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Wanted—A box Probate notice—Est John W Powell. Probate notice—Est Mary J Van Doren. Admr notice—Est Mary E Collins. Admr notice—Est Kisha Hatch. Admr notice—Est Kendall K Hodgdon. Admr notice—Est Mabel G Porter. Exc notice—Est John B Linecott. Edmon Eno—New restaurant. First national bank—Stockholders' meeting.

First National Bank Building Co.-Stockhol

First National Bank Building Co.—Stockhold-rs' meeting.—Apothecary. G A Parcher—Apothecary. C C Burrill & Son—Insurance. Reliable Clothing Co.—Ciothing. Hancock hall—The Lincolns. Charles H Leland—Fruit and confectionery. Wiggin & Moore—Apothecaries. M E Maloney—Carringe repository. Floyd & H yncs—New cash market. J A Thompson—Confectionery, stationery, etc. A E Moore—Dry goods, millinery, etc. China & Japan Tea Co.—Tea, coffee and spice. J A Cunningham—Confectioner.

NORTH HANCOCK: A R Austin-Honey. TREMONT, ME:

m Danby-Notice of foreclosure. CHARLESTOWN, MASS Hoosac Tunnel Docks-Longshoremen wanted

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

GOING WEST-11.56 a m, 5.31 and 9.47 p m.

MAIL CLOSES AT POST-OFFICE. GOING EAST-6.30 a m, 5.30 p m. GOING WEST-11.20 a m, 5 and 9.15 p m SUNDAY.

Mail train from the west arrives at 7.18 a m. Leaves for the west at 6.08 p m. Mail closes for the west 5.35 p m.

W. R. Parker was in Bangor Monday or

L. B. Dessy, of Bar Harbor, was in town yesterday on business.

Rev. J. P. Simonton will preach at Ray side next Sunday at 2.30 p. m.

Mrs. Dr. Waiton, of Bangor, is the guest of Mrs. George H. Grant.

The railroad and steamboat time-table may be found this week on page 3. Miss Lillian Perkins is the guest of her

cousins, Charles E. Alexander and wife. The Rebekahs gave a delightful sociable

at Odd Fellows hall last Thursday evening. Judges Wiswell and Emery are attending the December term of the law court at Augusta.

C. E. Monaghan will open a dancing school at Manning hall next Friday evening, Dec. 19.

Roy C. Haines, of Hebron academy, is spending the holiday vacation at home. Rev. J. D. O'Brien, pastor of St. Joseph's church, is in Boston this week on a business trip.

The Epworth league of the Methodist church will have an apron, ice-cream and cake sale and sociable at the vestry this evening. Rev. J. P. Simonton went to Boston

Monday as a visitor to the Wesleyan association meeting which is being held there to-day.

Mrs. George P. Dutton has returned from a visit to ber daughter Louise, who is a sophomore at Vassar college, Poughkeepsle, N. Y.

Usons club entertained its gentlemen friends last Monday evening. Cards, music and refreshments added to the enjoyment of evening.

News comes from Castine that Charles Brann, son of Aaron Brann, of Ellsworth, who was stricken with paralysis last week, is improving.

Mrs. H. C. Hatheway, of Bangor, who has been in Elisworth for a week or two, will remain until after Christmas. She is

Word has been received here that Arthur Mazrell, mate of the schooner "David Faust", is in the hospital at Providence ill with typhoid fever.

I. L. Halman arrived in town vesterday. and leaves to-morrow. He reports that satisfactory progress is being made in the placing of the water power bonds.

County-Commissioner P. W. Richardson was unable to attend the monthly meeting of the board held yesterday. Routine business only was transacted.

The members of Sunrise council, D. of L., are requested to be present at the next meeting, Thursday evening, for the nomination of officers for the ensuing

The National Biscuit Company is this week giving a "demonstration" of the Kennedy biscuit at A. H. Joy's grocery store. The sampling department of this company is bandled by C. W. Hill, of

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Rockland, who is a nephew of W. O. Fuler, Maine's funny man, Rockland's postmaster, the Courier-Gazette editor, and everybody's friend.

The Unitarian supper and annual fair to-morrow evening at the vestry of the church promises to be an interesting event. Great preparations are being On account of the entertainment at

Hancock ball next Monday, the literature club will defer its meeting till Tuesday evening following, when it will meet with The Knights of Pythias will have a

octable at Odd Fellows hall this evening. Music by Monaghan. All K. P.'s, with their families, are invited. Members are desired to furnish cake. The sophomore class at the high school held a meeting Tuesday for the purpos

of selecting their class pins and class colors. The colors red and white were The senior class of the high school held meeting Tuesday and chose Addie James

class historian and Leroy Sweeney class prophet for the graduating exercises next The storm of last Friday, followed by

the cold snap, has seriously interfered with the regularity of the mails. Trains from the west are from an hour to two hours late. Yesterday morning a train came down from Bangor, but brought no mail from west of that point.

It is hoped that there will be a good attendance at the entertainment which the seniors of the high school have arranged for Friday evening, December 19, when the University of Maine Glee club will appear at Hancock hall. This organization has been in Ellsworth before, and presented a highly entertaining programme

Bids for the construction of the extension of the postoffice in this city have been opened by the treasury department at Washington. Austin M. Foster, of Ellsworth, was the lowest bidder, at \$7,-490. R. J. Noyes, of Augusts, was the only other bidder; his figures were \$7,942. The sum appropriated for the work was

Twice yesterday the fire-bells filled everybody with terror, but fortunately both alarms proved to be needless. About 5.30 in the evening a chimney in Col. J. F. Whitcomb's house on Main street burned out, and about 630 a chimney in Mrs. William O'Nell's house on Liberty street did the same. The fire companies responded promptly to both alarms.

Edmon Eno is having his store on State street remodeled, painted and papered, and will open a restaurant, where meals and lunches will be served on the European plan. He expects the workmen to be through to-day, so that he will be ready for business to-morrow. Shore Acres, at Lamoine Beach, is closed for the season, and Mr. Eno will give his entire attention to the business here.

Lovers of travel stories and beautiful scenery should not overlook the coming of the Lincolns, who are to give their unique entertainment at Hancock hall next Monday evening-the second in the series of popular entertainments that is being given in Elisworth this winter. Mr. Lincoln's descriptions of American scenery, accompanied as they are with motion pictures, cannot fail to be highly instructive as well as entertaining.

It was exasperating no less to Mr. Lord, the coal dealer, than to consumers that the river should freeze over, and thus close navigation the day before the "Clara Ware", with a cargo of anthracite, arrived in the bay. Nothing remains but to sail around to Mt. Desert Ferry, discharge there, and ship the coal to Ellsworth by rail. Another cargo is on the way. The vessel was reported at Hyannis last Saturday. She will also go to the Ferry to

The pleasant home of George Tower, Greely avenue, Bar Harbor, was the scene of the marriage of two of Ellsworth's popular young people last Saturday even-ing, when Miss Almena Woods and Charles A. Tower were married. The ceremony was performed by Rev. C. S. Mc-Learn, of Bar Harbor, in the presence of s few of the immediate relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Tower have taken rooms on Ash street, Bar Harbor, and intend to make that their future home.

The schooner "Gamecock", Capt Crockett, from Gloucester for Eilsworth, in ballast, was stranded off Popbam Beach at the mouth of the Kennebec river yes-The sails were blown away, terday. the rigging iced up, and the crew could not keep the craft on her course. She anchored Monday night inside of Seguin. Tuesday in answer to distress signals the life-saving crew at Popham took off the captain and his two seamen. Later the tug "Seguin" got the vessel and towed her to Bath. It is not believed the craft is badly damaged.

Winter came with a vengeance when it did come; there was no coyish lingering of fall in winter's lap; she got right up and out with a rush. Following Friday's snowstorm came two days of fair winter weather, with a little more snow on Sun-Monday afternoon came a high northwest wind and falling temperature the one kept on rising and the other falling, and on Tuesday morning folks read anywhere from 10 to 20 below zero. It blew a hurricane all day Tuesday. To-day it started in with zero weather, but moderated later, and this afternoon we are having a brisk snowstorm.

The many friends of John W. Tripp, formerly of this city, learned with regret of his death at Bar Harbor last Friday, of pneumonia. Mr. Tripp was born at Eastport; his parents moved to Ellsworth when he was a small boy, and he lived

here until about twelve years ago, when were brought to Ellsworth Monday, and buried at Woodbine cemetery with masonic honors. Mr. Tripp's age was fiftynine years, onemonth and five days. Besides a widow, who is a sister of Andrew P. Jordan, of this city, he leaves two daughters, Georgia P. and Mary F., and three brothers, Orrin W., of Ellsworth, Isaac, of Otter Creek and Ephraim, of Steuben.

Though the high school room was only 40 degrees above zero Monday morning, at the reassembling of the school after the Thanksgiving vacation, so that the school could not remain in session during the day, Principal Walker nevertheless received a very warm reception from his students, due to the fact, no doubt, of his recent harm metriconial everysion to Etheral dents, due to the fact, no doubt, of his recent happy matrimonial excursion to Eilsworth. Enough rice was thrown in a few minutes to seed down an East Indian plantation, and everybody appeared as happy as a brood of Celestials would be under like circumstances. His students like Mr. Walker very much, and on this occasion took this good-natured way to show their appreciation. The teachers and pupils of the high school tender a reception to Principal and Mrs. Walker Wednesday evening, in Eum hall.—Fort Fairfield Leader.

Operatives Organize Union.

A union of the boot and shoe workers who are employed at the Union shoe factory was organized at Manning ball Wednesday evening.

This unton is a branch of the boot and shoe workers union of the country, and will be known as Ellsworth local union

The organization was completed by the election of the following officers: E. A. Lermond, president; F. B. Marden, vice president; John A. Moore, secretary; Charles Cottle, treasurer; trustees, Gilman P. Wiswell, Charles Royal, Maurice Chick; executive committee, J. H. Brown, Bert Pomroy, M. McIntire, R. E. Murch, William Royal, F. R. McGown, L. E. Swett.

The union was not organized because o any disagreement with the company; in fact, it was done partly at its sugge-tion, as by baving a union shop it is permitted to stamp the name of the boot and shoe workers union on its goods, which in ome markets gives them an advantage.

This is the first labor union ever formed COMING EVENTS.

in Ellsworth.

Wednesday evening, Dec. 10, at Methodist vestry-Ice cream sociable, entertainment and spron sale. Admission, 15 cents.

Thursday, Dec. 11, Unitarian vestry—Annual supper and sale.

Friday, Dec. 12, Baptist church, Elisworth—December missionary conference.

Monday, Dec. 15, at Hancock hall—The Lincolns in travel and song, second of the series of five entertainments. Course tickets, \$1.75. On sale at Cunningham's. Friday, Dec. 19, at Hancock hall—University of Maine gies club under suspices of seniors of high school. Tickets 25c.; reserved seats 35c. On sale Monday, Dec. 15, at Wiggin & Moore's.

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Commander, Col. J. F. Whitcomb; vice-commander, B. F. Gray; junior vice-commander, J. L. Cook; quariermaster, James Hamilton; surgeon, J. B. Dean; chaplain, D. L. Fields; officer of the day, G. F. Haskeli; officer of the guard, W. J. Connick. Installation Jan. 5, 1903.

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WALSH'S. Ellsworth, Maine.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR.

de For the Week Beginning Dee. -Comment by Rev. S. H. Doyle. plo,-Our fellowship,-Pa exxxiii, 1-1. The word "brothren" in the One undred and Thirty-third Psaim rers to the descendant of a comancestry, but not only are se brethren who are bound together physical ties, but also those bound together by spiritual ties. the children of God are brethren. They have one Father, one faith, one Saviour and elder brother and one sternal home toward which they are all traveling. Race, color, nationality, to not ente into the calculation. If ing spiritual lives, we are all one in Tesus Christ and the have been born again and are livested in our lives the fellowship that consequent upon such a unity.

1. The source of Christian fellowship

spiritual. God's people are a spirtal building. The tie that binds them together is a spiritual one. A Christien is a living soul in vital contact with the Lord Jesus Christ through the power of the Holy Ghost. The Christian church consists of all these persons bound together. The tie that binds the people of God together in unity and in fellowship is not a national or a social one, but a spiritual tie. Unless we have the spirit of Christ and are bound together by the Holy Ghost we do not belong to the hous hold of faith, are not one with the people of God and have no fellowship with God and with His people. personal acceptance of Christ alone can we come into this union with His caints, and this should lead all outside to accept Him.

2. Christian fellowship is beautiful and attractive, "Behold how good and how pleasant it is for brethren to dwell together in unity." This is specially true of Christian brethren. It was a beautiful sight to see divided Israel as a nation once more united; but even ore beautiful than this is it to see unity and fellowship among those who are spiritually related. Nothing presents Christianity so attractively to the world. When the world can say, "See ow those Christians love one anoth-" its people will be drawn to the church; but when it must say, "See how those Christians rend one anoththere is no hope for conversions. A church in which the people dwell together in loving union and fellowship ed scarcely say, "Come." The peo ple will come almost without invitation, while a church rent with factions and divisions can offer no induce ments to those outside her borders Let us stand, therefore, for fellowship. Let us be brethren in deed as well as in name. Our own lives will be thereby the happier, and we will be enabled the sooner to win the world to Christ. 3. Christian fellowship is useful as

well as beautiful. "There the Lord commanded the blessing, even life for evermore." God blesses Christian uni-The united church is the special object of His favor and blessing. discord and contention He has no place. and this fact above everything else should inspire His scopie to cultivate unity and fellowship.

BIBLE READINGS.

Eccl. iv, 9-12; John xvii, 20, 21; Acts 11. 42-47; xi. 29, 30; Gal. II, 9, 10; vi. 1-10; Eph. II, 19-22; Phil. 1, 3-6; iv, 1-3; I Thess. III, 1-10; I John t. 3-7.

The Pastor's Opportunity. Pastors, keep your Young People's society young and you have solved one aportant problem. Don't scold, but lead; don't coerce by method either, but inspire them by deepening their You can make or break your Young People's society. What is ed today in the average society is self sacrificing leadership on the part of pastors. No outsider can successfully solve your problems save by an occasional suggestion. It is your privilege, your work, your wish, and you must deal with the subject. You have

Dr. Clark's "Welcome."

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no more important opportunity for

service.-John Willis Baer at Northfield

The very exterior of Dr. Clark's home suggests the hospitality for which it is famous, for on the main girders of the porch the word "Welcome" is beautifully carved in a dozen different languages.-Rev. W. Knight Chaplin.

Loyalty of the Christian Endeavorer There are two kinds of loyalty—one amounts to little, the other amounts to much-the loyalty of the lips and the loyalty of the heart and hands.--President Roosevelt.

Sparks From Several Anvils.

The pledge is the center, the keeping of the pledge is the circumference of the Christian Endeavor movement .-Christian World.

The Christian Endeavor society is one of the most valuable agents of the church and is the outgrowth of the church.-Dunning.

Christian Indeavor is old enough to have graveyards as well as battlefields.

The Christian Endeavor constitution is no hard chrysalis which forever keeps the butterfly within from trying its wings.—Rev. Dr. Francis E. Clark.

Quis Box.

[Any question may be asked that per-tains to any phase of Christian Endeavor work. Address Lock Box 574, Bingham-ton, N. Y.]

17. H. K., Ohlo.-The Philadelphia union is accounted the largest and most aggressive of any of the local unlons. This union was the first to adopt the plan of the correspondence comand introduction of strangers to the

state union has very recently added a

Alutaal Benefit Column.

EDITED BY "AUNT MADGE". Its Motto: "Helpful and Hopeful."

The purposes of this column are succinctly stated in the title and motto—it is for the mu-tual benefit, and aims to be helpful and hopeful seing for the common good, it is for the com non uce-a public servant, a purveyor of in mon u.e-a purise servan, a purveyer or formation and suggestion, a medium for the interchange of ideas. In this capacity it solicits communications, and its success depends largely on the support given it in this respect. Communications must be signed, but the name of writer will not be printed except by permission. Communications will be subject to approval or rejection by the eliter of the column, but none will be rejected without good reason. Address all communications to

Ellsworth, Ma.

LIGHT AT EVENTION. How cheery and bright at evening After a dark November day-Are the lights of our home and hearthstone Chasing the gloom away.

And when the dark clouds lower, And abroad the stormking roam, How sweet to rest in the shelter And the light and cheer of hou And as I sit here musing At the close of this Sabbath day,

There comes the sweet assurance That though life be dark or bright, When the closing shadows deepen

Recalling the lights and shadows

That eventide is light. My Dear M. B. Friends:

A generous supply of good things awaits your reading this week, but I have to say to you first of all that another member of our circle has gone from us to the other shore. Many of you will remember the helpful, cheery letters and answers to questions which came to us signed "Aunt Dorcas". It was with surprise and sadess that I heard verygrecently that she had "gone home". One week performing deeds of love and neighborty kindness and the next borne sorrowfully and tenderly to her last resting-place. To me there has come a sense of personal loss We were always sure of her interest and sympathy.

Dear Aunt Madge and M. B. Friends: Again ny mind turns to you all. I feel that I thank you all for the many helps and kind thoughts. And to "Ego"-let me thank her for writing that letter to "Dear A." For some time have felt that I must write a word to "A", but "Ego" (who so well can write) has written my wn words full better than I could have done. Now "A", you must lie down on that lounge for from experience I can tell you it is cer tainly better than many doses of medicine and I have many times said that I never could have done my work on the farm and cared for the little ones, without the help of that lounge. Now do not feel that you exnnot spare the time, but imply take it, and you will in a short time s the benefit. My heart went out to you when I read your letter, and I could almost feel that "tired feeling" of old. May you find a few moments in which to visit your neighbors which

gives you something new to think of!

Now "Aunt Maria", I would love to take sep into that pickle and preserve cupboard and, like Aunt Madge, I think it would be worth on while to visit you and see all the lovely things I enjoy your letters, as I do all the rest. This may not get into the column before Christmas so let me send greetings to one and all.

FRUIT CAKE WITHOUT EGGS-One and one FREIT CAKE WITHOUT ROBE - One and one-half cups supart, I cup sour milk, 3 cups affed floor, 1% cups butter, I cup raisins seeded, chopped and floured, I teaspoon soda, & tea-spoon nutmeg, & teaspoon chinamon. Owing to the absence of eggs, bake in a slow oven, and you will have a delicious cake.

Cake Filling-One cup sweet milk (small size), X cup sugar, X cup chopped and seeded raisins, 2 tablespoons grated coocolate, put on stove and let come to a boil; when boiling stir up 1 erg and beat until it thickens, adding a small plece of butter and a small teaspoon corn starch. This makes a fine filling and keeps the cake moist a long time without soaking into it. LEMON FILLING—Julce and grated rind of I lemon, I cup sugar, I egg, butter size of a wainut, % cup water; cook until thick, taking care not to burn.

Thanks for all your helpful words and recipes. In the beginning of your letter you say your "mind turns to us all", and I want you, Ann, to remember that our minds all turn to you, also. Don't you know that from Maine to California "Ann", "Janet", "C" and all the other THE AMERICAN is read

My Dear Auni Didn't think I should be the first to be caugh in a trap of my own setting, but neverther am willing to belp.

Find enclosed some questions for the column.
"Indian Summer" took its origin from the
summer-like weather in 1621 when Massacott was the guest of the Plynouth Pligrims on their first Thanksgiving Day.

drat Thankegiving Lay.

Ann's idea of putting a funnel in apple ples
leads me to speak of a new way I have been
trying, that of cooking the apples before making the pics. Can make them quicker, and it doe away with the leaking. Prepare the apple first and put them on to cook, then make the crust; by the time they are ready the apple is done; then you only have to keep them in the oven until the crust is baked.

oven until the crust is baked.

I enclose a little poem for the benefit of those who may get tired doing the same things over and over. If any one has any new ideas for Christmas, please pass them on. Thought being a schoolmarm, would spell my name instead of signing with initial.

Over and over God paints the skles, Over and over he makes the sun rise, Over and over he tints the dowers. Over and over he sends the showers, Over and over he guides the stars, Over and over the dawn unbars. If over and over the dawn unbars. If over and over the dawn unbars.

Why should we faint—one duty shirk?

QUESTIONS. In how many states and territories has the egislature by special not legalized particular owers as state flowers? Which are the states? Who said "An honest man is the noblest ork of God"?

Where has a monument been erected to be geographical centre of the United State the geographical centre of the United States?

What state has been called the mother of presidents?

"C" alias "See", you have responded nobly, and set an excellent example. I hope we shall receive many answers to your questions. I thank you for your answer to the one relating to Indian summer. "Anne" writes as follows:

"About Indian summer, all I can find is that it is a warm period in the latter part of the fall, during which the Indians prepare for winter. Being of an indolent nature, I suppose they put off preparations for winter thir these last of fall warm days come, and as we prepare for winter in our summer, they are preparing for winter in Indian summer.

Aunt Madg- has a grateful thought for 18. A., New York.—The New York that young gentleman who would have sent her the recipe for some "original le study superintendent to its list dishes" served at his boarding-house if he had been able to "analyse them."

AUNT MADGE.

LOST.

BY GLEASON L. ARCRER [Continued.]

An hour passed. He was still making progress. He was now in a different quarter of the beath. The forest line was now very near at band, but he scarcely dared hope that this was the point where the stream (emerged; for he had been several times before only to find that the eccentric stream had still other crooks and turns in store for him. But, as is usually the case, things happen when we least expect them, or when we have ceased to hope, he was happity dissppointed by the stream making a slight turn and bearing directly toward the for cet. Twenty minutes more and he was under the heavy canopy of the woodland.

The driving pitch of the river bad flooded everything in its immediate vicinity, and even back here in the woods the water was almost as drep as upon the heath. The ground was firmer, although somewhat slippery. It was darker here, too, but Wilder's beart was full of thank fulness that he had been permitted t make the incredible journey across the beath without serious mishap, and that he was once more standing on solid ground. He pushed on as best he could, at the same time revolving in his mind plans for the best course to pursue when he should have crossed to the other side of the brook.

His heart was lighter, and he felt that through bad been perhaps after all a just, although severe, punishment for not beeding his own reason and the advice of his comrades. He now felt that safety was assured. If he succeded in crossing the stream right away, an hour's brisk travelling on the highland would surely bring him back to the road again, and he would reach home by morning. Cheered by these thoughts, he renewed his exertions as much as his benumbed and tired limbs would permit.

But a rude surprise was awaiting bim In the midst of his meditation, as he followed the winding stream back toward its source, a sudden turn in its course brought him again face to face with that dreadful beath, and be realized that this was only one of its many loops, and that its real exit from the forest was perhaps vet miles away.

He could hardly believe his eyes. But there was the beath, sure enough. That long reach of treeless expanse could be nothing else. How he dreaded to enter that heath again. Its beaving, jelly-like surface after the solid ground that he had just been traveling was simply maddening. He paused there in inward conflict His dread of the beath finally triumphed No, he would not try such a dangerous passage again in darkness. If there was nothing else to do, he would climb a tree and await the return of day. Ab, bow be wished later that he had done so!

But as he stood there irresolute, and gazed longingly into the black void toward the other shore, he fancied that he saw the faint outlines of the opposite bank of the stream. Training his eyes upon it for a moment, he became convinced that he was right. The stream was parrower here than at any other place thus far. The other bank was high land; be could tell that by sighting across the water as he had done so many times be

Why not attempt a crossing here? He must cross somewhere, that was certain. The current was but slightly to be dreaded, and under ordinary circumstances he could easily swim the stream although it must be confessed his swim ming abilities were scarcely worthy of mention. In his boyhood when on swimming expeditions with his youthful companions, he had never won much of honors in this line unless it was the rare distinction of being the heaviest swimmer

There is a story still current among bis friends of one of his early adventures names are household words wherever that well illustrates both his lack of dexterity at the sport, and his pluck and endurance as a youth. One day, as the story goes, he was paddling around with several companions on a raft in a lake near his home when it was suggested that each should try his luck at swimming ashore. Wilder was younger than the others, but when his turn came he leaped fearlessly into the water, and was not seen again upon the surface until minutes later be emerged half drowned from the shallow water near the shore

This was in his early swimming days and although he later improved with practice, he never attained any great degree of skill. This point received due consideration as Wilder stood there in the darkness of that stormy night, and tried in vain to measure with his ever the distance across the stream from shore to shore. Heavily clothed as he was, and with his rifle also to drag him down, he knew that even if the distance proved slight in his exhausted condition it would be a very difficult task to gain the other

A moment's hesitation, an instant's summoning of coursge, and Wilder was struggling in the current. He had cast aside his pole as an unnecessary incumbrance, for being of unseasoned hard wood, it was somewhat heavier than water, and would only impede his prog-

The current was stronger than he had imagined. It required his utmost endesvers to keep his head above the water His progress was almost imperceptible. He was drifting rapidly down the stream. him under rather than giving him its Set an old experienced woodsman support. His strength began to flag. A down in a thick forest at the dead had taken one chance too many. His brain recied for a moment. He felt himself sinking, sinking to his grave. The swollen river closed above him, smother-ing the last despairing cry, that was even

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then struggting to find utterance, but floats off in the current.

But he has risen once more. Coughing, struggling, gasping, he comes to the surface; he has tasted once of death. Will he reach the shore? The water boils around him from his own exertions. He struggles desperately to clear himself from his gan, but in vain. In his blind folly before attempting the crossing he

which now cut off his only chance of life. "God have mercy!" he gasped amid the Once more the gurgling water with its racing bubbles of foam closes over him, and claime him again as its vanquished prey. But an instant, and his feet touched bottom. With the last effort of his reeling senses he springs to the surface. God be praised! He emerges from the river. He has reached the shore. He fails fainting upon the bank The mereliess storm bests upon him as he lays there prone upon the damp earth with the waters of the river lapping at

Presently his sturdy nature seserts itself once more. Consciousness returns, and Wilder is himself sgain. He ares from his uncomfortable position, straight-ened out his cramped ilmbs, and, like one arising from a deep sleep, gazed about him in bewilderment, uncertain for a moment whether still dreaming or really awake. Where was be, bow did he get there, and what had he been doing? These were the mental questions that fisshed upon him.

Then he remembered all. The hardships and suffering of the last few hours, and above all his late marvelous cecape from death. For the first time in his life be awoke to the belief in an over-ruling Providence. He felt that the visible hand of God had been unmistakably manifest in this latest adventure. He had come of praying parents, but somehow his own heart had never been brought into that same state of trustfulness. He had recognized God as a necessary element of the universe, and, like all other men not too hardened in crime, he had resolved to become a Christian some day, but that day had been postponed from time to time until now past middle life he was seemingly no nearer the final decision then at any time in the past.

As he looked back over the vists of years already spent, he realized the many times that his rough woods-life had brought him face to face with death, and be marvelled that he had been spared so long. He would see the parson when he got home, and talk with him. He would help him on the right path again.

He sat there in the darkness for some time, deeply absorbed in meditation. The wind was still sighing through the forest; the rain had ceased for a time, but it was only a temporary lull in the storm. The darkness was quite as blank as it had been all slong. It must have been something past midnight, but to Wilder it seemed full week since he left the camp. His watch had stopped because of its late immersion in the river, and even if it had not be could not possibly have found out what the time was, for his matches were useless. His gun was filled with water, and to this be turned his attention as best he could in the darkness.

When again be had lelsure to think of himself he found that he was weak and faint from his recent adventure; his head was beavy, and his lungs were cramped with a dull, oppressive pain. The chill of his dripping clothing was a source of great discomfort, and his boots were filled with water that churned up and down in an uncomfortable manner as he walked.

Having drained his boots and squeezed some of the dampness out of his clothing. he prepared to push on to the road if possible in the darkness. Ab, rash decision! His ill indement of the last few hours had betrayed him into a wonderful tangle of unhappy adventures. But this was the crowning folly of all, as he realized in sorrow and repented in suffering a little later on. But he could not be blamed for this rash action; the wisest nan would have probably very same thing under the same circum stances. His brain was too unsteady for calculation, too dull for forethought, and too confused for logical reasoning.

oo confused for logical reasoning.

His present suffering, which he knew Don't Chase Shadows. every hour's delay would serve to intensify, seemed to spur him on to immediate action. The pangs of hunger had not yet fastened upon bim, but he knew that nature would soon make known her wants in no uncertain tone. He must do something to keep from perishing of cold, for the chill air of night made his watersoaked clothing feel like an ice-cold armor that clung to him and seemed to resist his every movement.

It was but the work of a moment to decide which way he should travel. It was of no use to attempt to follow the stream back to the road again. A much quicker way would be to strike out boldly across the high land, tangled with brush and blocked with thickets as it was. He felt sure that he could reach the road in a short time, and soon be well along toward

No longer delaying, he set out with nothing to guide him in the darkness except instinct, that strange mental compare that all true woodsmen possess Under ordinary circumstances this mental polse is something wonderful in its accuracy. It seems to be a psychological explain. It approaches as nearly as anything in the human makeup to that wonderful God-given instinct of the lower animals that so often excites our wonder and admiration.

of night, when not even a star visible, and he will tell you al-most exactly the location of north and south. But let that same man once get lost in the forest, or depend too much upon the use of a real compass, and that power leaves him to a certain extent. The Indian possessed this power. Its invisible influence drew him to his Digests all classes of food, tones and strengthens the stomach and digestive organs. Cures dyspepsia, indigestion, stomach troubles, and makes rich red blood, health and strength. Wiggin & Moore.

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this power is not always to be relied upon smong civilized men. A disturbed condition of the mind, or perhaps even a long and winding road, may throw one's mental polse .nto hopeless confusion. I have often heard men declare that north was south to them in certain places; and no doubt this is sometimes the case with all men who have not developed themselves in this particular re pect

Presently the rain resumed its interrupted course. I s cheerless swish upor the gently-swaying branches field the forcet with a thousand murmurs. The unpleasantness of the peiting rain upon Wilder's bare head, for his hat hed left him during his struggle to the stream, had at last grew so unbeareable that he was obliged to tie his red bandana over his head, but even this did not bein matters

Peace Sets on Our Banner.

[The following verses were read by Deacon James M Butler at a Fourth of July calebration and flag raising at McFariand's hill, West Hancock, July 4, 1865. It was composed by Rev Walter Marshall, liaptist minister at Hancock at the time. Hon James A Militken, of Cherry-6, ki, delivered the address.]

As stars in their courses agree

And rainbows for covenants stand, So let no deluge of blood, Forever float over our land. But youthful rosebuds as now,

Representatives for the states be, And Liberty bear union fruits, Till all sit under her tree. Where now are secondon's flags!

Her rulers, where can they be found? Her banners are trailed in the dust, Her champions scatter around. They know our Samsons were strong To throw down their towers of pride! And now their false prophets are gone

With bate in dark places to hide lites. Oh millental Sun! Shine over the earth and the sea Till man, brother man, shall befriend, All blessed with true harmony.

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END CAME AT WASHINGTON EARLY SUNDAY MORNING.

BRILLIANT CAREER-PAMOUS AS TAWVER AND STATESMAN-BURIED AT PORTLAND.

Thomas B. Reed, congressman for twenty-four years, speaker of the House nearly eight years, one of Maine's most distinguished sons, died at Washington shortly after midnight last Saturday.

Grave fears had been entertained as to the outcome ever since the announcement a week ago of Mr. Reed's illness, in spite of the hopeful bulleties that were issued, and the announcement of his death on Senday morning, although a shock, was not wholly a surprise.

Mrs. Reed and his daughter, besides the attending physicians were with him at the end.

The remains were taken from Washington to Portland Sunday afternoon. The funeral was held yesterday at the First Parish church, of which Rev. John C. Perkins is pastor.

Thomas Brackett Reed was born in Portland Oct. 18, 1839, and always resided in that city. He was the son of Thomas Brackett and Matilda (Mitchell) Reed. He was educated in the Portland public schools, and was graduated from Bowdoin college in 1800. He taught school a year or so, studying law at the same time.

In April, 1864, before he was admitted to the bar, he was appointed an acting assistant paymaster in the navy. After the war, he was admitted to the Cumberland bar, and commenced the practice of his profession.

He commenced his noted public career by being elected to the State legislature in 1867. He was returned to the legislature in 1869 and, in 1870, represented Cumberland county in the State Senate While a member of the Senate he was nominated and elected attorney-general of Maine, and being at that time only thirty-two years of age, was the young-est attorney-general in the history of Maine. In this capacity ; he served three

For four years, 1874-78, he was the city solicitor of Portland. His first nomination for Congress was in 1876, and he represented the first congressional district of Maine at Washington until his resignation in 1899, when he was serving his twelfth term as a member of Congress, and his fourth term as speaker.

CAREER IN CONGRESS.

Mr. Reed entered a House which was democratic, and of the tweive Congresses in which he served, the democrats controlled seven. Although a new member of the minority party in the House, it was not long before Mr. Reed displayed those qualities which were destined to make his career in Congress a distinguished one. Long before his election to the speakership he was recognized as his party's leader in the House, and won more than national reputation by his power as a debater, his eloquence which found expression in the few long speeches which be made upon the floor, and his breadth of view and comprehension of the great questions of the day which raised him above the level of the mere politician.

WERCTED SPEAKER.

But it was his election to the speaker ship which gave Mr. Reed his opportunity to do the nation that service with which his name has since been connec ed. Facing unmoved a storm of opposition such as few men have been forced to meet, he brought about a revolution in the methods of preliamentary procedure in the House, and made impossible the practice by which the minority had for years defeated the will of the majority of that body.

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Dry hard, 5 00 65 Broken, 10 Dry soft, 3 00 65 00 8 countings per load Roundings per load Roundi in 1889, that Mr. Reed did the one particular thing which has given him his greatest political celebrity. He counted a quorum. For years it had been the custom of the House to ascertain the presence of a member by calling his name If he answered to his name he was present. If he did not answer he was not present, sithough he might be sitting in his seat on the floor of Congress. The refusal to answer to his name gave every member of the House the power to in dulge in what has come to be known in parliamentary tactics as fillbustering.

OPPOSED SO FILIBUSTERING.

Mr. Reed had gone on record as being opposed to these methods of obstruction. but it is probable that few, if any, of the members of the House knew when Mr. Reed was stanted anesker that he was going to east precedents to the wind, and to embark in something absolutely new and revolutionary in the matter of parlia-mentary procedure in the House.

When Congress met it is probable that Mr. Reed had already formed his plan to dothis. The republican majority was a narrow one. The democratic minority had very many able leaders who contested the organization of the House, and the conduct of its business at every point, until finally the great day came.

The point to be remembered always when considering Reed's act in counting a quorum is that he did it before the House had adopted any rules giving him the power to do so. When Mr. Springer of Illinois, in one of the most exciting scenes which the House has ever witnessed, asked by what authority becounted men as present who had not answered to their names, Mr. Reed repiled that he did it "under the authority of general parliamentary law". This reply has

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COUNTING A QUORUM. It was on February 29, 1890, that Mr. Reed first counted a quorum. There were not republicans enough present to constitute a quorum, which is, of course, one more than half the number of members of the House.

lilness and absence had reduced the republican membership below that point, and when the roll-call disclosed the fact there was a hush in the House and a moment of great expectancy. When the roll was called the democrats did not answer, but Mr. Roed counted them in, notwithstanding, and announced "that a quorum was present". The democratic minority protested in a most vigorous manner against the use of power, but Mr. Reed successfully carried his point. McCreary, of Kentucky, being present, arose and asked how Mr. Reed knew he was present. Mr. Reed replied, in his inimitable drawl and in tones of greatest sarcasm:

"Does the gentleman deny that he is

This was but a sample of his replies from the chair. Scene after scene of the greatest tumuit and disorder followed, and every time Mr. Reed counted a quorum the democratic minority protested vehemently.

Finally, the rules of the house of representatives were adopted and these rules gave the speaker, in express terms, the power to count a quorum. After the organization of the House and the adoption of the rules, which will be known now and always as the "Reed rules", the republicans unseated a number of the democratic representatives, some of whom were credited on the face of the returns with majorities that ran up into the thousands. This gave the republicans a safe working majority. The House sustained Mr. Reed on every point.

Before the republican convention of 1896 which was held in St. Louis, Mr. Reed's name was presented as a candidate for the nomination of president. Hon. Henry Cabot Lodge, of Massachusetts, presented his name, and the nomination was seconded by Hon. Charles E. Littlefield, of Maine. Mr. Reed had not made a very strong canvass, but before the convention met it was felt that his chance of being nominated was good. He received 84% votes on the first ballot to McKinley's A man who was at this convention has said that had Mr. Reed been willing to have made some promises as to his cabinet officers should be be elected, he would have been nominated without question, but he refused to bind himself by any piedges, and some of the delegations which his friends thought he would receive declared against him.

The changes in the membership of the House resulted in a democratic majority in the next Congress, and it was then that Mr. Reed showed that he took a broader view than that of the man who is actuated only by a desire to obtain party advantage. It was then that he led the republican minority in the repeal of the Sherman law when the democratic majority found itself unable to carry out its promises to do that thing.

Mr. Reed was almost as well known as a writer and an orator as he was for his achievements as a statesman and a party leader. For many years his name has been frequently seen upon the tables of contents of the leading magazines and reviews, and when he consented to deliver addresses his words were received with eagerness and widely read, and some of these articles and orations dealing with questions of national importance are destined to be treasured as among the classics of American literature.

After his retirement from Congress Mr. Reed became a member of the law firm of Reed, Simpson, Thatcher & Barnum of New York, and during the winter he made his home in that city, but he retained both his Deering street house in Portland and his cottage at Grand Beach, and during the summer was a familiar figure upon the streets of Portland. Mr. Reed in

Proceedings at the November Term Held at Ellsworth.

Wills admitted to probate: Calvin Coggins, Lamoine; Willis C. Crabtree, Hancock; Isaac M. Grant, Ellsworth.

Wills presented for probate: John B. Linscott, Lamoine; Frank Jones, Portsmouth, N. H.; Rhoda E. Hoyt, New York

city.

Administration granted on estates of
James P. Byard. Sedgwick; Josephine E.
Metcalf, Dedham; John K. Richardson,
Stonington; Arthur Wardwell, Bucksport.
Petirions filed for administration on estates of Kendall K. Hodgdon, Tremont Lucy A. Howard, Deer Isle; Lydia C. Mor

gan, Surry.

Guardian appointed unto Lillian B.
Marsh, minor, Mariavilla.

Affloavit of notice of appointment returned in estate of James H. Hatch, Cas-

License for sale of real estate granted in tate of Emery H. Gray, minor, Deer

Isic.
Petitions filed for license to sell real estate in estates of Abijah Garland, Isaac M. Grant, Elizabeth Hooper, Elisworth; Edna Carr Harriman, minor, Eden; Lillian B. Marsh, minor, Marlaville.
Accounts settled in estates of Mark Hatch, Castine; Mary E. James, Elisworth; Ezeklel Pierce, Waiter H. Richardson, Mount Desert.
Accounts filed for settlement in estates of Samuel Abbott, Charles D. Wilbur, Eastbrook; Wines S. Emerson, Sedgwick;

or Samuel Abbott, Charles D. Wilbur, East-brook; Wines S. Emerson, Sedgwick; Luther Hapworth, Sarah S. Barker, James G. Bowden, a person of unsound mind, Abbie J. Sucy, non compos mentis, Ells-worth; Alfred C. Butler, an insane person, Walthar.

tition filed in estate of John T. Crip-

Petition filed in estate of John 1. Crippen, Elisworth, for allowance to widow out of personal estate.

Certificates of sale of real estate filed in estates of Patrick Mulhern, Sullivan; Edna Carr Harriman, minor, Eden.

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The standard weight of a bushel of potatoes, in good order and it for shipping, is 80 pounds;

in good order and dit for shipping, is so pounds; of apples, 44 pounds.

The standard weight of a bushel of beans in The standard weight of a bushel of beans in Of wheat, beets, ruta-baga turnips and peas, 60 pounds; of corn. 36 pounds; of onions, 52 pounds; of carrots, English turnips, ree and indian meal, 50 pounds; of parsnips, 40 pounds; of barley and buckwheat, 48 pounds; of osts, 52 pounds, or even measure as by agreement. The prices quoted below are the retail prices at Elisworth. Farmers can evilly reckon from these what they are likely to receive in trade or cash for their products.

Butter. Country	Produce.
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Poultry.	
Poultry is sti i scarce	and high.
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No loose straw on the market. Vegetables.

Green stuff is temporarily in good supply Other vegetables are about the same as usual We quote:

Potatoes, pk 25 Tomatoes, B 00 S potatoes, B 02 ged Turnips, B 01 S Onions, G 04 Beets, B 01 S Onions, G 05 New beets, bunch 0 S New beets, bunch 0 S New cabbage, 0 S Carrots, B 01 S String beans, qt 05 Parsnips, B 05 Parsnips, B 06 Parsnips, B 07 Pea, 10 Pea, 10 Pea, 10 Pea, 10 Pea, 11 Pea, Celery, bunch 10 Pruit. Vegetables.

Fruit. Fiorida oranges are now in the market. 15 g25 Oranges, doz 35 g.45 20 Lemons, doz 25 g30 Cranperries, qt 10

Havana, Porto Rico,

Lumber M.
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Hemlock, 11 g13
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Spruce floor,
Pine,
Matched pine,
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Cedar, extra

Provisions. Steak is fower; the best cuts are now selling for 25c, against the recent ruling price of 30c The best roasts can now be had for 20c. Vent-son is still in good supply. Pork chops are up again to 15c. Wholesale beef prices are

higher, and a ric	e in reti	ili may be looke	d for.
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Veal:		Bacon,	11
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Hallbut,	16 #18	Clams, qt	20
Mackerel, each	15	Lobsters, b	20

No anthracite coal will reach Ellsworth by wa ter this winter. The vessel load now lying in the bay will be discharged at Mt. Desert Ferry, as soon as possible, and brought to Elisworth by coal laten, was last reported at Hyannis; she,

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The Weather of November. Following is an abstract of meteoro-

logical observation at the Maine agricultural experiment station at Orono, during the month of November: Number of clear days.....

Average for same month for 34 years .. 4.28 inches Temperature.

Lowest for same month for 34 years...... 16" Average of warmest day......48 Average of coldest day......25

Righteousness. William DeWitt Hyde, Bowdoin's

brilliant president, says righteousness takes an infinite variety of forms to meet the varied claims of situations and persons upon us.

In the home it is kindness; in business it is honesty; in society it is courtesy; in politics it is public spirit; in work it is thoroughness; in play it is fairness; toward the fortunate it is congratulation; toward the unfortunate it is pity; toward the wicked it is resistance; toward the righteous it is active support; toward the weak it is help; toward the strong it is trust: toward the penitent it is forgiveness: toward God it is reverence and love

Honor to the strong man in these ages who has shaken himself loose of shams and is something. For in the way of being worthy the first condition surely is that one be. Let cant cease at all risks and at all costs. Till cant cesse, nothing else can begin.—Carlyle.

KITTERY TO CARIBOU.

One Week's Winnowings of News, Novelty and Nonsense Augusta is to have a \$150,000 addition to

Alfred E. Buck, of Georgia, U. S. minster to Japan, died at Yokohama Dec. 4, of apoplexy. Mr. Buck was born in Fox-

A Jonesport captain, Harry E. Ecton. vas master of the four-masted schooner Wesiy M. Oler", which went ashore last Friday near Hatteras injet life-saving station. Her entire crew was lost. Patents have recently been issued to

the following Maine inventors: J. H. McPartland, Houlton, fire-escape with water-tower attachment; S. S. York, Mrs. Amy W. Additon, one of Maine's

oldest "old ladies", died last week in Portland. Mrs. Additon was ninety-seven years, eleven months and twentyfive days old, and had she lived until las Saturday would have celebrated her ninety-eighth birthday. She was very anxious to live to reach that great age.

Elliott Walker, aged eighty, who was judge of probate for Penobscot county, 1881-4, and a prominent lawyer, died at Newport, Dec. 4. He was a graduate of Colby, a member of the legislature in 1872, and the first principal of Corinna academy. He leaves a son and daughter, Dr. W. E. Walker, of Newport, and Mrs. Horace Atwood, of Fairfield.

Albert Tripp, of Gray, was shot in the bowels by one Edward B. Wing, of East Livermore, at the [home] of Humphrey May, in West Gloucester, Tuesday of last week. Wing and a companion named Frank Burnham, who belongs in Leeds, are said to have been under the influence of liquor and in ugly temper. Tripp undertook to put the disturbers out of the house when the shooting took place. Wing and Burnham have been captured. Tripp's death was imminent at last re

The North college building at Colby Waterville, is a total loss from fire which broke out at 3.45 last Saturday morning. The students in the upper stories were obliged to leave their effects. The loss on the building is about \$15,000, on which there is an insurance of \$5,000. The origin of the fire is supposed to have been from a chimney which burned out the day

Joseph Williamson, a prominent attorney, historian and local official, died suddenly last Thursday at Belfast, aged seventy-four years. He was a graduat of Bowdoin and in 1852 was admitted to Waldo county bar. In 1853 he was appointed the first judge of the municipal court, and during several years served as alderman and city solicitor. He leaves three children, Joseph jr. of Williamson & Burieigh, Augusta; Mrs. Frances Pierce, Frankfort; and Miss Ada William son, Boston; also a brother and sister, Wm. C. Williamson, a Boston attorney, and Mrs. Robert Willard, of Cambridge, Mass.

Last Saturday night week the last rail was laid and the last spike driven on the new Fish River railroad, and the track from Ashland to Fort Kent was completed. Regular trains will be running in about two weeks. The Fish River road extends from Ashland, on the Baugor & Aroostook, to Fort Kent, a distance of fifty-two miles, and it is expected to be among the best paying roads in the State in proportion to its mileage. The line taps a rich section of the garden land of Maine, and vast tracts of valuable timber, which have hitherto been inacces sible to the lumbermen, are now thrown open. Until now Fort Kent was connected with Ashland only by means of a stage line. Fort Kent was first settled by Acadian and French refugees, and was named for the fort erected there in 1841 which was christened in honor of Gov. Kent. The town was incorporated on Fab 23 1869

THE 58th CONGRESS.

Republican Majority will be 30-Interesting Statistics.

The unofficial list of members of the House of Representatives in the 58th Congress, issued by Thomas H. McKee. journal clerk of the House, after every district had been fully accounted for shows that they number 208 republicans and 178 democrats.

All minor political distinctions disappear from this list, all members arraying themselves squarely with one or the other of the dominant parties.

There are 131 new names in the list, of whom twenty-nine represent the additional districts provided for under the apportionment based on the twelfth cen sus. Of the whole number, seventy are democrats and sixty-one republicans.

They include also half a dozen or mor members elected to fill vacancies in the 57th Congress, caused by death and resignation within the past year, Brandeges o Connecticut, Gardner of Massachusetts, Dwight of New York, Shepard and Russell of Texas and Glass of Virginia.

It appears to have been a good season for former private secretaries to become congressmen. Allen of Maine served Speaker Reed in that capacity; Fred Landis, of Indiana, his brother and pres ent colleague, G. B. Landis; A. F. Lever, of South Carolina, his predecessor, J. W. Stokes; and C. D. Van Duzee, his pre decessor, the present representative from Nevada, Mr. Newlands. The latter will go to the Senate to succeed John P. Jones, whose voluntary retirement in March will leave Senator Allison of Iowa the senior senator in unbroken length of service.

The nestor of the House is Gen. J. H. Ketcham, of New York, whose service, however, has been interrupted, thus giving the dignity of "father" to Gen "Harry" Bingham of Philadelphia, who will have served thirty years when the 57th Congress expires. The history of the House presents no equal record, although Mr. Cannon is but two years behind him.

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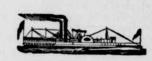
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WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 10, 1902.

Thomas B. Reed.

If ever there were any doubt as to the place Mr. Reed occupied in the hearts of his countrymen, the encomiums that have been pronounced since his death would dispel them.

It is given to but few men as conspicuous as he has been for the past quarter of a century to have survived, and survived unscathed, so many terrific political battles.

Loved by his friends, feared by his enemies, admired by all, he strode giant-like straight along the path he had chosen, never swerving, unswervable.

It will be many a day before the American nation looks upon his like again. Little wonder that men are vieing with each other to do honor to his memory.

To his friends his death is a peris a calamity.

Q Out of the myriad tributes to he dead statesman we quote the following:

Senator Hale: "Mr. Reed's death suddenness of his death is appalling. There is no such personality left in contest in the caucus. our public life."

Senator Frye: "Mr. Reed was a good lawyer. He was my successor as attorney general of the State of Maine. He was a very brilliant lawyer and a very attractive conversationalist when he desired to be. He was a fine parliamentarian."

Congressman Littlefield: "Mr. Reed was one of the foremost men of his day and generation, with every quality that makes the highest type of American manhood. He possessed a giant-like intellectual endowment. which enabled him to leave an imonce unique, profound and lasting, dicted will not come to pass. Though not now in public life, his death will be widely deplored as a great public loss and misfortune."

John D. Long: "He made it possible to say that even in these days there are giants. He carried the suggestion of power. He was a great parliamentary speaker and a great debater. The parliamentary lists were his arena rather than the platform. His mind was also as honest as it was masterful. Then, too, his marvelous wit was a distinctive feature in American life. Few men have said more bright sayings that have become genuinely mourned with a universal

Mr. Reed was the last of the famous quartette of congressmen - Reed, Maine sent continuously to Washington for so many years, and who in poor children of the town. "A few their day, together with Senators years ago," says the Descret Evening Hale and Frye-happily still left to News, "Dr. Condon was called upon Hale and Frye-happily still left to ence on national legislation.

Town or City Government?

discussed the question of a city government at its meeting last week. At the close the vote "fur and agin" was a tie. Charles B. Pineo is "agin" the change; town government is good enough for him. "Look at Bar Harbor," he said, "it has gained in valuation in the last twenty-five years from \$200,000 to \$20,000,000; all discussed the question of a city govyears from \$200,000 to \$20,000,000; all this under a town form of government. Then look at the city of Ellsworth. A

few years ago Ellsworth was a hustling, prosperous town; they changed the government to a city form, and the place has been going behind ever

Mr. Pineo's enthusiasm apparently led him into exaggerations that the facts relating to both Bar Harbor and Elisworth hardly warrant. That Bar Harbor has had a remarkable growth in the past twenty-five years is true, and everybody rejoices thereat. longer ago than 1880 her population was only 1,629; her polls 330, and her valuation 8622,901; while in 1900 her population had increased to 4,379, her olls to 1,047, and her valuation to \$4,470,540. During the past two years there has been a further increase, but it is hardly possible that

valuation has increased to \$20,000,000. We doubt if even Mr. Pineo in his calmer moments would claim that Sedgwick. cause Bar Harbor has thus grown under a town form of government, it worth.

would not have grown under a city

Mr. Pineo's conclusions as to Ellsworth are hardly sustained by the facts. The place, he says, was once a hustling, prosperous town, but has been going behind ever since a city form of government was adopted. Ellsworth became a city in 1869. Its afternoon, and at 7 o'clock a thermometer population in 1870 was 5,257; its polls 1,097; its valuation \$1,233,199. 1900, thirty years after, its population 8 below. was 4,297—a loss; its polls 1,403, an A fierce northeast gale was blowing. increase, and its valuation \$1,946,564, also an increase.

Ellsworth has not been going behind ever since 1869. She is, in fact, better off in every way than she was then. The decrease in population really means that her floating population is less; her voting population has increased; her citizens are better off, better fed, better clothed, better housed; have more money and steadier employment; her schools are better; her gross business is larger than even in the palmy days of lumbering and shipbuilding.

In short, Ellsworth is a far more desirable town to live in in every respect than it was thirty years ago It is not true, in any sense, as Mr. Pineo flippantly remarks, that Ellsworth has been going behind ever since it adopted a city form of government. And even if it were true, it could hardly be attributed to the change in the form of government.

There may be good reasons why Bar Harbor should not become a city, but to argue that because Bar Harbor has grown rapidly under a town form, and Elisworth has not grown rapidly sonal loss; to his native State of under a city form, is wholly specious, Maine it is grievous; to the nation it and utterly unworthy so good a lawyer and so estimable a citizen as Mr. Pineo.

It is conceded that Mr. Cannon, of Illinois, now has a clear field for the speakership of the next House. Mr. has removed a very great figure in Littlefield, of Maine, was the only life and politics. He was great in serious candidate against him, and he of the saloon keepers have closed their ability and in courage, and was a man has gracefully withdrawn. Mr. Canof wide accomplishments. When he non will be nominated by acclamawent out of politics he was easily the tion, and this will be the first time in most masterful man of his day. The many years that a republican speaker will have been nominated without a

> Conservative and strong and absolutely lacking in sensationalism this message rounds out the trial period of Theodore Roosevelt in the President's chair, in a way to be com-mended by all men, and it emphasizes once more that he is the President of the people and for the people, and will be President again by the people.— Boston Commercial Bulletin.

In obedience to the orders of Sheriff Whitcomb, every liquor store in Ellsworth was closed last Thursday night. There seems every reason to believe that the law will be obeyed, and that press upon the history of his time at the troublesome times so freely pre-

COUNTY GOSSIP.

Der Iste's lobster fishermen have closed their sesson's work, and report that this year has been for them one of the most successful in the bistory of the business

Mrs. Wittis Greeniaw, of Doer Isle, bas just returned home from Butter island, where she has been teaching school, the unique feature of which is the fact that all the scholars belonged to one familyall children of Eldridge Shepard.

Everybody remembers our old friend Dr. A. S. Condon, of Ogden, Utah; his a part of the vernacular. He will be racy writing, his elequent defense of the genuinely mourned with a universal 16 to 1 doctrine, and his charming style. istic thing-be didn't tell us of it himself, but it got into the newspapers, and a mutual friend sent us copies. Dingley, Boutelle, Milliken - that vided a Thanksgiving dinner at the Congregational church of Ogden for all the us wielded such tremendous influ- to part with his sweet little girl, who was called to the great beyond. The parting was a severe affliction to the father, who made up his mind that he would as memorial to his daughter's name each Bar Harbor's Pro and Con club Thanksgiving give a dinner to the needy children of Ogden. There were over a

STATE NEWS.

Bangor friends of Miss Grace Hodgdon Boutelle, a daughter of the late Con gressman C. A. Boutelle, will be interested to know that she has taken an editorial position on the Boston Transcript

One of Guilford's principal business blocks was destroyed by fire early last Sunday morning, causing a loss of fully \$22,000, and leaving five secret societies without a meeting place. The burned building was owned by Henry Douglass and Good Cheer lodge of Odd Fellows.

Washington Co. Excursion Rates. For the Christmas holidays, the Wash ington County railroad will issue loca excursion tickets at one fare the round trip from each local station to every other station on the line, tickets being sold December 23, 1902, to January 1, 1903, inclusive, good for return Jan. 2, 1903.

Nominations by the Governor. Justices of the peace and quorum, Hollis E Austin, Lamoine; John F. Eston,

Notary public, John A. Peters, jr., Ella-

FROM BAR HARBOR.

Very Cold and Very Dry - A Spirited Debate-Death of Miss Mayo-Local Happenings.

BAR HARBOR, Dec. 9 (special)-Not for years has Bar Harbor known such a bitter cold night as was experienced Monday night. It began to grow cold in the on Main street registered just zero. In 9 o'clock the same thermometer stood at

and the weather grew steadily colder during the night. At 6 o'clock Tuesday morning the mercury at R. H. Kittredge's on Mt. Deserf street, was 20 degrees low zero, and the temperature was the same at the Maine Central wharf.

It was reported to be 25 degrees below in some parts of the town. The prospect for a regular old-fashioned winter appears to be good. During the storm of Friday about seven inches of snow fell here, and the high wind made it drift badly. Sun-

Sheriff Whitcomb, backed up by the in-formation that County-Attorney Bedford E. Tracy would ask for jall sentences instead of the customary fines for violation of the liquor law, every place in Bar Harbor where intoxicating liquor is sold was closed Friday morning, Dec. 5. It is believed that the last drop of rum which will be sold here for some time was sold Thursday night.

So thorough is the enforcement that it is impossible to purchase a drop of alcohol from either of the three drag stores in town. A little alcohol is sometimes needed for other purposes than drinking, and a few people have been heard to kick at what they call the absurd and senseless operation of the law, but on the whole the citizens of Bar Harbor are well satisfied with the action of the county officials.

All day Thursday and into the evening the liquor dealers were making preparations to close up, disposing of their un lawful goods in various ways. Sheriff Whitcomb arrived on the morning train Friday and visited the salcons, finding everything to his satisfaction, with no evidence of violation of the law. Some places and left town; others having billiard and pool tables or restaurants are still here, but will do no selling.

Approval of this condition of things is heard on every band. In just what mandy seems to know. Whatever plans the sheriff has made he is keeping to himself. When asked, he would not say whether or not he had appointed should appoint special liquor deputies.

Miss Matilda N. Mayo died Sunday, Dec. 7, aged sixty-two years. She was the daughter of Moses and Nancy Mayo, of Eden, both of whom are dead. For many years Miss Mayo was employed in the Rodick family on Rodick island. The deceased had one brother whose home is in Ellsworth. The funeral occurred Tuesday at the house of Patrick Haley, where Miss Mayo had made her home for some time. Rev. S. L. Hanscom conducted the services. The interment was at West

Rev. and Mrs. William O. Baker, who trip, arrived home Saturday evening They sailed from Italy, and reached New York Tuesday, Dec. 2, after a very rough passage. Mr. Baker conducted the services at his church, St. Saviour's, Sunday morning and evening, and drove to Hull's Cove in the afternoon and held a service in the Church of our Father.

W. H. Sherman received Friday from the Wintbrop batcheries ten cans containing 3,000 trout about three inches long, to be put into Esgle lake. The fish were in

Old Age.

Old Age.

Old age as it comes in the orderly process of Nature is a beautiful and majestic thing. The very shadow of eclipse which intreatine it, makes it the more prized. It stands for experience, knowledge, wisdom and counsel. Total is old age as it should be. But old age as it so often is means nothing but a second inhidhood of mind and body, What makes the difference? Very largely the care of the stomach. In youth and the full strength of manbood it doesn't seem to matter how we treat the stomach. We abuse it, overwork it, injure it. We don't suffer from it much. But when age comes the stomach is worn out. It can't prepare and distribute that needed nourl binest to the body, acting the much. But when age comes the stomach is worn out. It can't prepare and distribute that needed nourl binest to the body, acting the middle of the arrest and conviction of the party or parties who have been maliciously and systematically damaging my property by throwing rocks who have been maliciously and systematically the property of the windows of my workshop, and otherwise conducting themselves in a riotous and disorderly manner, especially an night.

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dead. They were put into the lake Saturday, and in a couple years should furnish

A letter was received from Rev. Alex ander Kerr, of New York, a few days ago. by B. E. Clark, one of the pulpit supply committee of the Congregational church announcing that as the result of mature deliberation he had decided not to accept the call to the pastorate of the Congrega tional church. Since the resignation of Rev. Richard Owen, in September, several weeks ago a call was extended to Mr. Kerr who was formerly pastor of the Broome street tabernacie of New York.

Eden should adopt a city charter," was discussed at a meeting of the recently-organized men's debating club, called the Pro and Con society. held at the Y. M. C. A. rooms Wednesday evening, Dec. 3. About forty members were present when the meeting was called to order by President A. A. Heald, superintendent of schools. After a paper was read on the Panama canal by Mr. Reald the debate, the main feature of the evening, began. The two chief disputants were Blon E. Whitney for the affirmative, and Charles B. Pineo for the negative. The question was ably argued and then thrown open to the house.

Some of the other speakers were Rev. S. L. Hanscom, Fred C. Lynam, E. N. Benson, B. L. Hadley, L. A. Austin, Charles F. Paine, B. S. Higgins. A vote on the merits of the question resulted in a tie. The question for debate at the next meeting of the club Wednesday evening, Dec. 17, is: Resolved. That the Maine State legislature should vote to resubmit the so-called prohibitory law to the people. Maurice C. Rumsey and E. N. Benson will take the affirmative and Thomas Soars and Joseph Stevens the

daughter of Mrs. Mary I. Higgins, who tarium at Saranac Lake, N. Y., Tuesday morning, Dec. 2, took place at the Methodist church Saturday morning. Interment was at the cemetery on Mt. Desert street. Miss Higgins had been ill for about a year, and on the advice of her physician went to Saranac Lake last September and for a while appeared to be improving. The deceased leaves besides a mother one brother, Dr. Royal Higgins, of Indiana, who accompanied the body home. Mrs. Higgins will leave here the last of the week to spend the winter with her son in Indiana.

of the Bar Harbor Banking and Trust Company, the regular examination of the Company, the regular examination of the bank was made by the trustees. It was voted to carry \$5,000 to the surplus on January 1, making the total surplus of the bank \$50,000. It was also voted to pay 6 per cent. semi-annual dividend. The past haif year has been the most prosperous since organization. The following officers were re-elected: L. B. Deasy, president; Fred C. Lynam, treasurer; Vernon G. Wasgatt, assistant treasurer.

Special Notices.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

DO not trespass in Cuniculocus Park. I demand protection to life and properties from the county of Hancock, the State of Mainc, and the United States of America.

Mass C. Farer Auerin.

The question "Resolved, That the

The funeral of Miss Ella Higgins, death of consumption occurred at a sanitarium at Saranac Lake, N. Y., Tuesday

The First National Bank of Ellsworth,
THE annual meeting of the stockholders
of the First National Bank of Ellsworth
will be held at their banking rooms in Ellsworth, Maine, on Tuesday, the 18th day of
January, a. d. 1903, at 10 o'clock in the foremenon, for the following purposes:
1st. To elect a board of directors for the
ensuing year.

lots of sport for anglers.

At a recent meeting of the stockholders

ANNUAL MEETING. ANUAL MEETING.

THE annual meeting of the stockholders of the First National Bank Building Company will be held at the rooms of the First National Bank In Ellsworth. Maine, on the second Tuesday of January, the thirteenth day of January, at 1900, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, for the transaction of the following business:

1st. To choose a board of seven directors for the corporation.

2d. To transact any other business that may properly come before said meeting.

Dated at Ellsworth this 19th day of December, a. d. 1902.

A. W. King, Clerk.

ensuing year.

2d. To act upon such other business as may
come before said meeting.

HANRY W. COSHMAN.
Cashier.

Amusements.

Fo official authority for the State of Maine, county of Hancock, townships of Lamoine, Hancock, Franklin and plantation No. O VER three thousand access in Cunicular Cas Fark have been burned to glacial deposits, clay strata or rock bottom. I demand exemption from taxes on this Austin property for one hundred years.

MARY C. FRETZ AUSTIN.

WHEREAS my wife, Delta A. Sargent, has left me without just prevocation I hereby forbid all persons harboring or trusting her on my account, as I shall pay no bills contracted by her after this date. Elisworth Falls, Dec. 1, 1962.

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Ellsworth, Me.

Wellesley college before her marriage to Prof. George H. Palmer, of Harvard college, died suddenty in Paris last Sunday. Mrs. Palmer was one of the most efficient educators in the United States. Her loss to literature and to education will be

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TEMPERANCE.

STRIKING SERMON BY REV. J. M. ADAMS AT CONG'L CHURCH.

HE ADVOCATES "REGULATION AND RE-PRESSION" AS BEST METHOD OF HANDLING LIQUOR TRAFFIC-

BUT STAND BY THE LAW

A sermon on temperance, somewhat out of the ordinary, was delivered at the Congregational church last Sunday by the pastor, Rev. J. M. Adams. "The present effort on the part of officials to enforce the prohibitory law freehly calls our attention," he said, "to the matter. It makes the liquor problem for the time live issue."

In discussing the question he divided it; first he discussed the effects of the use oint the question: Is the use of intox icating liquors a source of great social demoralization, or is it not? If the practice does tend to destroy society, to under mine the general health, to cripple indus try, to destroy domestic peace, and in a general way to issue in suffering rather than in happiness, these facts ought first to be recognized and appreciated.

One should not make it too much of an individual question-to say: Can I use intoxicating liquors without greatly barming myselff and form his temperance sentiment from the answer he give

QUESTION A GENERAL ONE. The question is a general one. man may be physically and morally able to indulge in stimulants without doing himself apparent barm. But that is not the scope of the temperance question

the scope of the temperance question.
The point is: Do men in general as an actual fact bless or curse themselves through the use of it? Does it on the whole do more good than harm, or vastly more barm than good?

Any agent that, upon the whole, tends to tear down rather than to build up society, increasing poverty, distress and disease, we should frankly recognize in its true character, whether individually it so affects us or not.

its true character, whether individually it so affects us or not.

Mr. Adams then went on in a graphic and forceful manner to show that nothing can be more complete than the condemnation of sicoholic stimulants from the falstorical point of view. Vivid word-pictures of incidents from the fall of Babylon down to the present day.

"One does not need, however," he continued, "to look far affeld for facts to make out the case against alcoholic stim-

make out the case against alcoholic stim-ulants. Every great city is recking with the curse of drunkonness. Every small village and hamlet, and every countryside has its pitiful tale of witnesses—manhood destroyed, homes ruined, disease, poverty, crime."

After setting forth the evils resulting

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not caring
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from the use of intoxicants, and showing what a grave menace it now is to private and social good, he came to the subject of practical measures of reform.

Here there are two distinct types of sentiment. One is the dectrine of radical prohibition, which would destroy the evil, root and branch, immediately and by legislation. The other is the method of reform which may be distinguished as a policy of

REGULATION AND REPRESSION.

"I believe we should all be better off to-day if there were no liquor made or sold for use as a beverage. Property, health, happiness and morals would vastly gain by it. Nevertheless I cannot hope to see this result quickly attained.

"Even if all the ladies of the Woman's Christian temperance union were to invest in hatche's it would not greatly hasten the millennium of sobriety. The evil is as old as recorded history. The evil is as old as recorded history. The evil is has taken deep root in human nature. The habits of great classes of people are not so pisatle as to be moided by every well-intentioned touch. It requires considerable time for the multitudes to cease to do evil and learn to do well. REGULATION AND REPRESSION.

well

"Besides, there are so many conditions that to-day drive men directly toward intemperance that the effective reform must need be almost a sweeping reorganization of our social life. The physician does not merely apply a, salve to the surface pimples when treating a child for the measies. He studies the total physical condition of the child, and treats it constitutionally.

"Intemperance is the result, more or less, of a constitutional disorder in society. Men take to deink because they lack inclinations for higher things; they are out of range of sader pleasures and ambitions. They lack a taste for healthful recreations, and often the opportunity for these is not at hand. We would have to enumerate a long list of reasons why this destructive form of indulgence is resorted to.

"The work of reform, therefore, is not the mere matter of encountering a single foe. His name is legion. We have no

the more matter of encountering a single foe. His name is legion. We have no less a task before us than the great task of social regeneration; a result that may be expected to follow the awakening and cultivation of man's spiritual nature

WHAT LAW WILL DO. "Law will help us only so far as law represents the actual integrity and working convictions of the people. A live temperance sentiment must be created. And for this purpose there ought to be frequent agitation of this question as a living issue of politics. A yearly battle under a system of local option would be the best consider arrangement to create under a system of local option would be the best possible arrangement to create and secure the action of this public senti-ment. A state prohibitory law is a handicap to the temperance cause, and it would be a great gain in this fight to erase it from our statute-books. "There must also be provisions for social recreation to take the place of the saloon. The people must be edu-

the saloon. The people must be educated to find satisfaction in other and harmiess modes of amusement. I think the function of the Christian church should be greatly broadened to minister to the needs of the people in helping to wholesome plessures looking toward a sounder morality. Our distinctively religious endeavor here has also its necessary piace in the scheme of reform. True piety makes for temp-rance and all other virtues; therefore we should foster the knowledge and the worship of God.

"My whole meaning is that temperance reform shall never be attained in any con-

reform shall never be attained in any con reform shall never be attained in any con-siderable degree as a single and isolated result. When it comes, it will be an incl-dent in a general scheme of better social conditions, and of quickened intellectual and spiritual life. Every man who works for any good moral result, whatever it be, is beiping likewise to bring in the day of sobriety.

LAW MUST BE OBEYED.

"As to the enforcement of the laws upo "As to the enforcement of the laws upon our statute-books, there ought to be but one opinion among well-intentioned and intelligent citizens. Even those who do not believe in a state prohibitory law should certainly be sufficiently loyal to the ideals of government to desire to see law revered. Deliberate lawlessness makes for every sort of political demoralization. To override one law tends in a measure to weaken the authority of every law. It looks toward a state of anarchy, "Maine has acquired a tainted name

law. It looks toward a state of anarchy, "Maine has acquired a tainted name throughout the nation on account of the deliberate contempt of certain laws. It is a had policy, in every way unprofitable. If state prohibition is a good law, let us enforce it, and get the benefit of it. If it be a had law, and impracticable, let us try to enforce it, and thereby prove what worth there is or is not in it. But let us not be content to make it a matter of a joke.

standing with itself, and make itself loudly heard in the legislature asking for

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MISSIONARY CONFERENCE.

To be Held at the Baptist Church, Ellsworth, Friday.

The missionary conference to be held at the Baptist church on Friday of this week promises to be one of the most important meetings of the kind ever held in this

It is part of the plan now being adopted by the various missionary boards by which prominent missionaries, at home on furlough, and officials of the boards, endeavor to reach the individual churche for the purpose of giving those interested more accurate knowledge of the work on the foreign fields.

Of those who are expected to be at the meeting on Friday, Rev. W. E. Witter, M. D., was at one time a successful missionary to the Nagas, a tribe dwelling among the bills in Assam. Mrs. Witter's falling health brought them home. For about eight years Dr. Witter has been the efficient secretary for New England of the American Baptist missionary union. He is a good speaker, and is well informed on missionary topics.

Mrs. N. M. Waterbury is corresponding ecretary of the Woman's Baptist foreign mission society. She, with her talented husband, was stationed at one time in India. Overwork and the debilitating effect of the climate rendered Mr. Waterbury pervious to disease. He died in India. Mrs. Waterbury is a gifted speaker, and will be sure to interest.

Mr. and Mrs. Grossbeck are stationed in Swanton, China. They are now at home on furlough, and expect soon to return to their chosen field of labor. They have an interesting story to tell of their work among the Chinese.

It is expected that nearly all the Baptist churches of Hancock county will be represented, and the citizens of Ellsworth are cordially invited to be present at all the meetings.

Rescripts in the following Hancock

county cases have been handed down from the law court:

In the case of Thomas M. Nicholson vs. Maine Central R. R. Co., the rescript, drawn by Judge Whitehouse, says: It is the opinion of the court, that the recorded location of the Bucksport and Bangor railroad in 1873, is a substantial and sufficient compliance with the requirements of the statute in force at that time .

The board of county commissioners is court having a recording officer whose duty it is to register its decrees, and the attestation of the cierk is all that is necessary to give validity to the record of its transactions and judgments. Tho record was legally and properly made. There is no law requiring the signatures of the members of the board to be subscribed to their judgments or appended to their records.

The ruling of the presiding justice that the "location as filed" is insufficient must accordingly be held erroneous. Whether any part of the right of way secured by this location over the land now owned by the plaintiff has been voluntarily abandoned by the defendant company is question not now before the court.

Exceptions sustained. Received Dec. 4, 1902,

Inhabitants of Orland vs. Inhabitants of Penobscot. Rescript by Powers J.

Pauper supplies, whether received directly or indirectly by the pauper, must be received from the town as a result of the obligation imposed upon it by the statute.

Voluntary contributions of private charity do not constitute such supplies. The motive of the donors is not material. The consequences attach to the act, not to the motive. It is the receipt of supplies from the town, not the motive which may have inspired any person or persons to do away with the necessity of the pauper receiving relief from the town, which affects the gaining of a

revision.

"In the meantime, citizens should give their hearty support to public officials who are only discharging their sworn duty in attempting to make this law something more than a mere dead letter upon our statute-books."

pauper settlement.

The beilef of the pauper that the supplies were furnished by the town in response to his application is not sufficient. It is the fact that they are so furnished, and not his belief, which constitutes them

Judgment for defendant. Received Dec. 4, 1902

A Fisherman's Prize.

The three-masted schooner "Winchester", Capt. Crabiree, recently purchased by Sullivan parties, was abandoned last Saturday off Georges. She was granite

laden, bound for Philadelphia. The "Winchester" sailed last Thursday. That night she encountered heavy weather, which continued until the crew was thoroughly exhausted. Falling in with the fishing schooner "Mary A. Gleason", Capt. White, Capt. Crabtree asked to be taken off.

A fresh crew from the "Glesson" was put aboard, and on Sunday the "Winches ter" was worked into Gloucester.

BAYSIDE.

Frank Thompson, of Salisbury Cove, Clarence Tate and Nora Smith, a sixteenyear-old girl, of Bayside, went hunting last Saturday afternoon in the Bayside woods. Miss Smith was the first to slay a fine doe. She wounded another, which Mr. Tate got, and Mr. Thompson got his, making three nice large does in a few hours. Such luck does not come to every

LAKEWOOD.

Emery O. Frazier shot a deer last week. Charles Garland and Mary P. Frost are in poor health.

For the first time since the church was organized, the monthly conference was missed last Saturday.

Casey (the stonemason)—Phwat's the row below? Cassidy (the hod carrier)— Shure, English Jim just fell from the second-flure t' the basement. Casey-Thot's an Englishman fur ye. Shure, it was two hours ago I told him a joke an' it's took him all this toime to tumble.

CHURCH NOTES.

UNITARIAN.

Pastorate Vacant. Sunday, Dec. 14-Sunday school at 11.45. CONGREGATIONAL.

Rev. J. M. Adams, pastor. Friday evening at 7.30, prayer and conference meeting. Theme: Ps. 111. Sunday, Dec. 14—Morning service at

10.30. Sunday school at 11.45. Evening service at 7.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL.

Rev. J. P. Simonton, pastor. Sunday, Dec. 14-Morning service at Sunday school at 11.45. Junior league at 3 p. m. Preaching at 7. Prayer meeting Friday evening at 7.30.

Bayside-Service Sunday at 2.30 p. m.; Mr. Simonton.

BAPTIST.

Rev. David Kerr, pastor. Sunday, Dec. 14-Morning service at 10 30. Sunday school at 12 m. Junior C. E. at 6 p. m. Prayer meeting at 6.30. Evangelistic service at 7.

Prayer meeting Friday evening at 7.30 nton-Service Sunday at 2.30 p. m.; Mr. Kerr.

Thomas Nast, consul-general at Guayaquil, Equador, died last Sunday after a brief iliness. Mr. Nast was born in Bavaris, Germany, in 1840, but nearly all his life was spent in this country. He became one of America's famous caricaturists. During the war of the rebellion and after, he acquired great fame as a political cartoonist. His best work was done for Harper's Weekly.

BORN.

ANDERSON-At Hancock, Dec 6, to Mr and Mrs Charles J Anderson, a son. BOWDEN-At Penobscot, Dec 6, to Mr and Mrs Irving L Bowden, a daughter. CANDAGE-At Brooklin, Nov 25, to Mr and Mrs Erastus J Candage, a son. [Everett Clayton.]

Clayton.]
GILES—At Amberst, Nov 25, to Mr and Mrs Edward Giles, a daughter.
HORTON—At Bluehill, Dec 3, to Mr and Mrs William S Horton, a daughter. WIGGIN-At Ellsworth, Dec 7, to Mr and Mrs Fred E Wiggin, a daughter.

MARRIED.

CONARY-BUTLER-At Bluebill, Dec 6, by Rev R L Olds, Miss Blanche N Conary to Walter R Butler, both of Bluebill.

Watter is Butter, both of Butenin,
FREETHY—INGALLS—At Brookin, Nov 30,
by Rev W II T Bock, Miss Ida Freethy, of
Brookin, to George R Ingails, of Brooksville.

JOYCE—TORREY—At Atlantic, Dec 2, by Rev
G Mayo, Miss Leonora F Joyce to Ira C
Torrey, both of Atlantic.

Torrey, noth of Atlantic.

JACKSON-MOORE-At Scattle, Wash, Nov 24, by Rev John F Damon, Miss Josephine Jackson, of Scattle, formerly of Stevens Point, wis, to Capt Zenro Smith Moore, of Port Townsend, Wash, formerly of Manset.

WOODS-TOWER-At Bar Harbor, Dec 6, by Rev C 8 McLearn, Miss Almena Everett Woods to Charles A Tower, both of Ellsworth.

HIGGINS—At Saranac Lake, N Y, Dec 2, Ella Frances Higgins, of Bar Harbor, daughter of Mrs Royal G Higgins, aged 38 years, 2 months, 20 days.

MAYO-At Bar Harbor, Dec 7, Miss Matilda N Mayo, aged 62 years.

STRATTON—At Everett, Mass, Dec 3, Mrs Mary
Merchant Stratton, aged 73 years, 3 months,

TRIPP-At Bar Harbor, Dec 5, John W Tripp, formerly of Ellsworth, aged 59 years, 1 month, WOOSTER-At Lynn, Kansas, Dec 5, Clara L, wife of Ernest W Wooster, of South Hancock, aged 34 years.

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right treatment when you do buy, and your money back if you are not satisfied. Where does your judgment tell you to do your trading? Our show window has just been trimmed with a full line of the famous We want you to compare it with

Kirschbaum Hand = Made Clothing. other clothing windows - compare the style of the garment, the construction, the general make-up-see if you cannot see a difference in the entire combination. Come in and try on, and if we fail to satisfy you that the Kirschbaum Hand-made Clothing is the best clothing, that's our fault. If you go elsewhere and pay more for clothing not as good as ours, that's your fault.

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COUNTY NEWS. sadditional County News see other pages

George D. Crane and wife spent Thanks

giving with friends in Milbridge.

Miss Sadie Montgomery is doing cieri-

cal work in the Bucksport national bank. Miss Florence Stover will spend the winter in Boston, taking a course in a

business college. The schooner "T. M. Nicholson" of the olson fishing fleet, sailed last week for Bay of Islands for a fare of pickled

herring.

Prof. E. A. Cooper, of the E. M. C. S., spent the Thanksgiving recess up in the inting regions, and came home with two fine deer.

Theodore Woodman Cunningham wa home from Bowdoin, and Herbert Abboit from the University of Maine for the Thanksgiving recess.

Bucksporters are experimenting with soft coal, for the first time for many years. Buckley & Preble, who had a cargo come in the schooner "Emma n" for their conservatories, are re tailing a portion of the lot at \$8 50 a ton.

Winter term of the seminary opened Dec. 2, with a very satisfactory attendance. Now that the football season is closed, attention will be paid to debating, and it is probable that some debates will be arranged with representatives of out-

The death of Mrs. Albert Cunningham, of Swanville, better known here by her maiden name of Edna Abbott, occurred at her home in Swanville Dec. 1. Mrs. Cunningham was the youngest daughter of Peter Abbott, of Verona. Besides her husband she leaves three small children.

Abby, wife of James Bennett, of Verons, died on Nov. 30 after a long illness of a complication of diseases. Bennett leaves two daughters, Mrs. W. W. Aphott, of Lewiston, and Mrs. Benjamin Randall, of Boston. Her maiden name was Abby Woodman. She was brought up in the family of the late Elijah Dix, of Verona. She was seventytwo years old. The funeral was beld at the homestead in Verona Dec. 3

The manifesto of the sheriff sgainst the sale of intexicating liquor is a matter of considerable comment in town. There are but two places in town where liquor is sold, and both of these will be closed. As in other periods of drought, the business will probably be conducted on the pocket plan, and the jug trade from Bangor will be revived. As none of the drugstores in town will sell liquor under any consideration, there is some talk of re-es tablishing the liquor agency, or what is appointing one of the local druggists a town liquor agent which would no doubt insure the proper handling of this kind of "medicine".

Dec. 4

Miss Florence Young has returned from Islesford where she has been teaching.

Capt. Charles Hodgkins went to New York last Monday to look after his vessel. Mrs. Addie Foss, of Machias, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. John Hodgkins. Rev. S. R. Belyea goes to Calais this morning to be absent the greater part of the week.

Mrs. W. R. visit to relatives in Massachusetts and

Several from this grange attended the eeting of Hancock Pomona with Bay View grange Dec. 3.

John Hodgkins is working in a fish market on Swan's Island in company with a gentleman from Bar Harbor. Miss Flora Stratton, who recently re-

turned from Castine normal school, is attending the high school in town.

W. Overseer Alton Tripp and wife have been appointed delegates to represent our grange at the State grange to be held in Augusta at the session beginning Dec. 16. Dec. 8.

School closed last Friday after a most profitable term of thirteen weeks, Miss Helen Mansfield, of Orono, teacher Miss Mansfield goes home to-day. She will return in three weeks to begin the winter term. Number of pupi's registered, twenty-nine; those not absent or tardy during the term are: Eleanor Kittredge, Octa Hamor, Fanny Young, Frank Paine, Leonia Paine, Lettie Paine, Harold Knowles, Oren Hale, Cassie Higgins, Hoyt Cousins, Agnes Cousins.

Absent only one-balf day, Jessie Mayo and Mildred Mayo.

West Tremont.

Alton R. Murphy has returned home Schooner "Delaware" is here leaking

Miss Rena Reed has also gone to Bucks port to attend school.

It was Master Edwin Rumill instead of Edith, as stated in last week's AMERICAN, who went to Bucksport to attend the

THELMA. Dec. 8.

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COUNTY NEWS.

Forty went to Belfast last Wednesday on the excursion.

Alonzo Smith returned from his mackereling trip last week.

Miss Maude Wells went to Portland last Monday to attend a business college. The Misses Dollard came from Ells-

worth Monday, where they have been visiting friends. The "Farther Lights" will meet in the Wednesday evening. Subject: chapel

"India Invaders." Everett Kane goes to Charleston to day to attend school at the Higgins classical

institute. Mrs. Alline Flye starts for Reedville, Va. to-day to spend the winter with her brother, Veranus McFarland,

Mrs. George Snowman, of Eggemoggin, who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. R.

Y. Gray, returned home Thursday. Miss Ids Freethey, second daughter of Cant. Nelson Freethey, was married Saturday evening, Nov. 29, to George Ingalis, of

Miss E. A. Mayo has had her store noved tack about forty feet, and will have a large extension built on it. R. E. Bent will do the work.

R. R. Babson bad the misfortune to fall from the staging of one of the new cottages being built at West End, a distance of about eighteen feet, breaking his arm above the wrist and sustaining other injuries.

Schools begin to-day with the following teachers; No. 1, Miss Mary Nelson; No. 2, A. G. Blake; No. 3, Mr. Fors, of Danforth; No. 5. Miss Musa Dollard: No. 6. Miss Poss, of Danforth; No. 7, Miss Beulah Thurston; No. 8, Mrs. Alena Fiye; No. 9, Miss Jennie Cole.

The woman's missionary society held its annual meeting last Tuesday evening. dent, Mrs. W. H. T. Bock; vice-president, Mrs. Laura York; secretary, Mrs. Phobe Bray; treasurer, Mrs. Mary Kane. The meeting was followed by a social. Re-

freshments were served. Dec. 8. UNE FEMME.

Several moose have been seen during

the week. Howard Moore and Al Fortler made a

business trip up river recently. Tobias McIninch, who is employed by the Jordan Lumber Co., made a short visit

Mrs. J. R. Shuman spent Thanksgiving week with her daughter, Mrs. Stephens. of Brewer.

Frank Cunningham, of Bar Harbor, came Saturday night for a few days' hunting at Alligator.

Charles Dickey and Mr. Lane, of Brooks, made a short hunting trip here. They took home three deer. Albert Haynes, Mrs. Haynes and son

Jasper have returned from Joe Mary lakes. Guy Patterson came with them. John Havnes killed a loupcervier this week, and about sixty coons have been

caught in and around the corn fields. This weather has put an end to finding buttercups and dandelion blossoms. But they were found here late in November.

A party of five from Brighton, Mass. are to be here to-night. Though near the last of the hunting season, they hope to get their share of game. Dec. 7.

Enet Bluebilt.

DEATH OF SABAH H. YOUNG. Mrs. Sarah H. Young died at the home of her father, Capt. John T. Miller, Nov.

She had been visiting relatives in Massachusetts, and returned home Saturday, Nov. 1, in her usual health. On Sun day she was taken seriously ill, and died the next Thursday. Mrs. Young was the widow of Capt.

large part of her time at sea with her husband. During the last five years their home has been with Capt. Miller, occupying their cottage at the Northport camp ground during the summers.

Mrs. Young was a consistent member of the Baptist church, a kind neighbor and a true friend. She was the last mem-ber of Capt. Miller's family-wife, two sons and five daughters.

He has the sympathy of the whole com munity in this last of his manifold afflic-

North Lamoine.

Mrs. Lois Gilpatrick visited friends at

East Lamdine last week. D. Y. McFarland and wife went to Bar

Harbor last week to visit relatives. Harvey Bragdon goes to New Haven to-day to his former employment!

Miss Gertrude Bragdon went last week to the Auburn sanitarium for treatment Miss Annie Young goes to Prospect Ferry Thursday to visit friends befor resuming her studies at Castine next

Mrs. L. J. Bragdon closes her house this week for the winter. She will visit her sister, Mrs. Adams, in Newburyport, and other relatives.

Quite a delegation of patrons here attended county Pomona which convened at Salisbury Cove last Wednesday. An

enjoyable time is reported. Bartiett's Island. Capt. Johnson and Mr. King have gone

to Melrose for the winter. Capt. Johnson will return in April. Mrs. N. L. Bart ett has gone to Beverly, Mass., with her sister, Mrs. Charles

School, closed Wednesday, Nov. 26. The teacher, Hezzle Richardson, is on Long Island, camping with Wess Bart-lett. George and Emery Bartlett are with them. They bope to bring back two deer each.

Frank Bartlett and family moved to Northeast Harbor Dec. 5, to their new

house built for bim by Denforth Menchester. So another lifelong resident has gone away; but few of the old ones remain, and no new ones come to take their pisces

Dec. 6.

East Franklin. Miss Eva Springer leaves here Monday, Dec. 8, to attend school in Pittsfield.

Miss Tregligas were entertained at the home of Mrs. Rutter Wednesday last. Mrs. Mary Sargent, who suffered a shock last week, is improving daily,

greatly to the gratification of her many

Miss Cassie Springer, Miss Farnham and

The home union sewing circle will observe Christmas eve with an entertainment and Christmas tree, Ice-cream, cake and coffee will be served.

School closed here on Friday last, afte a successful term of thirteen taught by Miss Farnham, of Orland, and Miss Cassalena Springer, of Franklin.

T. M. Blaisdell, with the assistance of men in this vicinity, has put a wire suspension bridge across the stream that runs up to the head of the bay, for the dation of the men who his quarry and for the men who work in Sulliven.

friends.

North Deer Iste. Goodwin Thompson has gone to Bidde ford to visit relatives.

Capt. and Mrs. E. T. Marshall and son

Capt. William Thompson is confined to the bouse with a severe cold. The sidewalk society beld its weekly

meeting with Mrs. Samuel Lowe. A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Lewi

Shepard, of Little Deer Isie, Nov. 25. Mrs. Meredith Eills leaves this week for New York, where she will remain till after the holidays.

Wellington Torrey went to Bangor this week with Mrs. Nancy Sawyer to place her in the insane hospital. Miss Annie Hutchinson, of Little Deer

Isle, was married to Charles Titus, of Rockland, on November 26. Dec. 8.

Miss May Young, of Winter Harbor, is visiting friends here

Melvin and Homer Wilbur are attending high school at Lamoine Woodbury Bowden, who moved ble

family here from Portsmouth, N. H., last spring, has bought the Bunker place. There was a pie sociable at S. H. Rem ick's last Thursday night. The proceeds go to help build a wood-shed at the

The new bell for the chapel has ar rived. Dec. 8.

George Kent has purchased a cow.

Capt, and Mrs. Samuel Moore cam home last Wednesday from Boston. Epps Hadlock has sold his horse and

to parties at Southwest Harbor. Dudley Dollver has purchased a piece of land from Amos Dollver on which he

will soon build a bouse. Amos Doliver, who fell and injured himself so badly last week while working on the Crockett cottage at Southwest Harbor, is now able to do a little work. Dec. 8.

WEEDS

Consumption is a human weed flourishing best in weak Byron E. Young who died last August.
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John Carroll bas moved from his moun tain home into Bert Lawler's cottage at Norwood Cove for the winter.

Many houses here have put on a bright and shining appearance by aid of new costs of paint; among the number are the homes of Mrs. Eliza Robinson and Jacob Mayo, jr. The Congregational sewing circle met

with Mrs. Eliza Robinson Tuesday, Dec. 2, the genial hostess sparing no pains to entertain her numerous guests in a happy manner, making sure that no one left her Wm. J. Tower has added much to th

beauty and convenience of his house by the addition of a good kitchen and nest was ern verands. The dining room bas been enlarged, and a pretty fireplace now promises bright winter comfort. The Eastern Star gave a very enjoyable

entertainment at Tremont hall on Monday evening of last week, presenting to s Party". The old-fashioned costumes and quaint talk, together with the hilarlous ancing of a sober old descon with s breezy young girl, created much merriment, in no wise lessened by the fortunes told from the teacups. Refreshments were served, and a nest sum of money added to the Star treasury.

On Tuesday evening of last week large number of friends dropped into the new Bracy cottage for a social housewarming, and the hearty welcome accorded by the inmates proved their appreciation of the good will manifested. The nest finish of the pleasant room and convenient arrangement of the goodsized apartments were gratifying to the guests, who had not come emptyhanded, as chairs and rugs with m other pretty gifts bore witness. Candy and apples lent a share in the good cheer, and the pretty home was declared to be as "warm as toast", let coal be high or low; what matters so long as hearts are warm and happy?

The funeral services of Mrs. Sullivan Gilley, whose death occurred at her home in New York Nov. 29, were beid at the Congregational church here, of which Mr. and Mrs. Gilley were members, on Friday afternoon of last week, one of the most inclement days of the season, thus preventing many who would have wished to attend the last sad rites of this well beloved friend from doing so. Rev. Dean A. Waiker officiated. Interment was at Mt. Hight cemetery. Much sympathy is felt here, for the bereaved reistives over the early death of this bright young woman, who leaves besides her husband and three-year-old son, a father, nother and two sisters, Miss Lucy Harmon, who came from New York to attend the funeral, and Mrs. Homer Brawn, who has spent the past summer with her parents, to assist her invalid mother in house hold affairs.

The ladies of the Methodist church ald society are busy making ready for their annual sale and eutertainment to be held about Dec. 16. A programme is in preparation which, if successful, will entertaining to all. At their last circle meeting with Mrs. William Mason a novelty was introduced. A pretty cone shaped package was passed to each member, which on being opened, was found to contain not only sweet things to est but also a "birthday verse" which she was requested to read. Those who were not fortunate enough to get the right one were favored by their hostess who read their number in Prov. 31 from which they were all culied. Tea wa served in dainty cups accompanied by delicate cakes. All who were not addicted to the tea drinking habit were treated to lemonade. The afternoon was much enjoyed. Committees were pointed for the final arrangements

Dec. 8. Esther Alien returns to school at Blue

hill Monday. No. 7 school at Brooklin opens Dec. 8 Beulah Maude Thurston, teacher.

Miss Minnie Thurston spent last week in Sargentville with her sister, Mrs. Cole. Miss Cora Marks, of East Bluebill, is diliting her grandmother, Mrs. Ira Page. A preaching service was held at the church Sunday morning, conducted by Rev. C. P. Buckingbam.

Mr. and Mrs. Buckingham and children of Kenduskeag, a rived in town Saturday. They are with Mr. and Mrs. Hanseom.

Fred Page, Charlie Aller, Cecil Page and Harvey Torrey went deer-hunting Saturday near Eaton pond. They brought home a fine deer-the second shot here Mrs. Maria Thompson, teacher, and her

cholars were to give a concert at the grange hall Saturday evening. Owing to and some of the pupils failed to come The concert was postponed. Dec. 8.

A. M. Cadwell is employed on Dr. Noyes' house at plumbing. A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs Lyman Stinson Sandsy night last. Howard Peiros and wife have com-

menced housekeeping to Mrs. R. S. War

ren's house, to remain during her absence in Boston for the winter. There has been quite a scare in regard to smallpox lately since two cases are reported at Rockland and the St. Nicholas hotel is quarantined. So much passing goes on between Rockland and Stoning-

ton that everybody feels a little staky. Miss Alice Moore was to have lectured this week at Stonington and this place in the interest of the W. C. T. U., but the health board at Stonington of jeted to having any one from Rockland bold a pubtic gathering, and telephoned for her not to come. Rev. Mr. Hinckley, however, arrived at Stonington Saturday, coming across the Reach, to feeture at Stonington Saturday and here Sunday evening.

Dec. 6. Abbertisements.

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the city. WRAPPERS 1,000 Wrappers are offered at bargains.

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COUNTY NEWS.

H. H. Phillips is at home ill with

carbuncle on his neck. The thermometer registered 11 degree

below zero in Surry at daylight Sunday norning.

Mrs. S. S. Scammons, of Franklin, last week. Capt. W. S. Treworgy has gone to New

York on business concerning the yacht of which he is the sailing master. He will be gone several days.

The head of the bay is frozen over, and the smelt fishermen are busy hauling their tents on and getting ready for business. A few smelts were caught last week on a raft.

E. D. Smith, John Davis and Howard Clark killed a fine deer Thursday. Mr. Smith followed on the track and drove the deer to where the other two men

Charles Anderson got home Sunday from a fishing craire in a dory to Outer Long Island. Mr. Anderson had been gone several days, and was unable to reach home sooner on account of the bad

Reuben, the ten-year-old son of R. G. Osgood, went into the woods with his little rifle (22 calibre) one day lately and shot two rabbits at long range. Reuben though a led, is a good shot, and is highly pleased at his exploit.

E. N. Osgood has done something in the hunting and trapping business this season and has several pelts to show for it. He has the - kine, of eight foxes, two gray squirre s, one mink and several reccoons He has killed one deer and has a small raccoon alive; the latter he is trying to tame, but it is a very cross little coon and does not take kindly to domestic

There was a Sunday school concert at Mer hodist church Sunday evening. The to towing pupils took part: Mabel Deila, Ernest, Clyde and Eimer Figure McGraw, Lucila Suples. Battle and Alden Davis, Reuben O-good, Eine , Leon and Heien Clark, Myra Lord, Seeds and Stella Cartisia. The ... was stormy, and the attendance su-1 , but despite the snow and cold most children were present, and carried out their parts in the concert in a creditable manner.

Prospect Harbor.

Leroy Hutchings has been at his father's for a week or more.

Mrs. George Colwell has returned from visit to relatives in Machias.

Mrs. William Temple is improving. She has been ill for about two weeks.

Ralph Moore and Chartle Colwell have gone to Portland to attend a business college.

Edwin Cole and Percy Moore have gone to Portland where they hope to find Mrs. W. H. Moore has returned fro

Stonington, where she was called by her mother's illness.

The Willing Workers gave a hulled corn supper Saturday in Columbus hall diningroom. It was well attended.

Schoodle lodge, K. of P., worked the first rank on a candidate at its last reg-

ular meeting Saturday night. L. L. Larrabee starts on a hunting trip this morning. He will join a party that is

going into the woods near Cherryfield. The V. I. society is making preparations

for a conundrum supper Thursday, to be followed by a sociable in the evening. Fancy articles and home-made candles will be for sale.

Miss Annie Dunbar has gone to Bucksport to teach. Miss Grace D. Leach begins her school at

William Dunbar has been spending the

past week at East Orland. Miss Estelle Perry left Friday to resume

her teaching at Gott's Island. Charles F. Wardwell, who has been shore fishing since last spring, is at home for the

Several hunters from the village were scouring the woods for game Saturday. One of the number, Nahum Hinckley, succeeded in killing one deer. Dec. 8.

Bennie Lufkin, of Sunshine, called on friends here last week.

Wilford Conary, who has been home on a vacation, has gone back to school at Bluebill. Quite a number of the young people

attended the party given at South Bluehill to Miss Lens Colomey, of Oceanville, bookkeeper for L. L. Sullivan.

Rufus Chatto has a horse and cow belonging to Mr. Sweet, of Bluebill, and a horse belonging to C. C. Clough, of Bluehill, to care for through the winter. SCRSTITUTE.

Miss Oilve Hutchins has gone to Bangor.

S. H. Remick, of Mariboro, was in

Daniel West and family have moved to Bar Harbor for the winter.

E. G. Burnham has put a crew into the woods cutting yellow birch for spool-

Collie Magrath and wife, of Old Town, have been here spending a few days with Frank Hodgkins.

Dec. 8.

Convalescence after pneumonia, typhold fever es merely apparent, and the grip is sometimes merely apparent, not real. To make it real and rapid, there is no other tonic so highly to be recom-Thousands so testify Take Hood's .- Adet.

COUNTY NEWS.

Frank A. Crabtree, of Elisworth, is spending a few days with relatives here. Austin McNeal has built a camp and is operating on his wood-lot a few miles

Henry G. French left for Boston las week intending to find work on the electric car lines.

Charles T. Bunker has joined Mrs. Bunker in Lawrence, Mass., for a vacation of a few days.

Joseph H. West has returned from hunting expedition with a Harrington party in camp at No. 28.

Frank E. Blaisdell, of W. B. Blaisdell & Co., has discharged his quarry crew and closed work for the season.

The grammer and primary schools in district No. 2 closed Friday. Misses Douglas and Stover were painstaking and efficitous for the advancement of their papile.

On the afternoons of Dec. 17, 18 and 19 nembers of the ladies' aid will be at the hall to superintend the supper which will be served at 6 o'clock. The entertainments each evening will not exceed one nour. The society is receiving various contributions for the bezar. A Minneapolis bard sends a responsive greeting a follows:

"The 'Gopher state' has heard a call From 'Way Down East', afar, And gladly sends a quick response To you and your bazar.

She bids you Merry Christmas all, From parish unto priest, And hopes her 'kerchiefs are not 'last' Although they may be 'least'.

When you attempt to make the sale, You may be glad to know That these are warranted to stand A Minnesota 'blow'.

May all these carnest effort make The longed-for goal appear, And bring unto the Franklin church A bright and prosperous year! Dec. 8.

Fred, son of Capt. John Bennett, he been quite ill the past week.

Schooner "William Mason" has loaded paving at the ice company's wharf, and is t Herrick's finishing her load. An excursion to Belfast was made on

the "Golden Rod" the past week, and though it was a stormy day, about ninety went.

Ed West, electrician, of Bangor, is in town wiring the ice company's plant for lights and motors. He is at Capt. J. N Sargent's. E. A. Friend, of Brooklin, has move

his family into plessant quarters in Capt. George Haskell's house. He is working for the ice company. The school in No. 9 has commence

taught by Mr. Carter of Hancock. No boarding place being available he hired a house of Frank Harding, and will move his family here.

George W. Grindle, clerk for W. G. Sargent & Son, has purchased the house lately owned by the widow of Capt. Daniel Lowe. His son Ernest has returned from Massachusetts, and will occupy it. He will work for the ice com-

Dec. 8.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs Irving L. Bowden Dec. 6.

Freeman R. Leach and Perciville Leach each shot a fine deer Saturday morning. At the annual meeting of Rising Star

lodge F. and A. M., held Wednesday evening, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Fred B. Mitchell, W. M.; Freeman N. Bowden, s. W.; James C. Perkins, J. W.; Groves Leach, tressurer; B. H. Cushman secretary; George P. Leach, S. D.; Henry A. Davis, J. D.

The following rescript, received from the law court, will be of much interest n Penobscot; the case is inhabitants of Orland vs. Inhabitants of Penobscot, Rescript by Powers, J.

Pauper supplies, whether received directly or adirectly by the pauper, must be received from the town as a result of the obligation impose upon it by the statue. Voluntary contribution of private character do not constitute such sup The motive of the donors is not material

The consequences attach to the act, not to the It is the receipt of supplies from the town, not the motive which may have inspire any person or persons to do away with the town, which affects the gaining of a pauper set

The belief of the pauper that the supplie ere furni-hed by the town in response to his application is not sufficient. It is the fact that they are so furnished, and not his belief, which constitutes them pauper supplies. Judgment for defendant. Received, Dec. 4 1901.

South Bluebill.

The factory closed to-day for the sea Bert C. Day has recently purchased

Bennie Lufkin, of Deer Isle, is visiting

friends here. Rev. A. F. Hinckley gave a temperance

lecture at the chapel Dec. 2. Mrs. Herbert Gray, of Bluebill, is visit

ing her mother, Mrs. George Day. Frank Sibley, of Boston, is spending short time here at his camp on Long

Island, hunting. Dec. 6.

Salisbury Cove. The Hancock county Pomona grange met with Bay View grange last Wednes day.

Oscar Emery, who has been attending the academy at Hebron, is home for a two weeks' vacation.

Miss Alta Emery is visiting her brother, Rev. Clarence Emery, at Manset. Miss Vera Gray, of East Orrington, is

visiting friends here. Dec. 8. Itching piles? Never mind if physicians have falled to cure you. Try Doan's Ointment. No fallure there. Moents, at any drug store.—Adet.

COUNTY NEWS.

R. L. Gray recently lost a valuable horse Schooner "Mabel" is loaded with hay

for Vinalhaven. Capt. Farley, of Bass Harbor, is her buying apples and produce.

The "W. O. Nettleton" is loaded with freight for Bluebill and Sedgwick. School begins in the new building at

2 1/4 Dec. 8, Miss Carrie Gripdle teacher.

The steamer "Verona" and schoone Roste E", from Bangor are wintering at

Rev. C. F. Hinckley is to deliver as liustrated temperance lecture at the Methodist church this evening. Dec. 8.

Winter Harbor.
Miss Mabel Leighton is visiting her siser, Mrs. E. R. Noyes.

The Eastern Star lodge has been invite to visit the Bar Harbor chapter on Monday evening, Dec. 15.

Local talent is preparing a comedy entitled "Comrades", which will be pre-Mrs. Charles Crabtree entertained the Masons and their wives on Tuesday even-

Refreshments were served and a pleasant ocial evening was passed. The Longfellow school league held s candy sale on Friday. The league has recently added two new books to the library: "Great Americans," and "Poor Boys Who Became Famous."

ing to celebrate Mr. Crabtree's birthday

Dec. 8.

F. P. Mason made a business trip to Gloucester the past week.

Warren Stilphen, of Bath, is with his family at John Higgins'. Hervey Higgins arrived from Bath Thursday to spend the winter at home. Fred Blake, who accidentally hurt his

foot, has so far recovered as to be able to walk. William Dunbar, of North Castine visited his uncle, A. H. Dunbar, severa days the past week.

James Davis has moved from Bucks port, and is occupying a part of Augustine Mason's house.

Dec. 8.

IN A BIG STORM.

Curious Experience of Clipper "Shen andoah"-All Kinds of Troubles. The Yankee clipper "Shenandoah' which arrived in New York a few weeks ago had a spectacular and unlucky trip of 123 days from San Francisco. She brough

5.000 tons of cargo, including 10,000 bar

rels of wine, and a variety of yams. She was fifty-four days getting to the Horn, and before she weathered the stormy cape she ran into several heavy gales, in one of which, on July 27, Wil liam S. Varney, able seaman, who wa furling the upper maintopeail, knocked from the foot-ropes to the deck by the slatting canvas. His shipmater carried him below with his legs broken and skull fractured. He died after being unconscious thirteen days, and was buried at sea in a gaie. He was a native of Quincy, Mass., and was twenty-sever

years old. In wild weather a few weeks later, comber came aboard, carrying away bul warks, and staying the forward and amidship deckhouses. The ship ran thirty-six nours under three lower topsalls and fore sail. Capt. Watts wanted to do withou the foresail, but he couldn't lower it, and

off the Horn the mercury in the thernometer went down to zero, and a sleet torm converted the ship into a good mitation of an iceberg. Most of the crew were frostbitten. They freed the running rigging from the ice grip by using belaying pins and handspikes. A few days later a snowstorm, so thick, Mate Drennan says, that it almost smothandoah" to heave to. Nobody could nore than a quarter the length of the

In the north Atlantic the rudder-head which had been strained by the several tempests, gave way in a flerce south easter. Boatswain Quigley was lowered under the ship's counter, and rigged temporary steering gear, which, when the weather moderated, was put in ship shape to last the voyage. Then a cabin boy was picked up by an invading sea and dashed against the lee rail. One of

his legs was broken. When about 100 miles off the Delaware capes, in a northwest biast, the ship, which had been newly-painted white bove the hull, ran into a dust storm. In few minutes deck-houses and all the mmaculate work sloft were the color of mud. When the dust storm subsided a cloud of bugs cane aboard. The skipper says he believes there isn't a bug in the bug lexicon that wasn't among the in-

After the bugs came six doves and twelve canaries. The birds ate some of the bugs, and the ship's cat captured six of the canaries. The doves perched high, and the cat couldn't get them.

The last of the ship's misfortunes oc curred the morning of her arrival at New York, as she was taking in sail coming into the Hook. A block hit Second Mate Taylor on the head, knocking him sense less. He came to before the ship got to

Towne-Yes, he's got the liquor habit, I know because he came to me to be treated. Browne-Ha! thought you were a doctor, eh? Towne-Oh! no; I suppose he thought I had the price of a couple of

Don't get mad if you find a button in your salad. It's part of the dressing.

If you feel ill and need a pill Why not purchase the best? De Witt's Early Risers Are little surprisers. Take one—they do the rest. WIGGIN & MOORE.

Written for The American.
Jesus Hold My Hand. Firmly hold my hand in Thine As I wais the narrow way;

Let me know that Thou art near, Watching, leading me each day. When the path seems rough and steep,

And the clouds are dark and low;
If I feel my hand in Thine,
I can walk where Thou dost go. When the future looks most drear,

And I falter by the way, Thou dost firmer clasp my hand, And in tender accents say: "Child, look up; I'm by thy side; Once I suffered much for thee, I'll not leave thee now alone If thoul't wholly trust in me."

Precious Jeaus; dearest friend;

I will keep my hand in Thine 'Till this present life is o'er; Then I'll always be with Thee, Singing praises all the time. or the way Thou ledest me, When Thou held my hand in Thine.

"Rev. Mr. Sterns' remarks over poo John were so sympathetic, I thought,' said the widow's friend. "Sympathetic!" replied Widow Gayrake. "He said John hed gone to join the great mejority." Weil?" "Well, in his sermon several undays ago be declared that the great majority of people go below."

Abbertisements.

Would you like to feel Young Again?



Many old people are lame, nearly all are weak.

Worst of all, is that feeling of languor, of inability to act, of weariness at trifling exertion.

Nothing will make the old young again, but Vinol will prevent 99 out of 100 old people from feeling so old.

There is no humbug about it. We found out about Vinol, and tried it every way before we decided to put it on the market and guarantee it. Now we believe that almost any tired, discouraged old person who will take a bottle of Vinol and use it as directed will feel better right away.

It will increase their strength. relieve their lameness and brighten their spirits.

It does this by nourishing. Don't blame the old folks for being blue and cross. Take home a bottle of Vinol.

GEO. A. PARCHER

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Legal Notices.

THE subscriber hereby gives notice that he has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Mary E. Collins late of Bucksport, 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

THE subscriber hereby gives notice that he has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Elisha Hatch, late of Penobscot, 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.

December 2, 1902.

THE subscriber hereby gives notice that he has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Kendall K. Hodgdon, late of Tremont, 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.

December 2, 1902.

THE subscriber hereoy gives notice that he has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Mabel G. Porter, late of Castine, in the coursy 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 therets are requested to make payment immediately. December 2, 1902. Charles H. Hooper.

THE subscriber hereby gives notice that she has been duly appointed executrix of the last will and testament of John B. Linscott, late of Lamoine, in the county of Hancock, deceased, no bonds being required by the terms of said will. All persons having demands against the estate of said deceased are desired to present the same tor settlement, and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately.

December 2, 1992. Anogula Linscott.

STATE OF MAINE.

HANCOCK SS.—At a probate court held at Buckaport, in and for said county of Hancock, on the second day of December, in the year of our Lord one thomsand nine hundred and two.

CERTAIN instrument purporting to be a copy of the last will and testament and codicil thereto of Mary J. Van Doren, late of New York, in the county of New York, and atate of New York, deceased, and of the probate thereof in said state of New York dily authenticated, having been presented to the judge of probate for our said county of Hancock for the purpose of being allowed, filed and recorded in the probate court of our said county of Hancock.

Ordered, That notice thereof be given to all persons interested therein, by publishing a copy of this order three weeks successively in the Elisworth American, a newspaper printed at Elisworth, in said county of Hancock, prior to the sixth day of January, a. d. 1909, that they may appear at a probate court then to be held at Elisworth, in and for said county of Hancock, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, and show cause, if any they have, against the same.

O. P. CUNNINGHAM, Judge of Probate.

Legal Natices. AUCTION SALE OF BONDS

AUCTION SALE OF BONDS.

When the state of the state of the state of the links of the links, and having its principal place of business at Elsworth, in the County of Hancock and State of Maine, being the holder of fifteen of the mortgage bonds of the Standard Granite Company, a corporation duly organized under the laws of the State of Maine, and having its place of business at Mount Desert, County of Hancock and State of Maine, and having its place of business at Mount Desert, County of Hancock and State of Maine, of the par value of \$3500 cach, numbered from 1 to 15 inclusive, and of the total par value of \$7,500, in piedge for the payment of the overdue and unpaid notes of said Standard Granite Company, described as follows: One note of \$3000, dated July 27, 1201, signed by the Standard Granite Co. and endorsed by C. G. Ferguson, C. J. Hall and Sylvina J. Hall, on four months' time, due Nov. 27, 1201; one note dated Sept. 30, 1901, signed by the Standard Granite Co. and endorsed by C. G. Ferguson, C. J. Hall and Sylvins J. Hall, on four months' time, due Jan. 30, 1902, for \$302; one note dated March 12, 1902, for \$1,329.69 on four months, signed by the Standard Granite Co. and payable to the order of Campbell & Macomber and endorsed by Campbell & Macomb

Clerk's Office of said city of Ellsworth, and still remain uppaid.

Now, therefore, notice ia hereby given to whom it may concern that the First National Bank of Ellsworth, Maine, the holder of said fifteen mortgage bonds of said Standard Granite Company in pledge, will sell said pledged bonds at public auction, at the banking rooms of the First National Bank of Ellsworth, Maine, in Ellsworth, Maine, at three o'clock P. M. on the sixteenth day of December, 1902 and apply the proceeds to the satisfaction of said notes and the expenses of the notice and sale, and if there should remain any surplus the same to be paid to the party entitled thereto on demand.

First Nat'l Bank op Ellsworth,

Henry W. Cushman, Cashier.

Ellsworth, Maine, Nov. 14, 1902.

Legislatibe Notices.

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NOTICE is hereby given that the undersigned corporation organized under the general law of the State of Maine, will apply to the uext Legislature of said State of Maine for authority and permission as follows:

(1) To purchase, hold, use and enjoy shares of the capital stock of any other corporation now or nereafter existing and wheresoever located or incorporated, organized for the purpose of furnishing or distributing light, water or power; also for authority and permission to acquire, hold or enjoy by purchase or otherwise, the franchises, properties and privileges of any such other corporation.

(2) For permission and authority to sell, distribute or supply anywhere within the limits of any or all of the towns of Bucksport, Eden, Gouldsboro, Winter Harbor, Sullivan and Sorrento, or the cities of Brewer and Ellsworth, in said State of Maine, for any purpose, gas or electricity generated or proposed and the said Ellsworth, in the County of purpose, gas or electricity generated or pro-duced at said Ellsworth, in the County of Hancock and said State of Maine. Dated this twenty-sixth day of November, A. D. 1992.

UNION RIVER LIGHT GAS & POWER CO., By Henry M. Hall, Clerk.

LEGISLATIVE NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undersigued, Union River Light, Gas and Power
Company, a corporation organized under the
general law of the State of Maine will apply to
the next legislature of the State of Maine
for an act to rasify and confirm the organization and proceedings of said corporation; to ratify and confirm an issue of bonds
and mortgage made or to be made by it, or for
authority to make and issue the same, and
also for authority and permission to make,
generate, sell, lease, distribute or supply gas,
electricity, or electrically transmitted energy
or power anywhere within the limits of any
or all towns, townships, plantations and cities
in the county of Hancock, State of Maine, and
in the towns of Orrington, Eddington,
Holden, Clifton, and the city of Brewer, in

Penoscot County, in the State of Maine, for any and all purposes. Union Biven Light, Gas & Power Co. By Henry M. Hall, its Clerk. Dated December 4, 1802.

LEGISLATIVE NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undersigned, Hancock County Railway Company, a corporation organized under a special act of the legislature of the State of Maine, for an act, to ratify and confirm its organization and its proceedings; to renew and extend the rights, powers and privileges granted it under chapter 301 of the public and private laws for said State of Maine for the year 1901; to permit it to increase its capital stock; to permit it to increase its capital stock; to permit it to issue its bonds to a greater amount, and upon different rates and terms than provided by said chapter 301 of said laws of 1901, and to authorize it to extend its railroad by branch lines or otherwise into or through any towns or city in the county of Hancock and State of Maine.

HANCOCK COUNTY RAILWAY COMPANY, By I. L. Halman, President.

LEGISLATIVE NOTICE. NOTICE is hereby given that the undersigned will apply to the next legislature of the State of Maine for power and authority as a body corporate to take water from any lake, pond, stream or spring in the town of Winter Harbor or town of Gouldsbero, county of Hancock, and State of Maine, and to sell and distribute the same for any purpose anywhere within the limits of the towns of Winter Harbor and Gouldsboro aforesaid.

Dated this second day of December, a. d. 1802.

JAMES W. BUNKER.

ARTHUR B. HOLT.

CHARLES F. GROVER.

HERBERT E. TRACY.

LEGISLATIVE NOTICE.

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NOTICE is hereby given that the undersigned will apply to the next Legislature of the State of Maine for power and authority as a body corporate to take water from Long Pond in the town of Sullivan, county of Hascock, and State of Maine, and to sell and distribute the same for any purpose anywhere within the limits of the towns of Sullivan and Hancock, in the county of Hancock in said State of Maine.

Dated this twenty sixth day November. A. D. 1902.

Mosiss Hawkins.

CHABLES P. SIMPSON.

STANISLAUS WILSON.

EMERY B. DUNBAR.

STANISLAUS WILSON. EMERY B. DUNBAR. HARVEY W. DUNBAR.

LEGISLATIVE NOTICE NOTICE is hereby given that the under-signed will apply to the next Legislature of the State of Maine for a renewal and exten-sion of the rights, powers and privileges granted it under Chapter 301 of the Public and Private Laws for said State of Maine for the year 1501, and for permission to increase its

capital stock.

Dated this twenty-sixth day of November,
A. D. 1902. HANCOCK COUNTY RAILWAY COMPANY, By I. L. Halman, President.

LEGISLATIVE NOTICE

by of this order three weeks successively the Ellsworth American, a newspaper ted at Ellsworth, in said county of Hanprior to the sixth day of January, 1925, that they may appear at a probate then to be held at Ellsworth, in and for county of Hancock, at ten o'clock in the moon, and show cause, if any they have, sat the same.

1. EGISLATIVE NOTICE.

1. OTICE is hereby given that the undersigned will apply to the next legislature of the State of Maine for a renewal and extension of the rights, powers and privileges translet them under the name of the "Union River Water Storage Company" by chapter 255 of the Public and Private Laws of the State of Maine for the name of the "Union River Water Storage Company" by chapter 255 of the Public and Private Laws of the State of Maine for the name of the "Union River Water Storage Company" by chapter 255 of the Public and Private Laws of the State of Maine for the name of the "Union River Water Storage Company" by chapter 255 of the Public and Private Laws of the State of Maine for a renewal and extension of the state of Maine for a renewal and extension of the state of Maine for a renewal and extension of the state of Maine for a renewal and extension of the state of Maine for a renewal and extension of the State of Maine for a renewal and extension of the state of Maine for a renewal and extension of the state of Maine for a renewal and extension of the state of Maine for a renewal and extension of the state of Maine for a renewal and extension of the state of Maine for a renewal and extension of the state of Maine for a renewal and extension of the state of Maine for a renewal and extension of the state of Maine for a renewal and extension of the state of Maine for a renewal and extension of the state of Maine for a renewal and extension of the state of Maine for a renewal and extension of the state of Maine for a renewal and extension of the state of Maine for a renewal and extension of the state of Maine for a renewal and extension of the state of Maine for a renewal

Legal Notices.

STATE OF MAINE.

HANCOCK SS.—At a probate court held as Bucksport, in and for said county of Hancock on the second day of December, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and two.

A CERTAIN instrument purporting to be a copy of the last will and testament of John W. Powell, late of Washington, District of Columbia design.

STATE OF MAINE.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

STATE OF MAINE.

C CUNTY OF HANCOCK SS.—NOV. 22, a. d. 1902

TAKEN this twenty-second day of November 10th, A. D., 1902, on execution dated November 10th, A. D., 1902, on execution dated November 10th, A. D., 1902, which issued on a jurgment rendered by the Supreme Jordicial Court for the county of Hancock aforesaid at a term thereof begun and held on the second Tuesday of October A. D. 1902, to wit, on the 25th day of October A. D. 1902, to wit, on the 25th day of October A. D. 1902, to wit, on the 25th day of October A. D. 1902, in favor of the Mercha. to national bank, a banking association existing under the banking laws of the United States, and located at Philadelphia in the county of Philadelphia, and State of Pennsylvania, against dula P. Thomas, Beaste Thomas Hamilton and Edwin R. Thomas, all of Philadelphia, aforesaid for fourteen thousand and seventy-six dollars and twenty-six cents debt or damage, and tenty-six cents debt or damage, and tenty-six cents debt or damage, and the county of the process of the county of the county of the process of the county of the process of the county of the process of the process of the county, Maine, on Thesday, the thritten day of December A. D. 1902, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, the following-described real estate, and all the right, title and interest, which the said Julia P. Thomas, Beaste Thomas Hamilton and Edwin R. Thomas have or had in and to the same on the 'th day of January A. D. 1901, at nine o'clock and fifty-eight minutes in the forenoon, the following-described real feature of the county of the mental particularly bounded and described as follows, to wit:

Beginning at a spruce tree spotted and standing on the bank of the west shore of Seal Harbor, town of Mount Desert, Hancock county, Maine, particularly bounded and described as follows, to wit:

Beginning at a spruce tree spotted and standing on the bank of the west shore of Seal Harbor, town of Mount Desert, Hancock county Maine, particularly bounded and described as follows,

hence northerly, but everywhere following said last mentioned hue, to the point of beginning, containing eight and one half acres, more or les excepting the rights of the public in and to so much of the aforesaid comny road as is included in the above description.

Said lot or parcel above described is the same described as conveyed on Rufus R. Thomas by Winfield S. Smallidge by two certain desis, one date: March Sia, 1881, recorded in book 175, page 282, of said registry conveying a portion of said land, and the other dated October 12th, 1885, recorded in said registry in book 203, page 18, conveying the remainder of said land and the said Chapel lot.

SECOND LOT: A certain lot or parcel of land situated at Seal Harbor in the town of Mount Descrit aforesaid on the northerly side of the county road leading from Seal Harbor to Northeast Harbor, and particularly bounded and described as follows, to wit:

Beginning in the centre of the county road in the west line of fand of A. and J. Clement; thence westerly, but everywhere following the centre of said county road thirty one and one-half degrees west two rods more or less, to the northerly side of said county road; there weaterly following the northerly side of said county road ten rods to a stake in line of land of W. S. Smallidge; thence north five and one-half degrees east, but everywhere following the easterly line of said Smallidge land, and the casterly line of said on the said said in the original western line of lot number 80 on the old Peters plan of Mount lessert Island; these north five and one-half degrees east, but everywhere following the original western line of lot number 80 on the old Peters plan of Mount lessert listand; these north five and one-half degrees east, but everywhere following the side side said county road aforesaid as is included within the humbs of said land of A. and J. Clement three hundred and tharted the pietry in book 120, page 235.

The foresaid lot or parcel is the same acquired by Rufus Rependent pietry in book 16, page 35

JOHN SUMINSBY, Deputy Sheriff.

Subscribe for THE AMERICAN.

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I have decided to close out my entire stock of Men's, Ladies', Misses' and Children's

BOOTS, SHOES and RUBBERS AT COST.

I am going out of the shoe business, as I need the room for other goods. Now is the time to buy at cost and save money. I wish to call your attention to

LADIES', MISSES' and CHILDREN'S GARMENTS.

I have a large stock of these goods. Call and see for yourselves. You will find the prices are low. I shall also close out my stock of Trimmed and Untrimmed Hats, as I do not want to carry any over.

SALE BEGAN MONDAY, DEC. 8,

A. E. MOORE.

Cor. Main and Franklin Streets,

Ellsworth.

CLOSED

BY THE SHERIFF

Every other drinking place in the county is closed-or supposed to be-but we still continue to run wide open. Beginning Saturday, Dec. 13, we will give to anybody and

A Cup of Hot Coffee.

This is done to advertise our coffees, which are the best in town, and is

Free.

We extend a special invitation to people from out of town. China & Japan Tea Co.,

ESTABLISHED 1846.

WHITING BROS.

offer a large line of Ladies', Gentlemen's and

Underwear

at extremely low prices. The best trade in Miss Springer were in Elisworth Thurs-Gentlemen's Underwear in the city. Heavy wool fleece at 39c.

Ladies' Wrappers from 75c to \$1.50. Dry Goods, Groceries, Carpetings, Room Papers. Corn, Flour and Feed at Wholesale and Retail.

> A large line of horse blankets and whips. Call and examine a new line of

SOFA PILLOW COVERS

just received from New York. Also a line of

Ladies' Night Robes at Cost to Close Out.

A Sleigh

would seem to be the proper vehicle to purchase just now, but another spring is coming, and you may want a single or a double team wagon. It will pay you to buy it now, because you can save from one-tourth to one-third what it

A Harness

Fur Robes

FOR A SIDE LINE I have just received a carload of pressed hay and straw.

E. Maloney,

Water Street,

COUNTY NEWS.

John Hamor is having an addition built on his store.

Schools closed a week ago after profitbie terms of tweive weeks cach.

Alfred G. Buiger is very ill at the hom of his sister, Mrs. John H. Pressey. Capt. George S. Bunker and wife are

boarding with Mrs. Cyntha W. Bracy. Capt. Willis E. Bunker has given up trawling fish and has gone east for a load

Fred Steele left Wednesday to be em oyed on a steam dredger on the coast of Florida.

Another of Big Cranberry's young men -Capt. Edson Stanley- has married a Little Cranberry (Islesford) girl and gone there to settle

Lumber for the Morefield Story cottage has arrived and the foundation will be ready for the carpenters next week, if the weather is favorable.

Rev. Mr. Pringle preached two interesting sermons in schoolbouse No. 2 recent Mr. White presched acceptably in the same house a week ago Sunday.

Roy Bulger, who broke his leg six weeks ago while temporarily excavating under the union meeting house, hopes to get out of bed to-morrow for the first time.

Mrs. A. C. Wheelwright, of Boston, has purchased of Mrs. Eben C. Rosebrook nearly one quarter of an acre of hand adjoining the union meeting house. It is reported that the purchase was made in order to obtain a lot upon which to erect a parish bouse, which will be erected on that portion of the lot south of the meeting-house lot. It is hoped that some one may see also the need of a parsonage lot, and a parsonage.

Dec. 8.

outhwest Harber.

RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT.

Whereas, God in His divine providence has removed from our order our much-respected and beloved brother, Levi Lurvey, and realizing that in his death Ocean Echo lodge of Good Templars has lost a worthy, honored member, the losige as irreparable loss, the temperance cause a staunch and fearless advocate, the com-murity an honorable citizen, the bereave family a kind husband and devoted father;

Resolved, That our order give the family our heartfelt sympathy; also that the cheer and comfort that come from our Divine Master nay bless the bereaved and desolate home; sixe Resolved, That our charter be draped to mourning tairry day, that a copy of these reso-iztions be inscribed on our lodge records, one sent to the bereaved family, and a copy printed

to the ELLSWORTH AMERICAN.

CORDALIA GILLEY, ELIZABETH L. STANLEY,

The following is a list of officers Ocean Echo lodge No. 157 L O. of G. T. for the quarter ending Jan. 31, 1903; H. E. Trundy, C. T.; Mrs. C. S. Guley, V. T; Henry V. Lurvey, secretary; Mrs. L. L. Stanley, assistant secretary; S. M. Gilley, treasurer; Millie Milan, F. secretary; Mrs. G. B. Young, chaplain; Waiter Hamblen, marshal; Osmond Harper, I marshal; Mrs. Catrie Moore, guard; Frank Moore, sentinel; H. L. Milan, P. C. T.; Mrs. E. M. Milan, S. J. T. These officers were installed by George A. Lurvey, sp cial state deputy.

The Ys of Southwest Harbor met with Mrs. Robie Norwood, jr., last Thursday evening. Refreshments were served.

Mrs. Laura Tracy; of Ellsworth, visited

Charlie Phillips visited his sister, Mrs Annie McFarland, last week.

Miss Laura Tracy attended county grange at Salisbury Cove Dec 3.

Howard Tracy shot two fine buck deer ast week. Hervey Smith shot one.

George Young will leth and plaster one

of the new cottages at Hancock Point. Miss Sadie Mulian, One Googins a

Leon Frye, who has been employed a A. E. Tracy's, has returned to his home in Ellsworth.

Miss Rebecca Butler has successfully passed the entrance examinations to the Castine normal school, and intends to begin with the December term.

Friends of Raymond Miles, a former resident here, extend a welcome to him and his family, and hope they will docate here permanently. Mrs. Miles' former home was in Massachusects. Friends also extend greeting to his brother-in-law and family, who came with him.

Capt. L. W. Grey is to build a house The lumber is here, and the carpenter work will begin as soon as the foundation

Judge E. P. Spofford and wife are home front Boston, where Mrs. Spofford bas been visiting relatives and friends. Mr. Spofford went to Boston last week to accompany her home.

Schooner "S. G. Haskell", Capt. Ed. A Richardson, arrived at Boston Dec. 1, from Jacksonville; and on the same day the schooner "D. D. Haskell", Capt. W. S. Pickering, arrived at New London from Brunswick, Ga. Some anxiety is felt for he safety of the schooner "Etla M. Storer", Capt. Samuel Haskell, which is on the passage from Norfolk, Va., to Boston, and is overdue. The vessel has no been reported since she sailed, which fact Haskell's friends than his non-arrival.

The many friends of E. W. Wooster sympathize with him in the loss of his wife, Clara L., who died Fridey, Dec 5 at Lynn, Kansas, aged thirty-four years. Mrs. Wooster went to Texas last opring for the benefit of her health, but getting no better she went to the bome of her parents in Lynn, where she died. She was married to Mr. Wooster about two TEACHERS TO MEET.

Maine Teachers' Association at W

terville Dec. 30 and 31. The twenty-third annual meeting of the Maine tembers' association, to held in Waterville Dec. 30 and 31, promises to be of unusual excellence.

The programme soon to be announce in full will contain addresses by prominent educators. Among these are Prot. John M. Tyler, of Amherst college, who will speak on Wednesday evening on the question, "How Can We Adapt Our System of Education to Present Needs."

Frank A. Hill, secretary of the Massa husetts state board of education, will deliver an address on Tuesday evening on Seven Lamps for the Teachers' Way" cretary Hill was formerly a Maine man who, like so many others, has attained eminence as an educator in another state. Anna J. McKeeg, Ph. D., professor of

pedagogy at Wellesley college, will speak Wednesday afternoon on "The Value of Pedagogical Training". Other speakers will be A. J. Demarest,

superintendent of public instruction of

Hoboken, N. J., Supt. G. A. Stuart of New Britain, Conn., and Principal Philip Emerson of the Cobpett school, Lynn, Mass. The programme will include numerou speakers from Maine, among whom are President White of Colby, President Fellows of the University of Maine, and

State Superintendent W. W. Stetson. A feature which should add to the success of the meetings is the combination of the schoolmasters' club and the assoclation of superintendents with the general State teachers' association. The choolmasters' club will hold its annual dinner at the Elmwood hotel on Wednesday evening. The association of superintendents will bold its annual meeting in connection with the department of superintendence on Wednesday forsnoon.

The usual reduced rates are granted by all the ratiroads. Waterville, with its central location, is easy of access, and, with its new city hall, will afford excellent facilities for the meetings. A large gathering of teachers is expected.

Bucksport is very, very dry. The engagement is announced of Mary Er zebeth Ju e and Frank S. Smith.

Cards have been received annuqueing the marriage in Boston of Miss Georgia V. Maddocks, formerly of this town, to Willis A Goodwin, of Boston

The death of Raiph H. Eisrell, a senior at the East Maine conference seminary. occurred at his home at Spruce Head Dec. 3, of preumonts. years old, and one of the most popular students of the school. He was a fine athlete, and played tackle on the first sleven every season while in school. He was also an able debater, and prominent in the literary societies. were conducted by Rev. S. A. Bender. On Sanday evening a special memorial

In a cemetery at Middlebury, Vt., is a stone, erected by a widow to ber loving busband, bearing this inscription: Rest in peace—until we meet again

Abbertisements.



Favorite nemeu

It oured Patrick Kiely of North Pownal, Vt.

After He Employed Five Different Physicians and Took Nearly a Wagon Load of Medicine, With No Benefit.

No Benefit.

"It is with my sincere thanks and gratitude," writes Patrick Kiely of North Pownal, Vt., to Dr. David Kennedy of Rondout, N. Y., "I write you of the great benefit I received from your medicine, Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy. My case was a severe one and a puzzler to the doctors. About eighteen month ago I began to feel a pain in my right side: it gradually grew worse until I was compelled to give up work catirely. I would belch up quantities of wind and water. I employed five different physicians, and after taking about a wagon load of medicine, I seemed to grow worse. By the advice of a friend, I began to use Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy. After taking the first bottle I felt some better, and by the time I had taken three bottles the pain was sentirely gone. I have tried all of the different sarsaparillas, compounds and nervines on the market, and I consider Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy the superior of them all."

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If you suffer from kidney, liver or bladder trouble in any form, diabetes, Bright's disease, rheumatism, dyspepsia, eczema or any form of blood disease, or, if a woman, from the sicknesses peculiar to your sex, and are not already convinced that Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy is the medicine you need, you may have a trial bottle, absolutely free, with a valuable medical pamphlet, by sending your name, with post office address to the Dr. David Kennedy Corporation Rondout, N. Y., mentioning this paper.

Att drugglets sail Dr. David Konnedy's Fa-rorise Remedy in the NEW 50 CENT SIZE and the regular \$1.00 else bottles. DR. David Kunnedy's CHERRY BALSAN beas for Cubis, Coughs, Consumption. 25c. 50c.

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MARSHALL FIELD AND CO.'S MANAGER

Cured of Catarrh of Kidneys by Pe-ru-na.



HON. JOHN T. SHEARAN, OF CHICAGO.

Hon. John T. Sheahan, who has been for seventeen years manager of Marshall Field & Co.'s wholesale warehouse, and is corporal 2d Regiment Infantry, I. N. G., writes the following letter from 3753 Indiana avenue, Flat Six, Chicago, Ill.:

Peruna Medicine Co., Columbus, Ohio.

Gentlemen---- Last summer I caught a cold which seemed to settle in my kidneys and affected them badly. I tried a couple of kidney remedies largely advertised, but they did not help me any. One of my foremen told me of the great help he had received in using Peruna in a similar case, and I at once procured some.

"It was indeed a blessing to me, as I am on my feet a large part of the day, and trouble such as I had affected me seriously, but four bottles of Peruna cured me entirely and I would not be without it for three months salary,"--- JOHN T. SHEAHAN. Mr. Jacob Ffeig writes from 44 Sum- | suspected, but the chronic variety may

Fleig. lining of the kidneys, also called "Bright's disease," may be either acute or chronic. The acute form produces

mer avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y.:

"I am now a new man at the age of that its presence is not suspected until seventy-five years, thanks to your wonderful remedy Peruna."---Jacob upon its victim.

A book on catarrh sent free by The

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symptoms of such prominence that the serious nature of the disease is at once Peruna Medicine Co., Columbus, O.

COUNTY NEWS. For additional County News, see other pages

The revenue cutter "Seminole" was in the harbor Monday night and Tuesday. She is cruising east. While here Dr.

Parsons was called on board to attend a sick sallor.

in Castine for many years. The high wind seemed to drive the cold in streaks, and the thermometers around the town registered from 10 to 27 degrees below zero. The only thing that kept everyone from freezing was the fact that the Devereaux Coal Co. had a cargo of 260 tons of coal arrive Monday on the schooner "Fisherman". It is selling for

Charles Brann, who had a stroke of paralysis about ten days ago, is slowly improving, and is regaining the use of his limbs.

Rev. Mr. Lockwood, of the Congregational church, who has been visiting friends in New Jersey, is home. .

W. H. Hooper has bought a hard-

lot in Penobscot.

Two more deer were killed in the square

Dec. 9.

F. P. Weed is expecting a cargo of soft coal soon. He says he is doubtful if he has any anthracite this winter.

It is rumored that John L. Goss will oon have a large fire tug-boat to take the place of the "Stella Pickett", which is not large enough to do the business here. C. H. S. Webb will close his canning

factory this week. Tilden Savage has purchased a rifle of F. E. Webb. Dec. 8.

One of the largest schooners that has ever loaded here is now being loaded by J. L. Goss at his Moose Island quarry. It is the "Marietta Priscilla", and it will take 900 tons of granite to load her. She is bound for New York.

Alonzo Sargent is making improvements There was a ple sociable at Bunker's

hall Monday evening. School commenced Dec. 1, taught by Miss Winifred Wass, of Addison The sardine sesson is over, and nearly

all out-of-town employees have returned to their homes. Mr. McAlwee, the fore-man, returned to his home in Essiport Saturday. Dec. 8. S. M. S.

The Home Circle.

The family stands midway between the ecret and public life of a man, and vitally ffects them both.

Here a man spends a large part of his ife; from it he derives the chiefest good of earth; here are his highest joys; here are his profoundest sorrows; here are his hopes and fears; here the fountain whence flows the streams which make pleasant or weary his way.

Here are his loved ones; here those in whom and for whom he lives; here those whom he is set to guard and guide, whose destiny he shapes for the eternal years. MOUTH OF THE RIVER.

Matthew Moon fell recently, hurting himself quite badly. George Gatchell, of Bar Harbor, spent

a few days last week with his grand-parents, Mark Milliken and wife. Mrs. Julia Remick entertained the ladies' aid society Dec. 4. There was an old-fashioned tacking bee. A picnic dinner was served.

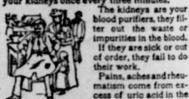
There will be a Christmas tree at the Morrison schoolhouse Christmas ere, and one at the Fullerton schoolhouse Christmas night.

Abbertisements.

Over-Work Weakens Your Kidneys.

Unhealthy Kidneys Make Impure Blood. All the blood in your body passes through your kidneys once every three minutes.

The kidneys are your



of order, they fail to do Pains, aches and rheu-matism come from ex-cess of uric acid in the

kidney trouble.

Kidney trouble causes quick or unsteady heart beats, and makes one feel as though they had heart trouble, because the heart is they had heart trouble, because the heart is over-working in pumping thick, kidney-poisoned blood through veins and arteries. It used to be considered that only urinary troubles were to be traced to the kidneys, but now modern science proves that nearly all constitutional diseases have their begin-ning in kidney trouble.

If you are sick you can make no mistake

If you are sick you can make no mistake by first doctoring your kidneys. The mild and the extraordinary effect of Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney remedy is soon realized. It stands the highest for its wonderful cures of the most distressing cases

and is sold on its merits by all druggists in fifty-cent and one-dollar sizes. You may have a sample bottle by mail Hems of swamp Rock free, also pamphlet telling you how to find out if you have kidney or bladder trouble. Mention this paper when writing Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y.



Who Doesn't have indigestion, a billious headache or real dyspepsia once in a while is the exception.

You who do will find a quick relief from a teaspoonful of the True "L. F." Atwood's Bitters.

35c. a bottle.