enlisting in a Rhode Island regiment. He was a member of the G. A. R., who attended the funeral in a body.

Mr. Dodge was a member of the United Train of Artillery, of Providence, and was lieutenant colonel for many years. He was one of the original members of the old Ellsworth brass band.

MISS MARY A. NEVILLS.

Miss Mary A. Nevills, of Ellsworth Falls, died in Boston Monday noon, after an illness of a few days of pneumonia. She had spent the winter with her sister in Springfield, and had stopped in Boston for a few weeks on her way home. Although an invalid for some years, Miss Nevills' death was sudden and unexpected.

Miss Nevills was the daughter of Mrs. Margaret Nevills, of Ellsworth Falls. She was dearly loved by a large circle of relatives and friends, her beautiful disposition making its influence felt on all who were brought in contact with her.

Besides her mother, she leaves three sisters, Mrs. Nellie Byrnes, of Springfield, Mrs. John Maroney and Miss Florence Nevills, of Boston, and one brother, John H. Nevills, of Bar Harbor. A sister, Mrs. Margaret Hughes, died last April.

Miss Nevills' remains were brought to her home here yesterday. Funeral services will be held at the Catholic church to-morrow morning at 9 o'clock.

Outdoor Weddings in May and June. It is a growing custom to celebrate country wedding, in May and June, outdoors. One of the prettiest of weddings took place last May in an orchard in full blossom, when Nature seemed to have decked herself for a bridal. Garlands of foliage suspended from tree to tree marked off the aisle—those of white flowers indicating the place where the bridal party was to stand.

To Cure a Cold in One Day. Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

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The Art of Pleasing.

The art of pleasing, which used to be considered quite enough of a profession to satisfy the soul of any female, seems to-day, in the reaction against such an extreme view, in some danger of being thrust into a place dishonorable.

True, it takes time to acquire this gentle and valuable art, and true, it takes money indirectly, for time is coin for the modern woman, whose work is worth its hire. But no amount of direct money earned or inherited can buy the genuine art to please. It is born with some women, as intangible as a gossamer web, seemingly a nothing until it clings about the face in a fine walk, not to be lightly brushed aside. To deliberately acquire and weave so delicate a fibre takes, not coin, but heart and hand labor.

"Now," asks the modern woman, "is it to be demanded of me to keep up my public career, my home life, my social duties, my power to dress well, and cultivate also the art of pleasing?"

Unless you do all this and more, madame or mademoiselle, you are not a typical modern woman. The blown feminine flower of this decade must have the broadening influence of a public career, the sweetening of home life, the power which social influence undoubtedly gives, and the arts of dressing well and of pleasing must be included under the general heading, "womanly."

How one human body can support this many-sided strain is an end of the century marvel, but women are noted down the ages for their powers of endurance, and certain it is if they now let slip but a single one of all these gradually acquired attributes, they will miss it sadly at every turn.

Letter to A. H. Joy,

Ellsworth.

Dear Sir: You sell a good many things by the gallon. Being a decent man, you give full measure.

You know what we mean; you know that short weight and short measure are common among—well, we hope there are no short measures and weights in your town.

There are, though. Ribbons and laces and trimmings, sold by the "dozen," measure nine or ten yards. There is no complaint, because "they all do it." You have the same plague in your goods—nearly everything, canned or bottled, cheats in the quantity. Almost nobody gives full weight in a factory-package!

We are one of the almost nobodies. We sell paint by the gallon, to paint your house; and our gallon is just the same size as yours that measure vinegar with—231 cubic inches.

Good paint too—Devoe lead and zinc—wears twice as long as old-fashion palster's paint—lead and oil.

You own a house. That's why we are writing to you. Yours truly,

F. W. DEVOE & CO.

BORN.

BISSET—At Bluehill, April 17, to Mr and Mrs William P. Bisset, a daughter.

CARTER—At West Ellsworth, April 15, to Mr and Mrs Alden V. Carter, a son.

BLAISDELL—At Rockland, April 16, to Mr and Mrs Fred H. Blaisdell, a son.

GILES—At Franklin, April 14, to Mr and Mrs W. E. Giles, a son.

HUTCHINSON—At Stoughton, April 17, to Mr and Mrs Timothy Hutchinson, a daughter.

ROBBINS—At Stoughton, April 16, to Mr and Mrs Charles William Robbins, a son.

THOMPSON—At Bluehill, April 19, to Mr and Mrs William D. Thompson, a daughter.

MARRIED.

FICKETT—BILLINGS—At Franklin, April 19, by Rev. W. H. Pownall, Miss Myrtle Fickett, of Bluehill, to Henry H. Billings, of Eastbrook.

HASKELL—GASPAR—At Revere, Mass., April 15, by Rev. William B. C. Merry, Miss Sarah E. Haskell, of Ellsworth, and Ernest E. Gaspar, both of Somerville, Mass.

MOON—WHALEN—At Bar Harbor, April 16, by E. S. Clark, esq., Miss Grace Moon, of Bluehill, and John Whalen, both of Bar Harbor.

PEABODY—CROWLEY—At Gouldsboro, April 20, by S. R. Roffe, esq., Miss E. A. Peabody to Joseph Y. Crowley, both of Corea.

DIED.

DODGE—At Providence, R. I., April 11, George Addison Dodge, formerly of Ellsworth, aged 65 years.

EMERY—At Great Pond, April 18, Miss Flossie P. Emery, aged 33 years, 8 months, 18 days.

HOOPER—At Franklin, April 15, Roy Hooper, aged 19 years.

HUTCHINSON—At Stoughton, April 17, infant daughter of Mr and Mrs Timothy Hutchinson.

NEVILLS—At Boston, April 21, Miss Mary A. Nevills, of Ellsworth Falls, aged 42 years, 5 months.

TOOLE—At Amherst, April 13, Mrs. Julia A. Toole, aged 37 years, 1 month, 29 days.

MARINE LIST.

Ellsworth Port. ARRIVED Wednesday, April 16 Sch Wm Edlie, Closson, Bar Harbor SAILED Saturday, April 19 Sch Game Cock, Pratt, Weymouth, lumber, Ellsworth Lumber Co. Sch Wm Edlie, Closson, Bar Harbor, bricks, H B Phillips

Tuesday, April 22 Sch Carrossa, Harvey, Rockland, lumber, C J T. Sch Storm Petrel, Bonsey, Rondout, staves, Whitcomb, Haynes & Co

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Railroads and Steamers.

MAINE CENTRAL RAILROAD. Commencing March 26, 1902. BAR HARBOR TO BANGOR.

Table with columns for station names and times. Includes Bar Harbor, Sorrento, Sullivan, Mt Desert Ferry, Waukeag, S. Fy, Hancock, Franklin Road, Washington Jc, ELLSWORTH, Ellsworth Falls, Nicoll, Green Lake, Lake House, Holden, Brewer Junction, Bangor, Ex. St, BANGOR, M. C., Portland, Boston.

BANGOR TO BAR HARBOR. P. M. A. M. Boston, Portland, BANGOR, Bangor, Ex. St, Brewer Junction, Holden, Lake House, Green Lake, Nicoll, Ellsworth Falls, ELLSWORTH, Washington Jc, Franklin Road, Hancock, Brewer Junction, Waukeag, S. Fy, Mt. Desert Ferry, Sullivan, Sorrento, BAR HARBOR.

*Leave Boston Sundays at 7.00 p. m. Stop on signal or notice to Conductor. These trains connect at Bangor, with through trains on Main Line to and from Portland, Boston and St. John.

Tickets for All Points South and West on sale at the M. C. R. R. ticket office, Ellsworth. Passengers are requested to procure tickets before entering the train, and especially Ellsworth to Falls and Falls to Ellsworth.

Geo. F. Evans, Vice-Pres. and Gen'l Manager. F. E. BOOTHBY, Gen'l Pass. and Ticket Ag't.

EASTERN Steamship Company. Mt. Desert Division. SPRING SCHEDULE.

Commencing Tuesday, April 1, 1902, steamer "Mount Desert", Capt. F. L. Winterbotham, leaves Bar Harbor Mondays, Wednesdays and Saturdays at 10 a. m., for Seal Harbor, Northeast Harbor, Southwest Harbor and Stoughton, and connecting at Rockland with steamer for Boston.

RETURNING. From Boston, Mondays and Thursdays at 5 p. m. From Rockland, Tuesdays and Fridays at 5 to 6 a. m., touching at Stoughton, Southwest Harbor, Northeast Harbor, Seal Harbor, and Bar Harbor.

E. S. J. MORSE, Agent, Bar Harbor. CALVIN AUSTIN, Vice-president and Gen'l Mgr., 268 Atlantic ave., Boston. Rockland, Bluehill & Ellsworth Steamship Co.

BLUEHILL LINE. Four Trips Per Week. 1902. Commencing Saturday, April 12, steamer will leave Rockland upon arrival of Boston steamer every Wednesday and Saturday, for Dark Harbor, Southwest Harbor, Little Deer Isle, Sargentville, Deer Lake, Sedgwick, Brooklin, South Bluehill, Bluehill, Surry and Ellsworth (stage from Surry), and will leave Ellsworth on every Monday and Thursday (stage to Surry), at 6.30 o'clock, Surry 7 o'clock a. m., for Rockland via above landings, connecting with steamer for Boston.

RETURNING. Will leave Rockland upon arrival of steamer from Boston, every Tuesday and Friday for Dark Harbor, Little Deer Isle, Sargentville, Deer Lake, Sedgwick and Brooklin, returning same day from same landings. South Brooksville—Will land Wednesdays going eastward, and Mondays going westward. West Tremont—Will land Saturdays going eastward, and Thursdays going westward.

Note—This company will comply with above schedule, except in event of unavoidable causes of delay to its steamers. Will not leave Rockland before 5 a. m. on any passage. Daily trip schedule will be in effect June 1 to October 1. O. A. CROCKETT, Manager, Rockland, Me., April 9, 1902.

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Southwest Harbor.
Mrs. J. T. H. Freeman returned from a month's visit to Rockland last week. Her sister, Mrs. Johnston, of Oregon, will go to Washington, Me., to visit her brother before her return home.

Mrs. Eliza Robinson is making a few weeks' visit to her brother, Capt. James B. Higgins, at Birch Harbor. Mr. Higgins has been in critical health for a year or two from partial paralysis.

The Methodist aid society gave a most enjoyable entertainment at Tremont hall Friday night. Mrs. Jarley's Wax Works was ably presented by Mrs. Eben Richardson, whose graphic description of her "figgers", and local witticisms were appreciated by a large audience. The characters behaved admirably, and upon being wound up made a very creditable performance. Several other pleasing features, with refreshments, satisfied the patrons. A nice sum of money was added to the treasury.

One of the most notable events of the many social affairs here was the banquet given by Rowena Lodge of Rebekahs on Saturday night in honor of the sister lodges of Ellsworth and Bar Harbor. Odd Fellows hall, where the reception was held, was beautifully decorated with potted plants and cut flowers. The banquet hall, when the tables were spread, was a pretty and artistic sight. More than fifty guests were present, while Rowena Lodge was out in full force, nearly 200 partaking of the varied and appetizing menu prepared by the entertaining "Beckies".

A box of fifty volumes has recently been purchased for Tremont public library, and will be ready for circulation in another week. Most of the books are of the new and popular class. Letters lately received by members of the library association show that Albert Matthews, of New York, still keeps up a lively interest in this library, as evidenced by a generous gift. The library will soon be open every evening in the week, under charge of the "Y's", not for distribution of books except on the regular night, but for the social pleasure of the reading room with the privilege of the table of daily papers and current magazines.

April 21. SPRAY.
Manser.
Schooner "Leona", of Rockport, arrived Monday with 550 hogsheads of salt for B. H. Mayo.

Capt. W. R. Keene is getting his little steamer "Blismarck", in readiness for the summer season.

Capt. William Ward went to the Maine general hospital, Portland, Monday, for operation for cancer on his tongue.

Capt. Al Turner visited Manset this week with his new schooner recently launched at Boothbay. Everybody admired this trim little craft.

John S. Hopkins, fish dealer, has just received a cargo of 225 hogsheads of salt by schooner "T. W. Cooper", of East Machias.

Rev. Dean A. Walker, of Southwest Harbor, gave an interesting stereopticon lecture at the church Friday evening, under the auspices of the Y. P. S. C. E.

Many friends in this vicinity will be glad to hear from old neighbors now on the Pacific coast. Clarence A. Moore, writing to THE AMERICAN from Port Townsend, Wash., says: "My brother, F. S. Moore, has moved his family to Seattle, as his business called him there during the past winter. He is at present in command of the steamship 'Newport' carrying mails from Juneau (Alaska) to Unalaska, with twenty-two stops at mail stations. Z. S. Moore is in command of steamship 'Excelsior' on the route from Seattle to Valdez. A. H. Moore is at Nome. My father, W. C. Moore, is well satisfied with the West, and has enjoyed good health until about three weeks ago, when in Seattle, while alighting from an electric car it was started and he was thrown. His shoulder was dislocated. He is gaining as fast as can be expected. My mother is enjoying as good health here as she did in Maine. I am well satisfied, but should enjoy a ride on the electric from Ellsworth through the neighboring towns."

Surry.
Mrs. J. D. McGraw went to Lubec Tuesday on business, returning Saturday.

Road Commissioner J. H. Hecqott is doing some good work on the highways.

Sterling Anderson, after being confined to the house several days by illness, is out again.

Ernest Moon, of East Surry, moved into the H. A. Gasper house at the village Friday.

Miss Edith Anderson paid a short visit to her home in Surry last week. Miss Anderson is a nurse in the insane asylum at Bangor.

Rev. P. S. Collins started Monday by team to visit his parents in Lincoln county. He is expected to return Saturday. Mr. Collins expects to move from Surry in about three weeks. He has had two or three calls from different churches, one of them the Baptist church in Canton, but has not fully decided which he will accept.

April 21. G.
Don't Waste Your Money
On something said to be just as good. Get the True "E. F." Atwood's Bitters the first time and be relieved of your bilious headache.—Advt.

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East Sullivan.
W. L. Guptill, of Gouldsboro, was in town Saturday.

Hollis Leighton and wife visited at their old homes last week, in Unionville.

John Dorly grange entertained forty-seven visiting delegates from Steuben and Gouldsboro granges, Friday evening.

Rev. B. W. Russell preached the last sermon of the conference year yesterday. His congregation is hoping for his return.

Several from here attended the concert given by the Winter Harbor band at West Gouldsboro, Friday evening. It was a musical treat.

April 21. H.

OBITUARY.
The death of Mrs. Abby Hill Campbell in Cherryfield April 12, caused sorrow to many friends and relatives here. The Cherryfield Times says of her:

In all respects she was a most exemplary woman, always manifesting an untiring interest in the welfare of her family, nor was she unmindful of the claims that society has upon each and all in doing good, by kindly deeds and charitable work, and with these devoted the duty of wielding an influence for the right in all things.

In church work Mrs. Campbell was a constant and most valuable worker, having since 1859 been a member of the Baptist church of this town. During her relations with this society she has been a foremost worker in promoting its interests in behalf of the gospel and the advancement of the moral and social condition of the community as well.

Mrs. Campbell, whose age was sixty-seven years, came of one of the old and influential families of East Sullivan, being a daughter of Nahum and Hannah Worcester Hill, and was one of a family of thirteen children. The surviving members are William Hill, East Sullivan, Mrs. E. H. Harding, Auburndale, Mass., Mrs. A. H. Ginn, Bucksport, and Mrs. Daniel S. Emery, a twin sister, Boston.

Besides a husband, Mrs. Campbell leaves three sons, Nahum H. Campbell, Seattle, Wash., A. G. and D. W. Campbell, 31, Boston; and two daughters, Mrs. Dwight Baldwin, Allston, Mass., and Miss Alice Campbell, Cherryfield.

East Bluehill.
Mrs. S. Watson Cousins is quite ill.

Ellis Stansfield is working at Hardwick, Vt.

Joseph Hutchins and Frank Candage are working at Stonington.

C. H. Wardwell, A. B. Leach and Ed. J. Carter are at work in Vinahaven.

Henry G. York reports that the buoy in rudder rock channel near Lazy Gut is gone.

Schools began this morning. Teachers: grammar school, Emma B. Love; primary, Alice M. Wescott.

Howard P. Greene came home a few days ago, threatened with typhoid fever. He is now out of danger.

Carrie P. Webber went to Ellsworth last Monday, where she has obtained employment as housekeeper.

The launch "Glyde" went to Stonington with several passengers last Wednesday, and returned Thursday morning. She made the trip home in three hours.

Alfred E. Webber was one of the passengers in the "Glyde" to Stonington last Wednesday. He reports that he organized there a lodge of Federation of Labor with forty members.

As C. H. Curtis was returning from Ellsworth last Friday, his horse was taken sick. Mr. Curtis stopped at the Knowles place, between Surry village and Morgan's Bay, where the horse died three hours later.

S. Watson Cousins, who has been employed as a granite cutter at Mount Waldo, returned last Thursday. On his way home he stopped to visit his son Harry, who is a student at the Bucksport seminary. Mr. Cousins speaks highly of the affability of the teachers and of the thoroughness of the instruction. By invitation he attended a meeting of the students' literary society, and listened to the discussion that evening. He says he was surprised at the evident study and research that the boys had given to the subject and the marked ability displayed by some of the students in the debate.

April 21. G.

Sullivan.
Ois Hinman is again suffering from an acute attack of rheumatism.

Mrs. George Dunbar is in Cherryfield visiting the relatives of her late husband.

Ralph C. Emery was in town last week, called here by the death of his aunt, Mrs. Charles Campbell, of Cherryfield.

Rev. B. W. Russell preached his last sermon in the church here Sunday evening and left the next morning for the annual conference at Caribou. It is hoped that he will be returned to this charge.

Miss Susie Simpson, who has spent the winter in Dorchester with Capt. Bennis' family and Rev. and Mrs. Sanderson, came back to her home here last Thursday, greatly benefited in health. She reports a delightful winter. The Bennis' will return next week.

Mr. and Mrs. Moses Baker will reach the fiftieth milestone of their lives together on Thursday. They are both past eighty, and tolerably well preserved for the lives behind them. Mr. Baker was a soldier in the Civil war and Mrs. Baker has been nurse in many families.

Mrs. C. A. Moon, who has recently returned from an extended visit to her son Fred in California, has just completed the knitting of a lovely bed quilt containing 327 squares of the "star pattern". This is the third quilt of the same pattern she has completed within a year, one for each of her children—Fred in California, Calvin in Portsmouth, and Mr. Albert Tilton, of Franklin Falls, N. H., thus knitting nearly three thousand of these squares. This quilt is very much admired by all who have seen it.

April 21. R.

Seogwec.
In the annual number of the West Coast Lumberman it is stated that the leading lumber mill of Tacoma, that of St. Paul & Tacoma Co., in its combined output of lumber and shingles in 1901, exceeded in value and volume that of any other mill

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on the continent of North America. Its output in round numbers was 100,000,000 feet of lumber, 100,000,000 shingles and 10,000,000 lath. This undoubtedly justifies the assertion that the St. Paul & Tacoma lumber company has the largest output of any lumber mill in the world. Roland Carlton, a former Sedgwick boy, is employed at this mill.

Bar Harbor.
MEMORIAL RESOLUTIONS.
At a stated communication of Bar Harbor lodge, No. 185, F. and A. M., held Thursday evening, April 17, the following resolutions were adopted:

Again we have been called to bow in submission to the will of the Divine Master in calling from the subordinate lodge below to the celestial lodge above, our most worthy and esteemed brother and past master, Christopher Starr Lefsgaard.

The familiar figure which for almost a quarter of a century we have so often met, we shall meet no more on earth, and the kindly greeting we have so many times received from our brother, we shall hear no more until we too shall have answered the summons and are gathered into that land where our fathers have gone before. His voice is hushed on earth but his memory we cherish in our hearts.

While with sad and sorrowing hearts we record the loss of our departed brother, yet in and through and above it all there is the comforting assurance that a crown of rejoicing awaits those who have fought a good fight, who have kept the faith.

The fraternal ties which bound our brother to us have been snapped asunder. The Master's call "Brother, come up higher", came and obedient to the call he laid down his implements here below to enter the higher life beyond.

Our lodge has lost one of its most worthy and honored members, for whom we deeply and sincerely mourn, whose words of advice and encouragement we shall greatly miss, and as the tenets of our profession were exemplified in the life of our brother so may the influence of his association with us make us in a large degree worthy the respect shown for him.

The community has lost an honored and respected citizen, one who was held in high esteem by all who knew him. The sorrowing and distressed ever found in Bro. Lefsgaard a friend and sympathizer, and many are the hearts that have been comforted by his kind words and made to feel that he was indeed their friend.

To his immediate family in their great affliction we extend our most sincere and heartfelt sympathies.

Resolved, That in token of our esteem and respect for our departed brother, the charter and regalia of our lodge be draped in mourning for the space of thirty days, that these resolutions be entered upon our lodge records, a copy sent to the family of the deceased, and that copies be sent to the Bar Harbor Record and THE ELLSWORTH AMERICAN for publication.

CHARLES F. PALME,
L. A. LEACH,
EBEN K. WHITTAKER,
Committee on resolutions.

Penobscot.
Mrs. W. J. Creamer is in Boston on business.

Wells F. Wardwell, who has been away from home several months coasting, is at home.

Charles O. Hutchins, who has been seriously ill for some time, went to the Bangor hospital Saturday.

C. W. Leach, who has been in Waterville a short time employed on the quarry, has returned home on account of an injury he received from a falling stone.

Teachers for the spring terms which begin May 5 have been placed as follows: Cove district, Lucy Perkins; Bay district, Emma W. Hincley; Leach district, Fausta Grindle; Wilson district, Mary L. Jaques; North Penobscot, Alice A. Perkins; Marks corner, Lucy Patten; Charles Perkins district, Dora M. Leach; Dunbar district, Lida Perkins; Devereux district, Elvira Austin; Farnham district, Mamie L. Sperry.

April 14. SUBA.

Cranberry Isles.
Miss Mamie F. Spurling is studying music in Bangor.

Mrs. Katie Gilley, after six months at Islesford, has returned home.

Mrs. Fred Bracy and children have returned from Rye, N. H., where they spent the winter.

J. H. Pressey and Augustus Freeburg have commenced work for the season in the Seal Harbor market.

William P. Preble celebrated his ninety-first birthday on Sunday, April 6. He received letters and words of congratulation from friends and neighbors. Mr. Preble retains his faculties to a remarkable degree.

April 14. R.

Franklin Road.
John Marshall is employed at Washington Junction.

Miss Della Clark is spending a few weeks at Boston.

Mrs. Sarah Norris, of West Hancock, is visiting Mrs. John Marshall.

Charles Lindsey of Winter Harbor, spent a few days last week with his grandmother, Mrs. Sarah Robinson.

Mrs. Martha Marshall, of West Hancock, is visiting her son, John Marshall, and her brother, Nelson Stewart.

Maurice French, formerly station agent here, with his wife, visited her mother, Mrs. Mark Mullan, a few weeks recently.

April 14. G.

East Franklin.
Miss Rena Maud Blaisdell, who has been seriously ill for the past eight weeks, is slowly recovering.

Roy Hooper, after a long and painful illness of consumption, died Tuesday, April 15, and was buried from the Methodist church Thursday. Rev. B. W. Russell, of Sullivan, officiated. Roy was loved by all who knew him.

April 21. M. P.

Mount Desert Ferry.
Charles Pomroy is in the hospital at Bangor.

Mrs. Mabel Pomroy is visiting relatives in Bangor.

E. Eugene Moon has moved his family to North Sullivan.

April 14. YANKEAPOO.

"I had a running, itching sore on my leg. Suffered tortures. Doan's Ointment took away the burning and itching instantly, and quickly effected permanent cure." C. W. Lenthart, Bowling Green, O.—Advt.

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March 11.
Arthur Wood has rheumatic fever.

Miss Ethel Stover has gone to Franklin to teach school.

Capt. H. P. Johnson, of Boston, is at the Pendleton house.

F. P. Merrill has been ill with a severe attack of the grip.

Irving Osgood, of Ellsworth, was in town on business last week.

Miss Flora Hincley is employed in the office of J. E. Bunker, Jr., at Bar Harbor.

E. F. Hincley, superintendent of the Chase Granite Co., is in New York on business.

Joseph Johnson, superintendent of the White Granite Co., has put on a crew of quarrymen.

Ed. Gray has moved his family from the Conary house into one of Andrew Grindle's cottages on the "Acre".

John Snow is improving the appearance of his house in the village by the addition of a piazza across the front and southern end.

The village schools began Monday, April 14. Miss Nellie Douglass teaches in the grammar school, and Miss Julia Saunders in the primary department.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Osgood celebrated the eighth anniversary of their marriage at their home Friday evening, April 18. Over twenty of the relatives were present.

Dunbar Marshall, of Longwood, Miss., has rented his cottage at Parker Point to C. H. Bartlett, who occupied the Hooper house last year. The Hooper house has been sold to John Teagle, of Cleveland, Ohio.

There is more interest in the real estate business than has been known here since the mining excitement of twenty years ago, but it is hardly safe to mention what transfers of property have been reported until the statements are substantiated.

AMATEUR DRAMA.
The Breezy Point club presented the drama "A King's Daughter", in the town hall Friday evening, to a large and appreciative audience. Following is the cast of characters:

Mrs. Graham.....Emma G. Osgood
Aunt Clarissa.....Fannie Stover
Rebecca Spencer, who thinks herself one of the girls.....Eliza L. Herrick
The King's Daughters:
Helen Graham, Mrs. Graham's daughter,
Lena M. Hincley
Florence Baldwin.....Lizzie Grindle
Kitty Greene.....Sadie Snow
Sallie Browning, a Kodak fiend,
Beulah Barnham
Ruth Adams.....Edith Kane
Beth Hamlin.....Fosta Hincley
Mabel Morris, whose genius burns,
Florence Morse

Folly Graham, who would like to be a King's Daughter.....Etel Stover
Nan Graham, Mrs. Graham's niece,
Emma Jean McHowell

The individual parts were finely taken "The Dairy-Maids' Drill" was perfect in every part and movement. The costumes of blue and pluk, the precision and gracefulness of the marching, counter-marching and various attitudes introduced in the drill, the singing of the dairy-maids and the tinkling of the bells were indeed "pleasing and effective". The drill was under the direction of Mrs. Abbie Stover. Miss Lilian Kane and Miss Maud Wardwell were among the "dairy-maids". Miss Alice Mayo was pianist for the drill and songs, and with her mother, played several piano duets during the evening.

April 21. M.

MEMORIAL RESOLUTIONS.
Whereas, It has seemed good to the Almighty Dispenser of Events to remove from our midst our late worthy and esteemed comrade, John M. Wessel; and

Whereas, The intimate relations long held by the deceased with the members of the James A. Garfield post, No. 46, G. A. R., render it proper that we should drap our charter for thirty days and place upon record our appreciation of him as a soldier and comrade and his merits as a man; therefore

Resolved, That we deplore the loss of our comrade with deep feelings of regret, softened only by the confident hope that his spirit is with those who, having fought the good fight here, are enjoying perfect happiness in a better world.

Resolved, That we tender to his afflicted widow and relatives our sincere condolence and earnest sympathy in their affliction at the loss of one who was a good citizen, a devoted comrade and an upright man.

Resolved, That a copy of the foregoing resolutions be transmitted to the widow and relatives of the deceased, also to THE ELLSWORTH AMERICAN for publication.

Geo. W. BLODGETT,
MARK H. GRINDLE,
THOMAS S. OSGOOD,
Committee on Resolutions.

Castine.
NORMAL SCHOOL NOTES.

The exercises of graduation of the Eastern State normal school at Castine will take place Thursday, June 5. The class parts have been assigned as follows: Valedictory, Beulah M. Sylvester, Castine; salutatory, Stephen W. Cash, Walte; history, Josie M. Gray, Surry; essays, Esther F. Farnham, Orland; Ethel M. Peabody, Milbridge; Sophia H. Coffin, Ashland. The class numbers fifty, the same as last year.

The selection of those for class parts is made by a ballot of the teachers and the members of the class, as has been the custom for many years. This is always satisfactory to all, and the utmost harmony and good feeling prevail. Rank is not considered, even by the teachers, and the pupils do not know the standing of their classmates, as the rank is not published. All desire to have the class well represented and to select such as are deserving.

An entertainment was given at Normal hall Friday evening for the benefit of the school library, and ninety stereopticon views were exhibited, illustrating the Pan-American exposition.

Saturday, April 19, a large number of students and citizens of the town accompanied our base ball team to Bucksport, where the opening game of the season was played with the E. M. C. S. team. The game proved most exciting for both parties. It took our boys some time to get used to the diamond, and at first the

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Prospect Harbor.
Ernest Rice and wife are receiving congratulations upon the birth of a daughter.

W. P. Hewins and family, of Boston, arrived Wednesday, and have opened "Unceas Rest" for the summer.

Mrs. Eliza Robinson, of Southwest Harbor, has been spending a few days with her cousin, Mrs. J. M. Williams.

Miss Ella Tracy, who has been a guest of Mrs. C. C. Larrabee for a few weeks, has returned to her home in Gouldsboro.

Daniel Libby, of Gouldsboro, who served as engineer at the factory for several seasons, is again engaged for this season, and commenced work Wednesday.

Halcyon assembly of Pythian sisterhood worked the first degree at its regular meeting Tuesday night. A large attendance, a generous treat, with cut flowers in evidence, marked it as one of the pleasantest gatherings for the spring.

Business has been brisk around the wharves lately. Nelson Morse had a vessel discharging a cargo for his lumber yard. C. C. Hutchings had another unloading materials for his new cottage, and two packets were discharging freight for the different stores.

April 19. C.
Rev. J. L. Pinkerton leaves this morning to attend conference.

The selectmen have a room at Mrs. Sarah Cole's and are at work assessing the taxes.

J. B. Cole has been grading around his new house, which has greatly improved the appearance of his place.

R. W. Nutter and wife, of Brooklyn, have arrived at the home of their daughter, Mrs. Charles Blance, Jr., for the summer.

J. B. Cole has returned from Portland. He has secured a position on the road for Cook, Everett & Pennell and Hanaford Bros. and is to commence work at once.

Schoolie lodge, K. of P., worked the second rank on two candidates at its regular meeting Saturday night. The Pythian sisterhood furnished supper in the dining room.

April 21. C.
South Surry.
Mrs. E. H. Torrey is visiting her sister in Ellsworth.

Mrs. Calvin Young spent last week with her parents in Bluehill.

Mrs. Sarah Trowgory, who has been visiting her mother, has returned to Howland.

Miss Anna Young spent a few days in Ellsworth last week, the guest of Miss Annie Kingsbury.

Capt. W. C. Bellamy and family, of Ellsworth, spent last Sunday with C. B. Coggins and wife.

Mrs. C. H. Getndie, of Brooklyn, came last Saturday to remain a few days with her brother and sister, Capt. Uzial Curtis and Mrs. Asenath Curtis.

Rodney Emerton, Eddie Curtis and Henry Young are employed at Bar Harbor. Harvard Curtis is at Seal Harbor. E. O. Boussey is at Stonington at work.

Rev. J. D. McGraw, Methodist, preached his last sermon of the convention year last Sunday at Morgan's Bay church. Rev. P. S. Collins, Baptist, whose resignation takes effect the first of May, will preach his last sermon in this place next Sunday.

April 21.
Lamoine.
Miss Eva Linscott is in Bangor, employed in dressmaking.

Frank L. Hodgkins has recently added a bath-room to his cottage.

Capt. Charles Hodgkins has arrived home for a stay of several months.

Mrs. Shepard Cousins has returned from Ellsworth much improved in health.

Capt. G. B. Hodgkins, who is in the Massachusetts general hospital from the effects of a fall, is slowly recovering, but it is feared that he will always be lame.

The juniors held a very enjoyable social at C. E. hall last Friday evening. About \$50 was received from admission and candy sale. Next Friday evening the Christian Endeavorers will hold a social at the same place.

April 21. H.

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