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## PHILLIPS TOWN MEETING.

### PROJECT TO BUILD NEW TOWNHOUSE WAS DEFEATED.

Town Officers Elected For Ensuing Year and Appropriations Made For Town Expenses—Taxes Not Paid Jan. 1, 1909, to Draw Interest.

The annual town meeting met at the townhouse in Phillips last Monday at 10 a. m., according to the call and N. P. Noble was chosen moderator. The townhouse being deemed unsuitable for use, the meeting adjourned to Lambert hall. Cony M. Hoyt was elected town clerk.

W. B. Butler moved that the accounts of the town officials be accepted as printed. While this matter was pending Carl E. Cragin, the tax collector for the past year, announced that the publication of the names of G. W. Hewey and W. C. Mitchell in the town report as having unpaid taxes was done by an error of his and he wished to apologize for the oversight. A. D. Graffam also called attention to the fact that the name of R. B. Hutchins appears in the town report as having an unpaid balance but that was also an error.

#### Bills.

D. F. Hoyt, treasurer,	\$ 65
C. F. Chandler, 1st selectman,	165
D. R. Ross, 2d selectman,	145
C. N. French, 3d selectman,	125
A. D. Graffam, road commissioner,	275
Cony M. Hoyt, town clerk,	25
N. P. Noble, superintendent of schools,	200

#### Election of Officers.

First selectman—Charles F. Chandler had 83 votes and was unanimously elected.

Second selectman—D. R. Ross had 43 votes and was unanimously elected.

Third selectman—Charles N. French had 45 votes and was unanimously elected.

Voted on motion of Harry F. Beedy, Esq., that the clerk be authorized to cast the vote of the meeting for C. F. Chandler, D. R. Ross and Chas. N. French for assessors and overseers of the poor.

Town treasurer—D. F. Hoyt. Member of superintending school committee—W. B. Butler.

On motion of D. F. Field voted that the matter of tax collector be left in the hands of the selectmen.

On motion of H. F. Beedy voted that remainder of Article 4 be laid on the table.

The first contest of the meeting occurred in the vote for road commissioner, A. D. Graffam, who was the commissioner for the past year, being opposed for reelection by W. C. Mitchell.

The vote was as follows: Whole number cast, 153; necessary for a choice, 77. A. D. Graffam had 106 and W. C. Mitchell 47.

#### Appropriations.

Support of schools,	\$2,000
To pay interest on school fund,	70
For repairs on school property,	250
For Free High school,	1100
For text-books,	300
For insurance, supplies and labor,	300
Payment of town charges,	900

On motion of H. B. Austin it was voted to reconsider the vote to raise \$900 for payment of town charges. Mr. Austin moved and it was voted to raise \$700 for the payment of town charges.

For town officers' bills,	\$1,200
Highways and bridges,	3,500
Breaking roads for past winter,	1,500
For abatement of taxes,	500
For G. A. R. Post Memorial day,	60
Books for Free Public library,	300

Voted to pay the road commissioner \$2 per day to include his personal driving team.

Article 20. To see if the town will vote "Yes" or "No" upon the adoption of the provisions of Chapter 112 of the Public Laws of Maine for the year 1907 relating to the appropriation of money necessary to entitle the town to state aid for highways for the year 1908.

Voted "Yes."

Voted to set aside \$101.50 for permanent improvement of highways under Section 5, Chapter 112.

Voted that the road laid out near the residence of George S. Whitney and L. G. Voter be accepted and \$100 raised for the purpose.

Upon Article 23, to see if the town would vote to accept the alterations in the highway at "Bangs corner," so-

called, as made by the selectmen, and raise money to pay land damages, and proceed to raise the same, and H. E. Beedy moved to pass over the article and spoke against its adoption. Selectman Chandler and County Commissioner B. F. Beal, D. D. Graffam and G. L. Lakin, Esq., talked against passing over the article.

Voted not to pass over the article, but to accept the alteration as moved by the selectmen and raise \$50 to pay land damage.

Upon Article 24, Geo. L. Lakin, Esq., explained that a road was laid out through a part of the farm of Mrs. Emogene Bachelder some time ago, but that she had never been paid any damage. Chas. Berry moved that the town raise \$75 for this land damage. Selectmen D. R. Ross and Chas. N. French, James Morrison and H. B. Austin talked upon the matter, favoring Mrs. Bachelder, excepting that Mr. Austin said he was sick of having every little land damage case come before the town and he thought the selectmen ought to settle a part of them. Mr. Beal made a further explanation in opposition to the proposition.

Voted to raise \$75 for Mrs. Bachelder. Road Commissioner A. D. Graffam moved that \$200 be raised to blow out the ledge on the Weld road near the Weston Parker turn.

The article to provide for the building of a townhouse brought out some discussion. Judge Morrison spoke in favor of building a townhouse. He said the townhouse lot was given to the town for town purposes and that it will revert to the owners when we cease to use it for town purposes. He questioned if we hadn't already forfeited the lot. He didn't believe we could hold the land very much longer under the present conditions. Also we could get \$300 yearly rental for use of certain portions of a town building.

D. R. Ross asked how we would be assured of \$300 a year. Mr. Morrison stated that the athletic association would pay \$75 rent. D. R. Ross, who is president of the athletic association, said that while the association is now prospering, he did not believe there was sufficient assurance that the association could use the building for a series of years. Harry F. Beedy, Esq., opposed the building of a townhouse.

Voted not to build.

Voted to commit the taxes for 1908 on or before the first day of June and that they be payable on or before Jan. 1, 1909.

Voted that 6 per cent be charged on all taxes unpaid after Jan. 1, 1909.

Voted to instruct the tax collector to mail a notice to each taxpayer on or before the fifteenth day of July, 1908, giving the amount of tax, date that unpaid taxes begin to draw interest and the rate per month.

The clerk was instructed to cast the ballot of the meeting for Jas. Morrison, Esq., for town agent.

Voted to instruct the selectmen to hire money to pay town expenses for the ensuing year.

Voted to reestablish schools in the Winship and Calden districts.

Voted to accept the list of jurors as revised by the selectmen, town treasurer and town clerk.

Passed over article to purchase a town clock.

Passed over the article to place a tower on the fire engine house.

Voted to raise \$300 to repair sidewalks.

The balance of Article 4 was taken from the table.

Constables elected, B. A. Davenport and C. E. Cragin.

Truant officers, A. B. Grover and Selden H. Keene.

Fence Viewers, A. B. Bunnell, A. R. Sedgely, Chas. A. Wheeler.

Surveyors of lumber, wood and bark, H. E. Harnden, B. F. Beal and A. W. McLeary.

Sealer of weights and measures, W. A. D. Cragin.

Sealer of leather, W. A. D. Cragin.

#### No Mercy.

Mistress—Sarah Jane, what has happened? Sarah Jane—Oh, mum, I've fallen down the stairs and broken my neck! Mistress (firmly)—Well, what ever you've broken will be deducted from your wages.—Sydney (N. S. W.) Bulletin.

## REGISTER OF REED SCHOOL.

### SCHOLARS WHO ATTENDED THERE IN WINTER OF 1863—64.

D. F. Hodges Has Interesting Memorandum Book, Which Prompts Him To Urge Others Not to Destroy Similar Records in Their Possession.

To the Editor of MAINE WOODSMAN:

To every one who may pay me kind deference a suggestion is here offered—do not destroy old memorandum books! They may be of almost priceless value to some one if not to you. This thought arises from looking over an old book of this sort bought in 1857 and later, in part, used as a school register.

As is well known the West Phillips Reunion Society was started largely in the interest of the "Reed School" but in recent years it seems to have rather aimlessly been carried away from the original purpose. Owing to the fact that no opportunity has recently presented itself to give some things hereafter written, and thinking they would be of some interest to others, I get the largest Phillips audience possible by putting them into the columns of MAINE WOODSMAN.

Before doing this, however, I wish to add one more thought which should have been placed in the first paragraph—do not destroy all the old letters! Even some of today will be of use, perhaps, to your grandchildren! As an illustration may I say that quite recently I received a brief, kind, appreciative letter from Hon. Grover Cleveland, Ex-President of the United States, and all this came about by his having an opportunity for reading a little thing which



RESIDENCE OF EDGAR E. WILLIS, SALEM

was printed in the columns of this same MAINE WOODSMAN! Should I have a grandchild living forty years hence, will not he or she be interested in this letter?

Going back to the original purpose here, I distinctly recall a cold December morning in 1863 when I left our village on foot, climbed the hills past the farm where Benj. Butler Esq. then lived (now owned by Mr. Ross) and thence following the directions went "down a big hill, across a bridge and take the first left hand road there."

On past where Mr. Record lived, now A. J. Toothaker's farm, the first person I met was Owen Hewey and inquired my way. "Certainly," said Mr. Hewey, "are you the young man who is going to keep the Reed school this winter?" Being answered in the affirmative, he added, "I'll go with you right down to Wilson corner, and we can see Mr. Calden's house from there." I have been staying around Phillips much of the time since, my home having been here all of the time; and truth constrains me to add I have been of but very little use to the good old town of Phillips.

I was teacher at the Reed school for the winter of 1863 and '64 and next fall '64, just above where we now live, was instructor in the Eveleth school; this was followed by the Reed school again in the winter of '64 and '65 and the next winter I took the school at the "Red schoolhouse" (it is white today) in Rangeley.

En passant I will add, in the language of present day slang, I did not "get fired" from any of these schools one time! Now comes the most interesting part of what is written here, a list of the scholars of the Reed school in the winter of 1863 and '64; may I not

call them the boys and girls? May I not give them from the old book just as they come there?

Boys—Charles A. Smith, William F. Brackett, Rufus C. Reed, Charles H. Wyman, George W. Reed, William P. Wyman, George L. Lakin, George L. Smith, George R. Brackett, Frank L. Beedy, Clarence E. Beedy, G. Wesley Lufkin, George Russ, Chas. W. Dyer, Charles Cofren, Wesley Stetson, Wesley C. Beedy, Willard T. Beedy, Rufus S. Beedy, Warren H. Young, Levi B. Field, George W. Beedy, Edwin H. Beedy. I can yet, by Memory's eye, see them playing "four old cat" in front of the old schoolhouse during noon time.

Girls—Mary C. Reed, Lura E. Brackett, L. Ella Brackett, Lura E. Reed, Maria A. Russ, Lena A. Stetson, Mary L. Beedy, Nancie M. Beedy, Frankie E. Smith, Mary L. Smith, Louisa Stetson, Phoebe E. Lufkin, Mary A. Lufkin, Sarah L. Soule, Mary E. Wyman, Geneva A. Plummer, Arabell Wyman, Josephine Wyman, Emma A. Record. For a long time I could not tell the Brackett twins, Ella and Lura, apart.

The Eveleth school was a small one, but there are some names which do not appear in the record above, hence these are given here:

Boys—Willard T. Beedy, William F. Calden, Rufus S. Beedy, Frank L. Beedy, Clarence E. Beedy, Edwin H. Beedy, Albert Kempton, Sumner B. Orr.

Girls—Mary L. Beedy, Nancie M. Beedy, Mary B. Orr, Dora Record, Lucy Beedy, Sarepta Beedy, Margaret Orr, Rose N. Orr, R. Ellen Kempton. This list was made by one of the above pupils, I think by Mary B. Orr in 1864,

## FRANKLIN IS FOR FERNALD

### ACCORDING TO CANVASS OF COUNTY BY MAINE WOODSMAN.

In Straw Ballot Fernald Received 36 Votes, Haines Polled 4 Votes and No Preference Was Stated by 2—Sentiment of Towns Is Similar.

If straws show which way the wind is blowing, then Franklin county is by a large majority in favor of the nomination of the Hon. Bert M. Fernald of Poland for governor on the Republican ticket. There have been two prominent candidates for the Republican nomination in the field for some weeks, Mr. Fernald and the Hon. William T. Haines of Waterville. A new and third candidate was brought forward by his friends the first of the week in the person of Col. F. E. Boothby of Portland. The WOODSMAN'S canvass was made before Col. Boothby announced his candidacy.

Knowing that there was much interest in the contest for the nomination and desiring to obtain as well as might be, the sentiment of Franklin county toward the two candidates, MAINE WOODSMAN has taken a straw ballot. One hundred postal cards were sent out through the county, the number sent to each town being in the same ratio to the whole as the Republican vote cast in that town was to the total Republican vote in the county at the last election. These postals were sent to Republicans in each town and plantation who were known to take an interest in county and state politics, but were not sent to those whose preference for the gubernatorial nomination had been previously canvassed. The question asked of those among whom the canvass was made were, first, the personal choice of each for the next Governor of Maine, and, secondly, which candidate each believed that a majority of the Republican voters in his town favored for that office.

Forty-six replies were received from all sections of the county and the canvass shows the following results:

#### INDIVIDUAL CHOICE.

Undecided,	2
Hon. William T. Haines,	4
Hon. Bert M. Fernald,	36

#### CHOICE OF TOWNS.

Hon. William T. Haines,	2
Hon. Bert M. Fernald,	14

As will be seen from the above the sentiment of the individuals who made reply to the enquiry of MAINE WOODSMAN is overwhelmingly in favor of Mr. Fernald. At the same time the sentiment of the Republican voters in a large majority of the towns from which replies were received was also friendly toward that gentleman.

The canvass is of interest as showing which way the tide of Republican preference has been running and would seem to indicate that if the choice rested today with Franklin county the nomination would go to Mr. Fernald by a large majority.

## Mile Square.

Mrs. E. A. Peary and daughter, Ada, visited her daughter, Mrs. Maude Foss, in Mt. Vernon.

Most of the apples were sold the past week. One dollar was the price with \$1.25 per barrel the limit.

Mrs. Caleb Brimigion suffered a partial shock last week, but is now some better. Her daughter, Mrs. Gertrude Burditt of Rumford Falls, and son, Dr. Brimigion of Stratton, were with her part of last week.

Mrs. Chester Allen, who has been ill, is better.

M. G. Bubier killed the prize fat hog last week. Many estimated it to dress 500 pounds.

Miss Edna Dodge of Salem visited her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Beal, recently.

Mr. Andrew Wilbur continues quite feeble in health.

H. W. Worthley reports first crows on the hill the 13th.

Mr. Charlie Peary and family visited Mrs. Peary's parents in Madrid last week.



AMONG THE CHURCHES.

The text for the sermon preached at the Union church by Rev. M. S. Hutchins on Sunday morning was taken from Acts, xi:26. "The disciples were called Christians first at Antioch."

It sometimes happens that a name given carelessly, perhaps even for amusement or in mockery, gathers unto itself a deeper meaning and comes to stand for something much greater than what was meant by those who first used it. There is a wide gulf between the meaning of the word christian to the people of Antioch, when they gave it to the little company of missionary disciples and their following in the city, and its signification to us today. To them it was an appellation for a little company of people who talked of a Master, Jesus Christ, and told much about his teachings. They held strange ideals, and views of life. Today we recognize it as a compliment of high order to sincerely designate a person as a christian. What is it to be a christian? Truth is often made more impressive by being stated in negations and this morning I will tell you some things which are not to be a christian. That is, they do not make a person to be a christian they do not constitute christianity.

Creed does not make a christian. It is well to be firm in one's conviction of truth and to know the foundation for one's faith. Indeed some strong belief is necessary to call for earnest purpose and sustained effort, but to be a christian is not to subscribe to any points of belief, to accept any doctrines or dogmas. If a company of persons should meet to formulate a creed no two would agree wholly in the thoughts which they wished to express. In the past great stress has been laid upon the form and adoption of creeds. We honor the men who have been leaders in these movements, and who have striven so earnestly to present truth and to secure its acceptance. But creeds as an incentive to christian living are today valueless. Like the spokes in a wheel they all radiate from a common center. They must go forth from that center, in that is their worth.

To be a christian is not formality. Were you called to present yourself before the court of St. James, you would think it necessary to receive minute instructions regarding the forms of speech you should take before the sovereign, and various details of conduct while in his presence. Before some other rulers this is considered even more imperative. But the king of kings has not set such restrictions upon his people who would come near him. He recognizes the spirit and directs no form of approach to himself. Neither is there set forms for acceptable service to him. To be a christian is not emotion. It has a more enduring basis than the moods and feelings which are so dependent upon the temperament and surroundings.

Morality is not being a christian though sometimes we count it as being. In time of war it may be necessary that a person be sent on a secret mission. A man may undertake this mission after making careful and thorough preparation for it. He may greatly desire, for the sake of the cause he serves, to be successful in it yet he may meet with failure and be unable to accomplish that for which he was sent. Another, with no more careful preparation, with no more interest in the accomplishment of the object sought, may yet succeed. Yet the first in making the brave effort is as worthy of honor as is the second who succeeded where he failed. God measures our success not by the good works which appear, but by those for which we tried. The life which seems to us less worthy may have more of the morality which counts in the making of a christian for it may have more of honest

A Most Valuable Agent.

The glycerine employed in Dr. Pierce's medicines greatly enhances the medicinal properties which it extracts from native medicinal roots and holds in solution much better than alcohol would. It also possesses medicinal properties of its own, being a valuable demulcent, nutritive, antiseptic and antiferment. It adds greatly to the efficacy of the Black Cherry-bark, Bloodroot, Golden Seal root, Stone root and Queen's root, contained in "Golden Medical Discovery" in subduing chronic, or lingering coughs, bronchial, throat and lung affections, for all of which these agents are recommended by standard medical authorities.

In all cases where there is a wasting away of flesh, loss of appetite, with weak stomach, as in the early stages of consumption, there can be no doubt that glycerine acts as a valuable nutritive and aids the Golden Seal root, Stone root, Queen's root and Black Cherrybark in promoting digestion and building up the flesh and strength, controlling the cough and bringing about a healthy condition of the whole system. Of course, it must not be expected to work miracles. It will not cure consumption except in its earlier stages. It will cure very severe, obstinate, hang-on, chronic coughs, bronchial and laryngeal troubles, and chronic sore throat with hoarseness. In acute coughs it is not so effective. It is in the lingering hang-on coughs, or those of long standing, even when accompanied by bleeding from lungs, that it has performed its most marvelous cures.

Prof. Fimley Ellingwood, M. D., of Bennett Med. College, Chicago, says of glycerine: "In dyspepsia it serves an excellent purpose. Holding a fixed quantity of the peroxide of hydrogen in solution, it is one of the best manufactured products of the present time in its action upon enfeebled, disordered stomachs, especially if there is ulceration or catarrhal gastritis (catarrhal inflammation of stomach), it is a most efficient preparation. Glycerine will relieve many cases of pyrosis (heartburn) and excessive gastric (stomach) acidity." "Golden Medical Discovery" enriches and purifies the blood curing blotches, pimples, eruptions, scrofulous swellings and old sores, or ulcers. Send to Dr. R. V. Pierce, of Buffalo, N. Y., for true booklet telling all about the native medicinal roots composing this wonderful medicine. There is no alcohol in it.

trying. I am so glad for that little word of three letters—"try." It is one of the grandest words in our language, one of those most full of hope and courage.

To be a christian is not negation. It is not refraining from any list of action or deeds. It is more than that. Jesus Christ lived a positive life. Christianity is a positive life. Christians are called to be the followers of Christ. He gave his life to doing deeds of kindness, of thoughtful helpfulness. To such a life Jesus called his followers. Ella Wheeler Wilcox has told us in the following lines something of the positive life that is needed:

"So many gods, so many creeds,  
So many ways that wind and wind;  
When all the art this old world needs  
Is just the art of being kind."

We are counselled to have the mind that was in Christ Jesus. Is not this the mind to be helpful, to be unselfish, to give our strength for others, to bring them love and sympathy and tenderness? This is the mind expressed in the Golden Rule.

After all, christianity is a matter of the will. We may use the reason with which God has endowed us, use our power of judgment and imagination, use in a right way emotion, but the resultant life depends upon the will. The engine may be upon the track ready for Farmington. No power is coupled to it. Suppose we bring to it a piano and have played the most beautiful music. Will that start it on its way? It may be enchanting to the ear but it will not move the train. Neither will any object that we may bring to its side; but coupled to an engine with necessary pressure of steam properly controlled and directed it will be taken on its way. We shall never be christians until our wills move us to follow Jesus, to be obedient unto him, to receive his mind of kindness and love.

Had Jesus lived in this twentieth century many acts of his would have been different from those which he did perform. They would have been made to fit the different needs of the people and the conditions of the times. But the principles underlying them would always have been the same. In following him we are to apply the principles that he used to ask "What would Jesus do?"

It is our privilege and duty to want success. We shall find the truest success, if we grasp the principles by which his life was controlled and follow him in applying them in our own lives.

Stratton.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Butterfield have returned to their home in Temple.

Albion Savage has finished logging and sent four four-horse teams to the Hammond field to wagon logs for F. C. Burrell.

Mrs. Elsie Hobbs visited her friend, Miss Saymie Barden, at Kingfield last week.

L. T. and E. L. Hinds have eight horses hauling squares from Flagstaff for the Stratton Manufacturing Co.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Lander and little son Norman made a trip to Boston last week.

Miss Charlotte Whitney is visiting in Kingfield.

Dr. and Mrs. T. W. Brimigion and children were called to Phillips last week by the serious illness of his mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Sedgeley were in Skowhegan last week.

The Stratton Dramatic Club went to Kingfield March 13, and played the drama, "The Iron Hand."

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Mayo are cooking for L. O. Durrell at Russell Bros. and Esty Co's birch mill.

Ralph Hastings has gone to Waltham, Mass.

North Phillips.

Miss Minnie Smith, who has been confined to the house by illness nearly all winter, is so far recovered as to be able to take short drives.

Miss Amber Kenniston was the recent guest of Miss Hortense Voter.

Mrs. Roy Barker visited Mrs. Arthur Savage a few days last week.

Mrs. Minnie Harris is helping care for Mrs. Willard Moody.

Mr. and Mrs. Reginald Hinkley spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Hinkley.

Mr. and Mrs. George Stinchfield and Mr. and Mrs. Bonney Webber were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred McLaughlin.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Hinkley and children visited at D. L. Shepard's the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Rowe visited friends in Kingfield the first of the week.

Wilford Harnden visited his sister, Mrs. A. R. Sedgeley, a few days last week.

Mrs. L. L. Hinkley, Mrs. Archie Byron, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Davenport and Misses Vena and Estelle Hinkley were recent guests of Mrs. E. L. Harnden.

Mrs. George Voter was the guest of her sister, Miss Belle Bean a few days last week.

Cora, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred McLaughlin, met with a severe accident one day last week by being thrown from a sled onto a pile of logs. She was unconscious when taken up. Dr. Currier was called, but after a careful examination he found no internal injuries and thinks she will be up and around in a short time.

General Accident Fire & Life Assurance Corporation, Ltd., Perth, Scotland.

U. S. Office, Phila., Pa.

ASSETS, DEC. 31, 1907.

Real Estate,	\$ 212,084 14
Stocks and Bonds,	908,107 55
Cash in Office and Bank,	83,211 98
Agents' Balances,	165,783 23
Bills Receivable,	405 00
Interest and Rents,	8,028 32
Gross Assets,	1,377,315 22
Deduct Items not admitted,	149,914 04
Admitted Assets,	\$ 1,227,371 18

LIABILITIES, DEC. 31, 1907.

Net Unpaid Losses,	\$ 309,919 42
Unearned Premiums,	48,113 18
All other Liabilities,	112,177 22
Cash Capital, N. Y. Dept., U. S. Deposit,	250,000 00
Surplus over all Liabilities,	120,159 38
Total Liabilities and Surplus,	\$1,227,371 18

Lewis Voter, Agent, Farmington, Maine.

The Niagara Fire Insurance Company of New York.

ASSETS, DEC. 31, 1907.

Mortgage Loans,	\$ 190,000 00
Stocks and Bonds,	3,406,962 00
Cash in Office and Bank,	280,480 53
Agents' Balances,	422,219 69
All other Assets,	22,126 58
Gross Assets,	\$4,326,788 80
Admitted Assets,	\$4,326,788 80

LIABILITIES, DEC. 31, 1907.

Net Unpaid Losses,	\$ 159,585 72
Unearned Premiums,	2,632,047 97
All other Liabilities,	65 00
Cash Capital,	750,000 00
Surplus over all Liabilities,	785,090 11
Total Liabilities and Surplus,	\$4,326,788 80

Harry F. Beedy, Agent, Phillips, Maine.

Lloyd's Plate Glass Insurance Co., New York.

ASSETS, DEC. 31, 1907.

Real Estate,	\$ 265,000 00
Stocks and Bonds,	435,116 54
Cash in Office and Bank,	23,471 48
Agents' Balances,	97,074 07
Bills Receivable, Sundry Accs.,	120 00
Interest and Rents,	1,500 00
All other Assets, Plate Glass on hand	3,708 44
Gross Assets,	\$ 825,990 53
Deduct items not admitted,	10,753 77
Admitted Assets,	\$ 815,236 76

LIABILITIES, DEC. 31, 1907.

Net Unpaid Losses,	\$ 26,113 21
Unearned Premiums,	273,212 82
All other Liabilities,	30,064 48
Cash Capital,	250,000 00
Surplus over all Liabilities,	235,846 25
Total Liabilities and Surplus,	\$ 815,236 76

United States Casualty Company, New York.

ASSETS, DEC. 31, 1907.

Real Estate,	\$ 5,000 00
Mortgage Loans,	163,000 00
Stocks and Bonds,	1,474,865 00
Cash in Office and Bank,	89,240 07
Bills Receivable,	314 07
Interest and Rents,	11,761 26
All other Assets,	137,227 23
Gross Assets,	\$1,871,437 63
Bills Receivable and Reserve for re-insurance in Companies not admitted in New York,	11,632 97
Admitted Assets,	\$1,859,804 66

LIABILITIES, DEC. 31, 1907.

Net Unpaid Losses,	\$ 185,002 64
Unearned Premiums,	619,366 09
All other Liabilities,	180,435 93
Cash Capital,	400,000 00
Surplus over all Liabilities,	475,000 00
Total Liabilities and Surplus,	\$1,859,804 66

No Case On Record.

There is no case on record of a cough or cold resulting in pneumonia or consumption after Foley's Honey and Tar has been taken. It stops the cough and breaks up the cold quickly. Refuse any but the genuine Foley's Honey and Tar in a yellow package. W. A. D. Cragin, Phillips.

East, Madrid.

Mrs. Cora Wheeler is visiting her daughter and family, Mrs. Charles Cross of Kingfield, for several days.

Miss Maude Cross of Kingfield is the guest of Miss Jennie Wheeler.

Mrs. Orren McKeene is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Wallace Virgin of Phillips, this week.

We Sell Vinol

on the positive guarantee that if it does not give satisfaction we will return the entire amount of money paid us for it. We mean this—and ask all those who are sick and need strength to try it with this understanding.

W. A. D. Cragin, Druggist Phillips, Maine.

Obituary.

Died in Flagstaff March 6, 1908, Herbert S. Rogers, aged 29 years. He had been in failing health for the past year, with tuberculosis of the bones of the right leg. The knee joint began troubling him a year ago, and he consulted many doctors, and went to the hospital, but all to no purpose, and the day before Thanksgiving Dr's. Wing and Brimigion amputated the leg above the knee joint. A few weeks later it was amputated a second time and then it began to heal and he seemed much better. A trained nurse was in attendance four weeks, and his wife and brother Arthur, did all that love or money could do, but the dread disease attacked the lungs and he sank rapidly. He was a member of the Old Fellows lodge at Kingfield, and of Mt. Bigelow Lodge of Masons, at Flagstaff, who conducted the funeral services in the church, with Postmaster Fred T. Blackwell, acting as master. The choir from Stratton furnished music. He leaves a wife, and baby daughter, father, mother, one brother, three sisters and three grandparents.

Freeman Valley.

Albert Huff has finished his work for Charles Turner and is now working for Oren Brackley.

Alfred Tash has finished his work for A. P. Richards.

Mrs. Albert Huff and Mrs. Melvin Huff visited at Fred Russell's last week.

Mrs. Charles Russell is stopping with Mrs. O. V. Will for a few days. Mrs. Will is in very poor health.

Mr. Frank Cleaves of Farmington has bought the Riley Huff stand at Starbird Corner.

Bert Soper and wife and little son, Alton, visited friends in the valley last week.

Mrs. Charles Huff visited at Riley Huff's in Avon last week.

Marrell Goldsmith of Wilton has bought the Charles Lambert farm at Starbird Corner and will move his family there soon.

Clarence Huff of Avon was a caller in the valley last Sunday.

Chesterville.

Will Ellis is quite sick with pneumonia. Dr. Head from New Sharon attends him.

Verdell Thurston is at home for a two weeks' vacation from Wilton Academy.

F. W. Trofion has returned home from a four weeks' visit with his sisters in Alfred, Me.

Mrs. Austin Currier recently suffered a shock of paralysis. She is in a very critical condition with but little hope of her recovery.

The Richardson Lumber Co. are getting in a good lot of nice lumber this year.

Chesterville is to have a new road machine and a nice steel bridge at the Center village this year.

Clinton C. Rowe & Co. are having a large number of calls for their farms this year.

The tannery is shut down on account of not getting any work.

C. S. Norcross has secured a nice lot of lumber this winter.

Officers Installed.

On Thursday evening, March 12, at A. O. U. W. hall, occurred the installation of the officers of Phelan lodge, No. 30, Degree of Honor, past chief of Honor Alberta M. Grover being the installing officer, assisted by Addie M. True as grand usher and Rose Toothaker as past grand chief of honor. After the regular business of the lodge was over the grand officers entered and the following officers were installed: past chief of honor, Celia C. Whitney; chief of honor, Ethella Davenport; lady of honor, Addie M. True; chief of ceremonies, Bertha Boston; usher, Mamie Aldrich; recorder, Gertrude Goldsmith; financier, Alberta M. Grover; receiver, Maud E. Beedy; inside watch, F. L. Hinkley; outside watch, J. F. Steward, Jr. The trustees are H. W. Goldsmith, E. W. Voter, F. B. Davenport; adviser to the chief of honor, F. B. Davenport; maids of honor, Rose Toothaker, Nellie Hough; finance committee, Alberta M. Grover, Gertrude Goldsmith, Maud E. Beedy; auditing committee, Rose Toothaker, Celia C. Whitney, H. W. Goldsmith. At the close of the lodge refreshments of sandwiches, cake and coffee were served. The committee on refreshments was Mrs. Addie True and Mrs. Bertha Boston.

Notice.

The firm of G. W. Kneeland & Co. of Weld in the county of Franklin and state of Maine was dissolved March 3, 1908. The undersigned will not be responsible for any debts contracted by or under the name of the above firm after said date. George Walters.

DEBERNA R. ROSS, Attorney at Law. Real Estate and Probate Business a specialty.

Office over Phillips National Bank, Phillips, Maine. Fire Insurance, both farm and village risk. Life Insurance. Until further notice, I shall be in Rangeley Monday of each week. Consultations invited. Desk in office of E. I. Herrick.

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Flagstaff.

Mrs. Susan Eaton has entirely recovered from her illness and has gone to Dead River to visit Mrs. Henry Harlow at the Ledge House.

The stated meeting of Mt. Bigelow Lodge was held March 14, and after work cake and coffee were served in the hall.

Mr. A. P. Wing has gone to Skowhegan and Norridgewock for a few days.

Mrs. Abbie Knowles is doing housework for Mrs. Eva Wing.

Miss Ella McVoy has gone to Kingfield.

Earl Wing has gone to Bangor, called there by the illness of his brother, Ted, who is recovering from a successful surgical operation on his lungs.

Mrs. Sarah Wright is recovering from a slight shock of paralysis.

Misses Hazel Viles and Alice Hinds have been spending the week at Carroll Viles's camp.

Mrs. Ida Viles has gone to Boston called there by the illness of her sister, Mrs. Stella Leathers.

Dr. Pratt of New Portland was in town last week professionally.

Mr. Marshall Niles has moved to his farm at East New Portland. Miss Winona spent the remainder of the school term with her friend Miss Alice Hinds.

On Friday evening March 6, the High school presented the comedy, "Miss Topsy Turvy," to a well filled house, and cleared \$9.30 for their work. Each one was well adapted to their part, and showed careful study, most especially the Deacon taken by Lee Ricker, and Topsy Turvy, by Hazel Viles. Following is the cast of characters: Miss Topsy Turvy or Nellie Clarendon, Hazel V. Viles; Mae Golden, Winona M. Niles; Mrs. Clarendon, Gladys E. Parsons; Miss Sparks, Alice H. Hinds; Lord Clarence, Harold T. Ricker; Frank Golden, Clyde L. Burbank; Deacon Jones, Lee F. Ricker; Ned, Dwight R. Viles.

Eustis.

The crows have come to remind us that spring is nearly here.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Parnell of Stratton visited the latter's sister, Mrs. Carroll Leavitt, last Sunday.

Gordon Campbell has returned home from the woods where he has been working for Albion Savage.

Mrs. Elizabeth Gordon has come home to stay.

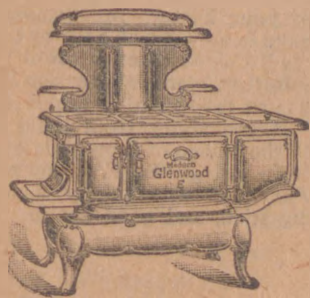
Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Stubbs have gone to Farmington to visit Mr. Stubbs's sister for a few days. They are going to buy them a house later.

Mrs. Mial Norton has been quite sick with tonsillitis, but is better at this writing.

Mrs. Harry Sylvester and children are at Flagstaff visiting her parents. She was called the last of the week by the illness and death of her brother, Herbert Rogers.



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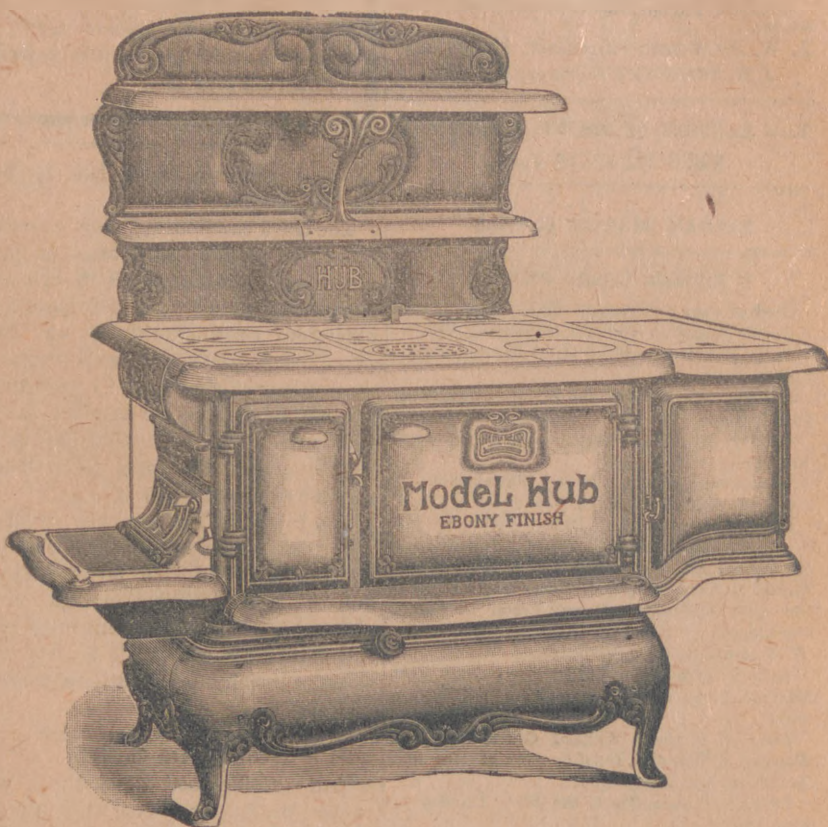
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It is essential to the contest that the names of not less than two contestants appear and remain actively engaged until the close. In the event of the withdrawal of all active candidates but one, there can be no contest and the prize will be withdrawn.

A coupon will be printed in each and every issue of MAINE WOODSMAN until and including Friday, March 27, 1908, which will contain the last coupon. The contest will close at this paper's business office at 6 o'clock p. m., the following Monday, March 30, when the votes will be counted by a committee representing the leading contestants.

1. For every yearly new subscriber to this paper at \$1.50 three hundred votes will be given. A new subscriber may pay as many years in advance as he wishes and receive votes at the rate of 300 for each \$1.50 per year paid; but all these payments must be made in advance at one time.

2. For every \$1.50 paid by present subscribers, either arrearages of accounts or in advance on present subscription, one hundred and fifty votes will be given.

3. Changes in subscriptions from one member to another of the same family, etc., made for the obvious purpose of securing the increased number of votes given to new subscribers cannot be permitted.

4. Each issue of MAINE WOODSMAN will contain one coupon, which when filled out and delivered at the MAINE WOODSMAN office will count as one vote.

There will be no single votes for sale; votes can only be obtained as above set forth, or by clipping from the paper votes that appear below.

Votes will be counted each Tuesday during the contest and the figures of such counting printed in the following issue of the paper.

All communications should be addressed to Voting Contest, this office.

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2053 "

### Kingfield.

Miss Ella McVoy of Flagstaff has been the guest the past week of Mrs. Estelle Tufts.

Mrs. John Berry of North New Portland recently visited her daughter, Mrs. Warren Dunton, on Main street.

Will F. Corson and family have moved from the double tenement house on School street to the "British" side and taken rent in the E. S. Williamson house on Maple street.

Frank Brackley of Freeman was a business caller in Kingfield several days ago.

Sunday last, at the Evangelical church presiding elder, Rev. David F. Burns of Boston, occupied the pulpit and delivered an interesting and helpful discourse.

Miss Charlotte Whitney who is a teacher in the Stratton school was the guest of her friend, Mrs. Charles E. Cross, over Sunday.

Will Myers underwent another operation on the left hand a few days ago when it was necessary to remove more decayed bone. He has been a great sufferer from blood poison several weeks.

Over Sunday Miss Ida B. Thomas of Salem was in Kingfield, called here by the illness of her mother, Mrs. Adeline Thomas, who is suffering from pneumonia at the home of her son, L. A. Thomas.

Dill Bros. have finished hauling lumber in this vicinity and returned to their home in Phillips.

Dr. E. L. Pennell was a caller in Farmington recently on professional business.

Manley Knapp has purchased the Batchelder place on the Dead River road and will soon move his family there.

Miss Evelyn Taylor spent several days recently at Spring Farm, the guest of Miss Agnes Checkley.

Friday evening of last week the five act drama, "Tony the Convict," was presented by the Stratton dramatic company to a well-filled house. Excellent music was furnished by Kingfield band.

Parker L. Norton is in Boston for a brief tarry.

Mrs. Sewall Vose of Strong was a recent guest of relatives in town.

Master Donald Emery of Stratton visited his sister, Miss Nira Emery, at the Kingfield House recently.

Mrs. Minnie Lufkin Rogers and little daughter have returned from Flagstaff and now are at the home of her father, Henry Lufkin.

L. L. Mitchell has had a telephone placed in his residence.

Ed Hinds of Bigelow was a recent business caller in this village.

Miss Nellie Blake, who recently underwent an operation for appendicitis in a hospital at Lewiston, is resting comfortably and a speedy return to health is hoped for by friends.

Saturday last Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Jordan, Master Fred Jordan and Mrs. J. F. Voter enjoyed a drive to the logging camps of W. B. Small about eight miles from this village under the protecting shadow of old Mt. Abram.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace G. Winter were in Farmington Wednesday evening week when they attended the Knights Templar's ball.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McMullen pleasantly entertained a party at whist Saturday evening last. A most pleasant evening was enjoyed.

R. Frank Cook is closing out his stock in the store on Main street recently occupied by Messrs. A. R. and C. E. Thurston.

Charles A. Leeman has been unable to attend to his work the past two weeks on account of illness.

Mrs. Gertrude Mills Jordan and little sons of New Portland called on friends here recently en route for Massachusetts where she was called by the critical illness of her sister, Miss Margaret Mills.

Mrs. Thomas Pinkham, who has been ill several weeks, underwent an operation for appendicitis a few days ago at her home in this village. That she may soon recover is the wish of friends.

Our village schools will open on April 18, thus giving both pupils and teachers a most satisfactory vacation.

Bert Pinkham and crew of Freeman have been sawing wood piles in this village with a gasoline engine.

At her home on Riverside street, Saturday evening, Mrs. Wm. H. H. Small was given a surprise party by Signal Light Chapter, O. E. S., of which during the past six years she has held the office of secretary, performing the duties of said office in a pleasing and most satisfactory manner. Of the 17 officers of the lodge, 13 were present. Music on the graphophone pleasantly interspersed with conversation was enjoyed, and refreshments of welsh rabbit, fancy cookies and cocoa served, after which in behalf of the assembly Mrs. Estelle W. Tufts presented Mrs. Small a beautiful gold emblematic pin to which she feelingly responded. Those present were: Mdms. C. D. Lander, A. H. Perry, E. W. Tufts, A. H. Bradley, W. D. Page, J. E. Voter, A. J. Hunnewell, C. E. Young, S. B. Vose, L. A. Norton, Frank Hutchins, F. B. Hutchins, E. L. Pennell, G. M. French, A. C. Woodward, S. J. Wyman, S. Sprague, R. C. Huse, H. Sprague, B. Gilmore, J. N. Parker, P. Butts, W. S. Safford, Messrs. B. Gilmore, C. E. Young, J. E. Voter, L. L. Mitchell.

Russell Butts is clerking in the drug store of L. L. Mitchell during vacation.

Orris M. Vose has been appointed assistant superintendent of the Sandy River and Rangeley Lakes railroad, also station agent at Kingfield. While superintendent of the F. & M. R. R. "Orris" performed his duties in a manner most satisfactory to the company, who are much gratified to have him accept this position which it is known he will so ably fill.

Monday John B. Carville of Spring Lake fame called on friends in this town.

Mrs. William Presby of Phillips has been visiting relatives in town the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert E. Dolbier are receiving congratulations over the birth of an eleven pound daughter, born March 13.

Dr. H. S. Spear of New Portland is a frequent professional caller in this vicinity.

The past two weeks Mrs. Fred E. York has been quite ill at the home of her sister, Mrs. Howard Sanborn, in Farmington. She hopes to be able to return home this week.

Beginning Wednesday evening March 25, special service will be held at Grace Universalist church, continuing over Sunday and conducted by State superintendent Rev. H. H. Hoyt. Everyone is cordially invited to attend these services.

Mrs. Maurice Carey of Wilton is the guest of her mother, Mrs. Ed. Berry on Stanley avenue.

Mrs. Frank C. Burrill and little daughter of the Hammond field, Bigelow, called on friends in this village recently.

The many friends of S. B. Wing will be pleased to learn he is convalescing after a several weeks' illness at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Charles Barden.

Last week Mrs. Link Worthley and little daughter of Strong visited relatives in town.

Miss Mabel S. Hutchins has returned to Farmington to resume her studies at the F. S. N. S.

C. O. Wilkins was down river last week on business.

Mrs. F. Boynton who has been confined to the house for several days with a cold is able to be out again.

The services at the F. B. church including special music and a series of lectures to young men have been a decided success. The pastor spoke on Sunday evening the words, "Remember Thy Creator in the Days of Thy Youth." Singing consisted of a girls' choir and male quartette. Undoubtedly much good will result from the special efforts put into these meetings.

Mrs. Blanche Small has been appointed assistant librarian of the Webster library.

Remember the entertainment to be given Friday evening at French's opera house by several young misses. The laughable farce "Murder Will Out" will be one of the chief attractions.

Mr. and Mrs. I. L. Eldridge have given up the rent in the Locke house and at present are with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Perry.

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## Closing Out Sale.

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FRIDAY, MARCH 20, 1908

### Franklin County Officers.

Clerk of Courts—Byron M. Small, Farmington.  
County Attorney—Cyrus N. Blanchard, Wilton.  
Judge of Probate—Josiah H. Thompson, Farmington.

Register of Probate—Albion L. Fenderson, Farmington.

Register of Deeds—George D. Clark, New Vineyard.

Treasurer—Carleton P. Merrill, Farmington.

Sheriff—Dana O. Coolidge, Jay.

Deputies—Joseph A. Witham, Weld; W. B. Small, Kingfield; James H. Howes, New Sharon; A. J. Merriman, Jay; Herman Sanborn, Wilton; George M. Esty, Rangeley; Harry E. Bell, Phillips; David Richardson, Strong; Lester D. Eaton, Farmington; Charles S. Robbins, Chesterville; W. S. Morrow, New Vineyard.

County Commissioners—Charles R. Hall, East Dixfield; B. F. Beal, Phillips; Sherman I. Bean, Jay.

Terms of Supreme Judicial Court, the first Tuesday of February, third Tuesday of May and fourth Tuesday of September.

Terms of Probate Court, the third Tuesday of each month.

Regular session of County Commissioners court, last Tuesday of April and last Tuesday of December.

### Gubernatorial Nomination.

THE canvass of Franklin county, the result of which appears upon the first page of this issue of MAINE WOODSMAN, is of interest at this time. There have been for many months two candidates in the field for the Republican nomination for Governor of the State, and this week Col. F. E. Boothby of Portland also entered the lists as a contestant for that honor.

In letters written to the newspaper press both of the more prominent of the candidates for the Republican nomination for Governor, the Hon. Bert M. Fernald of Poland and the Hon. William T. Haines of Waterville, state their views on State issues.

To each the matter of resubmission seems to be the leading subject of interest, judging from the amount of discussion they devote to it, yet each of them thinks that the people at large are discussing many other questions than the liquor law.

Briefly stated, the belief of each on this subject is as follows:

Mr. Fernald holds that the great majority of the party regards the law as satisfactory as it stands. He believes the demand for an opportunity to pronounce upon the question is waning. He is against resubmission.

Mr. Haines believes there is a strong desire on the part of a large majority in the state to vote on prohibition. Therefore, he favors resubmission, confident that the law against liquor will be upheld and the cause thus strengthened. He would also favor a constitutional amendment providing for the prompt removal of sheriffs failing to enforce the law.

Both candidates approve Republican administration of the state's affairs in the past, and think there are many

## PARTICULAR NOTICE

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things besides the liquor law to interest the people.

The third candidate, Colonel Boothby, makes no specific statement as to his views upon the issues which are being discussed, and utters no sentiments that place him conspicuously as the champion of any particular movement. He evidently realizes that he is entering the contest at a rather late day for this year's nomination, but that he is putting himself in line for a more hopeful contest two years hence.

The result of the canvass of MAINE WOODSMAN shows that this county is for Mr. Fernald by a large majority, and the same feeling toward him is claimed to exist throughout most of the towns of the State, while at the same time he is gaining strength among the cities.

### Protect the Children.

THE Collinwood disaster which caused the deaths of scores of innocent children is responsible for the wave of sentiment toward better protection for scholars that is sweeping over the land. Some look upon the agitation as a flurry which will soon die out, but it is to be sincerely hoped that before the subject is forgotten reforms in those buildings that need them will be made and better protection provided not only to those assembled in school rooms but to those who gather in number in any public hall.

Without any doubt there are thousands of children attending school throughout the State who are housed in rooms from which in case of sudden fire the exits are entirely inadequate for a great emergency. No excuse can be brought forward in defense of this condition and there are none but would strenuously condemn a policy that tried to practice economy at the risk of the lives of our boys and girls.

We are glad to see that the condition of Maine schools regarding fire escapes is being inquired into seriously. Superintendent Smith, the able head of the educational department of Maine schools, is addressing letters to the superintendents of schools in towns and cities, asking their reply to a series of eight questions, touching number of pupils in schools, location of stairways, fire escapes, doorways, efficiency of fire drills, situation and condition of heating apparatus and other details.

Right here in Phillips it may be well to inquire into the conditions at the High school building. It is said that all the doors open inward with the exception of one, the outer door, and as only one half of that is commonly unfastened the exit would probably be entirely inadequate should a sudden blaze require a quick emptying of the building. There are no external fire escapes on the structure and the possibilities should a fire start near the door when school was in session are not pleasant to contemplate.

It is not our wish to start any sensational excitement, but these conditions should be looked into fairly and judiciously and if they need correcting such should be done. As against the assurance that our boys and girls are provided for as well as may be by human foresight, the question of expense should not be considered.

### A Life at Stake.

Your life may be at stake when you notice any sign of kidney or bladder trouble as Bright's disease and diabetes start with a slight irregularity that could be quickly cured by Foley's Kidney Remedy. Commence taking it at the first sign of danger. W. A. D. Cragin, Phillips, Me.

### Saw For Himself.

A man carrying a looking glass said to a newsboy, "Come here and look into this glass and you will see a donkey."

"How did you find that out?" retorted the boy.—London Express.

### Opposites Often Wed.

"Miss, you are a holden. Nobody will ever care to marry a boisterous girl."

"Don't worry, mother. I'll find some nice, girlsterous boy."—Kansas City Journal.

### Rangeley.

H. T. Barber was in Farmington Thursday of last week.

Mrs. A. B. Gilman of Haverhill, Mass., was in town a few days recently on business.

Miss Enola Davenport of Phillips is spending her vacation with Mrs. C. C. Murphy and assisting her with her work.

F. C. Barker and daughter, Florence, are in Portland for a few days.

At a meeting of the pew holders held at the church last week, it was voted to tax the pews \$10 each.

Will Marble arrived in town last week to see about getting the Rangeley Lake House in shape to receive guests as soon as the ice goes out.

Miss Leona Hinkley is working in the post office while Miss Lucilla Lamb, the assistant, is taking a two weeks' vacation.

Dorothy, little daughter of Dr. Trefethen of Wilton, is visiting at G. A. Proctor's.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Abbott have engaged rent in the parsonage for the summer.

The Ladies' Aid gave an entertainment and sociable at Furbish hall, Wednesday evening of last week with the following amusing program:

Dialogue—Social Club, Marion Oakes, Gladys Barber, Marjorie Oakes, Ona Gile, Bessie Harnden, Susie Tibbets, Ethel Pratt, Edith Nutting, Hildred Robertson, Lena Moody, Mildred Hoar, Madeline Harnden, Mason Russell.

Singing. Harry Huntoon  
Dialogue—Dolly Show, Susie Tibbets, Phyllis Robertson, Mildred Huntoon, Zelma Robertson, Irene Kempton, Thelma Porter, Theron Porter, Mason Russell.

Sheet Music.  
Sister Masons, (a burlesque)  
Characters:

Sister Angel cake, Master of the Lodge and Most Worthy Grand Sky rocket, Alice I. Kempton  
Sister Gossip, High Back Jelly Mixer; second in command, Annie Bush  
Sister Busybody, Most Refulgent Pincushion, Clara Rector  
Sister Lonesome, Most Worthy Scribe, Royal Peek-a-boo, Helen Stewart  
Sister Thankful, Grand Chow Chow; Inner Guard and Keeper of the Goat, Ada Sprague  
Sister Backbite, Ida Kempton  
Sister Stitcher, Emma McCard  
Sister Blueblood, Agnes Robertson  
Sister Doltie, Cora Porter  
Sister Padlock, Florence Bridgman  
Sister Ipecac, Alice Herrick  
The Grocer's wife, Annie Tomlinson  
The Dentist's wife, Ida Lamb

Mrs. Annie Twombly and Mrs. Ada Kempton are working in Mrs. Emery Haley's dressmaking rooms.

George H. Snowman went to New York Monday, where he expects to remain for several weeks.

Rev. Mr. Evans of Belfast, Ireland, arrived in town Monday night and will assist in the meetings which are to be held each night this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bush have finished working for F. L. Marchetti. Mrs. Susie Thibodeau is cooking for him at present.

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## DENTIST

Dr. L. J. Holt of Phillips will be at the residence of A. E. Blodgett, Rangeley, from

Tuesday, March 10, to

Saturday, March 14, 1908

The Phillips office will be open on and after Tuesday, March 17, 1908. No office hours on Mondays.

### HUB RANGE CONTEST.

Time for Closing Near, and Votes Should be Sent In.

The voting contest for a hub range to be awarded by MAINE WOODSMAN to the successful resident of Kingfield or New Portland is drawing toward its close.

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In addition to the votes that appear in the paper credit is also given the contestants in accordance with the following plans:

1. For every yearly new subscriber to this paper at \$1.50 three hundred votes will be given. A new subscriber may pay as many years in advance as he wishes and receive votes at the rate of 200 for each \$1.50 per year paid; but all these payments must be made at one time.

2. For every \$1.50 paid by present subscribers, either arrearages of accounts or in advance on present subscription, one hundred and fifty votes will be given.

The remaining time is short and friends of the contestants should hurry in their votes. This week Mrs. I. L. Eldridge of Kingfield is the leader with 5070 votes, while Mrs. F. R. Phillips of Kingfield is in second place with 2053 votes.

### A Card

This is to certify that all druggists are authorized to refund your money if Foley's Honey and Tar fails to cure your cough or cold. It stops the cough, heals the lungs and prevents serious results from a cold. Cures la grippe coughs and prevents pneumonia and consumption. Contains no opiates. The genuine is in a yellow package. Refuse substitutes. W. A. D. Cragin, Phillips, Me.

### Card of Thanks.

We wish to express our sincere thanks to our friends and neighbors for their kindness to us in our great sorrow in the loss of our son and brother.  
Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Beedy,  
Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Hardy,  
Mr. and Mrs. Albert Moore,  
Miss Vivian Beedy,  
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kittridge.

As a man is known by the company he keeps so is a PAINTER known by the STOCK he uses. The name

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## MEN'S NEW SPRING SUITS

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Boys' Norfolk Suits, age 4 to 16.

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Maine.

## Insure STRONG DIGESTION

No. Waterford, Me., Sept. 3, 1906.  
"I am now taking my fourth bottle of your Bitters for dyspepsia. They have been a great help to me. I would gladly recommend them to anyone suffering from indigestion."

Yours respectfully, James A. Kimball.

If you suffer from indigestion, profit by the advice of thousands of people and begin using "L. F." Atwood's Bitters. They insure a hearty appetite, strong digestion, and good health. 35c.

### Lowney's Cook Book.

Lowney's Cook Book was prepared with the view of providing the best possible cook book for household use within a reasonable limit of size. No money was spared in getting the best talent and illustrations, or in type, paper and binding. The authority of the book, Miss Maria Willett Howard, was for many years principal of the Boston Cooking school and resigned that position to take charge of the Culinary Department of Simmons' College, a richly endowed institution for educating self supporting women which can afford to employ the best professors and instructors to be had. Miss Howard has a national reputation as a teacher and expert but never before has issued a cook book and therefore, is not so well known to the general public. The receipts include economical dishes in large numbers and also more elaborate dishes for entertainments and "special occasions" and for those who spend more than most of us do on their table; so that the book is suited for all incomes.

There are 1450 receipts in this book and it is especially strong in the clearness with which all receipts are given and the extreme accuracy of measurements of all ingredients. Every receipt has been tried over at least twice to insure correctness and even beginners will meet with success if they follow the directions exactly.

### PREVENTS PNEUMONIA.

Old-Fashioned Home Remedy that is of Great Value.

In comparing statistics of the fatalities from pneumonia in different states, it is interesting to notice how favorably Maine compares with other states. This is undoubtedly due to the general use of a simple home-made remedy composed of four tablespoonsful of molasses or honey and one each of olive oil and Anodyne. Mix well together and take in teaspoonful doses. The Anodyne alone is also applied externally on the throat and chest. If taken in time, this will absolutely prevent pneumonia.

Neuralgia Anodyne is also invaluable in all aches and pains, such as neuralgia, headaches, rheumatism, toothache, bruises, sprains, cuts, chilblains, croup, sore throat, etc. A large-sized bottle costs but 25 cts., and is sold under a guarantee of satisfaction or money refunded. Made by The Twitchell-Champlin Co., Portland, Me.

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Yes. 100,000 times each day. Does it send out good blood or bad blood? You know, for good blood is good health; bad blood, bad health. And you know precisely what to take for bad blood—Ayer's Sarsaparilla. Doctors have endorsed it for 60 years.

One frequent cause of bad blood is a sluggish liver. This produces constipation. Purgative substances are then absorbed into the blood. Keep the bowels open with Ayer's Pills.

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### Farmington.

One of the pleasant social events of winter was the reception tendered to Mr. and Mrs. I. C. Phillips recently by Mr. and Mrs. Hervey W. Lowell and Mr. and Mrs. George M. Currier. Mr. Phillips is the superintendent of schools for the towns of Farmington and Wilton, having been selected to succeed the late Clarence W. Pierce, and recently having been reappointed to that office. The reception was held at the Currier residence on Main street and about forty townspeople were in attendance. After the company had gathered old songs were sung and an imitation of an old time school was improvised. This latter was particularly appropriate as many of those assembled were former schoolmates and the reminiscences of their youthful days added much to the evening's pleasures. Miss Emily Greenwood read an original composition, "A Lawyer's Poem on Spring" that was well received and was bright with legal phraseology. A spelling bee was inaugurated and the victor was Mrs. J. M. S. Hunter, who generously divided her prize, a box of nice chocolates, among the less fortunate contestants. Mr. Phillips read an appropriate poem, and dainty refreshments were served. The receiving committee was composed of Mr. and Mrs. I. C. Phillips, Mr. and Mrs. Hervey W. Lowell and Mr. and Mrs. George M. Currier, while the ushers were Misses Louise Currier, Margurite Holman, Rowena H. Flynt and Gladys A. Brown. Among those present were noticed: Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Knowlton, Prof. and Mrs. Mallet, Miss Jane M. Cutts, Mrs. N. R. Knowlton, Dr. W. E. D. Downes, Miss Nancy Stilson, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Lowell, Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Knowlton, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Greenwood, Judge and Mrs. A. L. Fenderson, Mr. and Mrs. Byron Small, Mr. and Mrs. White Butler, Miss Mittie Fairbanks, Mr. and Mrs. Frank W. Butler, Mrs. John M. S. Hunter.

Mr. Carleton P. Merrill having resigned his position as town treasurer, the selectmen have appointed A. L. Wolcott to that position. Mr. Merrill is also to resign from the office of county treasurer and a petition is being circulated and largely signed asking the Governor to appoint Mr. J. P. Flint, cashier of the Peoples National bank, to the position. Mr. Merrill is to become the treasurer of the Skowhegan Savings bank, after serving faithfully and efficiently for 14 years as treasurer of the Franklin County Savings bank.

The Farmington school board has organized for the ensuing year and J. C. Metcalf is chairman of the board. All schools close this week for the spring vacation. It was planned to open April 6, after a vacation of two weeks, but as this would bring the graduation exercises of the High school either June 11 or 12, the same week that similar exercises are held at the State Normal school, it has been suggested that the spring vacation be made three weeks so that the High school graduation would come June 18, the week following the Normal graduation. It has been decided by the board to make the use of Walsh's arithmetics general throughout the town. There has been no uniformity in arithmetic text-books and the adoption of a uniform book will prove beneficial.

Two Farmington men made themselves objectionable at the dance in Temple Saturday evening and Deputy Sheriff L. D. Eaton was summoned to care for them. Before Judge Locke Monday morning each was fined \$5 and costs and each produced the required sum and was discharged.

Thomas Smith and William Morris were recently sentenced by Judge Locke to 30 days in jail for vagrancy. Mr. A. L. Fenderson, register of probate, has returned from a business trip in Portland and neighboring cities. Miss Mary Tufts, who was operated upon recently at the Maine General hospital, Portland, is rapidly recover-

#### Thousands Perish

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### ANNOUNCEMENT

I have bought the business of J. C. Morton and have made arrangements to accommodate all who may come to 42 Main St.

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up to date restaurant.  
Farmington - Maine.

ing and expects to return home by the first of April.

John H. Seavey has sold the barbering business he has been conducting in the Stoddard House building, to Carl L. Curtis. The latter took possession Wednesday and will conduct the same in addition to his establishment at Wilton. Mr. Seavey, together with his wife and wife's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Tarr, will leave early in the spring for St. Louis where they will make their future home.

Harland Pearson has completed his three years' enlistment in the United States army and returned to the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Pearson. Mr. Pearson was at the Presidio at San Francisco at the time of the big earthquake, serving in the hospital corps and his narration of that event is extremely interesting. He has lately been stationed at Monterey, Cal.

#### BASKET BALL.

Farmington Defeated Abbott School In Closely Contested Game.

(Special to MAINE WOODSMAN.)

FARMINGTON, ME., March 16, 1908.

In one of the most interesting basket ball games of the season played in Music hall on Saturday night the Town team won a victory over Abbott school by a score of 11 to 9. The game was close and fast from start to finish, and while rough was exceedingly free from fouls. The team work of each side was good. The lineup and score:

Town Team.	Abbott School.
Craig, rf.	lg, Osborne
Hatch, lf.	rg, Pickering
Lowell, c.	c, Babbitt
Titcomb, rg.	lf, Jackson
Higgins, lg.	rf, Ross au

Score: Farmington, 11; Abbott, 9. Goals from floor: Craig, Higgins, Lowell, Jackson 2, Babbitt. Goals from fouls: Craig 3, Jackson 3. Referee, Webster. Umpire, Pratt. Scorer, Moulton. Timers, Schrumph and Briggs. Time, 15 minute halves.

The High school team visited Wilton Friday evening and lost the last game of the season to Wilton Academy. The game was fast and rough. The score and lineup:

Wilton Academy.	Farmington High.
Orr, rg.	lf, Pratt
Smith, lg.	rf, Schrumph
Pratt, c.	c, Field
Witham, rf.	lg, Webster
Cram, lf.	rg, Tucker

Score: Wilton Academy, 24; F. H. S., 11. Goals from floor: Pratt of Farmington 2, Schrumph, Field, Pratt of Wilton 5, Witham 2, Cram 2. Goals from fouls: Pratt of Farmington 4, Witham 3, Pratt 3. Scorers, Morton and Adams, Timers, Merrill and Blanchard. Referee, Clark. Umpire, Newman. Time, 20 and 15 minute halves.

#### JOLLY PARTY.

Such Was the Sleighride and Supper of the Ladies F. B. Circle.

The supper given by the ladies of the F. B. circle Tuesday evening at Mountain View farm was a most enjoyable affair. Though the evening threatened stormy a good number met at the post office where the large horses of Mr. Frank Phillips were waiting with a hayrack to accommodate all. Two trips were at first thought necessary but finally by much good-natured crowding all found places and one trip sufficed.

Mr. Thompson, presiding as charioteer, soon had all at the spacious farmhouse of Mountain View farm where the hungry travelers found the large, comfortable rooms all aglow with invitation and the hostess, Mrs. Fred Wells, smiling a gracious welcome at the door. Then to the dining room hastened the happy company where two large tables were offering an irresistible hospitality. Three times were they surrounded by the merry circleers until nearly 60 had eaten.

After supper came a very pleasant social evening, during which games and singing helped to hurry the too brief moments on their way. Finally came the ride homeward and a very pleasant evening was at an end.

Great credit is due the hostess for her gracious kindness, to the ladies for their careful preparation and oversight, to "Billy" for his skillful manipulation of the reins of government and finally to the noble horses and the stalwart hayrack which refused to break.

#### MUST VOTE TO BUY.

Before Phillips Village Corporation Can Purchase Water Works.

A rescript has been handed down by the Law court in the case of the Phillips Village corporation vs. the Phillips Water Co. In this case the plaintiff had begun proceedings to purchase the defendant company's plant. The court rules that these proceedings were not properly instituted, that the plaintiff company must first vote to purchase the water works before appraisers are named and condemnation proceedings begin. The rescript which is by Justice Strout is as follows:

"Plaintiff was incorporated by the Legislature by chapter 490, special laws of 1885, amended by chapter 141, special laws of 1887. Being a creature of statute, it has only such powers as were conferred by statute expressly or by necessary implication. By section two of the statute it was empowered to raise money to provide water for the extinguishment of fires, provide hydrants etc., and for no other purpose. Under this grant of power, it might contract with a water company to supply water for such purpose. It did this by contract with defendant company. By article 10 of that contract the parties provided that after the expiration of ten years the plaintiff should 'have the right to purchase the (defendant) company's entire works' at an appraised value to be fixed by three appraisers to be chosen as provided therein. The plaintiffs have selected an appraiser and asked the defendant to select one, which it has declined to do. This bill is for a specific performance of articles 10, and to compel defendant to select an appraiser as provided in that article. To this defendant says that article 10 was ultra vires to it, and is not binding. Prior to the act of 1905, special laws, c. 162, no authority had been conferred upon plaintiff to purchase defendant's plant or to raise money to pay for it. The agreement was therefore ultra vires and without force. The act of 1905 authorized plaintiff 'at any legal meeting called for that purpose' to 'vote to purchase' the plant of defendant at a price to be determined as provided in article 10 or by any subsequent contract between the parties. To avail itself of the granted power, plaintiff must proceed according to the terms of the act. It must first vote to purchase. Until such a vote it is not entitled to an appraisal. No such vote has ever been passed by plaintiff corporation. In Farmington vs. Water Co. 93 Me. 192, there was a valid contract between the parties, and the case turned upon the construction of that contract. Here there was no valid contract between plaintiff and defendant until plaintiff voted to purchase as authorized by the act of 1905. Such vote was necessary to make any contract between the parties. Until such vote is passed by the Village corporation, it has no right to an appraisal of the property. Bill dismissed with costs."

#### Notice.

This is to notify and warn all persons not to harbor or trust my daughter, Luna E. Cox, on my account as I shall pay none of her debts after this date.

Frank L. Cox.

Eustis, March 10, 1908.

#### The Way to the Station.

A party of automobilists was touring through Virginia. An accident to the car forced them to take a train home. As they walked down the road seeking some one from whom they could inquire their way they met an old darky, says the Success Magazine.

"Will you kindly direct us to the railroad station?" one of the party asked. "Cert'n'y, sir," he responded. "Keep a-go'in' right down dis road till yo' gets to where two mo' roads branches out. Den yo' take de lef' one an' keep on a-go'in' till yo' gets to where de ole postoffice uster be."

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Madrid Town Meeting.  
Town meeting was held at the Stowers schoolhouse Monday and the following are the more important transactions:

Moderator—C. E. Crossman.  
Clerk—L. C. Reed.  
Selectmen—S. L. Mecham, Chester Whitney, H. O. Sargent.  
Treasurer—Orrin Hinkley.  
Member of school board—J. H. Welts.  
Collector and constable—C. E. Dodge.  
Road commissioner for Village district—Warren Hinkley.  
Road commissioner for Middle district—A. J. Kinney.  
Road commissioner for Eastern district—Z. T. McLaughlin.  
Tuant officers—Isaac W. Smith, Harry E. Dunham, John A. Welts.

The amount of money voted to be raised for schools and highway purposes was somewhat higher than that of last year. The collection fee is 2 per cent. The reports show the town to be in good condition financially with resources considerably ahead of liabilities.

Mr. Mecham was elected first selectman unanimously, so was Mr. Sargent as third. Mr. Whitney as second, was opposed by Mr. Littlefield.

As road commissioner for Village division, Mr. Hinkley was at first defeated by friends of Hannibal Smith. Mr. Smith, however, positively refused to accept the position and Mr. Hinkley was afterward unanimously elected.

In the Middle division there were three candidates in the field, A. J. Kinney, W. S. Sargent and J. O. Dunham and they were voted for three times without choice, Mr. Kinney leading each time, but not getting a majority. Then Mr. Dunham withdrew from the contest and Mr. Kinney proved the successful candidate. Mr. McLaughlin was unanimously elected road commissioner of the Eastern division. The meeting on the whole was peaceful and harmonious.

#### Card of Thanks.

We wish to express our thanks and appreciation to the neighbors and friends of our relative and friend, Mr. Ham, for the help which they rendered him, especially the children who so thoughtfully and generously remembered him with little delicacies in his last sickness. May God bless one and all, and minister to you in all your needs.

Mary E. Shorey,  
Elizabeth M. Pinkham.  
West Farmington, Maine, March 16, 1908.

#### Creative.

A certain man coming from abroad was taken up by the smart set. "We'll make a lion of him," quoth they, "for the distinction he will thereupon reflect upon us."

But the man was too little. It takes much material to make a lion. "Then we'll make a monkey of him," said the smart set, determined to have some exercise for their creative genius. Nor was the world the worse off. For, after all, it is the contribution to the gayety of nations that is especially needed.—Puck.

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and solicit your patronage.

Lamps of all kinds. Meat Choppers, Meat Roasters, Bread Mixers, Cake Mixers, Mop Wringers, Clothes Wringers, copper nickel plated Tea and Coffee Pots, Pocket Knives, Shears, Asbestos Sad Irons, Skates, Carpenter's Tools, and lots of other things.

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Phillips and Vicinity.

Cheer up! Summer is coming.  
Sap will soon be running.  
Mr. Nathaniel H. Harnden recently lost a valuable cow.  
Mrs. Nathaniel H. Harnden and Miss Ella Hinkley are spending a few days in Portland.  
A Gardiner Savings Bank recently advertised with other advertisements of the kind, a bank deposit in the name of the late Mrs. Achsa F. Austin, mother of Harry B. Austin of Phillips. This deposit had not been forgotten by Mrs. Austin but it was advertised under the law requiring Savings banks to advertise deposits that have not been drawn for or added to for 20 years.  
Mrs. Addie G. Parker of Phillips has recently been notified by a life insurance company that there was a substantial endowment insurance policy that had been left by her father fully paid up and about which she knew nothing.  
Mrs. Florence Wilbur returned Monday night from New York where she has been the guest of her daughter.  
A. J. Pease of Phillips has started a business of rag carpet weaving at the Phillips woolen mill. Mr. Pease informs MAINE WOODSMAN that he will be prepared to work up any kind of rags for carpets and he can also make window curtains from tough paper.  
Mrs. Louisiana Hinman, mother of Mrs. M. A. Hood, has been quite ill for the past two weeks.  
Mrs. Mary Douglass of Madrid is working at Hotel Willows.  
Mrs. Murree has accepted a position in Venjensia Fabier's store.  
Mr. and Mrs. Lionel Allen and Master Stanley spent Sunday in Strong, the guests of Mr. Allen's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Allen.  
Rev. H. A. Clifford attended the town meeting and said he never saw business conducted so much like a Methodist prayer meeting. He was much pleased with the courtesy manifested.  
Miss Mabel Austin and niece, Miss Ruth Austin, are in Boston this week.  
Norman Kennedy, clerk for the Berlin Mills Co., left Phillips Saturday for Vancouver, B. C., being called there by the illness of his mother.  
Jesse R. Doyen has put in a store at his house and keeps everything the farmers need.  
The city of Berlin, N. H., has been Democratic for the past three years until this spring when F. D. Bartlett was elected with a majority of 74. In his own ward there were 348 votes. Bartlett got 244 and his opponent, Ryan, got 104, giving Bartlett a majority of 144.  
Rev. and Mrs. H. A. Clifford were making calls among families on Mt. Blue last Tuesday. They faced a brisk wind but greatly enjoyed the day.  
Rev. H. A. Clifford preached at the Methodist church as usual Sunday afternoon. In the evening he spoke on the value of spiritual thoughts and noble purposes at a union service. Rev. M. S. Hutchins and Rev. Walter Beedy of Bingham assisted. Monday evening Rev. G. D. Holmes preached and held a business session. G. L. Lakin was chosen a delegate to the annual conference to meet in Augusta.

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The kidneys are overtaxed; have too much to do. They tell about it in many aches and pains—Backache, sideache, headache, early symptoms of kidney illness. Urinary troubles, diabetes, Bright's disease follow.  
Mrs. A. H. Prince, of 122 Federal St., Portland, Me., says: "In the month of October, 1898, I gave for publication a statement recommending Doan's Kidney Pills. My husband had derived much benefit from their use when suffering a great deal from trouble with the kidneys. He got a box of Doan's Kidney Pills at a drug store, corner of Middle and Free Sts., and used them according to directions. Since the time I gave this testimonial he has given Doan's Kidney Pills a more thorough test and has used them frequently on occasions when symptoms of kidney trouble became noticeable and they have never failed to give him prompt relief. Although it is six years since we recommended Doan's Kidney Pills we have never had any reason to change our opinion."  
For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.  
Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

Wilton.

Mr. F. I. Goodspeed was in Portland a few days last week.  
Miss L. Wheeler, class of '08, is spending her two weeks' vacation at her home in Chesterville.  
Mrs. Elvira Paine and Miss Josie are visiting friends at Bean's corner this week.  
Mr. and Mrs. George Goodspeed returned home Monday night.  
Mr. Charles Wheeler from Chesterville was in town Friday.  
Miss Marian Bailey, a student of Wilton Academy, was successfully operated upon for appendicitis Thursday at the C. M. G. hospital at Lewiston.  
Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Ellis and Miss Julia spent Sunday in East Dixfield as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gala Severy.  
Mrs. Lottie Pickford was a caller in Chesterville Saturday.  
Mr. Walter Smith and Miss Ella Bangs from East Dixfield were in town Sunday.  
Harry Chandler of Phillips is visiting friends here this week.  
Gilbert Houghton, who has been in Southern California spending the winter, returned home Monday.  
John Fassett is gradually failing in health.  
Mrs. Cecil Hall was in Farmington Friday.  
Mrs. Morris Carey left Monday for Kingfield where she will be the guest of her mother, Mrs. Edwin Berry, for a few days.  
A. H. Jones has sold his shop to Jesse Ellis who will finish it into a house.  
Frank Daisy has returned to Saugus, Mass.  
Mrs. Edwin Melindy was operated on at the C. M. G. hospital last week.  
Mrs. A. S. Magrath was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Green over Sunday in Portland.  
Mr. Elmon Ellis and William Cushman from Weld were in town Wednesday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Heber Purington sailed from San Francisco for the Philippines last week. Mr. Purington is a civil engineer and has a government position. He is a graduate from the University of Maine and a native of Jay. He fitted for college at Wilton Academy.  
Cards announcing the marriage of Franklin F. Noyes and Mrs. Esther Mosher Lincoln, Feb. 28, have been received.  
Lillian, the little child of Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Small, is very sick.

West Freeman.

Teams move lively this weather when it looks as if the sledding were on its last runners, but there has been known a case where on the main logging road in town ten heavily loaded teams were brought to a stand still by fallen trees in the way and a "no trespassing" notice set up. Children will sometimes play practical jokes on their elders, but there are cases where it works well to modify the golden rule.  
Crows are very much in evidence these days. The blue jays are shrilly calling and sounds and glimpses of other birds come to us now and then, but we hope not to see a robin for the next three weeks.  
It looks as if the sapping season would be a brief one.  
Perley Chick and H. R. McKenny of Kingfield visited Eugene Weymouth last week.  
Mr. McBeth was a recent caller in the place.  
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Foss visited at Hovey Kilkenney's last Sunday.  
Gilbert Foss has been on the sick list for a few days.  
Ralph Haines, who has been stopping at Linsey Thompson's, left there last week.  
Harry Lovejoy called on his niece, Mrs. Alice Thompson, and family Sunday.  
Two or three recent calls show that the spring disease known as "rug fever" is again becoming epidemic, but it won't be necessary to notify the board of health for we never knew of a fatal case.  
WHAT ABOUT A COOK-STOVE?  
Everyone with experience knows how tiresome it is to stay in a stuffy room to prepare a meal, let alone the doing of a big baking. But everyone doesn't know how very easy it is to change a hot kitchen to a cool one, and do better cooking at the same time. Just add to your list of summer conveniences a New Perfection Wick Blue Flame Oil Cook-Stove and you've done all that any one can do to lessen hot weather discomfort. Wouldn't it be fine of a summer morning to step in the kitchen, put on the kettle, broil the steak, bake the muffins, filter the coffee and give the breakfast call in one fourth the time you'd take to do it all on a coal stove? And wouldn't it be fine to be as cool when the breakfast was prepared as when you entered the kitchen?  
People who have tried it say that the New Perfection Oil Stove actually does everything in the line of cooking and domestic service without overheating the room or the worker.

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### Strong.

Miss Percie Hackett of Phillips was the guest of relatives in town last week.

Miss Emma Dickey was in Farmington recently.

Miss Maud Rowe of Phillips is working for Mrs. C. H. Hinds.

Charlie Dickey met with an accident Friday while sawing wood with his gasoline engine. In some way a stick flew and hit him on the fore finger, breaking the finger and drawing it into the saw which cut it quite badly. One other finger on the same hand was cut also. He was taken to Dr. Bell's and the fingers dressed. It is hoped both fingers can be saved.

Mrs. E. R. Sprague went to Boston Saturday to buy her spring millinery.

Miss Blanche Presson was home from Phillips over Sunday.

The Epworth league meeting was held with Mrs. F. O. Welch Tuesday evening.

F. W. Record is in Minot for a few days.

Miss Flossie Porter of Farmington was a guest at D. B. Kempton's a few days last week.

Mr. A. O. Baker has returned from Yarmouth where he has been the past few weeks.

Mrs. S. I. Mitchell and daughter, Cassie, were in Farmington recently.

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Stated meeting of Oppalunski Chapter No. 125, O. E. S., was held in Masonic hall Friday evening. The degrees were conferred on two candidates. An oyster stew was enjoyed by all.

A good many in the village have been having the prevailing colds lately.

Miss Annie Howard, who has been studying music in Portland was home over Sunday.

C. H. Brackley and two daughters of Freeman attended the morning service at the Methodist church Sunday.

Miss Alice Hunter has been visiting her sister, Mrs. A. F. Goldsmith, in Gardiner the past month.

A surprise party was given Miss Tena Goldsmith at her home Friday evening. Her many friends presented her a bracelet. The evening was spent in playing games of Pit, Flinch, Caroms and several other games. Mrs. T. H. Record sang a solo, as also did G. E. Record. A treat of cakes, candy and peanuts was partaken of. Those present were: Misses Delia Oliver, Emma Milton, Lizzie Guitard, Bernice Dickey, Edythe Douglass, Messrs. Earle Huff, Manly Whiting, Leon Smith, Lewis Goldsmith, Earle Kingslev, Roy Spaulding, Roy Lewis, A. M. Goldsmith, Ernest Vining. Selections on the graphophone was enjoyed by all. Ernest Vining furnished music on the violin.

Herbert Bradford of West Farmington was a recent guest at W. A. Bradford's.

Miss Lida Worthley is assisting Mrs. L. L. Partridge with the housework.

Miss Frankie Keene was in Kingfield Friday giving music lessons.

Master Richard Marshall has returned from a visit to friends and relatives in New Vineyard.

Miss Leola Worthley has returned home from Guilford where she has been the past month.

Miss Florence Luce is attending the Normal at Farmington.

Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Hodgdon returned to their school in Corinna Thursday.

P. M. Brown was a caller in Wayne the last of the week.

Miss Ella Winter has returned from a visit to her home in New Portland. She

is now clerking in the millinery department of E. W. Loring's store.

Master Clyde Vining recently visited in Phillips.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Brackley and children spent Sunday at Mr. Brackley's father's in Freeman.

Miss Annie Helmes of Winthrop is working for B. B. Harvey.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Partridge of South Strong spent Sunday at Nelson Walker's.

Misses Tena, Kate, and Florence Goldsmith visited their sister, Mrs. Maud Jordan, at West New Portland Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. W. L. Guild returned from a visit to New Sharon, Chase Mills, Turner and Cornish on Thursday.

Mrs. George Allen and daughter of Readfield visited at Henry Allen's the first of the week.

Mrs. Belle Knowlton is visiting her daughter, Mrs. A. M. Ross, at Rangeley.

Monday evening the Philatheas held their semiannual meeting at the parsonage. They also entertained the Bearseans. The life of Livingston was taken up. Mrs. M. A. Will, Mrs. Nancy Daggett and Mrs. H. A. Clifford gave a reading on his life. The Philatheas answered the roll call with a quotation from a favorite. The rest of the evening was passed in playing games, and a treat of candy and apples was enjoyed by all. Philatheas present were: Mrs. Flora Starbird, Mrs. Lizzie Will, Mrs. Nellie Norton, Mrs. Susie Daggett, Mrs. Ena Mason, Mrs. Nancy Daggett, Mrs. Clara Witham, Mrs. Ida Robbins, Mrs. Ethel Welch, Mrs. May Lewis, Mrs. Mellie Bradford, Misses Hallie and Mabel Smith, Freda Mitchell, Avis Welch, Vivian Bates, Beatrice Butler, Mildred Voter, Anna Norton, Mrs. Clara Richardson, Mrs. Grace Will. Bearseans present: C. V. Starbird, M. A. Will, F. H. Daggett, Walter Daggett, W. H. Will, L. A. Witham, Willie Starling, Theodore Graffam, Lester Lewis, Ray Starbird, Verne Richardson, Holman Daggett, Donald Clifford.

Rev. H. A. Clifford attended a meeting at Phillips Monday evening.

Miss Anna Davis, trained nurse, has returned to Portland.

John Durrell is able to be out again after his recent operation.

Taylor Hill.

Mrs. J. H. Ramsdell and little son of Lewiston are visiting Mrs. Ramsdell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Howes.

Add Williams was the guest of Geo. E. Voter over Sunday.

O. S. Voter is gaining but slowly.

Mrs. C. E. Williams had a very fine piano installed in her home last week, purchased of Mr. Norton of Farmington who has recently gone into business in that place.

Those lumbering are rushing business, fearing that the snow will not last long.

Madrid.

Mrs. Han Smith visited Mrs. J. C. Wells last week.

Isaiah Dunham will soon move into the house with his son, James Dunham.

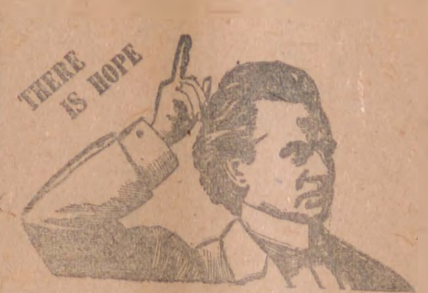
Mrs. Harry Bell is convalescing from an attack of indigestion and was a guest of Mrs. Lena Reed recently.

Mrs. J. C. Wells visited at Mrs. Lena Reed's last week.

Mrs. Frank Dunham is slowly convalescing from her serious illness.

The few that attended the Sunday services listened to an instructive discourse by Rev. M. S. Hutchins from Acts xi:26. "And the disciples were called Christians first in Antioch."

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### Notice of the Annual Corporation Meeting, 1908.

To the legal voters of Phillips Village Corporation:

You are hereby notified and warned to meet at Lambert hall in Phillips Village on Wednesday, March 25, 1908, at 7.30 p. m. to act upon the following articles to wit:

ARTICLE 1. To choose a moderator to preside at said meeting.

ART. 2. To choose a Corporation clerk for the ensuing year.

ART. 3. To hear reports and allow accounts of officers.

ART. 4. To choose three assessors, treasurer, three engineers three fire wardens and all other officers to be elected annually.

ART. 5. To raise money to pay hydrant rental for ensuing year.

ART. 6. To raise money to pay for electric light service.

ART. 7. To raise money for current expenses, or any other purpose.

ART. 8. To see if the Corporation will vote to extend its electric light service on road leading to S. A. Blodgett's house, light to be located by assessors.

ART. 9. To see what sum of money the Corporation will vote to appropriate and raise to support the fire company.

ART. 10. To hear report of committee appointed by the Corporation to obtain an appraisal of the Phillips Water company plant.

ART. 11. To see what sum of money the Corporation will appropriate to pay expenses of litigation with the Phillips Water company, and expenses and compensation of the committee appointed at the special meeting of the said Corporation held August 27, 1906.

ART. 12. To see what further instructions the Corporation will vote to give the committee appointed to obtain an appraisal of the Phillips Water company plant, or take any action relative thereto.

ART. 13. To see if the Corporation will vote to purchase the plant of the Phillips Water company, raise money for that purpose, authorize the issue of bonds, or take any other action that may be necessary in the acquisition, control and management of the present water system from which the Corporation is supplied by water for domestic and fire purposes.

ART. 14. To see if the Corporation will ratify and affirm the proceedings and transactions of the committee appointed to obtain an appraisal of the Phillips Water company plant, and approve their bills for services, expenses or take any action relative thereto.

ART. 15. To see if the Corporation will vote to change the first clause of Rule 5 of the rules and regulations of the fire department so that it will read as follows: It shall be the duty of the fire wardens by one or more of their number to inspect each building within said corporation at least once a year.

ART. 16. To see if the corporation will vote to amend its by-laws by adding all or a part of the following sections:

Sec. 1. All chimneys hereinafter erected in any building within the territorial limits of said corporation shall be double brick chimneys or single brick chimneys built with fireproof tile wherever practicable.

Sec. 2. No funnel shall be passed through any floor or partition in any building within said limits unless there shall be at least six inches of brick and mortar work or other substance of equivalent fire protection between said funnel and any wood work.

Sec. 3. No funnel or tile chimney shall be hereafter passed through the roof or walls of any building within said limits, except for temporary purposes and then only on written permission of two of the fire wardens of said corporation.

Sec. 4. No steam pipe in any building within said limits shall be so placed as to come in contact with any wood work.

Sec. 5. No wood or soft coal ashes shall be stored in any wooden receptacle within any building within said limits or within ten feet of any building if stored out doors.

ART. 17. To see if the Corporation will authorize the assessors to hire money to meet the liabilities of the corporation if necessary.

ART. 18. To see if the Corporation will vote to raise money to buy two fire extinguishers.

Given under our hands this 16th day of March A. D., 1908.

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### Resolution.

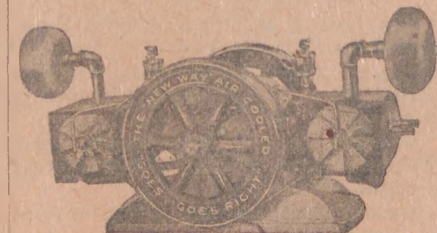
Whereas Crystal Lake Council, No. 19, Jr. O. U. A. M., held Wednesday evening March 4, 1908, Brother C. E. Proctor, F. S. Schofield and H. H. Skolfield were appointed committee on resolutions whereupon your committee beg lief to submit the following preamble and resolutions:

Resolved, That while we reverently and devoutly bow, in obedience to the behests of him who doeth all things well and whose ways are inscrutable, we desire to express our sense of the loss sustained in the untimely death of our brother who exempted any life and whose honesty and integrity of character has so fittingly and impressively illustrated the cardinal principles of our order.

Resolved, That we share in the sorrow of the relatives of our deceased brother, and tender to them our heartfelt sympathy, and commend them to the loving and tender care of Him who has promised to be a "Father to the Fatherless."

Resolved, That a page in our records be devoted to his memory by spreading thereon a copy of these resolutions, that a copy, suitably engrossed be sent to the family of the deceased and that the same be sent to the MAINE WOODSMAN for publication.

C. E. Proctor, } Committee  
F. S. Schofield, } on  
H. H. Skolfield, } Resolutions.



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## Phillips and Vicinity.

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H. N. Butterfield has been confined to the house this week but is now much better.

The condition of Wallace Oakes of Auburn who was operated upon by Boston specialists and Doctor Oakes recently at the Central Maine General hospital in Lewiston, is improving as fast as could be expected considering the serious nature of the ordeal through which he passed.

Mrs. Alberta Grover entertained a few friends at bridge whist last Monday evening. Refreshments were served.

The annual meeting of the Phillips Fire company will be held directly after the Corporation meeting adjourns.

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## Phillips and Vicinity.

Fred E. Adams, son of John Adams of Avon is farming in Thesby, Alabama. He has been there about six months. He bought a piece of land and a house and as far as he has gone he likes it. He wrote his folks about a month ago that he was past planting potatoes. He set out 2000 strawberry plants and planted onions in the fall.

An accident at the electric light plant last Tuesday evening at 6.45 put the lights out of commission till 10 o'clock, when they were operated by steam the rest of the night. The accident was caused by a box breaking in the water wheel shaft, severely damaging the bevel gear.

Mr. John W. Taylor who died at Salem Depot, N. H., Feb. 21, aged 79 years, was born in Roxbury, Me., and was a brother of Mrs. H. M. Mosher of this town.

Mrs. Will Gates of Phillips called on Mrs. Rachel Wright in Strong last week and reports that she is comfortable as can be expected. It will be remembered that Mrs. Wright received a serious injury in her hip several years ago by falling and since that time has been a great sufferer most of the time. She is not able to sit up in a chair and can only sit bolstered up in bed. She receives many letters from friends and is sorry not to be able to answer them.

All persons having books belonging to the Public Library are requested to return them to the library on or before Wednesday, March 25. After that date the library will be closed for a short time in order that necessary repairs may be made on the books.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Brackett entertained the following friends at progressive whist last Tuesday evening: Mr. and Mrs. W. A. D. Cragin, Dr. and Mrs. P. O. Hopkins, Messrs. S. G. Haley, J. H. Byron, F. N. Beal and Misses Christine Cragin, Elma Byron and Blanche Presson.

A. W. Mayo of Freeman sweetened up the WOODSMAN crew with maple candy this week.

Mrs. E. V. Holt returned recently from a visit to her sister, Mrs. Abel Holt, in Dixfield.

Isabel Russell has been the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Edward Greenwood, while her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Russell of Rangeley have been in Boston.

Miss Mabel Austin and niece, Miss Ruth Austin, returned Monday night from a two weeks' trip to Boston.

The following ladies were entertained at whist last Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. W. Brackett: Mdms. W. B. Butler, E. V. Holt, C. A. Mahoney, J. F. Hilton, E. H. Shepard, H. F. Beedy, C. F. Chandler, M. W. Harden, H. W. True, H. B. Austin, W. M. Kennedy.

Mrs. W. A. D. Cragin spent a few days in Farmington last week the guest of Mrs. George B. Cragin.

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## Births.

New York, Sloane Maternity hospital, March 6, to Mr. and Mrs. Henry M. Burrows, a son, (Henry Morris Burrows) 8 pounds, 7 ounces.

Kingfield, March 3, to Mr. and Mrs. Bert E. Dolbier, a daughter.

Industry, March —, to Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Kennedy, a daughter.

Westbrook, March 11, to Mr. and Mrs. Benj. J. Woodman, a daughter.

Chesterfield, March 16, to Mr. and Mrs. Edward D. Crockett, a son.

## Marriages.

New Portland, March 11, by Rev. L. Hutchins, Calvin Hoyt of New Portland and Mrs. Stella L. Smith of Lewiston.

Farmington, March 4, by Rev. I. S. Leiby, Fred George Davis of New Sharon and Miss Bessie W. Shepard of Kennebunk.

Wilton, March 7, Vern Trefethen and Miss Edith Collins, both of Wilton.

## Deaths.

Salem Depot, N. H., Feb. 21, John W. Taylor, aged 79 years, 11 months, 7 days.

Flagstaff, March 6, Herbert S. Rogers, eldest child of Orlando and Hattie Durrell Rogers, aged 23 years.

West Mills, March 14, Gladys Velmar, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Oliver, aged 4 months, 23 days.

Wilton, March 14, John Fassett, aged 84 years, 11 months, 5 days.

Wilton, March 15, Lillian, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Small.

Farmington, March 4, Fred S. Smith, aged 71 years, 11 months, 4 days.

Skowhegan, March 9, James F. Cornforth, formerly of Industry, aged 69 years.

Burlington, Vt., March 14, Eugene W. Knowles, formerly of Wilton, aged 34 years.

Columbus, Ohio, March 11, Louis Voter Thomas, formerly of Farmington, aged 33 years, 2 months.

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