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China & Japan Tea Co.—Tea, coffee and spices.
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ELLSWORTH FALLS:
Henry H. Sargent—Cautions notice.
BOSTON:
Dana Estes & Co.—Mrs Tree.
NEW YORK:
The Century Co.—The Century.
MISCELLANEOUS:
Violel.

SCHEDULE OF MAILED AT ELLSWORTH POST-OFFICE. In effect October 13, 1902.

GOING EAST—7:16 a. m., 6:08 p. m.
GOING WEST—11:56 a. m., 5:31 and 9:47 p. m.
MAIL CLOSURE AT POST-OFFICE.
GOING EAST—6:30 a. m., 5:30 p. m.
GOING WEST—11:30 a. m., 5 and 9:15 p. m.
SUNDAY:
Mail train from the west arrives at 7:15 a. m.
Leaves for the west at 6:08 p. m. Mail closes for
the west 5:30 p. m.

Mrs. P. B. Day has returned from a visit
to Boston.

Rev. J. P. Simonton will preach at Bay-
side next Sunday afternoon.

Rev. David Kerr will preach at Tren-
ton next Sunday afternoon.

M. Gallert returned yesterday from a
short business trip to Boston.

Miss Mary C. Stuart has returned from
a visit of several weeks in Boston.

Mrs. C. I. Welch, who has been visiting
friends and relatives in Boston, is home.

Rev. J. P. Simonton returned last Fri-
day from a trip to Rockport and Booth-
bay.

Willis Dunn, who has been at work for
some time in a Brockton shoe factory, is
home.

Hoyt A. Moore has gone to Cambridge
to resume his studies at the Harvard law
school.

Rev. Arthur Thompson, of Tremont,
has been a guest at the Methodist parson-
age this week.

Rev. J. D. McGraw, of Surry, preached
at the Methodist church last Sunday in
exchange with the pastor.

Albert M. Hopkins, the veteran Main
street merchant, celebrated his seventy-
fifth birthday last Saturday.

Esoteric lodge, F. and A. M., will work
the third degree to-morrow evening. A
banquet will be served at 6:30.

The November meeting of the Associated
Chambers will be held at Manning hall
next Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Guy Grindie, the assailant of Mrs. Lit-
tlefield at Penobscot, was taken to Au-
gusta by Sheriff Whitcomb yesterday.

Thomas E. Lee is slowly recovering
from the effects of a fever with which he
has been confined to the house for about
two weeks.

A government fish car is expected to
arrive at Green Lake to-day. A liberal
distribution of fry from the hatchery will
soon be made.

There will be a union service at the
Baptist church next Sunday evening.
The sermon will be by Rev. J. P. Simonton,
of the Methodist church.

A meeting is being held this afternoon
in the vestry of the Unitarian church to
make preparation for the annual fair
which is to be held in December.

Prof. C. J. H. Ropes, of Bangor, who
last week suffered a slight apoplectic
stroke, is considered out of danger, and
complete recovery is anticipated.

Mrs. Nellie Donovan, of this city, has
purchased the Agamont house, Main
street, Bar Harbor, and will, after repair-
ing it, run it as a boarding-house.

Staples, Smith & Moody are having their
store on Franklin street enlarged. The
partition in the rear has been removed,
and a small office built in one corner.

The late Hon. J. H. Drummond, who
died in Portland Saturday, and was buried
yesterday with masonic honors, was a
charter member of Blanquefort Command-
ery, of this city.

Superintendent George E. Greeley, of
the Union Shoe Manufacturing Co., re-
turned Monday from a three days' hunt-
ing trip in the vicinity of Patten. He

trophy was a fine buck deer, with wint
hunters call a 10-point head. The deer
dressed 175 pounds. It is on exhibition
in C. F. Davis & Co.'s market.

The two new stores in the Hagerth
building on Main street will be ready for
occupancy next week. R. J. Leach will
occupy one as a market, and Lewis A.
Joy the other as a harness shop.

A fine exhibition of football was given
at Wyman park last Saturday afternoon
when the Ellsworth high school boys met
the Y. M. C. A. football team of Bar Har-
bor. The visitors won by a score of 6 to 0.

The Ellsworth Shoe Co. has about com-
pleted its organization, and B. F. Thomas,
who has been the prime mover in the
scheme, says he expects to begin imme-
diately the work of fitting up the factory.

Mr. and Mrs. John S. Richardson, of
Manchester, N. H., who are well known
in this city, where they have many
friends, celebrated the twenty-fifth anniv-
ersary of their marriage yesterday,
October 28.

H. B. Phillips lost a valuable cow last
week by a peculiar accident. The animal
was found in the field in the rear of the
stable with her head in a hole, in which
there was water. It is supposed that she
fell, and got her head caught and was
drowned.

Many things happened last Wednesday
evening to prevent a large attendance at
the meeting for reorganization of the
Ellsworth festival chorus. A committee
was chosen to secure the names of all who
wish to join, and if a sufficient number is
secured, the chorus will be continued.

At the Friday afternoon exercises of the
high school last week the question of
immigration was discussed in the affirma-
tive by Marlon Wyman and Leon Rowe;
in the negative by Lettie Moore and
Howard Rollins. Fred Maloney presented
Current Events and Annie Louise Lord
and Harry Laffin read the school paper.

William Gray and Martin Phillips, of
Ellsworth Falls, were before Judge Peters
in the municipal court last Monday
charged with larceny of vegetables from
the barn on the Jolly farm property at
Bayside, belonging to J. B. Redman. The
evidence did not seem strong enough to
hold the prisoners, and they were dis-
charged.

Mrs. Sarah Woods, wife of Charles O.
Woods, of this city, died last Saturday
at West Jonesport, after a long
illness, aged thirty-two years. Fun-
eral services were held Tuesday after-
noon at the home of her sister, Mrs.
Bickford, Rev. Mr. Whittier, of the
Baptist church, officiating. Interment
was at West Jonesport.

Sunrise council, D. of L., expects to
visit Pride of the East council, Bluehill,
on Nov. 3. Members who wish to go are
desired to attend the next meeting of the
order in Odd Fellows' hall to-morrow
evening, and to make their desire man-
ifest, so that accommodations can be pro-
vided. The meetings of the order will
hereafter be held in Odd Fellows' hall.

Charles Hurley met with a painful ac-
cident last Friday while assisting L. B.
Wyman in running the tow line between
Ellsworth and Hancock. Hurley picked
up an axe and started to whittle a stick;
the axe slipped and went into his foot.
Unfortunately the axe was sharp, and had
it not been for the heavy shoe, he would
have lost his foot. As it was several
stitches had to be taken.

E. H. Greeley will keep his stable at
Maplewood park, Bangor, through the
winter. The string will include Beatrice
2:20 1/2, Bingen's First, Columbo and a lot
of colts. There has been some curiosity
as to just why Mr. Greeley winters these
fast ones so far from his home, but we
suspect that the reason is that he likes to
have a good one near at hand when they
get out on the Hampden road with their
fast nags.—Turf, Farm and Home.

James E. Parsons, who returned last
week from the G. A. R. convention at
Washington, tells with much pleasure of
his meeting there with an old friend and
comrade whom he last saw on June 1,
1864, lying, as he supposed, mortally
wounded, on the field at Bethesda church.
It was Sergt. Samuel J. Lockwood, of
Oregon. Both belonged to the 35th
Wisconsin.

James E. Parsons came home last Sat-
urday night after an absence of three weeks.
While away he attended the G. A. R.
encampment at Washington, and spent
ten days in East Orange, New Jersey, with
his daughter, Mrs. F. A. Coombs. Mrs.
Parsons accompanied him to Washington,
but remained at East Orange. Mr. and
Mrs. Coombs are receiving congratula-
tions from friends on the advent of a son,
born Oct. 24.

The Klark Urban Stock Co., who made
such a favorable impression in this city
last June, is again at Hancock hall for
a week. Monday evening "The Outside
Track" was presented, and Tuesday even-
ing "A Soldier's Honor." There were
good houses at both performances. Wed-
nesday evening the bill is "The Ups and
Downs of Life," and Thursday evening
"Across the Desert." The management
has not decided what will be put on the
other two evenings. The plays are popu-
lar, and there are pleasing specialties
between the acts. There will be a mat-
inee Saturday afternoon.

Frank A. Moore of Ellsworth, who was
arrested in Skowhegan last Friday, on the
charge of the larceny of a gold watch and
chain and \$22 from Nettie B. Sawyer, of
Bangor, was arraigned in the police court
in Bangor last Monday, when he entered a
plea of not guilty. The warrant for
Moore's arrest was issued several days ago
on the complaint of Miss Sawyer, who
says that her property was taken on Oct.
15, and that Moore disappeared on the
same date. Last week he was located
in Skowhegan and brought to Bangor.
Moore and Miss Sawyer are said to have
been on more or less intimate terms
during the past summer, both of them
being employed at the Hotel Everard in
Bar Harbor. Moore claims that the
watch and money were given to him by
Miss Sawyer to keep, and that he had
no intention of stealing them.

SEND CHILDREN TO SCHOOL

Or be Fined—A Curious Case from
Mariaville in Municipal Court.

Charles L. Pyle, a well-known merchant
and ex-official of Mariaville, was before
Judge Peters in the municipal court
Monday, charged with allowing or caus-
ing the absence of his three children,
Mary, Hadley and Charlie, aged twelve,
nine and seven years respectively, from
district school of that town.

The case is an unusual one and of a
kind with which the Ellsworth officials
had never before had to deal.

George B. Stuart, superintendent of
Ellsworth's schools, appeared for the
State; Pyle, the respondent, had no coun-
sel.

Mr. Stuart, for the prosecution, stated
that it was not the desire of the officials
to inflict heavy punishment on Pyle, if
found guilty, but to uphold the laws and
the action of the town officials.

The witnesses called for the State were
Mrs. George A. Frost, the teacher, who
read the records of the school showing the
absence of the Pyle children, and testified
as to their apparent health and ability to
learn.

George A. Frost, Mariaville's superin-
tendent of schools, and husband of the
teacher, said that he had told Pyle to send
the children to school, and that he had
refused; he therefore turned the case over
to the truant officer, Mr. Moore.

Alexander B. Moore, the truant officer,
and complainant in the case, testified
that he had been to Pyle to demand that
the children should be sent to school, and
the latter had told him not to "meddle
with his children."

It was apparent that much feeling had
been stirred up in the matter among res-
idents of the town, and that sides had
been taken. This was shown clearly by
the defense.

The respondent had no counsel, but he
had a case, and called in an array of
some six or eight well-known residents
of Mariaville, all of whom had children in
the schools, one of whom was Frank
Frost, a member of the superintending
school committee.

Mr. and Mrs. Pyle gave as a reason for
keeping their children from school, that
the moral training of the scholars had
not been what it should be under the
present teacher, and that unbecoming
talk had been permitted to go on about
the schoolhouse.

The testimony of the other witnesses
was of the same nature. Several said
they would not send their children to
school to this teacher if she should teach
in their district. One of these was Frank
Frost, who is one of the officials whose
duty it is to see that schools and instruc-
tors are what they should be.

Mr. Stuart, for the State, brought out
the facts that the children had been per-
mitted to leave school at times in previous
years by their parents, and that on this
occasion they had been to school seven
weeks before the controversy arose.

The respondent accounted for this by
stating that on previous occasions Mrs.
Pyle, who was a teacher, had been per-
mitted by the superintendent to teach her
children at home, and that Mrs. Frost had
assured the children that she was only
teaching for a short time until the regular
teacher arrived.

In summing up the case Mr. Stuart said
that to have a school with no complaints
was very rare in his experience, and that
if parents should be permitted to take
their children from school at pleasure,
it would be disastrous to the present
school system. He therefore asked that
the officials be upheld in their action, as
the interests not only of this school but
also of the whole State might be involved.

Judge Peters thought that the matter
was really one not for him to decide, but
for the officials of Mariaville. Pyle, how-
ever, he found technically guilty of the
charge, and fined him \$3 without costs,
which he paid.

Off for Augusta.

Quite a delegation left Ellsworth yester-
day for Augusta to attend the hearing
this afternoon before the governor and
council on the petition of Rev. S. L.
Hancock, who asks that he may be
declared elected sheriff of Hancock
county.

Among those who went were Sheriff
Whitcomb, and his counsel, A. W. King,
Alderman George B. Stuart and F. Carroll
Burrill, who were opposing candidates
for representative at the last election, and
City-Clerk L. B. Wyman.

From Bar Harbor there were, besides
Mr. Hancock, Judge B. E. Clark, Senator-
elect E. S. Clark, Deputy-Sheriff John
Suminsby, and Town-Clerk W. H.
Sherman.

The hearing is set for 4 o'clock this
afternoon.

COMING EVENTS.

Week Oct. 27—Nov. 1, Hancock hall—
Klark-Urban Co., change of programme
every night. Popular prices. Tickets on
sale at Wiggin & Moore's.

Monday, Nov. 10, at Hancock hall—Con-
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SKULL FRACTURED.

Fred Palmer, the Injured Sailor,
Operated On.

Fred Palmer, the sailor who was picked
up insensible on Pine street a week ago
yesterday, was operated upon last Thurs-
day morning by Dr. Lewis Hodgkins.
Other physicians present were Drs. L. W.
Hodgkins, King, Manning and Osgood.
A compound fracture of the skull was
found. The fragments, which together
measured about two inches in length and
one and a half in width, were removed.

Since the removal of the pressure on
the brain the man has been slowly regain-
ing consciousness, and unless complica-
tions set in, is in a fair way to recover.
His mind is still almost a blank. He re-
members nothing of the occurrence, nor
of his movements for several weeks pre-
vious to the accident. His last recollection
seems to be of sailing from New
York, but he does not remember the name
of the vessel nor where she sailed to.

Mayor Greely addressed a letter to the
name on an envelope found in Palmer's
pocket; and it proved to be that of his
father, L. B. Palmer, who is an employe
in the tax collecting department of the
city of Boston. His home is at 174 Lex-
ington street, East Boston.

The father writes that his son goes
coasting summer, and lives at home
winters. He asked to be kept informed
of the boy's condition, but did not ex-
press any intention of coming here to
look after him, or of getting him home.

Palmer is now at Mrs. Moore's boarding
house on Water street, with a careful
nurse, Mrs. Louise Crockett, of Bangor,
in attendance. He is in charge of the
United States marine hospital, Dr. L. W.
Hodgkins in charge.
How the man got hurt is still a mystery,
though the most probable theory is that
he went over the dasher of the wagon,
falling under the horse's heels, and that
the cut on the back of the head was made
by the horse's heel-cock.

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RESTAURANT

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rooms for ladies.

J. H. DONOVAN.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR.

People For the Week Beginning Nov. 2.—Comment by Rev. S. H. Doyle.

Topic.—The best gift—1 Cor. xii, 31; xiii, 1-11.

The best gifts of life are eagerly sought after by all men. But what a difference of opinion there is as to what are the best blessings which God has bestowed upon his children.

And what is the more excellent way which the apostle evidently esteems as the best gift? It is love—love to God and love to man.

The superior excellence of love as the best gift is comprehensively set forth by the apostle. Note:

1. The necessity of love (xiii, 1-3). Love is absolutely necessary to the fulfillment of life's duties.

2. The characteristics of love (xiii, 4-7). What a list of virtues love possesses! "Love suffereth long and is kind; love envieth not; love vaunteth not itself, is not puffed up, doth not behave itself unseemly, seeketh not her own, is not easily provoked, thinketh no evil, rejoiceth not in iniquity, but rejoiceth in the truth, beareth all things, believeth all things, hopeth all things, endureth all things."

3. The permanence of love (xiii, 8-13). "Love never faileth." Other gifts perish or become useless, such as prophecy, tongues and knowledge.

BIBLE READINGS. Lev. xix, 16-18; Deut. xi, 4, 5; Matt. v, 1-12; xxii, 35-40; Luke xv, 1-10; John iii, 16; xv, 12, 13; Rom. viii, 35-39; I John iii, 1-3; iv, 7-21.

To glorify God. Many forget that "the chief end of man is to glorify God and enjoy Him forever." That grand end God always had in view, and He never loses sight of it.

Gold Sweepings. Behind the Christian Endeavor pledge you must let the light of the life of the Son of God shine on it.—Robert Johnston.

You can't be born weary and be a successful worker among children. This applies in the Junior Christian Endeavor society.—Rev. Robert F. Y. Pierce.

If Christian Endeavor is good for you and me, it is good for some one else who hasn't got it yet.—Rev. Dr. Francis E. Clark.

A large endorsement. Professor Amos R. Wells, the managing editor of the Christian Endeavor World, recently asked 1,800 ministers in forty-five states and territories representing thirty-nine denominations whether they believe in the Christian Endeavor pledge, and 91 per cent of them gave an enthusiastic yes.

Duty. Duty comes to us as something hard, and we shrink from it. No one is a large man if he does not feel that his duty is larger than himself.—Alexander McKenzie, D. D.

Quiz Box. [Any question may be asked that pertains to any phase of Christian Endeavor work. Address Lock Box 574, Bangor, N. Y.]

5. Z. Connecticut—Portland, Me., is the birthplace of Christian Endeavor. 6. A. R. B. Kentucky.—Rev. Dr. Clark, the founder of the movement, has been three times completely around the world in the interest of Christian Endeavor.

Mutual Benefit Column.

EDITED BY "AUNT MADGE".

Its Motto: "Helpful and Helpful."

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 helpful. Being for the common good, it is for the common use—a public servant, a purveyor of information and suggestion, a medium for the interchange of ideas.

THE AMERICAN, Ellsworth, Me.

THE SIN OF OMISSION. It isn't the thing you do, dear, It's the thing you leave undone Which gives you a bit of heartache

At the setting of the sun; The tender word forgo you, The letter you did not write, The flower you might have sent, dear, Are your haunting ghosts to-night.

The stone you might have lifted Out of the brother's way, The bit of heartsome counsel You were hurried too much to say, The loving touch of the hand, dear, The gentle and winsome tone That you had no time nor thought for, With troubles enough of your own.

These little acts of kindness: So easily out of mind, These chances to be angels Which even mortals find—They come in sight and silence Each mild reproachful wraith, When hope is faint and flagging, And a light is dropped on faith.

For life is all too short, dear, And sorrow is all too great, To suffer our slow compassion That carries until too late, And it's not only the thing you do, dear, It's the thing you leave undone, Which gives you the bitter heartache, At the setting of the sun.

—Margaret E. Sangster.

Selected by Melissa.

Dear M. E. Friends: We often refer in our Column to the many things we have done. "Melissa" comes with a poem relating to the "Sin of Omission"; some line in it may fit each of us. "The letter you did not write" applies to me quite well.

Many will understand how true the following is, and how fast the days of autumn go by: WALTHAM, ME., Oct. 20, 1902.

Dear Aunt Madge: Each week as I receive THE AMERICAN, and feast on the good things found in the M. E. column, I think, now next week I will send something to help out a little, but the weeks go by so fast, and there is so much to take up one's time.

Hope this winter to help you in some way. Will enclose to-day a few clippings that may be used when your "treasure box" gets low.

Sincerely yours, MELISSA.

Dear Aunt Madge: Hour after hour I sit alone, and night after night sleep alone in my house which is not mine.

I'll tell you this that you may judge of the comfort I take in reading helpful, hopeful messages in letters and papers. Thankful I am that I can always find work to do of some kind, and that God has given me comparative health all my life.

I do not stay here in winter, and shall soon go away where there is a household of children who make life seem worth living to me because they seem to love me next to "mother."

Now you can see how I value even a few cheerful words from anyone, and I look at a smiling face as something almost divine. Do you think half the people in this world know the value of a smile?

I think I may truthfully say I have tried always to be helpful and cheerful; to do all I could for those around me, especially for children, though I have none of my own. I trust I am a "litter"; I do not mean to be a "pleaser."

Seven years ago a little girl boarded with me (with her parents) in summer. I thought she was the dearest girl then. I could hardly believe that she could grow up so kind and helpful and free from any taint of selfishness, although a Christian and with Christian parents.

This summer (past) she came to me again, a young lady of nineteen years. Would you believe I found her to be the same dear girl, helping every one around her, cheerful, though the rain fell, and only her mother and myself were in the house. I never saw her frown or heard her speak an ungentle word.

I hope that each who reads this knows of some sweet friend who has been to her as helpful as this one has been to me. Taking boarders would indeed be a pleasure if all were like this family of whom I write.

Another I know has made my autumn a holiday by her brightness and her helpfulness. Although she did not board with me, she called very often, always with a smile and pleasant things to say. She has been here many years, and we hope to see her for many yet.

Is it not good that there are such people in our world? These two girls have done me good, not only by their sunny tempers, but also by material aid, such as carrying orders to the store, bringing mail, and even at times (though this I tried to keep them from) carrying bundles.

What a beautiful October we have had! Nature is doing her part to make us happy. M. A. B.

I hope the young people will read this letter from M. A. B., which I have enjoyed so much—there is so good a lesson in it on cultivating the habit of being helpful and cheery, and thus brightening the way of others whose hearts and lives would be lonely without these kindly words and deeds.

I thank you very much, M. A. B., for your letter; the whole of it breathes the very spirit of our motto, and we shall be glad to have you write again. The poem, which is indeed beautiful, will be used next week in company with one of Aunt Maria's cheerful letters. AUNT MADGE.

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Mrs. Tupman, a prominent lady of Richmond, Va., a great sufferer with woman's troubles, tells of her cure by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

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A True Tapley. An observant person away down in West Brookville, Maine, has this to tell: Skippers of British tramp steamers and of Italian and Norwegian ships coming through the eastern passage on their way to Bangor to load with spoons and shovels always turn their glasses to the headland near Cape Rozier, and spend a long time in wondering at the display of bunting hung out in the front of the residence of Capt. George Tapley.

Capt. Tapley is a retired shipmaster, who resides on a small farm facing the Atlantic ocean, and he passes much of his leisure in studying flag effects upon his neighbors and the summer visitors.

During his nearly sixty years at sea he collected a small fortune, and a great assortment of flags from most of the civilized nations on earth.

For ten years it has been his custom to begin with the British flag, and to fly the emblems of every nation one day in succession until his stock was exhausted, and he was compelled to begin again with England. On the Sabbath the stars and stripes are run up to the truck, and kept aloft in all weather.

In the summer of 1898, when the war with Spain was in progress, and the navy department had sent a cruiser to the Maine coast to watch for hostile ships, Capt. Tapley ran up the Spanish flag one day when the cruiser "Minnespoh" was in the offing, which rash deed led to a long explanation, and caused much worry among the people of Boston and its vicinity.

Not only did Capt. Tapley live down the temporary odium that came to him from following an innocent custom, but he has so ingratiated himself with his fellow-citizens that at the September election they chose him to represent them in the legislature.—New York Commercial.

A Definition. Little Clarence—Pa., what is experience? Mr. Callipers—Experience, my son, is the headache you acquire from butting against the world.—Puck.

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THREE MASTERS.

What Capt. Candage Says About Them—An Interesting Sketch.

Much has been said and written about the first three-masted schooner, and the town or place that had the honor of building her, among which is Bluehill, my native town. In this communication the matter will be cleared up and set at rest, as the data herein contained has been derived from official documents lodged in United States custom-house.

According to the records in the Salem, Mass., custom-house, the "Spy" was built at Essex, Mass., in 1823. She sailed from Salem, and had a register granted Dec. 1, 1823, from which the following description was taken: "One deck, three masts, length 70 feet 3 in., breadth 17 feet, depth 8 feet 6 inches, measures 91 61-95 tons. Pink stern, no galleries, no head."

The first voyage of the "Spy" was from Salem to the Cape of Good Hope, William Bowles master. Her owners were John L. Rogers and Richard S. Rogers, of Salem. I have no record of her subsequent history, but this account would seem definitely to settle the question of the building of the first three-masted schooner.

The "Magnolia", claimed by citizens of Bluehill to have been the first, was built in that town in 1833, ten years after the building of the "Spy". The writer, when a boy, saw her building, remembers the general conversation about her strange rig, and saw her sail from the bay on her first trip, I think, to Boston.

Her master-builder was Asa Clough, her owners George Stevens and others, and her commander Capt. Daniel Clough. She was 76 feet 6 inches long; 22 feet 7 inches wide, 7 feet 2 inches deep, and measured 109 15-95 tons.

She had a long life of forty years or more, in which time she was commanded by Captains Daniel Clough, William Means, Martin L. Stover, Robert F. Candage and others. Her bones lie buried in the sands at the mouth of the Merrimac river where she was wrecked between 1870 and 1875, if my memory be correct, and after a long and successful career. She, I think, is entitled to second place in the list of three-masted schooners of fore-and-aft rig.

In 1833 the three-masted schooner "Savage" was built at Eden, Me., for Boston owners, who were George Savage, Henry Curtis and Benjamin Sewall, and her first commander was Capt. William Carney. She was 91 feet 3 inches long; 25 feet wide; 8 feet 2 1/2 inches deep, and measured 179 6-95 tons. She had one deck and square stern, three masts, and was commanded, after Capt. Carney, by Ambrose Farrow and John Campbell. She was lost in May, 1840. I am of opinion she had square yards on one, if not two masts.

In 1833 the three-masted schooner "Horse" was built at Bristol, Me., for Boston owners, who were George Savage, Henry Curtis and Grisdie Bryant, and her first captain was John Campbell. She was 91 feet 1 in long; 25 feet wide; 7 feet deep and measured 149 49-95 tons; three masts square stern, blivet head, no galleries. I am of opinion that she also carried square yards on one or more of her masts.

In 1837 my friend, the late Capt. Jacob Gil Pierce, took command of the "Horse" and loaded her with a cargo of Quincy, Mass., granite for the erection of the Astor house in New York, and among which was the corner-stone for that far-famed hostelry.

About that date, 1833, another vessel called "Pan of Matanzas", a three-masted schooner with yards on two masts, was built, I think in Maine, but the place, her dimensions and her career, are not at hand.

In 1831 the three-masted schooner "Aurora", with yards on fore and main, was built at Ellsworth, Me., whose owner was John Black and her commander Capt. Moses Abbott. She was 84 feet 3 inches long; 24 feet 4 1/2 inches wide; 8 feet 5 inches deep, and measured 147 69 95 tons. She was enrolled Oct. 14, 1831, and was wrecked a year or two later on the Florida coast.

In 1833 the three-masted schooner "Fame" with yards on fore and main, was built at Ellsworth, whose owner was John Black, and her commander Capt. Elisha Lord. She was 80 feet long, 23 feet 6 inches wide, 8 feet deep, and measured 137 58-95 tons. She was enrolled at the custom-house June 6, 1833.

In 1840 the three-masted schooner "Aurora", the second of the name and rig, square yards on fore and main, was built at Ellsworth; owned by John Black and George Black, and was commanded by Capt. Christopher Chase. She was 86 feet long; 24 feet 9 inches wide; 8 feet 7 inches deep, and measured 169 3-95 tons. Her enrollment bore date of June 1, 1840. The writer well remembers the "Fame" and the second "Aurora" (they had topsails and topgallant sails) but has no data concerning their careers or final end.

BLUEHILL VESSEL. The following in regard to Bluehill vessels has been gathered from files of old newspapers and may prove of interest: Boston, Oct. 10, 1826, cleared brig "Empress" of Bluehill, Clough, master. Jan. 15, 1828, cleared at New York for West Indies, sch. "Lygonia", Eben Harden of Bluehill; arrived at Norfolk, Va., from Turk's Island, March 16, 1828, 19 days, for Boston with loss of main boom and sails damaged; sailed from New York and sailed Feb. 2, 1829, arrived Jan. 8, 1830; sailed for Bluehill, Jan. 18, 1830. During the season of 1829, loaded at St. Andrew, N. B., arrived at Alexandria, Va., April 22; sailed for Boston May 6; arrived May 17; cleared for St. Andrew, May 21; cleared at New York, June 26, for Pictou; arrived at Philadelphia, Sept. 3; cleared for St. Andrew, Sept. 11; arrived at New York, Oct. 9; cleared for St. Andrew, Oct. 19; cleared New York for Labrec, Nov. 30; arrived at Boston, Dec. 22; cleared for Bluehill, Dec. 30, 1830. It was a great sea-

son's work. Capt. Eben Harden, her captain, was a Trenton man. Nov. 1, 1838, at Eastport, ship "Newampton", Maine, new, 850 tons for Oranien. Her captain was Joseph M. of Bluehill. May 18, 1839, sch. "Lygonia", of Bluehill, St. John, P. R. for Philadelphia July 29, 1839, cleared at Boston. "Jaape" of Bluehill, Dunbar, Eastport. July 15, 1840, cleared at Boston "Jaape" of Bluehill, Dunbar, Meachin. Nov. 21, 1840, sch. "Eolian", of Bluehill, fallen in with abandoned and set on fire by ship "Massachusetts", for Boston from Mobile. R. G. F. CANDAGE, Brookline, Mass., Sept. 30, 1902.

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COUNTY NEWS.

North Sedgwick. Miss Inez Page closed her school at No. 9 Friday, Oct. 24. Roland Durgan put a new furnace in his house last week.

ELLSWORTH MARKETS.

Table with multiple columns listing market prices for various goods including Butter, Eggs, Potatoes, Apples, and Lumber. Includes sub-sections for 'Country Produce' and 'Lumber and Building Materials'.

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The Place of the Small College. President Hyde, of Bowdoin, and President Harris, of Amherst, joined in a discussion of this topic in the recent educational number of The Outlook.

the praise bestowed upon it, must be one in which practically all the instruction is given by permanent professors, who meet the students in the same department year after year, and stamp the impress of their personality and point of view upon them.

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An interesting historical sketch of early three-masted schooners may be found in another column, written by Capt. R. G. F. Candage, of Brookline, Mass.

Ellsworth is going to be independent of the coal trust to a considerable extent, it seems likely, if certain plans come to a head. Power equal to the pull of 40,000 horses is going to waste along Union river, which might easily be put in harness and set to lighting and heating houses and turning the wheels of mills.

This is a sample of good-natured jobs that the newspapers are indulging in at our expense, as a result of some ridiculous statements sent out from here by an irresponsible newspaper correspondent.

State and governmental affairs in Washington have given place this week to interest in the state campaigns, and every scrap of gossip reaching the national capital is eagerly seized and construed according to the political affiliations of the construer.

Mr. Hanscom's Petition. Rev. S. L. Hanscom, of Bar Harbor, was a candidate for sheriff of Hancock county at the September election.

Being satisfied, in his own mind, that more votes were cast for him than for his nearest competitor, and that many votes thrown out as defective were intended for him, and ought to be counted for him, he has made a careful inspection of the votes in all the towns of the county, and has embodied the result of his search in a petition to the governor and council, asking that a certificate of election be issued to him.

This petition, which may be found in substance in our news columns, gives in detail the number of votes in the various towns which Mr. Hanscom thinks were intended for him; which he thinks were not defective within the meaning of the law; which, therefore, he thinks ought to be counted for him, and which, if so counted, will make him sheriff.

Up to this point Mr. Hanscom seems to be pleading with fairness; in effect he says: "Waive technicalities, gentlemen; consider the intent of the voter, and give me what equitably belongs to me."

Then he comes to the vote of the city of Ellsworth. Here he finds, and it is not disputed, that there were clerical defects in the returns made in wards 3 and 4. These errors, it may be stated, were in not crediting to the proper candidates for senators and representative the correct number of votes cast for them—errors which in no way affected the result of the election of these candidates, and which had absolutely nothing whatever to do with the vote for sheriff.

In view of these alleged errors Mr. Hanscom sets up three pleas:

- 1. That the return filed with the secretary of state shows on its face that it is illegal and should be thrown out altogether.
2. That the returns from wards 3 and 4 are defective, and should be thrown out.
3. That the return filed, whether legal or not, shows that Whitcomb

had 480 votes, while the city clerk's records show that he had only 302, and that he should be credited with 302, and not with 480. In other words, Mr. Hanscom says, so far as Ellsworth is concerned: "Gentlemen, throw out Ellsworth altogether. If you can't see your way clear to do that, throw out wards 3 and 4. If that, too, goes 'agin your grain,' give Whitcomb 302 and not 480. And, by the way, give me 109 instead of 100, for nine were called defective which were really intended for me."

It is hard to conceive of a bolder piece of effrontery than is exhibited in this petition. In one breath the petitioner pleads for the waiving of technicalities that will increase his own vote, and in the next demands that the entire vote of a city be thrown out because certain technicalities were not observed!

Is a whole city or even a ward to be disfranchised because of a clerical error, whether wilful or accidental, of a ward officer? We doubt it.

There was not the slightest suspicion of fraud in the election in Ellsworth; the result was perfectly well known the night of the election, and not a suggestion of a change in the vote as then declared has since been made by any of her citizens. It is difficult to understand why Mr. Hanscom should demand that a thousand voters shall be disfranchised because of an alleged error of a ward clerk.

No just criticism can be made of Mr. Hanscom, or of any other candidate, in making every effort to secure all that belongs to him, but it strikes us as altogether absurd for him to ask that technicalities be waived where such action would benefit him, and ask that they be vigorously adhered to where it would adversely affect his opponent.

We very much doubt if the specious plea of the reverend gentleman will have much weight with the present governor and his council.

A Railroad Fairy Tale. The report circulated last week to the effect that the Maine Central was to build an extension from Rockland to Belfast, renewed the old story of a bridge across the Penobscot at Bucksport or Presport, and the building of a road from Bucksport to Ellsworth to connect here with the Mt. Desert branch.

It is hardly necessary to say that the story was denied by the Maine Central officials. A good railroad man made these remarks: "That fantastic and off-reckoned dream of the Maine Central establishing a short line to Mount Desert and the coast by agitating some of the newspaper editors, and the bridge over the Penobscot is discussed in an off-hand way, as if it was some stream up the country that was to be crossed, instead of a river carrying half a million tons of shipping each way every season."

County Gossip. Aunt Salome Sellers, of Deer Isle, 109, must be green with envy of "Granny" Neagle, of Bath, who celebrated her 108th birthday yesterday.

The granite cutters of West Sullivan and Franklin are still at odds with the employers, in spite of reports that they had come to an agreement. The hope is expressed, however, that an agreement may be reached by Nov. 1.

This evening Bar Harbor will once more wrestle with the city charter question. There will be a mass meeting, and the voters will be asked to say whether or not a committee shall be appointed to draft a city charter to be presented this winter to the legislature.

Hon. Parker Spofford touched the soft spot in the heart of every Bucksport fireman the other day. There was a fire in Bucksport which didn't destroy, but jeopardized some of his property, and in recognition of the department's services, he wrote a letter of thanks, and accompanied it by a generous check.

This is the story that comes from Brooksville, and it is true, too: Last Sunday, Oct. 26, Mrs. Nancy Bickford and Mrs. Emily H. Bowden walked from Mrs. Bickford's house to the union chapel at Brooksville, attended church, sat together, and walked back home together, just as they used to do every Sunday some sixty-seven years ago, when they attended worship at the old Congregational church which stood on the site of the present chapel.

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DEBTS OF MAINE TOWNS.

Table listing debts of various Maine towns including Androscoggin, Arundel, Bucksport, etc., with amounts ranging from \$1,238,518 to \$65,504.

Cumberland county, it will be observed, has the largest total town debt and Franklin county the smallest. The counties where cities are located are possessed of larger town debts in the aggregate than are the counties composed wholly of towns.

Reports have been received in August, from the assessors of 445 cities and towns in the State. Plantation reports are not included in the aggregate here presented for the reason that most of the plantations are practically supported by the owners of wild lands solely for the purpose of cutting timber, and are as a consequence thinly populated.

Assessors' returns have been received from sixty-seven plantations which show that these plantations owe in the aggregate \$11,241. This sum is in addition to the sum of \$8,780,100 owed by the cities and towns. The twenty cities owe \$6,335,723 and the 425 towns owe \$2,444,377.

A complete list of the towns in the State which are free from debt shows that 132 towns owe no money, while twelve of this number are blessed with a surplus.

While the total amount of money owed by the cities and towns of Maine aggregates \$8,780,100, the twenty cities of the State owe more than two-thirds of this sum. To be exact, Maine's twenty cities have debts amounting to \$6,335,723, as follows:

Table listing debts of 20 Maine cities including Portland, Lewiston, Bangor, etc., with amounts ranging from \$1,357,877 to \$6,335,723.

More than one-half of the towns in Hancock county are free from debt, and two have a surplus. The towns with money on hand are Deer Isle and Hancock, and those debt free are Amherst, Aurora, Brookline, Brooksville, Cranberry Isles, Franklin, Gouldsboro, Isle au Haut, Lamaine, Mariaville, Sedgwick, Sorrento, So. Haven, Trenton, Verous, Waltham and Winter Harbor.

Elizabeth Cady Stanton, the famous advocate of woman suffrage, died at her home in New York Sunday, aged eighty-seven years. She was born in Johnstown, N. Y. The first woman's rights convention was held at her home in 1848.

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Legal Notices. THE subscriber hereby gives notice that he has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of William J. Gilpatrick, late of Ellsworth, in the county of Hancock, deceased, and given bonds as the law directs. 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. October 23, 1902. ANNIE E. SPAIN.

BLANCOCK S. J. COURT.

BUSINESS FINISHED AND ADJOURNED SATURDAY.

PROCEEDINGS SINCE LAST WEDNESDAY—GRINDLE SENT TO INSANE ASYLUM FOR OBSERVATION—DIVORCES DECREED.

THE COURT.

Presiding Justice—ANDREW P. WISWELL. Clerk—JAMES F. KNOWLTON. County Attorney—B. E. TRACY.

The October term adjourned last Saturday, after a short and quiet term. Last Wednesday afternoon the second case of State vs. Kelley, for breaking and entering, was tried.

THURSDAY.

On Thursday morning the prisoners who had been indicted and arraigned were brought before the court for sentence. Guy P. Grindle, of Penobscot, the respondent in the Littlefield assault case, was the first prisoner brought up.

The court ordered Grindle to be sent to the insane asylum for observation, under the direct charge of Dr. Sanborn. In the Alden V. Carter case, Carter retracted his former plea of not guilty, and L. F. Giles, who was appointed as his counsel by the court, filed a plea of "previous acquittal in a court having jurisdiction," as Carter had been tried before Judge Peters in the municipal court and acquitted.

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posed of on Thursday. Nearly all the fines have been paid.

DIVORCES GRANTED.

Joseph M. from Bessie Farnsworth, Eden, for cruel and abusive treatment. Clark for libellant.

Coras A. from Edwin V. Smith, Eden, for gross and confirmed habits of intoxication. Knowles for libellant.

Helen K. from Walter Gilman Page, Castine and New York, for cruel and abusive treatment. Custody of child and fixed sum per week in lieu of alimony decreed to libellant. Peters for libellant. Fellows and Mayo for libellee.

Marion B. from John A. McDonald, Bucksport, for utter desertion. Smith for libellant.

Flores P. from Galen H. Young, Eden, for utter desertion. Clark for libellant.

Mott W. from Lizzie E. Jellison, Ellsworth, for cruel and abusive treatment. Stuart for libellant. Hurley for libellee.

Fred H. from Edith H. Arey, Deer Isle, for adultery. Spoford for libellant.

Amanda O. from John Wheatley, Aurora, for utter desertion. Campbell & Haycock for libellant.

John D. from Francis Murch, Ellsworth, for utter desertion. Fuller for libellant.

Margie A. from Harvey E. Kenniston, Eden, for cruel and abusive treatment. Clark for libellant.

Frank A. from Rose M. Power, for cruel and abusive treatment. Custody of child decreed to libellee. Peters for libellant.

Ide M. from Gilman M. Rich, Eden, for cruel and abusive treatment. Deasy for libellant.

Gertrude E. from Clyde V. Latty, Tremont, for utter desertion. King for libellant.

Lizzie S. from William L. Warren, Tremont, for cruel and abusive treatment. Clark for libellant.

Coras E. from Sylvanus G. Cunningham, Surry, for cruel and abusive treatment. King for libellant.

ELLSWORTH FALLS.

J. W. Moore is building a stable at his place on Hillside.

The weather-vane blew off the church belfry during the storm Tuesday.

The ladies' sewing circle will meet with Mrs. B. S. Jellison Thursday afternoon.

W. E. Clough has gone to Boston where he intends to learn the steam-fitter's trade.

A. W. Ellis and wife are visiting at New Haven, Conn., the guests of F. E. Hartsborn and wife.

George and James Maddocks went to Winn Monday where they will have employment through the winter.

Miss Mamie Lesle and cousin, Miss McKenny, who have been here for a few weeks' vacation, returned to Boston Monday.

Mrs. Fred Grace, of Green Lake, who has been visiting relatives in Calais for several weeks, was here a part of last week on her return home.

LAKEWOOD.

Percy Garland has gone to Bangor to find employment.

Among visitors here last week were Mahala Campbell, of Ellsworth, and Mrs. C. M. Whitman, of Ellsworth Falls.

Rufus Young, of Hancock, and John Lynson, of Bar Harbor, who have been trapping foxes here, have returned home.

Baptist Pastors to Meet.

A conference of Baptist pastors and Christian workers in Hancock county will be held Thursday in the Baptist church, Ellsworth, forenoon and afternoon, to consider plans for a forward evangelistic movement in the county.

Rev. G. W. Hinckley of East Fairfield, will give an address. Rev. David Kerr will preside.

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WANTS TO BE SHERIFF.

REV. MR. HANSCOM'S APPEAL TO GOVERNOR AND COUNCIL.

CLAIMS A PLURALITY OF 381—HEARING AT AUGUSTA TO-DAY—ABLE COUNSEL FOR WHITCOMB AND HANSCOM.

"Now, therefore, your petitioner, Sylvanus L. Hanscom, avers and believes, that the corrections he prays to have made are according to the facts and the law applicable to elections for State and county officers, and that when the returns are so corrected and made they will show that Howard F. Whitcomb received 2,064 votes, Timothy Donovan 1,210 votes, and your petitioner 2,441 votes, thus giving your petitioner a plurality of 381 votes. And he prays that a certificate of his election as sheriff of Hancock county may be given him in accordance therewith."

These are the words in which Rev. Mr. Hanscom closes his petition to the governor and council, a hearing on which is set for this afternoon, Oct. 29, at Augusta.

This case is likely to prove the most interesting political contest of the year. Mr. Hanscom will endeavor to make good his claim to the office of high sheriff of Hancock county.

It will be remembered that at the republican county convention last May the sensation of the day was the presentation of Mr. Hanscom's name for sheriff by B. T. Sowle. And when the balloting was over it was found that twenty-two delegates had voted for him. Howard F. Whitcomb was nominated.

Later on Mr. Hanscom was nominated by petition, and figured on the official ballot as the "enforcement of law" candidate. A VIGOROUS CANVASS.

His canvass of the county was of the cyclone order. He spoke for himself in almost every town in the county, having as helpers only two or three of his brother ministers.

Early in the campaign his participation was regarded very much in the nature of a joke. But as election day approached it became painfully evident to the party managers, republicans and democrats alike, that the Hanscom vote was likely to be of a size that would have to be reckoned with.

On the face of the returns Howard F. Whitcomb, the regular republican nominee, had a plurality of seventy-two votes, but Mr. Hanscom, who has examined the ballots in the various towns of the county, claims that according to the manifest intention of the voters he was elected by a plurality of 381.

In other words, he claims that of the ballots thrown out as defective, a sufficient number was so marked as to make it plain that the voter in each case thought he was voting a Hanscom ballot.

It is to make good this claim that Mr. Hanscom has filed with the secretary of state a formal petition to the governor and council, asking them to make a correction in the returns from the county of Hancock, and praying that they issue to him a certificate of election as sheriff.

That Mr. Hanscom's interests will be carefully looked after is made certain by his selection of Foster & Hersey, of Portland, and Judge B. E. Clark, of Bar Harbor, as his attorneys.

Sheriff Whitcomb, who will contest the claim of his reverend opponent, will be represented by no less able counsel, and the contest before the council will be a battle royal. Mr. Whitcomb will be represented by A. W. King, of Ellsworth.

There has been an intimation that Mr. Hanscom's attorneys may seek to have the original ballots brought here for inspection, which will be something new, as in all former contests the council has never gone beyond the returns, to the extent of bringing the original ballots into the council chamber.

THE PETITION.

Mr. Hanscom's petition to the governor and council fills ten typewritten pages. He says that by the tabulation of the returns from the different cities and towns in the county of Hancock it appears that he received 2,161 votes. He then takes up the towns, one by one, and alleges the circumstances whereby his vote should be increased.

The return from the town of Bluehill gives him 103 votes, but he contends that there were 24 votes cast for Sylvanus L. Hanscom, of Eden, and 1 vote for S. L. Hanscom, which were not counted for him. In that return he claims that 1 vote was counted for Whitcomb, where Whitcomb's name was erased, and, therefore, Whitcomb's vote should be 82 instead of 83.

The town of Brooklin gives Hanscom 62 votes on the return, but the records of the town clerk's office show that there were 17 votes cast for him which were not included in the return.

The returns from Brooksville show 30 votes for Hanscom, and he claims 10 more. Bucksport's returns give Hanscom 69 and he claims 9 other votes.

In Deer Isle, where the returns show 50 votes, Hanscom claims 10 more. Dedham's 24 votes, he claims, should be increased by 3.

In Eden, his home town, the returns give him 467, but the clerk's records show that there were 45 votes cast for him, 1 vote for L. Hanscom, 3 for S. L. Hanscom, 1 for S. L. Hanscom, of Eden, 1 for Sylvanus Hanscom, 2 for Sylvanus L. Hanscom, and 1 for Hanscom of Bar Harbor, making in all 54 votes, which were actually cast for Sylvanus L. Hanscom and not included in the return. This would make his vote in Eden 321.

ELLSWORTH'S IRREGULARITIES. Of the situation in Ellsworth, Mr. Hanscom in his petition says: "That in the city of Ellsworth the return filed in the secretary of state's office shows that on the face of the return that it is illegal, and that it should not be tabulated nor the votes counted and declared."

"Also that in said city of Ellsworth the return filed in the secretary of state's office shows that in wards 3 and 4, in said city, the law applicable to elections and the records thereof has not been complied with according to law, and that the returns should not be tabulated nor the votes counted and declared."

"Also that in said city of Ellsworth whatever return has been filed, or is attempted to be filed, whether legal or not, in the secretary of state's office, shows that Howard F. Whitcomb had 80 votes for sheriff in said Hancock county, and that by the clerk's records of the said city of Ellsworth it is shown there were only 302 votes actually cast for said Howard F. Whitcomb, and your petitioner asks that the vote of the city of Ellsworth be tabulated, and the votes counted and declared accordingly."

"Also that in said city of Ellsworth the return filed in the secretary of state's office shows that Sylvanus L. Hanscom, of Eden, had 190 votes, when the records of the city clerk's office of the city of Ellsworth show that there were 90 votes cast for Sylvanus L. Hanscom, of Eden, and which are not included in said return to the secretary of state's office, and which when added to the tabulated returns makes the full number of 190 votes actually cast for Sylvanus L. Hanscom, of Eden, and your petitioner prays that that correction be made."

Gouldsboro's return gives him 117 votes but he claims that 19 more should be credited to his column. In Hancock he has 73 by the return and claims 93. Lamorie's return gives him 68 votes and he desires to have 6 other votes counted for him.

Mount Desert's return says 165 and he wishes 3 added. In Oriand the total vote by the return was 49 and he asks 6 more. Penobscot's returns made his total 45 and he claims that 14 votes for Sylvanus L. Hanscom and 4 for S. L. Hanscom, which were not counted in the return, should be added to his other 45.

Sedgwick gave 69 by return and he says that 17 more are coming to him. Sullivan's return made his total 126 and he claims that there are 25 more votes which rightfully belong in his column. Surry gave him 70 on the return and he wants 7 more votes that were not counted for him. Tremont's figures were 138 and he asks for 8 more. Treaton's returns gave him 39 and he wants 3 more. Verona gave him 4 votes but he claims that his actual vote in that town was 7. Winter Harbor gave 24 and he claims 25. Sorrento's returns showed that no votes were cast for Sylvanus L. Hanscom, but he claims that the returns in the office of the town clerk show that 1 vote was cast for him. Stonington gave him 45 and he claims 6 more. In conclusion, Mr. Hanscom sums up his case in the words quoted at the beginning of this article.

Out of the thirty-four towns in Hancock county, Mr. Hanscom alleges that in twenty-three he has not been given all the votes which were cast for him.

Congregational Church Meeting. The annual meeting of the members of the Congregational church of Ellsworth was held at the vestry last Friday evening, Oct. 24.

The pastor, Rev. J. M. Adams, was moderator. The following officers were elected: Moderator, Rev. Mr. Adams; clerk and treasurer, J. H. Brimmer; superintendent of the Sunday school, L. H. Cushman; assistant, Mr. Adams; secretary and treasurer, Alice Scott; assistant, Mrs. J. H. Brimmer; librarian, E. F. Robinson, jr.; assistant, Leonice Foster.

The following committees were appointed: Visiting—Mrs. A. W. Clark, Mrs. J. F. Smith, Mrs. L. J. Backus, Mrs. L. D. Foster, Mrs. W. A. Alexander. Benevolence—Mrs. A. W. Clark, Miss Sarah Alexander. Examining—Mrs. L. D. Foster, Mrs. J. E. Parsons, Miss Isabel Alexander.

Missions—Mrs. L. A. Emery, chairman; Miss A. A. Clark, secretary; Mrs. J. H. Brimmer, treasurer. Circle—Mrs. L. D. Foster, Mrs. J. F. Smith, Mrs. J. E. Parsons, Mrs. J. F. Knowlton, Mrs. Isabel Alexander. Vestry—Mrs. E. F. Robinson, Mrs. H. W. Hayes.

General Church—Mrs. L. A. Emery, Mrs. A. M. A. Clark, Miss Alice Scott. Pulpit—Mrs. O. W. Tapley, Mrs. G. Whitney, Mrs. E. F. Robinson, Mrs. J. E. Parsons. Church reporter—Mrs. L. J. Backus. Ushers—E. F. Robinson, J. H. Brimmer, J. E. Parsons.

Agent for The Congregationalist—Mrs. Gorbam Whitney. Church reception—Miss Elizabeth True, Mrs. W. R. Parker, Mrs. W. A. Alexander, Mrs. L. A. Emery, Mrs. L. H. Cushman, Mrs. J. E. Parsons.

Social committees to serve from month to month from November to April were appointed as follows: November—Mrs. L. A. Emery, Mrs. A. P. Wiswell, Mrs. J. F. Knowlton, Mrs. C. C. Burrill, Mrs. H. J. Joy, Mrs. H. M. Hall, Miss Elizabeth True. December—Mrs. L. H. Cushman, Mrs. G. A. Parcher, Mrs. A. W. King, Mrs. F. W. Tapley, Mrs. W. R. Parker, Miss Fannie E. Hall, Mrs. J. A. Cunningham.

January—Miss S. D. Crosby, Mrs. E. F. Robinson, Mrs. P. W. Rollins, Mrs. H. E. Davis, Mrs. Fitts, Miss J. A. Thompson, Miss Eva E. Aiken. February—Mrs. P. B. Day, Mrs. J. H. Brimmer, Mrs. J. F. Knowlton, Mrs. S. K. Whiting, Mrs. W. A. Alexander, Mrs. H. W. Hayes, Mrs. C. R. Foster, Miss A. F. Hight. March—Mrs. A. B. C. Dutton, Miss Alice Scott, Miss Fannie Hall, Miss Hannah Holmes, Miss Leonice Foster, Miss Fitts, Miss Katherine Hale.

April—Mrs. J. E. Parsons, Mrs. J. F. Smith, Mrs. L. D. Foster, Miss Isabel Alexander, Mrs. S. A. Goodwin, Mrs. A. W. Clark, Mrs. T. J. Holmes. Fire at North Ellsworth.

Two barns belonging to James Patten at North Ellsworth were burned last Wednesday evening. Besides all of Mr. Patten's farming tools, about twenty-five tons of hay were destroyed. Mr. Patten owned about five tons of the hay; the rest belonged to C. W. & F. L. Mason.

The barns and hay were partially insured. The fire alarm bells were rung, and the department answered promptly, but on finding the fire was so far away, the apparatus was returned to the engine house.

Mr. Patten's house was destroyed by fire two or three years ago.

FEARFULLY BURNED.

SADIE P. KELLEY Poured KEROSENE IN KITCHEN STOVE.

EXPLOSION FOLLOWED AND THE GIRL TERRIBLY BURNED—NOT LIKELY TO LIVE.

Sadie P. Kelley, a domestic in the family of Alfred Crossman, living on the shore road, poured kerosene in the kitchen stove last Saturday forenoon. The flame communicated with the can and an explosion followed. The burning fluid oozed the girl, and before the flames could be extinguished the unfortunate girl was so seriously burned that her recovery is doubtful.

The fire in the kitchen stove wasn't burning well enough to suit Miss Kelley, so she resorted to the use of kerosene, pouring it into the stove from the can. The explosion followed. Screaming she ran out of doors, her clothing all afire. Before help reached her, her clothing from the waist up was entirely consumed, and her body terribly burned.

Medical aid was summoned as quickly as possible, and Dr. Hodgkins did all that was possible to alleviate her intense suffering. The girl's condition at this writing is very serious, and it is doubtful if she recovers. She is about twenty-three years of age. Her home is in Hancock.

CHURCH NOTES.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL.

Rev. J. P. Simonton, pastor.

Sunday, Nov. 2—Morning service with sermon at 10.30. Sunday school at 11.45. Junior league at 3 p. m. Union service at Baptist church. Mr. Simonton will preach. Prayer meeting Friday evening at 7.30. Payside—Service Sunday at 2.30 p. m.; Mr. Simonton.

CONGREGATIONAL.

Rev. J. M. Adams, pastor.

Friday evening at 7.30, prayer and conference meeting. Subject: Pa. 103. Sunday, Nov. 2—Morning service at 10.30. Followed by communion of the Lord's Supper. Sunday school at 11.45. Union service at 7 p. m. at Baptist church. Sermon by Rev. Mr. Simonton.

BAPTIST.

Rev. David Kerr, pastor.

Sunday, Nov. 2—Morning service at 10.30. Communion at close of service. Sunday school at 12 m. Junior C. E. at 6 p. m. Union service at 7. Sermon by Rev. J. P. Simonton, of the Methodist church. Collection for benefit of Associated Charities. Prayer meeting Friday evening at 7.30. Trenton—Service Sunday at 2.30 p. m.; Mr. Kerr.

BORN.

BUNKER—At Franklin, Oct. 14, to Mr and Mrs Ernest B Bunker, a daughter. COOMBS—At East Orange, N. J., Oct. 24, to Mr and Mrs F A Coombs, a son.

COOMBS—At Winter Harbor, Oct. 22, to Mr and Mrs Linwood Coombs, a daughter. GRAY—At Brooksville, Oct. 16, to Mr and Mrs Cornelius Gray, a son.

GRAY—At Little Deer Isle, Oct. 30, to Mr and Mrs Frank B Gray, a son. INGALLS—At Tremont, Oct. 18, to Mr and Mrs O. L. Ingalls, a son.

LAWRENCE—At Tremont, Oct. 4, to Mr and Mrs Henry Lawrence, a daughter. TRIBOU—At Ellsworth, Oct. 22, to Mr and Mrs D. H. Tribou, a son. WOOSTER—At Tremont, Oct. 11, to Mr and Mrs Joseph E Wooster, a son.

MARRIED.

ABBOTT—GRANT—At Bucksport, Oct. 22, by Rev Robert Sullivan, Miss Melhora I Abbott to Harry F Grant, both of Bucksport. COLBY—At Stonington, Oct. 25, by Rev Henry W Conley, Miss Lillian Coombs to Harry F Colby, both of Stonington.

DANIELS—MALONEY—At Ellsworth, Oct. 22, by L B Wyman, esq, Miss Eunice A Daniels to William H Maloney, both of Ellsworth. HIGGINS—BUNKER—At East Lamorie, Oct. 25, by Rev David Kerr, Miss Halie M Higgins, of East Lamorie, to Eugene S Bunker, of Franklin.

HUNTLEY—SHOPPEE—At Bar Harbor, Oct. 24, by Rev S L Hanscom, Maude Huntley, of Cherryfield, to Shirley Shoppee, of Bar Harbor. KAHRER—ROBBINS—At Rockport, Oct. 19, by Rev J. M. Adams, Miss Ella F Kahler, of Rockport, to Naman Robbins, of Deer Isle.

SULLIVAN—PEACH—At Portland, Oct. 25, by Rev Dr Dalton, Miss Cecilia May Sullivan to William Edmund Peach, jr, both of Bar Harbor. STRATTON—NEALES—At Lawrence, Mass., Oct. 22, by Rev Henry Wood, assisted by Rev Mr Neales, of Woodstock, N. B., father of the groom, Miss May, daughter of Mr and Mrs L B Stratton, to Dr Stanley Colebrook Neales.

WEBBER—CUNNINGHAM—At Bar Harbor, Oct. 27, by Rev S L Hanscom, Miss Maude E Webber to Charles Cunningham, both of Bar Harbor.

DIED.

ABBOTT—At Eastport, Oct. 29, Dolores B Abbott, aged 6 years, 1 month, 7 days. HASKELL—At Deer Isle, Oct. 23, Mrs Josephine Haskell, aged 43 years, 4 months, 25 days.

JOHNSON—At East Sullivan, Oct. 23, Joshua B Johnson, aged 81 years, 3 months, 9 days. LURVEY—At Tremont, Oct. 23, Levi Lurvey, aged 70 years, 3 months, 5 days. TREWORY—At South Surry, Oct. 23, Mrs Abbie O Trewory, aged 30 years, 1 month, 17 days.

WHITNEY—At Haverford, Penn., Oct. 19, Mrs Abbie N Whitney, formerly of Bluehill, aged 68 years. WOODS—At West Jonesport, Oct. 25, Sarah Norton, wife of Charles O Woods, of Ellsworth, aged 92 years. WESCOTT—At Bluehill, Oct. 22, Viva M Wescott, aged 13 months, 29 days.

MARINE LIST.

Ellsworth Port. SAILED Wednesday, Oct. 22. Sch Carrossa, Harvey, Bar Harbor, lumber, Ellsworth Lumber Co. Friday, Oct. 24. Sch Ann C Stuart, Ray, Bar Harbor, lumber, Ellsworth Lumber Co. ARRIVED Wednesday, Oct. 22. Sch Lulu W Epnes, Jordan, Boston. Sch Wm Eadie, Closson, Camden. Hancock County Ports. WEST SULLIVAN—Sd Oct 21, sch Eva May, Sullivan for Boston with curb. Ar Oct 21, sch Red Jacket, Boston for Sullivan. Magle Ellen, Boston for Franklin. Sd Oct 24, sch Lizzie & Annie, Franklin for Boston with lumber; Westerlo, Franklin for Boston with curb. Sd Oct 23, sch Red Jacket, Sullivan for Boston with curb. Ar Oct 23, sch Catherine, Boston for Franklin. Sd Oct 28, sch Maggie Ellen, Franklin for Boston with curb. Sd Oct 28, sch Catherine, Franklin for Boston with curb.

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COUNTY NEWS.

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Harry Gray and wife, have returned from Northfield, Vt. Miss Mary B. Somes is visiting Mrs. J. Albert Lethleoc, of Brewer.

J. W. Somen is building a new wharf. He has taken the logs all out of the mill pond, and put them into the wharf, but it will not be long before the pond will again be filled with logs.

Milton Aray, of Bar Harbor, is building a cabin at Long Pond near "Pine Lodge", Dr. Hinch's camp. There is quite a settlement of camps on the shores of Echo lake.

Bridgham Fernald and wife spent last week in Boston and vicinity. R. H. B. Fernald has purchased the Capt. Nash stable, and has moved it back of his new cottage.

Loren Jordan has moved from the Sound to H. P. Mason's house on Mason's point. Your correspondent picked a forget-me-not on Sunday; it was just peeping through a pile of autumn leaves by the roadside.

Oct. 27. H. Mrs. Belle Blake has gone to Southwest Harbor, where she will be employed in a store this winter.

Mrs. J. B. Babson returned from Boston Saturday, where she has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Charles West. B. O. Dollard and wife visited friends in Ellsworth last week.

Mrs. Martha Gray came from Brooksville Saturday. A new steamboat line has been established between this town and Belfast by the "Golden Rod", Capt. Bennett.

Adelbert Anderson has moved his family into the tenement over Friend's store. H. S. Kane and J. J. McDonnell went to Boothbay last Monday. They will be employed in the sardine factory there.

Neill Tibbets and Maggie McDonnell have gone to South Bluehill to work in the clam factory. Oct. 27. UNE FEMME.

South Deer Isle. Mrs. V. E. Thurston returned from Boston last week and sold her house to Lyman Stinson, who moved into it this week. Mrs. Thurston returned Monday.

Mrs. V. Y. Greenlaw and daughter Vivian left Friday for New York to spend the winter, as Capt. Greenlaw will be employed there. Miss Jennie Cole's house is engaged for the winter and will soon be occupied.

The white ribboners who attended the convention returned this week, reporting a very enjoyable trip, particularly those who went to the White Mountains Thursday. Rev. Mr. Smith made several calls in the neighborhood this week.

Farmers have been busy gathering apples the past week, and the crop is nearly harvested. Oct. 26. Eco.

West Hancock. Mrs. Mary R. Butler is visiting friends in Surry. Miss Helen Abbott, of Bangor, visited friends here recently.

Mrs. George B. Bridges spent last week with relatives in Bar Harbor. Malcolm Goggin and Sidney Bridges returned last week from Boston.

Miss Jennie Marshall, of Bar Harbor, visited her mother last week. D. H. McMaster and wife will soon move into the Butler house for the winter.

Sherman and Irving McFarland and Victor Smith, who are employed at Northeast Harbor, spent Sunday at home. Mrs. H. C. Milliken has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. George Rich, at Isle au Haut, during the past two weeks. She also visited relatives in Bar Harbor.

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Oct. 27. DOLLY. Natural Anxiety. Mothers regard approaching winter with uneasiness, children take cold so easily. No disease costs more little lives than croup. Such cases yield readily to one Minute Cough Cure. Absolutely safe. Acts immediately. Cures coughs, colds, grip bronchitis, all throat and lung trouble. WOOD & BISHOP CO.

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There was a pound party at the Methodist vestry Saturday night for the benefit of the pastor.

Miss Martha Beede and her sister Grace spent last week with their uncle, Capt. S. L. Lord, at Ellsworth. The new postoffice at West Surry bears the name of Saunders, and receives the mail three times a week.

Mrs. Simon Flood, who sustained a paralytic shock a few days ago, has since fallen and broken her arm. Rev. J. P. Simonton, of Ellsworth, preached in the Methodist church Sunday afternoon, in exchange with Rev. J. D. McGraw.

Charles Beede was taken violently ill Wednesday night, but by the prompt arrival of the doctor he was rendered more comfortable. Two more deer have been shot in Surry. Freeman Carter, of West Surry, and Robert Carlisle, of West Ellsworth, have killed one each.

A. L. Treworgy has moved from his home on the Murphy road to the home of his mother, Mrs. Pamela Treworgy, who lived alone at the village. Hollis Saunders is doing a good business with his firewood mill at West Surry.

The mill is situated in the forest near Toddy pond, and is driven by a small steam engine. After the pond is frozen over, he will have but three and one-half miles to haul. Three wild animals, a large one and two small ones, were seen by Rev. J. D. McGraw and his wife while riding through the woods on the Morgan's Bay road Monday.

The two small ones were seen in the road ahead, but disappeared on the approach of the team. The large one was seen to cross the road soon after they had passed the spot where they had seen the small ones. They supposed them to be an old wildcat or lynx and her young.

Oct. 27. G. West Trenton. Capt. F. E. Hopkins is home for the winter. E. A. Hopkins has moved his family to Bar Harbor for a few weeks.

William Ober, who has been very ill with pneumonia, is able to be out again. Mrs. Addie Darke has gone to Northeast Harbor, where her husband has employment. The schooner "Susan Frances" arrived the 22d with corn, flour and groceries for H. H. Hopkins.

Mrs. Caroline Moore, of Southwest Harbor, will make her home with Mrs. Josephine Bunker this winter. George Hopkins and family moved home from Bar Harbor last week. He has killed two foxes since his arrival.

The gift society of King's Daughters held a sale and supper at Evergreen hall Thursday evening. It was a success. Oct. 27. S.

West Trenton. Fred Davis has gone to Millbridge on a visit. Rev. A. P. Thompson preached on Galt's island Sunday.

Rev. Dean A. Walker gave an interesting lecture Friday evening, Oct. 24. Walter S. Lunt will join the schooner "Pochasset", Capt. R. H. Lunt, this week. Lester Foster and son, of Millbridge, who have been working in the sardine factory, returned last week.

Rev. A. P. Thompson and W. H. Lunt went to Ellsworth this week for lumber for the tower of the new Methodist church. O. Rich, manager of the sardine factory, returned to his home in Boston last week. Merrill Davis accompanied him. Mr. Davis expects to work there this winter.

Mrs. Martha Saunders has moved in the home vacated by Will Trask, and Mr. Trask has moved in the home vacated by Charles Rich. Oct. 27. THELMA.

Trenton. George Moore, of Northeast Harbor, visited his parents Sunday. Mr. Weaver, of Ellsworth, has threshed 708 bushels of grain for George Stafford.

Mrs. John Carpenter is visiting her daughter, Miss Mary Joy, and friends in Boston. Miss Marie Davis, of Ellsworth, spent Saturday and Sunday with her friend, Miss Emilie Young.

George J. Stafford's new house is nearly finished. It is to be occupied by Andrew Christie, who works on the farm. Harry Laffin, of Ellsworth Falls, a student of the Ellsworth high school, spent one night last week with his friend, Edward Jordan. Oct. 27. J.

Lamoine. Capt. E. F. Hodgkins is home for the winter. Mrs. William Salisbury enjoyed a visit from her brother last week.

James Covey and wife are visiting relatives and friends in Corea and vicinity. Miss Clara Hodgkins closed a successful term of school at Mt. Desert Ferry Thursday.

Rev. S. R. Belyea, recently of Calais, has accepted a call to the pastorate of the Baptist church here, and will begin his labors next Sunday, Nov. 2. There will be a Hallowe'en social at C. E. Hall next Friday evening under the auspices of the C. E. society. The games and entertainment for the evening will be suitable to the occasion, and a good time is promised. Oct. 27.

North Bluehill. A. T. Gillis is repairing and painting his house. Miss Ethel Westcott is visiting her sister, Mrs. Alton Stover, of Bucksport.

Miss May Clay, of Bluehill, spent Saturday and Sunday with her cousin, Miss Ethel F. Wardwell. Mrs. Elsie Franks, of Melrose, Mass., is

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The members of Halcyon grange held a fair in grange hall last Wednesday. A supper was served, and a social was held in the evening. Oct. 27. W.

East Sullivan. Fred Robbins was in Bar Harbor over Sunday the guest of Walter S. Hill. Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Ashley and Mrs. Workman have returned from a pleasant trip to Boston.

Alfred Stevens, of Steuben, was in town over Sunday, the guest of his sister, Mrs. G. E. Simpson. Mrs. Sarah Tibbets Johnson, of Charleston, has been in town helping to care for her late husband's brother, Joshua Johnson.

Sidney Doyle and wife have been in town for a few days. Mr. Doyle brought encouraging news from Mrs. Edwin Doyle, who is in the hospital at Portland. The funeral services of Joshua B. Johnson were held at his home Saturday afternoon, conducted by Rev. B. W. Russell.

The house was filled with friends and neighbors. D. L. Weare post G. A. R. attended in a body. A veteran was heard to say: "We will miss him dreadfully," and this was the thought of all. Among those from out of town were Charles Campbell, of Cherryfield, Lincoln Leighton, of Millbridge, Palle Lewis and wife, of Steuben, George Young and daughter, Mrs. Herbert Hodgkins, of Hancock Point, E. W. Hill, of Bar Harbor. Oct. 27. H.

Deham. FORTY YEARS MARRIED. About sixty of the relatives and friends of Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Smart gathered at their home last Wednesday, Oct. 22, to assist in celebrating the fortieth anniversary of their wedding.

The evening was passed in social intercourse, the young folks indulging in games, and all in the refreshments that were served. The worthy couple were generously remembered with gifts. J. E. Turner and wife, of Brewer, are visiting relatives in town.

C. C. Camber, of West Eden, was in town on business last week. George Brewster and wife are spending a few weeks in Boston and Brockton with relatives.

Charles J. Camber and wife leave soon for Portland where they will remain during the winter. Rev. G. H. Selley, of Hancock, will preach here for three evenings the coming week, beginning Oct. 29. The meetings will be held in the Barrill school-house. Oct. 27. B.

South Penobscot. Sullivan Grindle, who is cutting stone at Mt. Heagan, came home Saturday night. Elery R. Bowden, of Winterport, has been visiting his mother, Mrs. Clara L. Bowden.

William D. Bridges is home from Boston in the schooner "William Pickering", Capt. J. B. Sellers. John L. Norris, who has been employed in Calais as cook at the Border City hotel, spent last week with his grandparents, Thomas Mitchell and wife.

David L. Perkins has gone to New York with Capt. William Sellers in the "Flora Gordon". At that port Mr. Perkins will join the "Alice J. Crabtree", and come to Boston to load for the west coast of Africa. His brother, Cap. Ernest Perkins, will be in command. Oct. 27. CLIMAX.

Great Pond. Mrs. J. H. Giles, of Aurora, was in town Saturday. J. F. Haynes' stable was raised Saturday. The 18th, Alfred Clarry, master workman. Mr. Clement, of Springfield, Mass., is a guest of J. F. Haynes at Lakeview for a few days.

Mr. Rice has workmen on the bark road getting it ready for winter. He has a large quantity of bark to take from the woods. Rev. Mr. Sargent and wife held interesting religious services here last Sunday. They are holding meetings in Mariaville. D. M. Clarry and wife are attending the meeting there to-day. Oct. 26. E.

Advertisements. Young Plants. Every farmer knows that some plants grow better than others. Soil may be the same and seed may seem the same but some plants are weak and others strong.

And that's the way with children. They are like young plants. Same food, same home, same care but some grow big and strong while others stay small and weak.

Scott's Emulsion offers an easy way out of the difficulty. Child weakness often means starvation, not because of lack of food, but because the food does not feed.

Scott's Emulsion really feeds and gives the child growing strength. Whatever the cause of weakness and failure to grow—Scott's Emulsion seems to find it and set the matter right.

Send for free sample. Scott & Bowne, Chemists, 409 Pearl St., New York, N. Y. and all druggists.

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Stella Bartlett is coming home Sunday from Northeast Harbor. Easle Smith, who has been working on the island since last June, has gone to her home in Surry.

Capt. Johnson is back from Boston. Last Saturday the "Juliette" called and left a horse and carriage for him which he had purchased while away. Capt. Ed. Harper, in the schooner "Bloomer", was here three or four days last week, loading the household goods of the Sallsbury, which he is to move to Camden.

Francis Sallsbury and wife, Linwood Sallsbury, wife and son and Charlie Raymond moved to Camden Thursday. All were sorry to have them go, as it was the breaking up of old homes and old ties. Only seven families are now left on the island, and soon there will be fewer, as F. G. Bartlett will move to Northeast Harbor into the house he is having built. It is rumored that others are to go. Mr. and Mrs. F. Sallsbury will live with their son Adelbert, and Linwood Sallsbury and wife have bought a house and lot in Camden. Little Warren Raymond is boarding at Samuel Leonard's until his mother can get settled and take him away. Linwood Sallsbury bought Francis Bartlett's cow to take with him. Oct. 25. B.

Prospect Harbor. Miss Maria Bunker spent Saturday with friends in South Gouldsboro. F. F. Hill, of Boston, arrived Monday at W. F. Bruce's for a week or two.

W. F. Bruce, with his guest, F. F. Hill, is hunting in the vicinity of Columbia. Mrs. J. M. Williams has been confined to the house for several weeks with illness. Capt. and Mrs. Daniel Deasy were guests at L. B. Deasy's in Bar Harbor, over Sunday.

Mrs. Clara Crane, of Winter Harbor, was the guest of Mrs. C. C. Larrabee last week. Rev. and Mrs. F. V. Stanley, of Brooksville, are spending a few days with relatives here.

Charles Grover and wife, and Mrs. John Foss, of Winter Harbor, were visiting relatives here on Sunday. Leroy Hutchings, of Calais, was the guest of his father, C. C. Hutchings, for a few days the first of the week.

A party of Pythian sisters of Puritan assembly, West Sullivan, accepted an invitation from Halcyon assembly on Tuesday evening. Work of the second degree was exemplified on a candidate, and a programme arranged for entertainment. Oct. 27. C.

North Castine. Capt. Joseph Blodgett and wife left Wednesday for Philadelphia. Mrs. Mary Joy Devereux left Monday for Boston for a short stay.

Hancock Pomona grange will meet with Castine grange Saturday, Nov. 1. Miss Annie Dunbar was home from Orland to spend Sunday with her parents. Mrs. Fannie Devereux, who has been caring for Mrs. Lilia Hutchings in her recent illness, returned home Sunday.

The school in the Dunbar district closed Friday after a pleasant term of eight weeks, taught by Miss Una Gray. Roy Webster, who has been employed as fireman on the steamer "Castine", is home after an absence of several months.

Archie Perry, who has been visiting his parents for several weeks, has gone to California where he expects to find employment. Mrs. Augustus Coombs, with her family, moved Thursday to the village, to occupy her new house. Her many friends regret her departure from this her native place. Oct. 27. L.

North Deer Isle. Samuel Lowe returned from Rockland Saturday. Mrs. Belcher Howard has returned from a visit in Boston. The steamer "Golden Rod" made her first landing here last Tuesday.

The sidewalk society held its meeting at the Ellis house Thursday evening. Mrs. Mark Lowe has returned from Boston, where she has been for medical treatment.

Augustus Thompson raised a pumpkin on his farm this fall which weighed forty pounds. Capt. George L. Hardy has gone to Portsmouth as mate of the schooner "Annie Henderson".

Mrs. Phebe Hincley, of Sedgwick, who has been visiting friends here and in Stonington, returned home Tuesday. Mrs. Elizabeth Saunders picked a pint of raspberries in her field Oct. 4. She picked a half pint more in the same field Oct. 11. Oct. 27. E.

Penobscot. Henry Davis has been at home this week. Capt. William Sellers has purchased a new horse.

Mrs. Fannie Bowden is visiting relatives at East Bluehill. Harry Sands, of Augusta, was the guest of Mrs. N. Mitchell over Sunday.

A company of glass blowers will give exhibitions at the grange hall the last four evenings of this week. J. E. Brown and wife, of Bangor, were at the Penobscot house Tuesday on a wedding trip through Hancock and Washington counties.

The winter term of school in the Bay district, which will be taught by Emma W. Hincley, and in the Herrick district, by Miss Maude Leach, will begin Monday, Nov. 3. Schools in the other districts will begin a week later. Oct. 27. SURA.

Bluehill Falls. Bess Colson and wife and Mrs. E. H.

Advertisement for ROMOC MAN featuring a cartoon character and the text 'LET ME TELL YOU SOMETHING ABOUT RHEUMATISM'.

Detailed advertisement for ROMOC REMEDY CO. explaining the medical benefits for rheumatism and providing contact information for George A. Parcher, Pharmacist.

Advertisement for CLARION, a product for busy housewives, featuring an illustration of a woman and a stove, and text describing its benefits.

Advertisement for Nasal CATARRH treatment, featuring a diagram of the human head and describing the symptoms and effectiveness of the medicine.

Advertisement for Dr. Emmons' Monthly Regulator, a health product for women, with text describing its benefits for various ailments.

Advertisement for KODOL, a dyspepsia cure, featuring bold text and describing how it aids in digestion and provides relief for various stomach issues.

Advertisement for PATENTS, specifically mentioning GASNOW & CO. and their services in patenting inventions and providing legal protection.

Advertisement for ELLSWORTH STEAM LAUNDRY AND BATH ROOMS, offering laundry services and mentioning their location on Diver Street.

Large advertisement for TRU'S PIN WORM ELIXIR, featuring a cartoon of a child and text describing its effectiveness against pinworms and other ailments.

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Southwest Harbor. Capt. W. S. Trewoogy and wife, of Surry, drove to Southwest Harbor on Friday to visit their old friends, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Mason.

Our central telephone operator, Miss Nora Gilley, is taking a vacation trip to Brooklin and Rockland to spend two weeks with friends. Maud Holmes and Gustie Houston have also made recreation visits out of town.

Another order has been added to the many already existing at Southwest Harbor, a branch of the A. O. U. W., in the interests of which Elmer E. Rowe, of Ellsworth, last week used much persuasive eloquence over prospective charter members.

The Southwest Harbor house, recently closed by S. F. Staples, of Atlantic, has been reopened as the Randall house by Mrs. Emma Randall, with Chaney to attend to teams as formerly. Mrs. Randall has lately returned from an extended visit to her parents and daughter at Vinahaven, where she enjoyed renewing friendship with old schoolmates.

Another esteemed citizen has been suddenly called from a busy and useful life here to a grander life beyond the gates, and a host of relatives and friends mourn the departure of Levi Lurvey, who, after a very brief illness, passed away Thursday evening, Oct. 23. The funeral services were held at the home Sunday afternoon, the three ministers of the place taking part in paying tributes of appreciation to the life and character of this genial friend. Owing to the serious illness of the bereaved wife, masonic services were not used. A joyous and staunch temperance laborer, a faithful brother in masonic craft, a loving husband and father has gone to his reward.

Mrs. A. O. Gilley, past worthy grand of Rowena Rebekah lodge, was elected a delegate to the State assembly at Augusta, going via "Cimbrria" on Saturday. At Bangor, in company with Mrs. Ayer and son, she joined a large delegation on Monday morning bound for the capital city. An excursion to Togus was arranged, and the inspection of the old soldiers' home's big dining rooms, where 280 men were served, the ample grounds, fine reading room, and all pertaining to the comfort and recreation of the army veterans, were of much interest to Mrs. Gilley and her sister delegates. Returning to Augusta and the crowded assembly room, the degree work and excellent reports were greatly enjoyed. Later by a visit to the state house, with Capt. Thomas Clark as an animated guide-book, and a seat in the governor's chair, as a special honor, and many other sight-seeing privileges, the Southwest Harbor delegate felt well repaid for the time spent in representing her lodge.

North Brooksville. Charles Staples has gone to Islesboro to work. Merle Lyburner is recovering from an attack of mumps. Frank Snow, of Lawrence, is visiting his uncle, J. P. Snow. J. E. Staples has sold the schooner "Commerce" to parties in Machias. Much sympathy is felt for J. S. Condon, who lost his mill last week by fire. Irving Conner lost one of his fingers while at work in a mill at Skowhegan. Emily Bowden has returned to her home in Brooklin, after spending a few weeks with her brother, John Snow. Wm. Perkins and wife spent two days last week at Brooklin by light station, the guests of E. K. Tapley and wife. The remains of Mrs. Nellie Roberts were brought here from Bangor last week for interment. The deceased was eighty-six years old.

Ashville. Mrs. O. P. Bragdon is still in poor health. Mrs. Lizzie Bean and son were the guests of Mrs. Emma Carpenter Sunday. E. H. Smith, who is teaching the high school at Sullivan, has a new Dayton bicycle. Capt. Geo. Rice, wife and son, of Sullivan, were the guests of Mrs. Rice's brother, John H. Tracy, 2d, Sunday. David Mosley, of Marlboro, who has been here for a few days calling on relatives and friends, went home this morning. Capt. Clarence Martin in the schooner "Susan Frances" arrived yesterday with freight for E. J. Robertson and Hanna Bros. Oct. 26. B. Goulinboro. Mrs. Mary Sowe spent the past week with Mrs. Sarah Patchen in Sullivan. The schooner "Henrietta Whitehead", Capt. Peterson, is in the bay loading with paving. Mrs. Alex Weatherbee and little daughter Julia are spending a short time in Brewer. The schooner "Jennie Linda", Capt. Mosley, has been loading with wood for F. T. Wood. The schooner "Samuel Lewis", Capt. Rice, has been loading with lumber for Dunbar Bros. Edgar Hicks and wife, of Lancaster, N. H., who have been visiting relatives here, have returned home. Oct. 27. JEN.

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Hallowell. A Hallowell social will be the attraction at the hall next Friday evening. Mrs. Leslie Swan left Saturday for a week's visit with her brother at Abbott.

Henry Johnson and John Bowden, of Hancock, shot two deer and a big moose near Cherryfield, shipping them to Boston Monday. The ladies' aid society will be entertained at the home of Jesse D. Macomber Tuesday by Mrs. Macomber and Mrs. Nettie Dyer.

Mr. McNaughton, a veteran of the war, is having a painful and serious time with a carbuncle on the back of his neck, the result of a sting from a wasp or bee. Nason Cramm has disposed of his farm here, and has bought a place in Hallowell, where his son resides. Mr. and Mrs. Crimmin left Monday for their new home.

John W. Blaisdell has negotiated for land and has it cleared for a steam mill site near the Washington County railroad station. He hopes to have the mill in running shape by Jan. 1.

Benjamin C. Crossley and wife intend to leave Monday for a visit among relatives in Massachusetts. If Mr. Crossley's health permits, they may extend their journey to the Pacific coast for the winter. Announcements of the marriage of Miss Adria Lovelace Blaisdell to Frank Mariner Johnson in Providence, R. I., have been received. The bride is a former resident of this place and her many friends extend congratulations. Mr. and Mrs. Johnson will be at home after January 1, at New London, Conn.

Sunday at Lamolne Eugene S. Bunker and Miss Hattie M. Higgins were married. Mr. Bunker, who is one of our enterprising young men, is clerk in a store at Kingman. Mrs. Bunker has been an esteemed school teacher here and elsewhere until ill health prevented. Their numerous friends wish for them health and prosperity.

East Orino. George Snow and Edward Arnold were in Bluehill Sunday. Harry White has gone to Boston where he has employment.

Eugene Osgood and wife, of Bluehill, visited A. H. Dunbar Sunday. Mrs. Robert Hagerthy, of Hancock, is the guest of her brother, Elijah White.

Elmer Blaisdell, who is working at Brooksfield, spent Sunday with his parents. Fred Forsyth has finished work in the carding mill, and has gone to his home in Bucksport.

The dance at the hall Saturday night was very enjoyable. There will be another next Saturday night. Music by Soper's orchestra.

Augustine Mason was in Rockland the past week on business. He found a ready market for his spool edgings, and is already shipping the same.

Mrs. Nettie Stilphen and daughter Addie, of Bath, came last week to spend the winter with her parents, John Higgins and wife. Mrs. Stilphen is in poor health.

Salisbury Cove. Mrs. Alston H. Leland is in Everett, Mass., on a two weeks' visit with her daughter, Mrs. Lewis Ellwell.

Mrs. A. S. Higgins, Miss Angella Leland and James Marcy, of Bar Harbor, are visiting Ansel B. Leland for a few days. Mrs. Wilbur Manchester, of Colorado Springs, Col., who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. S. A. Liscomb, during the past few weeks, left for her home on Monday, accompanied by her husband's parents, John Manchester and wife, of Bar Harbor.

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Advertisements.

LOBO BYRON

besides being a great poet, was exceedingly popular, because of his quick wit and brilliant conversational powers. His favorite drinks were tea and coffee. By stimulating his mind and body, they helped him accomplish a great amount of work in a short time. Of their qualities he says:

"'Tis pity wine should be so deleterious, For tea and coffee leave us much more serious." Chase & Sanborn's Teas & Coffees are the Best and Most Popular.



Written for The American.

To The Aster. Gay little flower blossoming with the frost, Lining the wayside with a border bright, Thou dost repay us such that we have lost, When the dear summer's gone, with its delight. Thou bringest not the message of a coming spring— Of life renewing with the passing year, Rather, a message of fulfillment dost thou sing, Of maples blazing and of meadow's sear. A message of the harvests gathered home, Of orchards stripped of mellow, fragrant fruit— Of glittering stars that deck high heaven's dome When the night's breath shall make the brook-lets mute. Thou canst not vie with lily nor with rose, The flowers that stand for staidness and pride, But with the charity of purple blows, Dost cover all the faded countryside. Ah, little flower! methinks unto my heart Thou sing'st another song, with meaning deep, That tells me, though my strength and youth depart, The soul may still undying beauty keep. —B. M. S.

Legal Notices. STATE OF MAINE. Collector's Advertisement of Sale of Lands of Non-Resident Owners. Unpaid taxes on lands situated in the town of Bucksport in the county of Hancock, for the year 1901. The following list of taxes on real estate of non-resident owners in the town of Bucksport for the year 1901, committed to me for collection for said town on the seventh day of August, 1901, remains unpaid; and notice is hereby given that if said taxes, interest and charges are not previously paid, so much of the real estate taxed as is sufficient and necessary to pay the amount due therefor, including interest and charges, will be sold at public auction at Trement, Me., in said town, on the first Monday in December, 1902, at 9 o'clock a. m.

Name of owner, description of property. Amt of tax due, incld chgs. I W Ames, 9 acres land Ship Island, No 12, 12 acres land dis No 12 P Robbins lot, 6 58 D B Brewer, 10 acres land in dis No 1 Beech Cliff, 2 98 Charles H Bunker, 1/2 acre land in dis No 2, 99 James T Clark, 26 acres land in dis No 8 (Gilbert Hodgdon lot), 5 12 N F Curran, 1/2 acre land in dis No 11a (Gilbert Hodgdon lot), 99 Ezra Cough, 1/2 acre land in Bass Harbor, part of D Cough property, 1 23 A Bird Cough, 1/2 acre land in Bass Harbor, part of D Cough property, 1 23 John F Dix, 1/2 acre land in dis No 5, Bass Harbor, 3 17 Almira T Dix, land and buildings in dis No 5, Bass Harbor, 46 61 Neal Ledyard, 2 1/2 acres land in dis No 7, Sam'l Hodgdon lot, 1 23 Lucillus Emery, land in dis No 5, Ship Harbor lots, 16 05 H M Estabrook, 1/2 acre land in dis No 3, Arthur M Foss, 4 acres land in dis No 8, part of Keuben Dix lot, 4 15 Heirs Rufus Friend, 27 acres land in dis No 10 & 12, 14 acres called Joy lot, 23 10 Erverard H Greely, ship Harbor lot, 29 17 Acree Beech Cliff, 1/2 Dix Point dis No 8, Heirs Rufus Friend, land and buildings on "Greening's Island", 17 51 Andrew Haynes, 1/2 acre in dis No 5, Ship Harbor, 1 72 Beul Hodgdon, 3 acres land dis No 12, D Clark est, 1 96 James T Lawton, land and buildings in dis No 7, Gilley lot 24, acres, Young lot 13, 24 56 William I Mayo, land and buildings in dis No 2, Hodgdon lot 19 acres, Anne McIdea, 15 acres land dis No 7, part of Colem McIdea estate, 2 93 Edwin R Reed, land and buildings in dis No 12, wharf lot and land lot, 19 70 Kate Richardson, 4 acres land in dis No 2, Long estate, 5 60 F S H Rodick, part of Dog mountain lot, 4 15 Blou B Reynolds, land and buildings in dis No 1, 10 95 Edward Swazey, 1 acre land in dis No 3, Heirs Ashish, 15 acres land in dis No 12, wood lot, 1 23 Arthur I Saunders, 30 acres land in dis No 8, Laity est, 30 acres land in dis No 9, Heirs Rufus Friend, Clark property in dis No 7, at Bass Harbor, 20 35 Heirs Rufus T Thomas, 2 acres land in dis No 2, near end of road, 7 79 Webster, land in dis No 3, part of Freeman & Holmes lot, 7 79

ARTHUR L. SOMES, Collector of taxes of the town of Trement, Me. October 18, 1902. STATE OF MAINE. Collector's Advertisement of Sale of Lands of Non-Resident Owners. Unpaid taxes on lands situated in the town of Orland, in the county of Hancock, for the year 1901. The following list of taxes on real estate of non-resident owners in the town of Orland for the year 1901, committed to me for collection for said town on the tenth day of August, 1901, remains unpaid; and notice is hereby given that if said taxes, interest and charges are not previously paid, so much of the real estate taxed as is sufficient and necessary to pay the amount due therefor, including interest and charges, will be sold at public auction at Trement, Me., in said town, on the first Monday of December, 1902, at 9 o'clock a. m.

Name of owner, description of property. Amt of tax due, incld chgs. George Wallen, or unknown, lot No 79, 8 475 Amos Gott homestead, 17 86 James A Bowden, or unknown, part of homestead, 1 75 H L Danoes, or unknown, the King Crockett land, 2 20 Walter B Gould, or unknown, store and lot east end of Eastern River bridge, 11 30 Elk Gray, or unknown, Benj Chastick, former homestead, 5 30 Fred A Harriman, or unknown, former homestead, 10 00 Mrs Kate Hanson, or unknown, homestead, 19 06 Amos Johnson, or unknown, lot 65, 4 75 Geo B Marks, or unknown, part of lot 110, 2 50 Albert Nabis, or unknown, James Nabis, lot 107, 108, 4 00 J A Phillips, or unknown, lot 107, lot 108, 4 00 I. R. SAUNDERS, Collector of taxes of the town of Orland. October 18, 1902.

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE.

WHERREAS, Jennie E. Blake and Augustus G. Blake, of Orland, Hancock county, Maine, by their mortgage deed dated the 26th day of July, 1900, and recorded in the registry of deeds for said Hancock county, in book 202, page 308, conveyed to the Bucksport Loan and Building Association, a corporation established by law and having its place of business at Bucksport, county and State aforesaid, a certain parcel of real estate situate in said Orland and bounded as follows: Commencing on the southeast corner at land of Albert Clements on road leading to Ellsworth; thence by said Clements land northwesterly eight rods; thence easterly parallel with the road seven and one-half rods more or less to land of J. P. Harriman to a bolt; thence southerly eight rods to the road to an iron bolt; thence westerly on the road about seven and one-half rods to the place of beginning, together with the buildings thereon; and the said Bucksport Loan and Building Association on the thirteenth day of May, a. d. 1902, duly assigned said mortgage to me, the undersigned, and whereas the condition of said mortgage has been broken, now, therefore, by reason of the breach of the condition thereof, I claim a foreclosure of said mortgage.

ARTHUR L. SOMES, Receiver, by O. P. Cunningham, his atty. Bucksport, Oct. 9, 1902.

STATE OF MAINE.

Collector's Advertisement of Sale of Lands of Non-Resident Owners. Unpaid taxes on lands situated in the town of Hancock, in the county of Hancock, for the year 1901. The following list of taxes on real estate of non-resident owners in the town of Hancock for the year 1901, committed to me for collection for said town on the thirteenth day of May, a. d. 1901, remains unpaid; and notice is hereby given that if said taxes, interest and charges are not previously paid, so much of the real estate taxed as is sufficient to pay the amount due therefor, including interest and charges, will be sold at public auction at the town hall, in said town, on the first Monday of December, a. d. 1902, at 9 o'clock a. m.

Name of owner, description of property. Amt of tax. Frank H Clergue, Arthur Sewall estate, land bounded on north by land of Reuben Grant, on E by land of M C H R and town road, on S by town road, and W by land of Clara A Grant, containing 7 acres, more or less, \$4 24 Same owner, land bounded on N by land of Alonzo Abbott and Charles Emery, on E by M C H R, on S by land of Reuben Grant and town road, on W by town road, containing 25 acres, more or less, 7 80 Same owners, land bounded on N by land of Alonzo Abbott and Charles Emery, on E by Sullivan river and land listed to Ivory L Wardwell, on S by Sullivan river, and on W by M C H R, containing 11 acres, more or less, 5 30 For reference see Hancock county registry of taxes, vol 222, page 24. GEO. W. YOUNG, Collector of taxes of the town of Hancock, Maine. Hancock, October 17, 1902.

The subscriber hereby gives notice that he has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of George A. Averill, late of Eden, in the county of Hancock, deceased, and given bonds as the law directs. All persons having claims against the estate of said deceased are desired to present the same for settlement, and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately. CHARLES B. LINDALL, October 7, 1902.

Legal Notices.

STATE OF MAINE. Collector's Advertisement of Sale of Lands of Non-Resident Owners. Unpaid taxes on lands situated in the town of Mount Desert, in the county of Hancock, for the year 1901.

The following list of taxes on real estate of non-resident owners in the town of Mount Desert for the year 1901, committed to me for collection for said town on the eighteenth day of May, 1901, remains unpaid; and notice is hereby given that if said taxes, interest and charges are not previously paid, so much of the real estate taxed as is sufficient and necessary to pay the amount due therefor, including interest and charges, will be sold at public auction at Masonic Hall, in said town, on the first Monday of December, 1902, at 9 o'clock a. m.

Table with columns: Name of owner, description of property, Acres, Value, Total Value, Tax. Includes entries for Melville J Atherton, George W Bragdon, Chas E Doy, Chas H Emery, etc.

JOHN W. SOMES, Collector of taxes of the town of Mount Desert. Mt Desert, Oct. 18, 1902.

STATE OF MAINE.

Collector's Notice and Advertisement of Sale of Non-Resident Owners. Unpaid taxes on lands situated in the town of Sorrento, in the county of Hancock, for the year 1901. The following list of taxes on real estate of non-resident owners in the town of Sorrento for the year 1901, committed to me for collection for said town on the 17th day of April, 1901, remains unpaid; and notice is hereby given that if said taxes, interest and charges are not previously paid, so much of the real estate taxed as is sufficient to pay the amount due therefor, including interest and charges, will be sold at public auction at the High Head schoolhouse, in said town, on the first Monday of December, 1902, at 9 o'clock a. m.

Table with columns: Name of owners, description of property, Acres, Value, Tax. Includes entries for Greely, Hale & Emery, Graham, Robert, etc.

ARTHUR L. SOMES, Collector of taxes of the town of Sorrento. So rento, Me., Oct. 14, 1902.

To all persons interested in either of the said estates aforesaid, notice is hereby given that a probate court will be held at Ellsworth, in and for the county of Hancock, on the seventh day of October, 1902, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of hearing and determining upon the claims of the creditors of the said deceased, and that the same court will also be held at Ellsworth, in and for the county of Hancock, on the fourth day of November, a. d. 1902, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, and be heard thereon if they see cause.

Legal Notices.

STATE OF MAINE. Collector's Advertisement of Sale of Lands of Non-Resident Owners. Unpaid taxes on lands situated in the town of Bucksport, in the county of Hancock, for the year 1901.

The following list of taxes on real estate of non-resident owners in the town of Bucksport for the year 1901, committed to me for collection for said town on the seventh day of August, 1901, remains unpaid; and notice is hereby given that if said taxes, interest and charges are not previously paid, so much of the real estate taxed as is sufficient and necessary to pay the amount due therefor, including interest and charges, will be sold at public auction at Trement, Me., in said town, on the first Monday in December, 1902, at 9 o'clock a. m.

Table with columns: Name of owner, description of property, Amt of tax due, incld chgs. Includes entries for I W Ames, D B Brewer, Charles H Bunker, etc.

ARTHUR L. SOMES, Collector of taxes of the town of Trement, Me. October 18, 1902.

STATE OF MAINE.

Collector's Advertisement of Sale of Lands of Non-Resident Owners. Unpaid taxes on lands situated in the town of Orland, in the county of Hancock, for the year 1901. The following list of taxes on real estate of non-resident owners in the town of Orland for the year 1901, committed to me for collection for said town on the tenth day of August, 1901, remains unpaid; and notice is hereby given that if said taxes, interest and charges are not previously paid, so much of the real estate taxed as is sufficient and necessary to pay the amount due therefor, including interest and charges, will be sold at public auction at Trement, Me., in said town, on the first Monday of December, 1902, at 9 o'clock a. m.

Table with columns: Name of owner, description of property, Amt of tax due, incld chgs. Includes entries for George Wallen, Amos Gott, James A Bowden, etc.

ARTHUR L. SOMES, Collector of taxes of the town of Orland. October 18, 1902.

The subscriber hereby gives notice that he has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of James H. Hatch, late of Granite Co., Granite, deceased, and given bonds as the law directs. All persons having claims against the estate of said deceased are desired to present the same for settlement, and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately. SAMUEL W. TAPLEY, October 7, 1902.

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Gradually our second floor is assuming its grand proportions for the fall season. We have worked hard to make this a showing that would stand out conspicuously as a demonstration of this store's shopping advantages in point of thoroughly reliable garments, in snappy, up-to-date styles at fair prices. We are now showing advance fall styles in Raglans, Suits, Dress and Walking Skirts, Jackets, Coats, Flannel and Silk Waists.

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A splendid and correct assortment of Dress Goods. If you have New York and Boston samples bring them to us and we will match them at less price than you can get them there.

AT 50c Diagonals, Cheviots, Albattross, Granite Cloths, Melrose, Venetians.

AT \$1.00 Broadcloths, Unfinished Worsteds, Whip Cords, Granite Cloths, Cheviots.

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A house as well known as ours is for reliability and for introducing and offering a reliable line of goods only, does not need loud advertisements. Everybody who has ever traded with us knows that the goods we offer are all right and up to date. Our prices are low enough to defy competition, no matter where the same may exist. For this fall we have put ourselves out to please our customers with an assortment equalled by none.

M. GALLERT.

COUNTY NEWS.

For additional County News, see other pages.

East Franklin. T. E. Hooper and G. H. Welch were in Ellsworth Oct. 24, on business.

Fred Hooper has gone to Eastport, where he will be employed. Miss Inez Donnell is with Mrs. Hattie Bunker for a while.

Postmaster Wilfred Gordon is putting up a new building in which to keep the office.

The job on the Washington county railroad on which G. H. Welch was employed being finished, he has returned home.

Mrs. F. E. Blaisdell and daughter Rena went to Bangor last Friday.

Miss Appleton who has been teaching in the primary department here the past few weeks, has resigned and gone to Castine to attend the normal school. Miss Casselena Springer, of Franklin, will take her place.

Mrs. Wilfred Gordon was called to Unionville Oct. 27, by the serious illness of her father, Mr. Leighton.

John Wentworth, jr., had a horse in pasture last week, which by some mischance, got into a hole. When got out he was so bruised as to be nearly useless.

Rev. Mr. Silsby, wife and two children were the guests of G. H. Butter and wife Monday of last week.

West Sullivan. A basket-ball team is being formed here.

Mrs. C. H. Pease is visiting relatives in Bucksport.

Mrs. Harold Sumner, of Winter Harbor, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Eugene Ash.

S. B. Hulbert carried his seven-year-old son Albert to Portland Saturday for ear treatment.

Mrs. C. H. Abbott has taken her little son Theodore to Portland where he will receive treatment for the ears.

The G. A. R. men of this end of the town and Mrs. M. A. Bunker attended the funeral services of J. B. Johnson at East Sullivan, Saturday.

The ball at K. of P. hall last Friday evening was not largely attended, but was a decided social success. Frost and Ray's orchestra, of Winter Harbor, assisted by George A. Joy, of Bar Harbor, furnished the music. About twenty couples attended. The Knights of Pythias furnished supper.

Oct. 23.

COUNTY NEWS.

For Additional County News, see other pages.

Brookhill. Rev. E. Bean spent last week in Boston. Mrs. Annie Howe arrived from Boston Saturday.

Daniel L. Gross has entered the Harvard law school.

John Phillip, who has been away on a hunting expedition, had the honor of killing a moose.

Mrs. Arthur Kimball returned with Miss Lina Morton from Boston and is the guest of Mrs. H. E. Morton.

The academy ball team met the Penobscots at the North Bluehill fair Wednesday, and beat them by a score of 18 to 7.

The remains of Abbie, widow of Albert Whitney, were brought here for burial last week. They were accompanied by her daughter Annie and her son-in-law, Edwin J. Dutton.

S. B. Kimball and wife, of Chicago, who spend their summers at Orchard Lodge, celebrated their golden wedding Saturday evening, Oct. 11, as the anniversary occurred on Sunday, the 12th. The event was a happy occasion, and many handsome gifts were received.

The annual meeting of the ladies' Congregational circle was held in the vestry. The meeting was entertained by Mrs. C. C. Cough, Mrs. B. Wood and Miss M. F. Wood. Mrs. Lizzie Partridge was chosen president, Mrs. Elia Hincley (re-elected), secretary and treasurer, and Mrs. Mayo, collector. The president was authorized to elect her own vice-president, and appoint necessary committees. The treasurer reported over \$1,400 paid out the past year for repairs on church and other expenses.

Oct. 28. M. Hockaday. A surprise party was tendered Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Finson last Thursday evening in honor of the twenty-fifth anniversary of their marriage. Though the surprise was thorough, Mr. and Mrs. Finson were equal to the occasion. Six tables of whist were quickly arranged, and the hours pleasantly passed, during which refreshments were served. Mrs. Finson was further surprised by being presented with a handsome steel chateaufort bag. Mr. Finson was made happy by the gift of a large paper bag which held bags galore, each one holding a smaller one until the last, a tiny one, was found to contain a doll's handbag which held two new bright cents which were to start a fund for the college education of his oldest son.

Fire last Saturday morning destroyed the house of Dr. W. F. Putman and wrecked that of Robert Curtis. The Putman family escaped in their night clothes. Putman had \$1,000 insurance on house and \$300 on furniture. Curtis had \$700 on house.

Manuel. James Wallis has moved to Seawall where he has purchased a house.

The first sociable of the season was held by the Methodist society last Wednesday. Mrs. M. A. Stanley has gone to North-east Harbor to spend a few weeks with her son.

William Ward, jr., has bought the place formerly owned by Merrill King, and will move in this week.

Oct. 27. E. M. Desart.

Word from Port Townsend, Wash., says that on Oct. 22 Mrs. Caroline Moore and her daughter, Mrs. Mabel Cadwell, and grandson, Carol V. Cadwell, called on Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Moore and son Clarence. They were en route from San Francisco, where they had been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Cleveland, to their home at Spokane. Mrs. Moore was formerly a resident of Mount Desert.

Southwest Harbor. Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Herrick will celebrate the fiftieth anniversary of their marriage next Friday, Oct. 31.

The young man (sotto voce)—I wonder if that typewriter girl at the window on the other side of the street is trying to make a dash on me! The young woman (ditto)—I wonder if that conceited fellow across the way thinks I'm getting stuck on him.—Chicago Tribune.

A rich mind will out over the humblest home a radiance of beauty and wholesome wisdom which as upholsterer or a decorator can never equal. Emerson says: "There is no beautifier of complexion, form, or behavior, like the wish to scatter joy, and not pain, around us."

Advertisements.

Are your Kidneys Healthy?

Remember—the Kidneys are the most wonderful organs. Your very life depends upon them. Ninety per cent of all sickness is caused by diseased and neglected kidneys. If healthy they filter all the impurities out of the blood. Rheumatism, dyspepsia, constipation, liver disease, bladder troubles, biliousness, headache, blood disease and female weakness are all the result of diseased kidneys.

Do you know Dr. Kennedy's Favorite Remedy is the greatest specific known to medical science for the cure of these diseases or any form of kidney trouble? It has been used for nearly 40 years with unflinching success by physicians in hospitals and sanitariums. If you will send your address to Dr. David Kennedy Corporation, Housatonic, N. Y., they will send you—absolutely free—a trial bottle. Its sale is so large to-day that it can be found at any drug store in the United States.

All druggists sell Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy in the NEW 50 CENT SIZE and the regular \$1.00 size bottles.

A FERRY DISCONTINUED.

Communication between Brooksville and Castine Temporarily Cut off.

The county commissioners were at Brooksville and Castine last week for a hearing on the complaint of several citizens against the management of the Brooksville and Castine ferry, in consequence of which the ferry was discontinued by their order.

The ferry is an old and established mode of communication between the two towns. The present arrangement was established in 1882. The ferry was owned and operated, two-thirds in Castine and one-third in Brooksville, and it has been the custom for Brooksville to appoint a ferryman for one year and Castine for the following two, in rotation.

The law requires that the ferry must be licensed by the county commissioners, but this law had not been observed for many years. The owners of the ferry were, therefore, not responsible for damages, and a person suffering damages from fault of the ferry had no redress except against the ferryman, who in this case proved to be an irresponsible party.

This, therefore, was the principal reason for the discontinuance of the ferry by the commissioners.

They found, however, that the ferry in use was inadequate to the needs of the service. The law required that the ferry should be run by a scow or boat which should be of sufficient size and strength to carry two teams in safety, and a row-boat suitable and safe for five persons; the craft in use did not come up to the requirements of this law.

The discontinuance of the ferry is a serious inconvenience, particularly to business men in that section of the county, and it is expected that action will be taken immediately toward re-establishing the old, or establishing a new ferry.

At present it is about a fifteen-mile drive from Castine to Brooksville, and necessitates a drive of six or eight miles further to go to Castine from any point east.

In order to put the ferry in operation again, it will be necessary to obtain a license from the county, and in order to obtain the license it will be necessary to satisfy the commissioners that an adequate service will be established and operated by responsible parties.

The county commissioners leave to-day for Stonington, where they will give a hearing on a petition to lay out a highway through that town. The highway in question is Main street, which is not defined on the records, and is only acquired by usage.

The street is crooked, and is dangerous in case of runaway or other accident. The petitioners ask that the street be laid out according to a survey which has been made, which, if the request be granted, will make a comparatively straight street, of uniform width, but will necessitate considerable change in several properties, including the moving of several buildings.

The interests of some thirty property owners are involved.

HE GOT THE GOODS.

A Business Deal Between Potter Palmer and A. T. Stewart.

"At the time of the civil war," said an old merchant, "Potter Palmer was in the dry goods business in Chicago, and Levi Z. Leiter and Marshall Field were working for him. Palmer wasn't so well known, but he had a good reputation in the trade, and he didn't have to introduce himself when he called on old A. T. Stewart to buy some goods. After some dickering they agreed upon the price, and Palmer calmly said that he would take about \$100,000 worth. It was a little larger bill than Stewart exactly cared to sell young Palmer on credit, but he concluded to make the deal and told him to come in the next morning and arrange some final details. That night some big war news came, and it didn't require any declaration by the government to inform every dry goods man in the country that the price of goods would take a big spurt up. Stewart recognized it as soon as he had the news, and he immediately thought of Palmer. He also thought of the big bill of goods Palmer had bought of him. It didn't particularly tickle Stewart, that thought didn't. But it required only a few scratches of his red head to fix things to his satisfaction. He would simply tell Palmer that he was sorry, but that he didn't feel that he could sell such a big bill on credit, and as he knew that Palmer couldn't raise the cash immediately, why, that would end it, and the sale would be off. Well, young Palmer called early, and Stewart greeted him in his very abrupt manner, telling him how sorry he was, etc., but really he didn't think it wise business to extend credit for such an amount.

"Just how much does the bill come to?" said young Palmer, seemingly sorrowful-like.

"Just \$110,000," Stewart replied, and then he straightway gulped for breath as young Palmer drew an immense pocketbook from his inside vest pocket and, opening it, counted out 110 thousand dollar bills and, laying them quietly on Stewart's desk, said: "If you will kindly count them and give me a receipt, I'll be obliged, as I must take the next train home. Ship the goods soon as you can, and when you're out our way drop in. Always glad to see our friends."—New York Times.

The "money spinner" probably knows something about the whirl of the town. "She says she married her husband to reform him." "Of what?" "Of the idea that he couldn't live without her."—Judge.

The average man seems to think somebody ought to propose three cheers for him whenever he performs as a gentleman should.

That Beautiful Gloss

comes from the varnish in Devco's Varnish Floor Paints; costs 3 cents more a quart though sold by WIGGIN & MOORE.

JOSIAH H. DRUMMOND.

Death of one of Maine's Most Distinguished Sons—His Career.

Hon. Josiah Hayden Drummond A. M., LL. D., one of Maine's most distinguished sons, having achieved eminence as a jurist, politician, mathematician, genealogist and as a distinguished member of the masonic fraternity, dropped dead on Congress street, Portland, last Saturday afternoon.

Mr. Drummond had been speaker at the legislature, was a director and clerk of the Maine Central railroad, chief counsel and director of the Union Mutual life insurance company, and was four years attorney-general of the State.

Since joining Waterville lodge of Masons in 1849, he held nearly all the exalted offices within the gift of that order. In 1867 he was elected grand commander of the United supreme council. He was a member of the Maine historical society, Maine genealogical society, the Old Colony society of Massachusetts and the New England historical genealogical society of Boston. He was registrar of the Maine society of the sons of the American Revolution.

Josiah H. Drummond was born in Winslow, Aug. 30, 1827. His father was Clark Drummond, a descendant of Alexander Drummond, one of a colony of Scotch-Irish Presbyterians who settled near the mouth of the Kennebec river in 1729. His mother was Cynthia Blackwell, an estimable woman, from whom he inherited many of his most admirable traits. He was named for Col. Josiah Hayden, the father of his paternal grandmother, who was a major in the Revolutionary army.

Mr. Drummond was graduated at Waterville college (now Colby) in 1846. He was for many years a trustee of that institution, and for several years president of the board. In his student days he taught school. He read law in Waterville, and after his admission to the bar went to California in 1850. After a brief stay there he returned to Waterville, and became successor to the law firm of Boutelle & Noyes, his late preceptors.

He continued in business with much success until 1860, when flattering offers and a wider field induced him to remove his office to Portland where he had since resided. A seat on the supreme bench had more than once been offered him, but he declined.

Mr. Drummond entered political life as a democrat, but became a republican before the war. He became a member of the House, and in 1857 was its speaker.

In 1859 he was elected to the Senate, and in 1890 to be attorney-general, which position he held four years. In 1868 he was elected to represent Portland in the State legislature, and again chosen speaker.

He was, probably, the only man in Maine who has declined to be candidate in a convention desirous of making him their nominee for governor where the nomination was equivalent to election. Mr. Drummond was deeply interested in historical and genealogical research; an active member of the Maine historical, genealogical and kindred societies elsewhere. He was one of the founders and was registrar of the Maine society of the sons of the American Revolution. He was in hearty accord with many of the fraternal organizations, especially that of masonry, where he was widely known. He was initiated in Waterville lodge in 1849. He was distinguished not only for the eminent stations he successfully filled, but much more so by reason of his masonic writings. His various words in historical research respecting masonry are held in high esteem by the brotherhood, and his text-books are authority on all subjects of masonic jurisprudence.

Mr. Drummond married Elizabeth Rollins Bean, a daughter of Benjamin Wedleigh Bean, Dec. 10, 1850. Three daughters and a son were born to them. The son, named for his father, was his partner in business.

In every relation of life, Mr. Drummond was a man of mark—gifted mentally and physically, his career was one of great activity and usefulness. He was a comprehensive writer and an eloquent speaker, his own earnestness an inspiration. His friends were as the sands of the sea, and the service of such a friend was constantly in demand and often given at sacrifice of personal comfort, and too often the demands of business. A public-spirited citizen, a noble-hearted and generous friend, a timely adviser, whose counsel and assistance were never sought in vain.

The grand master and officers of the Grand Lodge conducted the masonic services at the funeral at the First Parish church, at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon. The Knights Templar escorted the procession.

Deaths of L. J. Morse, of Bangor. Bangor lost one of her most distinguished citizens last Friday in the death of Llewellyn J. Morse, at the advanced age of eighty-two years.

Mr. Morse has long been prominent in the business, political and social life of Bangor, and eastern Maine. In business he was sagacious and energetic, and Morse & Co.'s lumber mills, for whose success he is largely responsible, are known from Maine to Florida.

Mr. Morse was born at Parker's Head, on the Kennebec, on Dec. 19, 1819. He came to Bangor in 1842. He married Mrs. Louise Dashiell, of Bath. They had four children, two of whom survive.

To him and his partner, Mr. Oliver, is due the credit for the erection of the new Morse-Oliver building in Bangor, the finest office building in that city and one of the best in the State.

The funeral was held last Monday; interment at Mt. Hope cemetery.

The little acts of kindness and thoughtfulness day by day are really greater than one immense act of goodness once a year.

Willie—Pa, do all drowning men really hitch at straws? Pa—I guess so, my son, even the man who is trying to drown his sorrow in a mint julep.

"Is your husband a good provider?" asked a sympathetic visitor. "Indeed he is, mum. He got me three new places to wash last week."

Advertisements.

A FAMILY REMEDY

Pe-ru-na in Use in Thousands of Homes. Mr. Harry M. Stevens, of Midland Beach, L. I., New York, proprietor of the Richmond Hotel, writes: "It gives me pleasure to testify to the



value of Peru-na. I have used it for years and have found it to be a most excellent family remedy. For colds, catarrh and similar ills, it is unsurpassed. HARRY M. STEVENS. John L. Burnett, Member of Congress, Seventh Alabama District, writes: "I take pleasure in testifying to the merits of your Peru-na. At the solicitation of a friend my wife used it, and it improved her condition generally. It is a remarkable remedy. I can cheerfully recommend Peru-na as a good, substantial tonic, and a very good catarrh remedy."

Peru-na cures catarrh wherever located. Peru-na is not a guess nor an experiment—it is an absolute scientific certainty. Peru-na has no substitutes—no rivals. Insist upon having Peru-na.

If you do not derive prompt and satisfactory results from the use of Peru-na, write at once to Dr. Hartman, giving a full statement of your case and he will be pleased to give you his valuable advice free.

Address Dr. Hartman, President of The Hartman Sanitarium, Columbus, O.

WEST ELLSWORTH.

Ralph Treworgy, of Lowell, Mass., is visiting relatives here.

Lemuel Smith, eighty-two years old, is building a camp at Davis' shore, Patten's pond.

R. O. Dollard and wife, of Brooklyn, visited his mother, Mrs. Martha Dollard, last week.

James A. Nichols and wife, of Mendocino, Cal., leave to-day on their homeward journey.

Mrs. Carrie Brann and children, of Lamona, are visiting her parents, G. B. Floyd and wife.

Miss Grace Avis Carter, of Lowell, Mass., is visiting her grandparents, Asa S. Barron and wife.

Granville Tate is at work for G. M. Barron. Mr. Barron is having a cottage built on his farm near the city.

A letter has been received from Asa A. Mitchell saying that he is on his way home from the Klondike, Alaska, to visit his father, John B. Mitchell.

Oct. 28. B. Drowned at Swan's Island. Charlie Gross, a young man twenty-two years of age, was drowned at Swan's Island last Saturday.

He and Will Harvey were pulling lobster traps near the shore of Irish point when their skiff was capsized. Being a strong swimmer, and only a short distance from the shore, Charlie tried to reach the beach. When a short distance from the skiff he went down.

All efforts to find the body were unavailing. An older brother was drowned in almost the exact locality eight years ago.

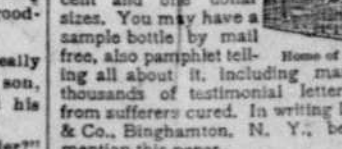
The widowed mother has the sympathy of the whole town in losing this promising young man.

Advertisements.

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