

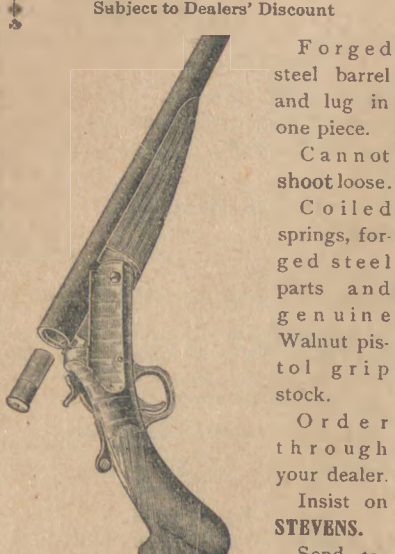
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ABOUT THE FISHING SEASON.

A resident of Rangeley recently wrote *Maine Woods*, as follows in regard to the proposition to extend the fishing time in the fall until October 15 instead of having it end October 1:

"As you already know, the fish are well schooled on the spawning beds by Oct. 1. Now if sportsmen are allowed to cast a fly over these beds, which invariably are not over ten feet square and covered with fish coming well to the fly, the chances are that an average fisherman would take into his boat, or hook, practically every fish on the bed. Now the argument comes, 'What of that as they are nearly all returned to the water?' How many men do you think could take a fish well willed with spawn from the hook without stripping it of at least one-third its spawn?"

*Now, as I have stated before, these beds are always small so it would be impossible for more than one boat, or two at the most, to fish at one time. These spawning beds are not numerous enough to accommodate many boats, so it would simply be a case of the "early bird catching the worm." One is always sure of having at least one fisherman in camp who always gets up at day break and whips these pools to the limit before breakfast. No one else will get any fishing that day; so I cannot see anything but dissatisfaction and disappointment for the rest of the guests.

The aim of the hotel men and the guides should be to protect the fish so that sportsmen coming to Maine will have the sport they are justified in expecting. It seems to me the loss of fish and spawn to say nothing of the late risers' disappointment, more than counter-balances the extra two weeks for the hotels and guides, and the pleasure of the few who fish the spawning beds."

FUR PRIME IN NOVEMBER.

Palmyra, Me., Feb. 2, 1911.
To the Editor of *Maine Woods*:

I am very much interested in our laws for the protection of fish and game and especially of the fur bearing animals.

I hunt and trap some and make a business of buying fur. Last year fur sold very high and this season the boys commended hunting long before fur was prime, consequently there has been large quantities of poor skins forced upon the market. The market is ruined and much valuable fur has to be sold cheap.

The boys can catch more animals in September and October than they can in November. In this state fur does not get prime until November.

This past season was no exception as fur was not fully prime until Nov. 10. In general Nov. 1 would be early enough for the boys to begin trapping. A less number caught would bring more money. I have talked this matter with all the trappers in this section of whom I have bought fur and all agree that the open season should begin Nov. 1 and close April 1, on all fur bearing animals. There might be a few exceptions as when the fox, coon or skunk are destroying the farmers poultry or corn.

I knew of places where the boys with their dogs started out in September and hunted nights for coon and destroyed lots of them. They also killed skunks and left them on the ground. These coon skins brought 10 cents to 25 cents each when later the prime skins sold from \$1.00 to \$3.00 each. We also believe that digging out the dens of skunks ought to be prohibited.

Please let me hear from you on this subject and I will gladly do what I can to help get laws changed or passed that will benefit all.

E. L. Cook.

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Patton, Me., Feb. 6, 1911.
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house in winter is fast decreasing them. Opening their houses in winter freezes them out and destroys more than are caught and ought to be prohibited.

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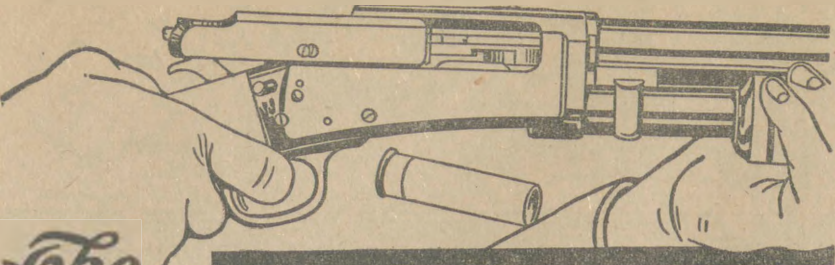
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RANGELEY.

Feb. 14.

H. A. Furbish was in Phillips the first of the week.

The Ladies' Aid meet this week with Mrs. Frank Porter.

George Russell has moved his family into their new house on Allen street.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Lovejoy are to occupy the rent vacated by Mr. Russell, over the Post office.

Cards have been received announcing the arrival of a ten pound girl to Mr. and Mrs. Jasper Hamblin on February 10, at their home in Auburn. Congratulations are in order.

Charlie Gibbs had the misfortune to cut his right hand quite badly one day last week, while experimenting in the laboratory at the high school building.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Emery Haley are spending a few weeks in Boston. Mrs. Haley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Isaiah Welch of Strong are keeping house for them during their absence.

The new hymnals, "Gloria Deo" have arrived and were used at the church services Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilnot Patterson have gone to New York for a visit.

Prof. Tubbs of Lewiston will deliver the fourth of the series of lectures next Friday evening at the church, subject, "The Age of the World."

Lon Dill was brought home from the woods last week, having been injured while working for Hoar & Tomlinson on Spotted Mountain.

Fifty six members were at the Grange Saturday night. Third and fourth degrees were conferred on a class of eight, after which cake and coffee were served. A literary program has been promised for the next meeting.

Mrs. Mihal Lamb has been suffering with a severe attack of the grip.

The following will attend the Shriners' ball at Lewiston on Thursday evening: Mr. and Mrs. James Mathie son, Mr. and Mrs. John A. Russell, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene I. Herrick and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Amberg.

TEMPLE.

Feb. 14, 1911.

Mrs. Blanch Sampson has gone to Kingfield for a week to coach the contestants for the speaking contest.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles French spent Sunday with her brother, Mr. Chester Hamlin, at East Wilton.

Miss Lenore Meras, who is working at Exeter, N. H., visited her sister, Mrs. Eben Merchant, last week.

Mrs. Daniel Collins died last Sunday morning. She has been in very feeble health for a long time. She was nearly 80 years of age. Mr. Collins is still living and is quite feeble. They moved here from North Dakota 15 or more years ago and are highly respected. Mrs. Collins' maiden name was Rhoda Fraser. Mr. Collins has the sincere sympathy of all in his loneliness.

Mrs. Albert Howes, who has been at Farmington under the care of Dr. Pratt, has returned to her home somewhat improved.

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When B. C. 404, after a heroic struggle, Athens, the "City of the Violet Crown," was captured by Lysander there were not wanting clamorous voices to urge that the city walls lust for empire had brought such woes on Greece ought to be laid level with the ground.

The Spartan general at first lent a willing ear to his powerful allies, but while the council was still debating this momentous issue a plaintive voice was heard from the city walls chanting those noble lines from the "Electra" of Euripides, that most human of the poets of Greece, in which the heroine contrasts her fallen lot with the splendid exploits of her father, who had dismantled the towers of Troy.

Lysander bent his head and pondered on fortune's cruel reverses. Triumphant as Agamemnon, who could tell but that he might be reserved for a fate as cruel? The lesson of moderation was accepted. Athens was saved.

Milton has immortalized this dramatic event in one of his best known sonnets:

The repeated air
Of sad Electra's poet had the power
To save the Athenian walls from ruin bare.

Comets and Great Men.

It is somewhat remarkable how often the death of an eminent person has been marked by the appearance of a comet. A certain writer, indeed, after going through a list of comets for 600 years, says that it is "as if God and nature intended by comets to ring the knell of princes, esteeming bells in churches upon earth not sacred enough for such illustrious and eminent performances." To mention only a few, Lotharius the Younger, Louis II, Charles the Bald, Theophilus, bishop of Tours; Henry II. and Richard I. had their knells thus rung by comets. Even in Shakespeare's time the comet was considered a fitting accompaniment to the obsequies of kings:

Hung be the heavens with black, yield day to night.
Comets, importing change of times and states,
Brandish your crystal tresses in the sky.
And with them scourge the bad revolting stars
That have consented unto Henry's death.
—London Outlook.

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Painful.

A little story comes from way back concerning Forrest, the tragedian. It was during his last appearance at Niblo's Garden, in New York. At the time he was suffering untold torture from the gout. A sort of runway had to be constructed from the stage to the dressing room, for he was quite unable to step up or down stairs. The performance had been "Coriolanus," and Forrest was petulant from pain and tired with his work. He stumbled against the runway, causing such a twinge in his toe as to make him cry out with the pain. A young actor standing by unfortunately addressed the tragedian at the wrong time, saying: "Dear me, Mr. Forrest, that must have been exceedingly painful." "Not half so painful as your acting," was the crusty response.

"Never Too Late to Mend."

Most of us associate the phrase "It's never too late to mend" with Charles Reade's famous novel, and very likely some of us think he invented it. But it is really one of the most ancient gems of popular philosophy.

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AT AUGUSTA THIS WEEK.

Senate, February 10.

Resolve in favor of screening Swan lake in the county of Waldo came from the House, by that Branch referred to the committee on inland fisheries and game. Tabled on motion by Mr. Milliken of Aroostook.

Inland Fisheries and Game.

By Mr. Theriault of Aroostook—Remonstrance of Fred A. McNally and 39 others of Aroostook county against close time on bull moose.

By Mr. Perkins of Mechanic Falls—An Act to prohibit the throwing of sawdust and other mill waste into the lakes, ponds and streams in the State of Maine. (Tabled for printing pending reference on motion of Mr. Perkins.)

By Mr. Morse, Waterford—An Act to amend chapter 407 of the Private and Special Laws of 1903, as amended relating to fishing in the tributary to Bryant pond, so called, which pond is situated in the town of Woodstock, county of Oxford.

Also petition of B. R. Billings and 24 others, residents and taxpayers of the town of Woodstock, Oxford county, to remove restrictions from fishing in

Village Brook of said Woodstock. Legal Affairs.

By Mr. 'Scates of Westbrook—A Act to establish a department of fisheries and game and to consolidate existing departments.

(Tabled for printing pending reference on motion of Mr. Austin of Phillips.)

First Reading of Printed Bills and Resolves.

Aa, Act to authorize the Wiscasset, Waterville & Farmington Railway to dispose of a part of the property of said company.

An Act to amend Section 56 of Chapter 32 of the Revised Statutes relating to the disposal of money received for fines and penalties for violations of the fish and game laws.

Resolve for the introduction of the Hungarian partridge in the State of Maine.

Reports of Committees.

Mr. Clark from the Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game reported ought to pass on the bill, An Act relating to taking fish from Trout Brook in the towns of Burnham and Pittsfield.

Same gentleman from same Committee reported same on bill, An Act to amend chapter 32 of the revised Statutes as amended by chapter 481 of the Public Laws of 1907, relating to the taking of black-bass in Damariscotta Lake, so called, in the county of Lincoln.

Mr. Wilkins of the Committee on Towns reported same on Bill, An Act to divide the town of Bristol and incorporate the town of South Bristol. (Tabled pending acceptance of report on motion of Mr. Otis of Rockland.)

Mr. Wilson from the Committee on Maine State Year Book reported "ought not to pass" on Resolve in favor of the purchase of the Maine Official and Classified Business Directory for the years 1911, 1912.

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Mr. Clark from the Committee on Inland fisheries and game, on Petition of W. S. Whitmore and others for prohibiting shooting of rifles and pistols above .22 around the shores of Lake Cobboscontee, reported that petitioners have leave to withdraw.

SUPREME JUDICIAL COURT.

At Farmington last week the court had but few assignments for trial. Among them were the following:

For Tuesday afternoon, the case of Mrs. Mary L. Lewis, Farmington, vs. L. G. Brown of Farmington Attorneys, respectively, F. W. Butler and E. E. Richards

For Thursday, the action of Clifford R. Thompson of Jay vs. Judson A. Record of Livermore Falls. Attorneys, B. E. Pratt and Herbert C. Whittemore.

The case of Mrs. Lewis against L. G. Brown was the first one to come to trial, and occupied the main part of the time Tuesday afternoon. The action was to recover a certain amount, the value of a half interest Mrs. Lewis as one of the heirs of the late John Holley of New Sharon had in a lot of hay which was cut on the Holley farm, part of which was sold by Mr. Brown, defendant, to Frank L. Butler of this village. Mr. Brown, the husband of another daughter of Mr. Holley, was administrator of the Holley estate and also acting as the agent of his wife, then quite ill, claimed he acted according to the rightful authority he had.

In the case of inhabitants of Wilton vs. inhabitants of Temple, the jury returned a verdict for the town of Wilton for \$89.56. The action brought by the town of Wilton was to reimburse themselves for expenses paid for board, nursing, etc., for a pauper. In the equity case of H. S. Wing, trustee vs. George Z. Vaughn, the action was brought by the trustee in bankruptcy to recover certain money, which, it was declared had been secreted by George Z. Vaughn for the bankrupt, who was his son, prior to filing the petition in bankruptcy.

The matter was taken under advisement by the court.

The following divorces have been granted, Nellie L. Anderson vs., Alonzo Anderson, Chas. E. Moore vs., Lottie M. Moore

In the divorce action of Frances R. Hinkley vs. Bernard Hinkley, the libelee was ordered to pay \$25 by middle of vacation.

With the opening of court Saturday morning the case of state vs. Alton Wood was begun. Wood is charged with breaking and entering the store of Hardy and Tarbox on the night of Nov. 12, 1910. Much testimony was brought in on both sides. The jury returned a verdict of not guilty Saturday afternoon.

Hon. George E. Bird of Portland was the justice presiding. Attorneys present from Phillips were Messrs. N. P. Noble, DeBerna Ross, J. Blaine Morrison.

C. H. Peary of Avon was on first jury; C. E. Parker, Charles E. Dill

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on second traverse jury; Blaine E. Beal on grand jury. Carl B. Beedy was excused. Deputy Sheriff H. E. Bell was also present

Mistake In the Bill.

A gentleman, says Modern Women, who recently returned from a tour in Spain tells this story:

I left Seville on foot after a stay of a week and was twenty miles away when I was overtaken by the landlord of the hotel in which I had stayed. The innkeeper rode beside me for nearly an hour before he found courage to make known his business.

"F the senor and God please," he began apologetically. "I made a mistake in his bill yesterday."

"How?" I inquired.

"I forgot to make a charge for his candles to light him to bed."

"But it was moonlight, and I had no candles."

"Then, senor, with the help of God, I forgot to charge you with the moonlight."

The charge amounted to 2 cents in American money, and he had hired an ass and ridden twenty miles to collect it. I was amused and astonished.

Then I accused him of being a robber and offered him a cent to settle the bill. He worked up a beautiful smile and held out his hand.

"I will take it, with thanks, senor," he said. "God will bless you for an honest man!"

A Purist.

Most persons believe Stevenson's verses for children may, without correction or amendment, safely be placed in the hands of the impressionable youngster without corrupting either his morals or his English. But there are some who think otherwise, says an exchange.

Little Alice's mother, having taught the child to say, "Time to rise," in which "the birdie with a yellow bill" figures, the child announced that she meant to recite it to her teacher.

"Well, and what did Miss Prim say to 'the birdie with a yellow bill'?"

asked Alice's mother when the little girl returned from school.

"She says it is quite a pretty thought. But this is the way she makes me say it now, mamma:

"A birdie with a yellow bill
Hopped upon the window sill,
Cocked his shining eye and said,
'Are you not ashamed, you sleepyhead?'"

"But that was not the way the birdie said it, Alice," the mother remonstrated.

"No, mamma; I know. But teacher says it isn't good English to say, 'Ain't you 'shamed, you sleepyhead?'"

Her Logic.

A United States senator in one of his campaigns told this story to illustrate the logic of an opponent: Did you ever hear about the young woman in Fort Dodge? One spring morning she sat on the piazza of her pretty little home sewing a button on her husband's coat. The husband himself appeared, and she said fretfully: "It's a perfect shame the careless way the tailor sewed this button on. This is the fifth time I've had to sew it on again for you."

"Sparks."

"I wonder," said young Mr. Staylate, hunting around for subject matter of conversation, "why they used to call beaus 'sparks.'"

"Perhaps," replied the suffering maiden, deftly showing a yawn in the act of apparently concealing it, "it was because sometimes they went out."—San Francisco Chronicle.

No Jewish Lullabies.

It is remarkable that, notwithstanding the love and devotion of a Jewish mother, there seems to be no trace of a real Jewish lullaby. Those known are of a recent origin.—American Hebrew.

Her Gamble.

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"Only once, my son."
"And when was that?"
"When I married your father."—Princeton Gazette.

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for Maine Woods. All letters will have
prompt attention. J. W. Brackett Co.,
Phillips, Maine, June 24, 1910.

The editions of Maine Woods this
week are 6,500.

Thursday, February 16, 1911.

In regard to te supply of moose
and deer in this state: It is alto-
gether probable that there are as
many of both in Maine as there have
been for the past 30 years, but it
is claimed by the guides that de-
sirable moose heads are scarce and
that barren cows and bull calves are
too much in evidence.

A bill in the Legislature proposes
a fine of \$1,000 for the accidental
shooting of a human being while
hunting. This might decrease the
shot-by-mistake-for-a-deer accidents,
for with such a fine hanging over
him the hunter might think twice and
make sure it was a deer before fir-
ing. With some in the woods it
seems to be the rule to shoot at ev-
ery moving object and think after-
wards. A thousand dollars, however,
is a rather small price to a life, for
some lives, for most lives. For oth-
ers it is rather high.—Portland Press.

How would it do for the man who
does the shooting to pay a fine any-
way and stand a jury trial after-
wards?

PARTRIDGES 5, WOODCOCK 10.

Bucksport, Me., Feb. 6, 1911.
To the Editor of Maine Woods:

I as a hunter of years experience,
wish to express my opinion to you
regarding the proposed change in the
law relating to the hunting of wood-
cock and partridges.

I am in favor of making no change,
whatever, in regard to the length or
period of close time, either woodcock
or partridge. The woodcock is, of
course, a migratory bird, and the
open season is now while they are in
our state and is what we want. If
the period of open season is changed
it will prevent our shooting the bird
while in our territory at all, and al-
low them to be shot in the other
states while they are migrating to
the south.

Owing to the scarcity of these
birds, I would however, be in favor
of having the number of woodcock
to be shot in one day limited to not
exceed ten and limiting the number
of partridges to be shot, in one day,
to five.

W. H. Farnham.

Bucksport, Me., Feb. 6, 1911.
To the Editor of Maine Woods:

Being interested in the welfare of
game and preservation of the sport
of hunting, I wish to express my
opinion in regard to the laws relating
to partridge and woodcock.

I think the time of open season
could not beneficially be changed from
what it is now.

I would like to have the amount
of woodcock to be shot in one day
reduced to ten birds and the amount
of partridges limited to five.

MOOSE AND DEER.

I find that those who are inter-
ested in the protection of deer and
moose are of the opinion that there
should be a close time of at least
one year on the former, and for four
years on the latter. It is claimed by
those who ought to know that, even
the deer, are decreasing at the pres-
ent rate of killing them, and that, if

about. Maine cannot afford to ne-
glect the fish and the game laws. It
is one of the things which bring a
large number of people into the state
and many different classes of peo-
ple receive the benefit of the money
which these visitors expend.

"It is high time that Maine cities
and towns which take their supplies
of water for domestic purposes
from ponds and lakes to do some-



SCENE FROM LIFE IN MAINE.

they are to be preserved, there must
be more care taken to prevent their
slaughter. It is admitted by all,
who have studied the matter that,
unless the moose is protected, it will
be only a question of a short time
when they have entirely disappeared
from the Maine woods. It would
be a matter of general regret to
have the monarch of the Maine woods
eliminated. A Franklin county man
said to me this week: "My own opin-
ion is that there are plenty of deer,
and that any further close time is
not necessary, but it is true that
the moose are fast disappearing and
the proposed law for a close time of
four years ought to be enacted into
law and I think it will be during this
session of the Legislature. At pres-
ent the moose are so few in Maine
that not many sportsmen who wish
to hunt them come to Maine, but, in-
stead they go to New Brunswick,
where the moose are still quite plen-
tiful. I do not know as New Bruns-

wick has a better system for the pro-
tection of moose than has Maine, but
Maine being nearer to Massachusetts
the sportsmen have naturally come
here instead of going further. Maine
has had better hunting facilities such
as camps and guides, but during the
past two or three years more and
more of the moose hunters have been
going to New Brunswick. Even
Maine men who want a set of moose
antlers now go to New Brunswick. If
we can do something to protect the
moose it will be a source of revenue
to the state. It is necessary to
take drastic measures and place a
close time which is of sufficient
length to accomplish something. Of
course, if a four years close time is
made, and the game laws continue to
be as well enforced as they have
been for several years the results
which we all want will be brought



THE BOBCAT AT LARGE.

it. Pure water is absolutely essen-
tial for good health, and this should
be urged upon the minds of the peo-
ple. It is a matter in which every
citizen should have a personal inter-
est. Our Maine cities and towns as
a rule are flavored with pure sup-
plies of water. In this way we are
blessed beyond most of the othe
states. In Maine we are so accus-
tomed to having pure water that I
sometimes think we do not realize
what a blessing it is. I hope this
matter may be agitated and that
wherever it is necessary, every pre-
caution will be taken for the protec-
tion of the water supplies."—Port-
land Press.

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NATIONAL GUARD

THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OF-
FICE, STATE OF MAINE.

General Orders No 6.

Upon personal application and in
accordance with the provisions of
Section 62, The Military Law, the
following named officers and persons
who have served as such in the Na-
tional Guard of the State of Maine,
are hereby placed upon the retired
list with the rank set against their
respective names:

James B. O'Neill of Portland, with
rank of brigadier general, to date
January 5, 1911.

Service: First Lieutenant and As-
sistant Surgeon, First Regiment of
Infantry, February 8, 1894-April 29,
1896. Captain and Assistant Surgeon,
First Regiment of Infantry, April 30,
1896-January 4, 1905. Colonel and
Surgeon General, Staff of the Com-
mander in Chief, January 5, 1905-
January 4, 1911.

George M. Kavanaugh of Lewiston,
with rank of colonel, to date Janu-
ary 5, 1911.

Service: Second Lieutenant, First
Regiment Gun Company, (Afterward
Company I, First Regiment of Infan-
try) December 10, 1891-April 7, 1901.
First Lieutenant and Commissary,
First Regiment of Infantry, April 8,
1901-March 14, 1905. Captain and
Commissary, First Regiment of In-
fantry, March 15, 1905-August 5, 1907.
Captain, retired, June 30, 1908-Jan-
uary 6, 1909. Colonel and Commis-
sary General, Staff of the Command-
er-in-Chief, January 7, 1909-January
4, 1911.

Harold L. Pepper of Waterville
with rank of captain.

Service: Second Lieutenant, Com-
pany H, Second Regiment of Infantry,
October 20, 1904-December 20, 1905.
Captain, Company H, Second Regi-
ment of Infantry, December 21, 1905-
January 26, 1911.

By order of the Governor:

Elliott C. Dill,
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General Orders, No. 4.

Augusta, January 19, 1911.

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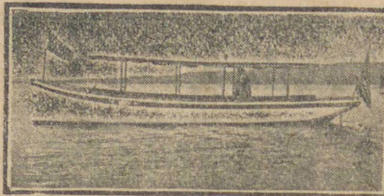
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Elliott C. Dill,
The Adjutant General.

Opinions on Various Topics.

(Special to Maine Woods.)
Berwick, Me., Jan. 28, 1911.

I have read the Maine Woods and
Maine Sportsman and I think it is
O. K. I have also read about the
single hook and gang hook idea. I
say let the law stand. If the sports-
man want to use the single hook for
sports sake why I say let them
use it, but suppose I am camping
out and want a mess of fish to eat
why I don't want to depend on the
single hook, nor do I fish for the
fun of the thing either, and I might
not want to violate some game law
which I call unneeded.

I think the trapping law is O. K.,
except the trap tag law and perhaps
the season begins to early. The
only ways in which the trapping laws
could be improved would be to make
every trapper buy a license, protect
every fur bearing animal, and not al-
low dens, holes, etc., of the fur bear-
ing animals to be destroyed except
by person or persons which own the
land wherein the den or hole may
be located and then only allow such
person to destroy the dens, holes,
etc., interfere with some work or
improvement to the land.

Don't get too many foolish trapping,
hunting and fishing laws; they're too
hard to live up to. When you get too
many of them none will be enforced.
Maine has about as many now as the
people care for. If there are too
many, the people will disregard them
and none of them nor all of them
will amount to anything. Let good
enough alone.

Partridge limit could be five all
right in the settled parts of the state.
Five per day should be the limit.
Keep the game laws few and simple
and have them enforced and the peo-
ple won't kick.

Look at the game in Maine now
and look at some of the other states,
compare the following: Your past
game laws, your present game laws,
and the conditions, past and present
and then make your laws accord-
ingly.

H. E. Ford.

PROTECT FAWN AND DOE.

S. Paris, Me., Jan. 23, 1911.

To the Editor of Maine Woods:

I think the limit on partridges should be reduced to five in one day and the gang hooks abolished in some counties. I also think that if the law would protect the doe and fawn deer, that there would be a great many more in a few years.

G. W. J.

As the law is at present, if a man shoots a doe he takes it out and uses it up and it counts one on the two he is allowed, no matter what the size is.

I think the hunters who come here from out of the state should be obliged to take out their license for hunting before they go into the wood to hunt and the guides should see the sportsman's license before he

use of the barbless hooks, both for fly fishing and bait fishing, which have been on the market the past year. This will give the trout further chance. The hook is all right, both for humane points and on quality. Besides, should a small fish be hooked it can be returned to the water without injury. I hope that all sorts of any importance, where tackle is kept for sale, will surely

Mr. James A. Cruikshank of New York and Mr. Thomas Martindale of Philadelphia are on the advisory board.

Notice to Members.

The attention of members is called to the fact that another of our Camp dinners that have become famous is to be served, and that they are privileged to invite guests and also to send to the assistant secretary, C. C. Chatfield, 27 E. 44th Street, New York, a list of friends to whom they would like to have invitations mailed.

The price of tickets is \$4.00.

The best locations will be reserved in the order of application. You are earnestly requested to engage tables and make up your parties at as early a date as possible and thus facilitate the work of the dinner committee.

Kindly send checks and names and addresses of guests to H. T. Galpin, Treasurer, 57 W. 57th St., New York; telephone, Plaza 963.

Donations of game should be sent as usual, not later than March 3d, to the Hotel Astor, Broadway and 44th Street, New York, addressed to the Canadian Camp, and at the same time the secretary should be informed of such consignments.

As in the past, ladies will be present on the floor and are cordially welcomed.

On behalf of the dinner committee, G. Lenox Curtis, president; John Emery McLean, Chairman Dinner Committee.

chase skunks, and persistently refused to do it. The boy and the dog are going to try it again in the spring when the season is more propitious for skunk hunting.

Rabbits are very plentiful in the vicinity of Farmington, and particularly in the vicinity of the numerous ponds which are more or less popular as hunting and fishing resorts, within a radius of five or six miles of the shire town of Franklin county. March the latest month in the spring during which rabbits and wild hares may be legally killed in the state of Maine, is considered the best month in the year for rabbit hunting, and there will be lots doing in that line around Farmington. There are a number of good dogs in that town that have been trained specially for rabbit hunting, and these will be liberally brought into use.

There are many indications that foxes at least are thriving in northern Maine this winter, or have been until the deep snows came. It may not be generally known that a fox will chase a rabbit until he is tired out exactly as a hound dog will, but that unlike the average hound, the fox will when the chase is over, kill the rabbit and feast himself. This is a case of the survival of the fittest, and in Flagstaff and Lexington the evidence of many such feasts has been seen this winter. Many young partridges have also been killed by foxes in that section of Maine this winter.

CENTRAL MAINE POWER CO.

Representative Pattangall of Waterville introduced an act to amend the charter of the Messalonskee Electric

A WORD FOR THE GUIDES

Peekskill, N. Y., Jan. 23, 1911.

To the Editor of Maine Woods:

I have been a guide in the Maine woods for 20 years, doing everything in my power to protect the fish and game. The people I look after have a camp on Moosehead lake. I have been with them for 12 years and never, to my knowledge, have I seen them fish or hunt out of season.

I find the most of the out side people are the same way, unless a cheap guide leads them to do the wrong thing.

We stay in the Maine woods anywhere from three to six months. We might have one deer in that time. We very seldom fish, but for some reason the game warden of our community thinks that we kill many deer and the mean reports made in the town are very annoying. Please don't let your good state drive away good people by employing cheap help to protect the game. P. N. T.

GUIDE GIVES VIEWS.

Lewiston, Me., Feb. 2, 1911.

(Special to Maine Woods.)

I have been reading the letter in the Maine Woods in regard to the game laws of Maine for some weeks. Being a registered guide I am interested in the laws, as well as the letters in the Maine Woods.

Now it seems to me the game laws are all right as they now are. In regard to partridges, I don't think there is any need of changing the law on them as I have not seen 15 birds this fall and I think the hunters are few who go out and get the limit in one day. I read a letter in the Maine Woods a short time ago, in which the writer seems to think

hires to guide him. If a guide was compelled to see that his parties had a license or forfeit his own license, there would be very few sportsmen hunting without a license.

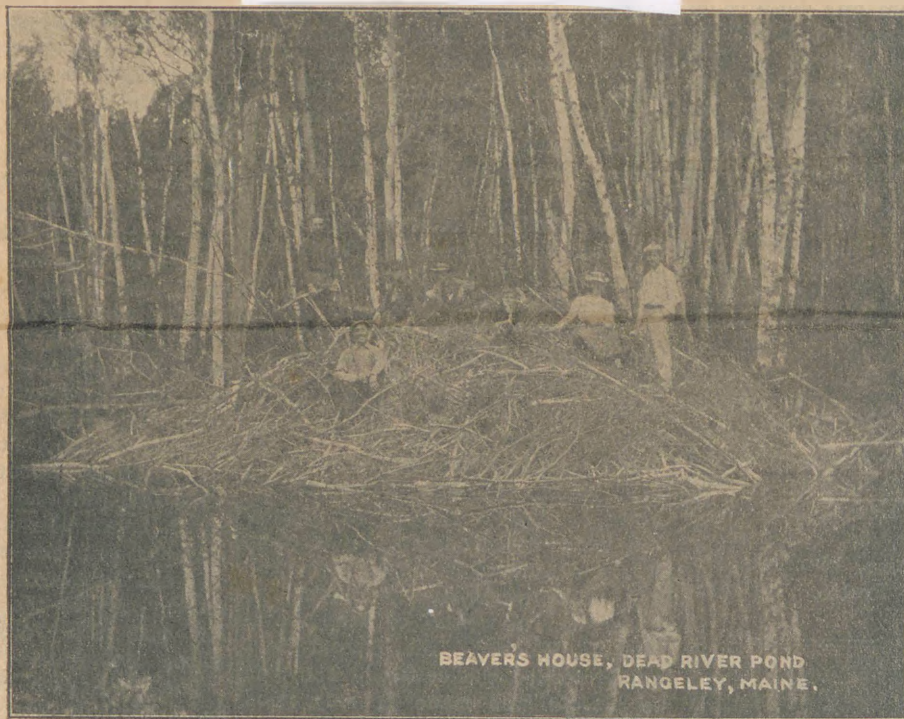
The gang hook should go by all means. A fish don't stand a fair show for its life when caught on a gang hook. I could always get all I wanted to eat with one hook and when a man gets all he wants to eat, what's the use of being a hog and catching more than he wants or needs. Put the gang hook on the black list. John M. Smith.

USE BARBLESS HOOKS.

Utica, N. Y., Jan. 31, 1911.

While the Angler is taking delight at this season rewinding and varnishing his fishing rods, selecting and tying leaders and fly hook combinations, and anticipating success and pleasure in the coming season, he often thinks of the amateur who happened to catch the largest trout or shoot the largest deer of anyone in the party and considers himself competent to inform others just when, how and where to do it again. He also believes that the trout feed simply by reason of being in nearly a starving condition; in other words, from hunger, and the Angler is thinking of the points in the case unknown to the amateur, such as the temperature of the wind, water and air, light, height of water, time of season, time of day, etc. Trout also strike fly hook from selfish notions to secure before another can do so; also jealousy to crush bright colored things from envy of them, and possess these colors, thereby adding to their own beauty, for the "belle of the pool" is as proud of her colors as the "Bell of Broadway." So it is

buy some of these barbless hooks that the anglers can have an opportunity of trying them. They are manufactured by Lacey Y. Williams Toledo, O. Now, I hope the good natured "real" anglers who may happen to see this article will try these hooks if they have to send direct for them themselves. Let us do all w



BEAVERS HOUSE, DEAD RIVER POND, RANGELEY, MAINE.

can to grind down the fish hog, the gangs of hooks, and all things in that line. S. E. Stanton.

CANADIAN CAMP DINNER.

The Ninth Annual dinner of the

they hunt without dogs, they will have all they want to do to get five, which has been my experience. Dogs ought to be prohibited in the woods.

In regard to fishing. I think that very few fish are killed by using gang hooks, as very few get away after they strike. Let everyone be their own judge of what to use without any law in regard to it.

George F. Mullett.

NATURE STORIES.

At North Anson recently F. B. Moulton was taking wood from his pile, when he found a mouse nest that was completely interwoven with pieces of an old one dollar bill. He carefully gathered up the pieces, and took them to the first national bank at Skowhegan, where the bank officers carefully matched the pieces and found that about two-thirds of the original bill still existed. These pieces were sent on to the treasury department at Washington, and Mr. Moulton now has a brand new dollar bill instead of the pieces. Mr. Moulton is thinking of organizing a systematic search for mice nests as a means of obtaining a livelihood, if dollar bills are the favorite nesting material of North Anson mice.

The groundhog certainly did not see much of his shadow on Candlemas day this year, but just after the recent storm, or one of them, a large sized and vari-colored skunk was seen plainly seated on the top of a deep drift over in the town of Embden. At the approach of a farmer lad and his mongrel dog, the skunk scampered cheerfully away, and all the efforts of the lad to locate his skunk-ship's retreat were futile, due perhaps to the fact that the dog knew it was not the proper time of the year to

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What the Stevens Accomplished At the .22 Calibre Rifle League Tournament.

Chicopee Falls, Mass., Feb. 8, 1911.

At the recent Annual Tournament of the International Indoor .22 Calibre League held in Brooklyn, N. Y., Stevens rifles and Stevens telescopes were again very much in evidence in the final distribution of prizes.

The Expert Match was won by William Keim (Amateur) who scored 49 out of 50 points and was equipped with a Stevens rifle. In the Continuous Prize Match Mr. J. Williams tied for first and was equipped with Stevens Rifle and Stevens telescope. First prize in Remington Match was won by Jesse Smith who used a Stevens rifle.

The significant fact in connection with this series of important shoots, was that twelve out of thirty telescopes used by the National Sharpshooters who contested, were of Stevens make.



SADDLEBACK MOUNTAIN FROM DEAD RIVER POND, RANGELEY, ME.

there ought to be a law to protect fawn and doe deer.

Now if such a law is made, how many doe deer will be killed in mistake for buck and left in the woods to become food for wild animals or to go to waste? If there is a fine for killing a doe or fawn, how many hunters will come out and say, "I killed a doe today by mistake."

A man is not always sure he is shooting at a buck when he shoots at a deer running through the bushes,

with him who has or has not made a study of the case, from the bull-pout "fisherman" who sits while the fish is down in the mud asleep, to the "angler" who is busy with mind and action, and the more he studies and acts the greater his success, and especially his pleasure.

It seems an opportune time now for every good sportsman to shout good and long for one hook in trolling, and two fly hooks for casting. To add to this sentiment I advocate the

Canadian camp will be held at Hotel Astor, New York, March 6, at 7 P. M.

Following are the officers of the club: President, G. Lenox Curtis, M. D., New York; vice presidents, Henry Van Dyke, D. D. Princeton; Lieut. Gen. Nelson A. Miles, Washington; Hon. Theodore Roosevelt, Oyster Bay; secretary, Chas. G. D. Roberts, New York; assistant secretary, C. C. Chatfield, 27 East 44th St., New York.

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Maine Sportsman List.

Maine Sportsman, a monthly Outing magazine published at Bangor, has been merged with Maine Woods and all who had paid for Maine Sportsman in advance will receive Maine Woods weekly for an equal length of time. All subscribers to Maine Sportsman who order it will receive Maine Woods (outing edition) at \$1.00 a year.

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Maine Woods has purchased the subscription list and good will of the Sportsman's Guide of North America, published at Orono, Maine. All subscribers who had paid in advance for the Sportsman's Guide will receive Maine Woods weekly to the end of their subscriptions. Those who are in arrears are requested to renew by subscribing for Maine Woods. All letters will have prompt attention. J. W. Brackett Co., Phillips, Maine, June 24, 1910.

Thursday, February 16, 1911.

BASKET BALL.

On Friday evening, Feb. 3, the P. A. A. Basket ball team was defeated by the Kent's Hill team at the former's gymnasium in Phillips. The game was fast in the first half, but quite tame during the second 20-minute period. The Kent's Hill boys put up a good game, though quite rough. Following is the lineup and summary:

P. A. A.	Kent's Hill
Trecartin, rf.,	lb., Harcourt
Hennings, lf.,	rb., Weaver
Parker, c.,	c., Trundy
Sweetser, rb.,	lf., Richards
Ladd, lb.,	rf., Pray
	ib., Weaver

Score: Kent's Hill, 27; P. A. A., 14. Goals from floor: Pray, 3; Richards, 3; Weaver, 3; Trundy, 2; Parker, 2; Trecartin Hennings. Goals from fouls, Pray, 5; Trecartin, 4; Hennings, 2. Time, 20-minute periods. Referee, Preble. Umpire, Brackett.

COMING EVENTS.

Feb. 17, 18, 19, Maine State Y. M. C. A. at Lewiston.

Feb. 21, Probate court at Farmington.

Feb. 21, Governor's ball, Augusta.

Feb. 24, State Teacher's Examinations at Madison, Auburn, Augusta, Bangor, Biddeford, Houlton, Machias, Portland.

Feb. 25, Ladies Day at North Franklin Grange, Phillips, 10 A. M.

March 4, Children's Day at North Franklin Grange, Phillips, 10 A. M.

Lodges and Societies.

Mt. Saddleback Lodge, I. O. O. F., Tuesday of every week.

Feb. 15, Blue Mt. Lodge, F. & A. M.

Ladies' Social Union first and third Tuesday of every month.

King's Daughters, first and third Friday of every month.

Hope Rebekah lodge, I. O. O. F., second and fourth Friday of every month.

night was well patronized notwithstanding K. of P., first and third Thursday of every month.

Mt. Abram lodge, No. 65, meet at Wilbur hall the second Monday evening of each month.

PHILLIPS AND VICINITY.

The regular meeting of Mt. Abram lodge, No. 65, A. O. U. W., took place Monday night at Wilbur hall, routine business being transacted, with a fair attendance.

PHILLIPS AND VICINITY.

Benjamin Kennedy was in Lewiston this week.

On the afternoon of Feb. 11 a regular meeting of North Franklin Grange was held with Worthy Master Worthley in the chair. There was a large attendance. The first and second degrees were conferred. Saturday, Feb. 25, will be ladies day when the sisters will have full

the final contest, and their efforts are being much appreciated by the faculty.

Mr. Daniel Field, Mrs. Oscar Hershey and Mr. DeBerma Ross have been chosen as judges for the preliminaries.

The following is the program for Friday, P. M., Feb. 17:

Preliminary Speaking Contest.

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PHILLIPS BOY IN SHOOTING AFFAIR.

Lewis A. Phillips, who was shot Saturday night by Ernest H. Swain, it is alleged, at Swain's farmhouse near the Wilton line, has been taken to the Central Maine General hospital at Lewiston. When last reports from him were rather favorable.

One bullet that struck his chin and ranged down into the throat, was removed by the attending surgeons. It broke the bone of the lower jaw and lodged near the larynx. Another bullet struck the left breast about one inch over the heart and is still embedded in the left lung. He received two other wounds, but they are not considered dangerous.

Phillips is the son of the late Chas. Phillips of Avon. Report has it that Phillips went to the Swain farm for the express purpose of making trouble as he was jealous of Swain, who was paying attention to the young lady, whom they both admired.

Swain alleges that he made insulting remarks about her. Words came to blows and finally being cornered, Swain alleges he used the revolver in self defence.

Swain has always borne a good reputation and is the adopted son of Mr. and Mrs. John P. Swain, at whose home the affair occurred.

They have two children, Mrs. Allen E. Phillips, who lives in that section of the town and Merton Swain, a travelling salesman who resides in Farmington village.

County Attorney Cyrus N. Blanchard was at the scene of the shooting to collect such evidence as will be needed by the state in presenting the case in court. He was accompanied by a stenographer and took from Phillips a statement of the conflict.

Swain is still held in the county jail, without bail, awaiting the outcome of Phillips' wounds.

Phillips was accompanied to the hospital by Dr. John W. Nichols, the nurse and his sister, Mrs. Benj. H. Ramsdell.

HIGH SCHOOL NOTES.

These are busy days at the High school building. The mid-term examinations are now over, and the attention is being turned to some extent, to the work preparatory to the Interscholastic Prize Speaking Contest to be held in Lambert hall on the evening of Feb. 24. The High schools of Kingfield, Phillips, Rangeley and Strong will be represented in this contest.

The preliminary contest will be held in the High school room during the afternoon of Feb. 17. It was thought best not to hold the preliminaries before this date, for the reason that several of the contestants, on account of illness, were retarded, to some extent, in development of the work.

It is not at all certain just who will represent the school in the final contest. Much talent heretofore hidden from view, has been brought to light, and the people of Phillips may feel sure that the High school of this town will be strongly represented on the night of Feb. 24.

The contestants are showing much interest in the work preparatory to

Meeting of the Philomean, Debating Society of Friday Feb. 10.

The program:

Report of secretary, read and accepted.

Current Events, School

Essay, "The Life of the First President," Howard Ross

Recitation, George Morton

Essay, "The Development of the Aeroplane Industry," Howard True

Recitation, Pearl Smith

Debate: Resolved that Canada should have free trade with the United States. Affirmative, Ina Badger, Reno

Badger; negative, Algie Pratt, Helen

Hilton.

BIRTHS.

Wilton, Feb. 12, to Mr. and Mrs.

B. J. Cox, a son (9½ lbs.)

Strong, Feb. 12, to Mr. and Mrs.

Myron Witherall, a daughter.

Dryden, Feb. 12, to Mr. and Mrs.

Ephraim A. Ranger, a daughter, (Verna Ada; 7½ lbs.)

Newton Highlands, Jan. 31, to Mr.

and Mrs. John Allen Sweet, jr., a son. (John Allen Sweet, 3d.)

Phillips, Feb. 10, to Mr. and Mrs.

U. S. Jacobs, a son.

Industry, Feb. 13, to Mr. and Mrs.

Samford Spencer, a daughter. (9lbs.)

MARRIAGES.

Lovell, Feb. 2, Leonard Fremont Timberlake and Miss Jessie A. Chapman.

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One of the newboys stood beside the dog and when its master was not looking reached down and gave its tail a sharp pull. With a yelp of pain the dog turned quickly and jumped for its tormentor, but missed him by several inches.

The fact that the dog did not bite him was no obstacle to the boy, who grabbed his left arm with his right hand and began to scream furiously. "It bit me; it bit me. Take me to a hospital."

The owner of the dog became alarmed and ran to the boy. "Here, son," he said, "take this five dollar bill and keep quiet. It'll be all right," and he hurried away.

"Easy money," said the newsboy as he joined his companions.—Philadelphia Times.

Bloodshed Averted.

Opie Read, the novelist, once told of his experiences as a journalist in Kentucky many years ago.

"There was a good deal of news," he said, "such as shootings and knifings, but this news was not regarded as important, and little attention was paid to it. I remember once, when a local feud broke out afresh, when members of the opposing sides met at the county seat. There were hot words, a blow was struck, and weapons were drawn, when the sheriff interfered. He loudly announced that he would not tolerate any violence, ordered the parties to separate, and when his orders were not obeyed he began shooting. I forget whether he killed eight or nine, but I know that in describing the incident in my paper I commended the sheriff for his prompt action and bravery and added the paragraph, 'There is no doubt but for the prompt action of the sheriff there would have been bloodshed.'"

Brains For Diet.

There is a latent truth in the primitive Maori belief that by eating the brains of his enemies a warrior acquired their skill and cunning.

It was a custom among these savages, whose descendants I have seen and admired in Hawaii and New Zealand, to hold a brain feast after a successful battle. The conquering chief always reserved for his own portion the gray matter of the opposing leader. Observe how the practice works out in modern life. We do not actually eat our rivals' brains, but if we are wise we will try to absorb what those brains contain. The man who makes a big success is the man who makes the best use of his enemies, studies their moves, learns their method, knows what thought processes they are apt to follow. Down here in the street I guess we're more or less akin to the Maoris, anyway.—New York Herald.

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LEGISLATIVE NOTICES.

The Committee on Inland Fisheries and Game will give a public hearing in its room (State Museum) in Augusta,

On Thursday, Feb. 23, at 2 P. M.

No. 59, On an act to repeal chapter 398 of the Private and Special Laws of 1909, relating to fishing in Royal's river.

No. 74, An Act to permit ice fishing for pickerel in Upper, Lower and Middle Range ponds, and in Tripp pond, in Androscoggin county.

No. 35 on Petition of W. L. Hodgkins and 18 others, residents of Lambert Lake Plantation, in Washington county, asking that Lambert lake in said county, be closed to all ice fishing for a term of years also remonstrance of James Clarry and 71 others against the closing of said pond to ice fishing.

No. 63, An act relating to non-resident hunting licenses.

No. 64, An act to regulate the number of birds which may be taken by one person in any one day during open season.

No. 72, An act relating to fishing in Abbott pond, in the town of Sumner, county of Oxford.

No. 73, On petition of Nathan Reynolds and 50 others, residents of Canton and Hartford, Oxford county, asking that ice fishing be permitted in Lake Anasagunitcook in Canton and Hartford, during the months of January and February and that the number of lines to be used be limited to 5 to each man.

No. 76, Petition of Harry Farnham and 42 others, residents of Sagadahoc county, asking that the duck law on Sagadahoc county be amended so that it shall be lawful to hunt ducks in said county from March 15 to April 15 in addition to the open season now provided by law.

No. 77, An Act relating to the payment of damage to growing crops by deer.

No. 81, An Act to amend section 8 of chapter 90 of the public laws of 1909 relating to ice fishing in the waters in the town of Chesterville, Franklin county.

No. 82, An Act to repeal chapter 326 of the P. and S. laws of 1909, relating to fishing in Webb's river and its tributaries in the town of Carthage, in Franklin county, with petition of D. W. Berry and 9 others, residents of Carthage, asking for same.

No. 83, An Act to regulate fishing in Fenderson brook and tributaries, in Parsonsfield.

No. 87, An Act to prohibit the use of bag nets, so-called, in the North Branch also in the South Branch, of the Penobscot river in the towns of Prospect and Frankfort, Waldo county, except while fishing through the ice.

No. 58, An Act to open season in Cumberland county to hunt, chase, catch and kill black duck in the month of January of each year.

No. 88, An Act to regulate fishing in Sandy Point Meadow brook and Kneeland brook, in the town of Stockton, also in Ellis stream, in Prospect, also in the tributaries of said Ellis stream, also in Carley brook, in Prospect, all in the county of Waldo.

No. 93, An Act to regulate ice fishing in Fitts pond, sometimes called Clifton, Penobscot county, also petition of W. W. Byther and others asking for same.

No. 86, An Act to prohibit the catching and taking of eels in St. Georges river, in Warren, except by hook and line or with spears.

No. 101, An Act to protect eider ducks; also to amend section 6 of chapter 32 of the revised statutes relating to game birds; to amend section 12 of chapter 132 of the laws of 1905 relating to wild birds and to repeal section 5 of chapter 90 of the laws of 1909 relating to loons.

On Wednesday, March 1, at 2 P. M.

No. 89, An Act to prohibit bait casting for black bass in Lake Cobbosseecontee, Kennebec county.

No. 69, An Act to regulate ice fishing in Lake Cobbosseecontee and Lake Maranocook, in Kennebec county, also petition of D. L. Diplock and 221 others for open season on ice fishing one day in each week in Lake Cobbosseecontee.

No. 65, An Act to amend chapter 213 of the P. and S. Laws of 1909, relating to fishing in Belgrade stream in Kennebec county.

No. 31, on an Act to extend the open season on landlocked salmon, trout and togue in Great pond and in Long pond, in Kennebec county.

No. 20, on Petition of John A. Buckley and 124 others, for an open time for ice fishing on Snow pond, one of the Belgrade Chain of Lakes, in Kennebec county.

No. 45, on Petitions of P. H. Williams, John C. Taylor 223 others, residents of Kennebec county, asking that East, North, Great Long, Snow McGraw and Ellis ponds be opened for ice fishing one day in each week.

No. 100, An Act to amend section 41 of chapter 32 of the revised statutes, relating to fishways.

No. 99, On petition of K. W. French and 99 others for the repeal of an act prohibiting ice fishing in Brewer pond.

No. 98, An Act to limit the number of fish which may be taken in

one day in certain tributaries to Willson lake, which lake is situated in Wilton, also in Alder brook, a tributary to Weld pond, which pond is situated in Weld, down as far as Hildreth's Mill Dam, so-called, all in Franklin county.

No. 62, An Act to regulate the taking of muskrats in Lake Sebasticook, Penobscot county and in the tributaries to said lake in the town of Newport, also in the outlet stream of said Lake Sebasticook known as the East Branch of the Sebasticook river.

No. 111. An Act to regulate the hunting of mink, sable, fisher, lynx, otter, fox, skunk and raccoon.

No. 95, An Act to regulate fishing in Lake Sebasticook, in the town of Newport, Penobscot county.

No. 67, An Act to prohibit the use of automatic and repeating shotguns in hunting birds or animals.

No. 91, Resolve in favor of a fish hatchery at Tunk pond.

No. 79, Petitions of B. B. Leach and F. C. Atwood and 85 others asking that a law be enacted prohibiting

the shipping of wild hares or rabbits outside of the State of Maine.

No. 80. Petition of Geo. C. Jones and 27 others to regulate the fishing in Sandy stream, Mosquito Bog and Moxie pond in Somerset county.

No. 96, An Act relating to the trapping of beaver and muskrat.

No. 91. Resolve in favor of a fish hatchery at Tunk Pond.

No. 105. Petition of John Jones and 52 other citizens of Ripley and St. Albans asking permission to fish on Frost Brook and Bragg brook, so-called.

No. 102. An Act to prohibit the use of a gang hook, so-called, or a spinner or other artificial bait containing more than one hook.

No. 108 An Act to amend section 22 of chapter 32 of the revised statutes relating to non-resident hunting licenses.

No. 112, An Act to legalize game farming and fish farming in the state of Maine.

No. 106. An Act to amend Section 17 of Chapter 222 of the Public Laws of 1909, relating to use of dogs, jacklights, snares or traps, in hunting deer, moose or caribou.

No. 111, An Act to regulate the hunting of mink, sable, fisher, lynx, otter fox and raccoon.

Seth F. Clark, Sec.

COMMITTEE ON LEGAL AFFAIRS.

Tuesday, March 7, 1911.

Committee on Towns.

No. 59, Act to incorporate Phillips Electric Light and Power Company.

The Committee on Towns will give public hearings in Room 21 at the State House as follows:

Tuesday, February 21, 1911, 2 o'clock P. M., on An Act to incorporate the town of Eagle Lake.

Tuesday, February 21, 1911, at 3 o'clock P. M., on An Act to set off a part of the town of Rangeley and incorporate it as Oquossoc Plantation.

Arthur Wilkins, Secy.

COMMITTEE ON JUDICIARY.

The Committee on Judiciary will give a public hearing in its room at the State House in Augusta,

Feb. 16th at 2 P. M.

139, On an act to amend certain acts relating to the Phillips Village Corporation.

March 2, at 2 P. M.

177, On an act to extend chapter 263 Private and Special Laws of 1909 relating to the Barrows Falls Light and Power Co.

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INTERIOR WATERS.

The committee on Interior waters will give a public hearing in its room at the State House in Augusta, on Friday, Feb. 24 at 2 P. M. on No. 20 An Act to incorporate the Kennebec Dam and Reservoir Co.

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Regarding Fish and Game Laws.

Rumford, Me., Jan. 31, 1911.
To the Editor of Maine Woods:

I want to express my opinions in regard to game and game laws, although I am no writer and my ideas may be no good.

In regard to the partridge, five or six a day seems enough for anyone. Much more than one could get in this part of Oxford county and a limit of 20 or 25 in a season.

In regard to gang hooks, I prefer fishing with single hook, flies or leader excepted, unless for bass. Some seem to like the wooden minnows. Though I have never used them.

As for deer in this part of the state they have never been so numerous before. I am not favoring any change in regard to deer laws. I would favor most anything though rather than have them exterminated. I would be willing to pay a license rather than lose them. But how would you work it? Every man or boy that ever wanted to go out with a gun pay a license or would you shut the boys out? Some say keep out the kid hunters and trappers and there will be lots of game and no unprime furs. Now I am against anything that would rob the boy of his rights. We are in hopes to preserve the game and woods for one more generation and will want guides and woodsmen then.

No one feels more pleasure in getting his game than a boy. I know a gang of boys out with guns are apt to shoot some game they ought not to, but the parents should teach them to respect law and be held responsible. Some poor boys would have to break the law or be deprived of the privilege a wealthier neighbor enjoyed.

I am very much interested in the trapping question. I am in favor of not killing fur bearers before Nov. 1. I know it would be a set back to those that begin the 15th of Sept. to Oct. 1, but in a year or two there would be enough more game and the better prices they would get for prime furs would more than make it up if they would look at it in the right way.

The fox, coon and skunk are not protected, but I think they do farmers more good than hurt. I know the foxes kill a good many partridge and rabbit, besides poultry. Skunks and coons like poultry and corn, but they all kill mice, grasshoppers and white worms and when those are plenty they seldom trouble poultry. When one was doing actual damage would kill him if I could but would not make it an excuse to kill one I found killing worms or grasshoppers a mile or two away.

Now if trappers would let the fur bearers alone until Oct. 15, it would make a big difference in the values of fur caught, and the amount of poor fur on the Maine market.

Now I know trappers, men, not boys, setting a bad example for boys and making them uneasy and in a hurry to get their traps set, who had a nice bunch of fox, skunk and coon before Oct. 1, but they were not protected and those trappers say "If I did not get them some one else would." If they found where a mink was running probably set a trap for him and not show him until Oct. 15. The most of the trappers don't seem to realize that the prices they get for "scabs" are taken out of the price of the good furs.

W. F. Clark.

An exchange says: "Some of the metropolitan papers are seriously discussing the question whether the English sparrow is going. They really think they see signs of the decline and fall of the varmint. Few such signs are visible up this way, however. The sparrow is indeed going—he is on the go about all the time going after offal and scattered grains and seeds in the streets, going for other birds and making life miserable for them, going in for a noisy, busy, quarrelsome life. As to the fancied decline of the species, there

is no hope of that. The sparrow is too tough. It is a fine exemplification of the law of the survival of the fittest."

Great Rifle Shooting.

Well may the members of the Bangor Maine Rifle association be proud of the individual scores and the total five-man team scored made by the association this week in its regular weekly N. R. A. match. The team was shooting against New York city, the Mahattan Rifle club and the members who shot fully realized that a good score was necessary. They chalked up a good one all right, the total being 378. The individual scores were: W. A. McDonald, 200; D. I. Gould, 196; I. E. Doane, 195; Dr. L. S. Chilcott, 194; and Leigh I. Harvey 193. The conditions of this match were as usual, 20 shots at 75 feet, prone. It is only about once in a lifetime that such a score in a match is made as this which was put up by Mr. McDonald. His score of 200 means that he secured four straight possible targets and it means that up to this week he is high man for individual string, of all who have participated in the eastern division N. R. A. matches.

Besides the five men who made the team the following left the matinee with excellent scores: W. L. Miller, 190; C. A. Ramsdell, 190; M. E. Jewell, 190; and E. M. Sylvester, 184, the four having a total of 754. Next week's match will be with Pittsburg, Pa., and it is hoped that the Bangor team may be able to keep up this kind of work.

Protect Our Game.

Melrose, Mass. Feb. 5, 1911.

To the Editor

I have been following with interest the many and various opinions as expressed in regard to how many partridge one person should be allowed to kill in one day, and I am pleased to notice that the majority are in favor of five birds a day, which is sufficient for any true sportsman, and I hope to see a law passed in the near future to this effect. At our camps on Jim Pond near Eustis last fall from the beginning of the open season on partridge to Oct. 15, one could go out and in a day get from six to fifteen birds, with a shotgun and they were being shot continually on the trail to Dead River, 1 1/4 miles from camp, and most any evening or in early morning you could get one or two in 20 minutes away from camp.

Now perhaps some may ask me why, if partridges are as plentiful as that at your camp do you favor a law cutting the number a day per person from fifteen to five. My answer will be, I consider it as being for the best interests of the state of Maine and for those people who spend their vacations in Maine, the camp owners, guides and private citizens. To allow fifteen birds a day per person is simply killing the goose that lays the golden egg.

I have lived in Maine and hunted there all my life and have watched this great game bird gradually diminish in number and think something ought to be done to check it.

I can remember when going to school about ten years ago, of an evening I would take my shotgun and go out for a couple of hours, around the edges of fields near Flagstaff village, and get from one to three or four birds every trip, but now you cannot find them there except in rare instances, and it is the same in the rest of the Dead River region.

I think those who come to Maine hunting will agree with me in this matter, for the reason that it is as much to their interest to preserve our game as it is to the people of Maine, for once the game is gone, the sport is gone, and I say let us protect it while we have it to protect.

As to the gang hook, no general law can be passed that would be satisfactory. Each pond needs a special law regulating the fishing, which the most of them already have.

Percy C. Taylor.

The shores of Rangeley lake resound with the blow of the hammer and the sweep of the saw. Motor boat enthusiasts are figuring problem of racy keels and engine weights. Speed is the object for the coming season and some fast boats are promised by the old-timers. Pretty contests will be one of this year's greatest attractions for sportsmen at the big lake.—Kennebec Journal.

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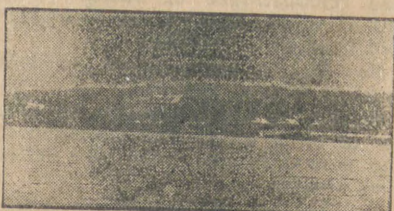
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Watch the chickadee, for instance, at his snow shower-bath in the garden. As you sit in a warm place and look out at him, sticking in some maraculous fashion to the uttermost tip of the slenderest twig he can find you would think that one blast of the bitter, snow-laden wind would consume his body like a fire leaving nothing but a shriveled heap of gray ashes down under the fence. Yet his air, as he seems to regard you in your warm shelter, is as that of a selfpossessed citizen in a fur coat looking out upon suffering humanity and wondering why on earth they don't make themselves comfortable. "What a way to live!" he might be

saying. "No wonder you dread the winter in this exposed situation. Did you build all these walls and sharp corners on purpose to provide places for the wind to howl round? Very well; I trust you like the result you've been at so much pains to secure!" And off he goes with a derisive flint of his strong little wings.

You see he is thinking of some still place in the woods where the wind can't come unless it agrees to behave itself and leave off all its ranting and roaring city ways. There the noiseless snowflakes are building a roof without sound of axe or hammer like the temple of Scripture; a roof of thick muffling white piled, crystal by crystal, upon the spreading boughs of fir or hemlock and covering in a thousand fairy chambers for the small folk of the wood.

Of course the owner of such an establishment as that is not going to be dismayed at the mere blustering of the wind in the world's unsheltered spots.

HAPPENINGS AT AUGUSTA.

SENATE.

February 9.

Bill, An Act relating to the pay of fish wardens, came from the house, by that branch referred to the committee on shore fisheries. Tabled on motion by Mr. Kellogg of Penobscot.

House Bills in the First Reading.

An Act to amend Chapter 407 of the Private and Special Laws of 1903, as amended, relating to fishing in Gull pond, in Dallas Plantation, in the county of Franklin.

An Act to amend Chapter 291 of the Private and Special Laws of 1909, relating to fishing in Indian River stream in Washington county.

An Act to regulate fishing in Little Lobster lake, so called, in the county of Piscataquis.

Inland Fisheries and Game.

By Mr. Chandler of Washington—Petition of Harry Brown and 56 others in the town of Addison that a law be passed to prevent sawdust and other refuse being allowed to run into the waters of Pleasant river.

Orders of the Day.

On motion by Mr. Milliken of Aroostook, bill An Act to incorporate the Maine Power Company, was recalled from the committee on judiciary and on further motion by the same senator, the bill was tabled for printing.

HOUSE.

Judiciary.

By Mr. Greenwood of Farmington—An Act to provide adequate punishment for any person who shall engage or act in the capacity of a locomotive engineer or a train conductor upon any railroad in the state of Maine.

By Mr. Greenwood of Farmington—An Act to amend Section 69 of Chapter 8 of the Revised Statutes as amended by Chapter 186 of the Laws of 1909 relating to the taxation of collateral inheritance.

Inland Fisheries and Game.

By Mr. Hastings of Auburn—Remonstrance of W. P. Atwood and 63 others against changing the law about fishing in Taylor Pond in Auburn.

Also, Remonstrance of J. R. True and 90 others against same;

By Mr. Russell of North Berwick—Remonstrance of E. P. Spinney and 159 others against the repeal of the law on the tributary of Bonney Beg Pond, in North Berwick and Sanford;

By Mr. Sleeper of South Berwick—An Act to regulate the hunting of mink, sable, fisher, lynx, otter, fox and raccoon;

By Mr. Morse of Waterford—Remonstrance of C. L. Bartlett and 38 others of Stoneham against restriction on ice fishing in Upper Stone Pond in Stoneham;

By Mr. Ames of Norridgewock—An Act to legalize game farming and fish farming in the State of Maine.

By Mr. Bisbee of Rumford—Remonstrance of Oliver Pettengill and 39 others of Rumford against change in date of open time on trout and salmon in Rangeley chain of lakes.

Reports of Committees.

Mr. Wilkins from the committee on towns reported "ought to pass" on Bill, An Act to incorporate the town of Stockholm, Aroostook county.

Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs.

Mr. Shea from same committee reported "ought to pass" on resolve for the introduction of the Hungarian Partridge in the state of Maine.

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was a social dance afterwards, Music by W. E. Whitney and Leona Perry.

Mr. Carroll Whitney of Phillips was in town last week.

Dr. Blanchard of Phillips was in town one day last week to attend Mrs. J. K. Layton.

Miss Florence M. Gorman, the assistant teacher here, has returned to her home in Greene, Me., after closing an eight weeks term of school.

Mr. Frank Lovejoy had the misfortune to slip and fall through a feed scuttle in to the horses crib while doing chores for Fred Soul one day recently. No bones were broken.

Fred Soul attended the court at Farmington last week, as did also Mr. John Ellsworth and Ed Berry.

Messrs. C. W. Norton and his tuner, Mr. H. M. Kneeland, of Farmington, were guests at N. P. Harris's Wednesday and Thursday.

Miss Gladys Adley and brother, Frank, were in Phillips Saturday.

Mrs. Olive Harris has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. H. R. Rideout, a few days recently. Her daughter, Ina, did the work while Mrs. Harris was absent.

Miss Katie Lovell has finished work in the mill. Mr. Harry Dunham takes her place.

James Boardman took W. S. Dodge's place in the mill while Mr. Dodge attended court at Farmington last week.

Mrs. W. W. Laite is much improved in health. Miss Tressie Carroll is working for her through vacation of the school.

Charles Lewis of Strong was in town Saturday.

Percy Lovejoy is hauling boards for Goding, Starrett and Goodspeed to the Salem station.

George M. Goding of Dryden was in town recently looking after his lumbering operations.

W. S. Heath recently sold and delivered a nice veal calf to Phillips parties.

A sheep belonging to George Willis dropped a nice lamb Feb. 6. The first one in Salem this season.

Rev. W. W. Laite took for his text Sunday, Feb. 12, 1911, Phil. i, 5. Subject Commencement and Progress in the Christian Life.

FLAGSTAFF.

Feb. 14, 1911.

It has snowed about every day since February came in, and the roads are in hard condition.

The Lincoln Brothers have put another four-horse team on the road hauling squares for Jenkins & Bogert and Rufus Taylor is the teamster.

Clyde Burbank cut his foot quite badly last Friday while working in the woods, for Arthur Rogers. Dr. Brimjoin of Stratton dressed the cut.

There was a sing Thursday evening at the home of Warren Wing.

Mr. William Chatfield is in New Hampshire for three weeks on business for his firm.

One of the heavy work horses owned by W. E. Haines is very sick at Stratton, where they have been at work this winter. He has been over there a part of the past week to help care for it.

Mrs. Zoie Peabody is quite ill and is confined to her room, with heart trouble.

Mr. J. E. Burbank is on the sick-list the past week.

Miss Gladys Parsons is working for Mrs. Hattie Ricker.

The King's Daughters met with Mr. W. Chatfield last Thursday to sew a quilt, which they will sell, Feb. 18th, to get money to pay for the pews which they have placed in the church. Stated communication of Mt. Bigelow lodge, masons, Saturday evening, Feb. 21.

Mr. Frank Demmin has gone to Stratton to act as night watchman in the novelty mill.

Mrs. Mary Demmin has gone to Eu-

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ties to do housework for Mrs. James Rachelder.

The scholars gave a Coffee party in Sawyer hall, Saturday evening, Feb. 4th, and all enjoyed a fine time.

Mr. P. M. Taylor is going to drive a team for Seargent & Wyman.

Miss Nellie Knapp has returned home from the Iron bridge at Kingfield, where she has been at work for the past few months.

STRONG.

Feb. 13.

Mr. C. B. Richardson who has been sick with the grip for about three weeks has recovered and was able to go out to his store last Thursday.

Gladys, Donald and Claudia Johnson who have been sick with the whooping cough are very much better.

Mr. E. W. Loring's children have been sick with whooping-cough since Christmas. The three oldest children are able to attend school.

Mrs. C. W. Bell was in Farmington Tuesday.

Miss Edna Gilman came home from Auburn recently, where she has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Chas. Prescott.

Mrs. Fred Ward of Wilton is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Weston P. Holman.

Kenneth Brackley, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. Earle Brackley, has been very sick with typhoid fever, but is better at this writing.

The Rebecca lodge of New Portland presented the drama, "A Noble Outcast," at Union hall, New Vineyard, last Friday night. There was a dia after the drama. Dyer's orchestra of Strong furnished music.

Cleopatra Temple, Pythian Sisters, went to Farmington Thursday evening to visit their sister lodge.

Mr. and Mrs. Quibby are sick with the grip.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Eustis of Free-man, who have sold their farm to Mr. Roscoe Vining, have gone to Winthrop for a visit.

Mrs. Mary Horn was very sick last Wednesday, but is gaining.

Friends in Strong have received notice of the death of Rebecca Languet, wife of Frank Keen, formerly of this place and Bigelow, in Fairfield, Feb. 3d, 1911.

There was a very good attendance at the Methodist church, Sunday. Rev. Weston P. Holman preached a very excellent sermon, the subject was, "A Startling Question" text Hebrews 2 ch. 3. "How shall we escape if we neglect so great salvation."

Miss Edith Morton of Phillips who is attending the Farmington Normal school was the guest of Mrs. W. P. Holman, recently.

There is a specially prepared Temperance program to be given at the Methodist Sunday school next Sunday.

Miss Freda Mitchell who is teaching at South Strong, was at home Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. Bert Welch of Phillips visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Welch, Sunday.

Mrs. W. I. Smith and daughter, Alice, went to New Portland today, to visit relatives and friends.

WINSHIP DISTRICT, PHILLIPS.

Mrs. Anthony White, who has been working for Mrs. Will Cushman of Weld, has returned home. She is now working for Mrs. Indice Hamden.

Mrs. Abbie Newman has been suffering with a form of pink-eye for the last six weeks, having been confined to a darkened room most of the time. She is now able to get around the house some, by wearing colored glasses.

Mr. C. H. Noyes was in Weld, Sunday.

Mrs. Freeman Fairbanks has been on the sick-list this week.

The horse belonging to Mrs. T. L. Wood was killed last week, as it was both old and sick. It was thought best to put it out of its misery. This is a big loss to Mrs. Wood, as she has no other horse and has to depend on her neighbors to haul her supplies until she can get another.

EAST MADRID.

Feb. 13.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Mitchell of Tory Hill were guests of Mr. and Mrs.

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Fred Tozier last Friday.

Mrs. Edgar Welch is in poor health. Dr. Currie attends her.

W. F. Sweetzer who has been working in the woods at Salem finished work and is at home.

G. L. Savage shot a fox recently. Alonzo Huntington of Madrid was in town recently selling fresh fish.

EUSTIS.

Feb. 13, 1911.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Berry and son have returned home.

Mrs. Harry Secord is in very poor health and has one to Dr. Bell's at Strong for treatment.

James Potter, who has been quite ill recently, is improving.

William Arnold is cooking at the Sargent.

Harold Viles of New Portland is in town.

EAST NORTH FARMINGTON

Feb. 13.

The many friends of Mrs. George Bean will regret to learn of her death which occurred at her home in this place early last week after an illness of only one week.

Mrs. Henry Reed who has been ill the past week is improving. She has a trained nurse in attendance.

Miss Freda Collins has finished her work at George Bean's.

Miss Grace Fulsom was at George Bean's during the illness of Mrs. Bean.

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AMONG THE CHURCHES.

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Calendar for week ending, Feb. 25.
Sunday, Feb. 19. 10.45, Morning
Worship, sermon "The Strongest Fort
in the World." 11.45 Sabbath school
7.30, People's service. Music by
Choral club. Address "Receding
Boundaries."

Thursday, Feb. 23, 7.30 P. M.,
mid week prayer meeting.

All are invited to attend these services.

At the Union church Sunday morning
Rev. Mr. Hutchins' sermon was
upon "Lincoln's Land." Psa. 137: 5

Speedy Relief From Kidney Trouble.
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neys and bladder, and dizziness," says
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mation, took away the pain and made
the bladder action normal. I wish ev-
eryone could know of this wonderful
remedy." W. A. D. Cragin.

and 6 was taken for the text, as
for two preceding patriotic ser-
mons.

In sermons which speak much of
one's love for one's country many
pleas are heard for meeting one's va-
rious duties in a way to prove loyal-
ty to the land and principles which
are the foundation of its greatness;
pleas for good citizenship, recognizing
and upholding the laws of the land;
pleas for fulfilling duties to one's self
contributing to the development
of good citizens; pleas for the
thoughtful considerations of great
questions that concern the welfare of
the entire nation.

While this pleading for the future
is good it is well also, to remember
the past and thus learn the cost of
the present. The Hebrews as a na-
tion wished to keep before themselves
and their children the memory of
the past. This was why Joshua com-
manded that a memorial be made of
stones brought out of Jordan where i
waters were stayed for the passing
of the people. This is why their na-
tional feasts have a commingling of
the political and the religious. Their
God led them, and their feasts com-
memorate that leading, and the steps
of their national progress. While Is-
rael remembered God and his guid-
ance in the past 't was a basis for
good citizenship.

We, this morning, are asked to re-
member the past. Our history thus
recalled will be an incentive to two
things: trust in God and good citizen-
ship. We remember the long strug-
gle of the Renaissance till the Geno-
ese voyager crossed the unknown sea
and led the way to a new land. We
remember the missionary explorers,
Father Marquette and others who
braved the dangers of the wilderness
that they might carry into it the
story of the Cross and the blessings
of civilization. We remember the
Pilgrim fathers, faithful to God,
laying the foundations of the strong
and stalwart New England character.
The Cavaliers of Virginia, from amon
whose descendants have come some
of our greatest legislators; the patri-
ots of the Revolution, brave and
resolute, and of Washington in that
dreadful winter at Valley Forge,
when his men walked with bleeding
feet over the snow, and among his
own officers a cabal was formed with
intent to defeat his efforts. We
love to think of Washington, as we
know he often was in that dreadful
time, upon his knees before the God
of his fathers. We think, too, of
those who followed him, of Franklin,
Jefferson, Adams and many others up
on whose loyalty and statesmanship
were builded our institutions. Re-
membering the past, our country of

today takes a deeper meaning and a
new dignity because we know its
price.

For the next three or four years
there will be celebrated semi-centen-
nials commemorating events in a
great epoch of our history. Com-
pare the present time with the period
of 50 years ago from January 1 to
Feb. 12, 1861. All the questions of
class, of capital of labor, are not
comparable to the great questions ag-
itating the country in those days.
In every school, boys in their teens
were going forth to join those who
should fight the battles of the na-
tion. From every college students
went away never to return. At
the table of many a home father and
mother and sister were gazing at
the loved one who should go away
from them but who should not come
back.

In the South there was a state of
preparedness. All were united in
purpose. In some way all were con-
vinced that upon the perpetuity of
their ancient institution of slavery,
depended their welfare and that it
demanded their withdrawal from the
Union. We see now how foolish
were their thoughts and that these
matters might have been arranged
without the fearful cost which attend-
ed their adjustment and we are re-
minded of the old proverb that whom
the Gods would destroy they first
make mad.

The secession of the southern states
began with South Carolina, and
the action of this state was followed
by Mississippi, Florida, Alabama,
Georgia, Louisiana and Texas. In a
Congress held at Montgomery, Al-
abama, Feb. 4, 1861 was formed the
Confederate states of America, and 50
years ago last Wednesday they elect-
ed for president, Jefferson Davis and
for vice president, Alexander H. Stev-
ens, more able man than Davis, but
who had strongly opposed secession
and favored the slave policy of Doug-
las.

An editorial printed in the Charles-
ton Courier Feb. 12, 1861 said, "The
South after uniting in a new con-
federacy, might treat the demoralized
and disorganized northern states as
insurgents and deny them recogni-
tion. But if peaceful division ensued,
the South, after taking the federal
capitol and archives and being rec-
ognized by all foreign powers as the
government defacto, can if they see
proper, recognize the northern con-
federacy or confederacies and enter
to treaty stipulation with them."

In the North the conditions were
most sad. Many were indifferent,
not believing that war would be at-
tempted, or secession long continued.
Many abolitionists, and this I am
sorry to say, greatly hurt the cause
of the Union, crying, "Let the
South go in peace." Horace Gree-
ley in the Tribune repeatedly advo-
cated such a course. Wendell Phil-
lips said there ought to be a sepa-
rate North and South. A promi-
nent abolitionist said that he would not
lift a little finger to keep the se-
ceding states in the Union. In the
White House at this time was an old
man whose conduct we are apt to
term a hesitating inactivity. This
is not quite right. I love to think
of him as studying the constitution,
anxious to know his duty; wise in
this that he would not leap before
he looked; but foolish in looking too
long. As he read the constitution
he found no vestige of authority for
restraining the action of the seced-
ing states. United States stores
were removed to other places for
the use of the south. The old man,
weary with the weight of years, a-
fraid to act lest Virginia which had
not yet joined the seceding states
should do so, is indeed a pitiable ob-
ject. His trouble was largely a
matter of temperament. He was
able to see the letter but not the
spirit of the law. To certain South-
ern senators he said that he tried to
do right, but had won only enmity.
With the weight of years and the
weight of indecision upon him he
watched catastrophe gathering around
the nation that he loved. The de-
mand for compromise was urgent.
James C. Blaine in "Twenty years
in Congress" says that three western
states were admitted to the Union
with no word of restriction regard-
ing slavery in the constitutions.

"What was the reason for the change
that appeared in the attitude of the
North? Above all was the great Ar-
chitect, who moves upon the spirit
of man, and maketh the wrath of
men to praise God.

But there were four men whom I
will mention whose work at this
time was very great. Charles Sum-
ner, although, later showing a re-
vengeful spirit and seeking to give

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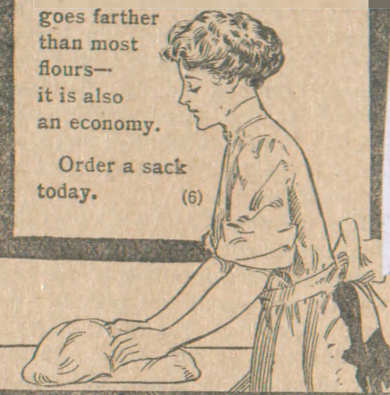
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one with wan and tired face, a face
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freighted with the hope of the free-
dom of the race."

That day was his birthday, his
52d. He knew that he might be
going to meet his death. Yester-
day he had spoken words to the
neighbors whom he was about to
leave, spoken with that look of puz-
zled patience upon his face, spoken
while the country waited, afraid of
what it could scarcely tell. "I shall
take care as the constitution ex-
pressly enjoins upon me, that the
laws of the Union shall be faithful-
ly executed in all the states."

This was his purpose and endeavor
in all the days that followed. All
men with high and determined pur-
pose were urged on by this man of
love, this man of tenderness.

If in these days we rejoice in
the work which this man did, there
must come to us the thought of God's
care as he upheld him who bore the
freight of a nation's hope and of hu-
manity's freedom.

TAYLOR HILL.

Mrs. Mark Gray visited her daugh-
ter, Mrs. F. P. Nutting, one day last
week.

S. D. Fuller called on Mr. Bert Mi-
chell one day last week.

We are very sorry to learn that
Mr. Bert Mitchell has been suffering
with a very bad cold.

John Pillsbury was a caller on the
hill lately.

Mr. and Mfs. S. D. Fuller called on
Mr. and Mrs. Luther Weed last week.
Mrs. Weed is very poorly.

John Stevens has been quite sick
lately but is better.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Ramsdell and son,
Earle, spent Sunday at W. K. Howes.
The friends of Pearley Jackson and

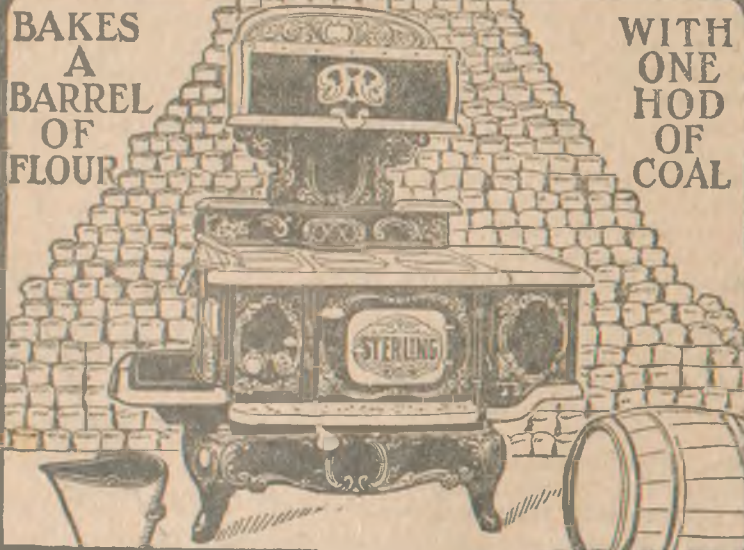
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FARMINGTON.

Feb. 12, 1911.

Mrs. Mittie I. Wade was ill Thursday so that she was unable to hold her class in music that afternoon at the High school.

Fred Raymond of Avon visited Mr. and Mrs. Fred H. Wescott during the first of last week, he being one of the grand jury the present term.

Miss Louise McLeary was out of the F. H. S. three days last week, being ill with a severe cold.

Mrs. Harry J. Bates of Strong was a recent visitor in town.

Invitations have been issued for a dance at the Abbott school Washington's birthday anniversary evening.

Mrs. Clarence Eaton of Fairbanks visited her old friends and neighbors, Mr. and Mrs. George W. Ranger, Pleasant street, Thursday.

Mrs. A. B. Dolbler has been in Strong with her father, Charles B. Conant for a time, he having been severely injured while at work in the woods.

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J. Llewellyn Carville has fully recovered from his attack of pneumonia and has returned to his work as superintendent of the enameling department of the Russell Bros. factory.

Mrs. George H. Backus, Class of '88 F. S. N. S., taught a very successful term of school at Industry and has returned to her home at Fairbanks.

Herbert I. Spinney, who has been at his home here the past three weeks started for Denver, Colorado, Thursday afternoon to resume his work there as representative of the Stanley Automobile company.

Miss Mable B. Fairbanks is with her cousin, Miss Katherine M. Titcomb, Court street, for a time.

Dr. Warren B. Sanborn was in Augusta and Winthrop from Saturday to Monday, on professional business.

Moses B. Bailey, an aged citizen of this town died in Auburn, Thursday, where he had gone for treatment of gangrene of the feet, from which he suffered for some time. He was well known throughout this section for the nice cattle which he raised and on which he had received many premiums at fairs. His wife was killed in an accident several years ago, her horse being frightened by an automobile and throwing her out, killing her instantly. Since that time he has made his home with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stanley, a neighbor, who have faithfully cared for him. Mr. Bailey's age was 84 years. The funeral was held here Saturday. He leaves one nephew.

The D. A. R. ladies invited the 5th and 6th grades of the Village and Model schools to a story hour at their hall Saturday afternoon. A square of cake decorated with a miniature flag was served to each and a pleasant afternoon passed.

A very enjoyable Valentine party was given by the gentlemen of the North church society last Tuesday evening. Cards, and dancing were much enjoyed by a large company.

Mrs. H. H. Allen of Jay was with her aunt, Mrs. Rhoda Powers, a few days recently.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Lawrence of Augusta have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Waldron Marble, West Farmington.

At the 43d annual dinner of the Bowdoin Alumni of Boston held Wednesday evening at the American House, we find the names of George C. Purington, '04 and Perley C. Votter, '09.

Joseph A. Legare, a son of Frank Legare, a former resident of this village where he was employed as a painter for many years, is one of the candidates for the postmastership of the city of Lowell, Mass. Mr. Legare has been the private secretary of Congressman Butler Ames for a number of years. He will be remembered by old schoolmates here.

Mrs. Henry Wellman was a recent visitor at the home of her daughter at Livermore Falls.

Miss Nettie Stackpole, who has been visiting her brother Samuel Stackpole of Court street, for the past three weeks has returned to her home in Winthrop.

Francis B. Thwing of Harvard has an essay in the North American Review of this month on "Arthur Henry Hallam."

Elmer E. Richards, esq., has been appointed a justice of the peace by Gov. Plaisted.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Moody of Lewiston arrived in town on the Sunday train and are visiting her father and brother, M. John Keith and son, Arthur, on Main Street.

The F. H. S. basket ball teams played the Abbotts in the latter's gymnasium Saturday evening, the 1st team winning 43-14. The 2d teams played between halves. The F. H. S. team winning 42-8. A large attendance was there to cheer.

The Opportunity Circle met with Mrs. Frank Gray, Main street, Wednesday afternoon.

John Tolman of Providence, R. I., has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Carville for a few days. With his uncle, John Pillsbury, who returns with him to make a visit, started back Monday morning.

Mrs. Neville Wheeler has sent out announcements of the wedding of her daughter, Ina Delle, class '01, F. H. S., F. S. N. S., '03, which was solemnized Saturday evening, Feb. 11, at 8 o'clock at her home on Broadway by Rev. Maurice Dunbar, pastor of the Baptist church. The groom was Frank Luce, who owns the farm formerly owned by the Colthrens on Titcomb Hill. The bride was dressed in a costume of white lansdowne with lace yoke and silk trimmings. Refreshments of cake and ice cream were served after the ceremony. The presents were numerous and both useful and ornamental. The happy couple drove to their home that evening. Mr. Luce, with his brother, George M. Luce, are the owners of a large herd of fancy cattle which have been shown at all the large fairs and brought home many prizes.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred W. M. Stanley drove to Knowlton's Corner Sunday and visited their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Dana Knowlton.

Prof. Willbert G. Mallett attended the alumni meeting of Bowdoin at Boston last week. He was a member of class of 1891.

Dr. T. W. Brimigion and daughter, Miss Marguerite, of Stratton, were in town one day recently.

Will the electric go through where the steam failed? We hope so.

Quite a number of flags were displayed Monday in memory of Abraham Lincoln.

May Prove Fatal.

When Will Phillips People Learn the Importance of It?

Backache is only a simple thing at first;

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NORTH FARMINGTON.

Feb. 14, 1911.

Quite a lot of sickness and one death, that of Mrs. J. Emmeline Bean, wife of George R. Bean, which occurred on the 6th. Mrs. Bean was about 73 years of age.

Mrs. Emily Reed has been quite ill, also the two children of Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Mosher.

Colds have been prevalent in several families, not severe enough however to necessitate the attendance of a physician.

Mosher and Luce have recently purchased five head of white faced cattle and have their town teams for the state fair practically complete. These gentlemen rank as leaders in the exhibit of fancy, fat cattle and win annually a large per cent of the first prizes and are making money in the business. About \$500 per year is the record of their prize winnings. This section of the town was formerly noted for the fancy steers and oxen but nearly all have taken to dairying in which they find a better per cent of profit than in growing beef.

G. M. Hatch has a pair of yearling steers five and one-half feet in girth that took first prize as best steers at the last Franklin county fair. They were bought when four months old last spring of Dill Bros., of Phillips. These might possibly drift to the State fairs.

WEST FARMINGTON.

Feb. 13, 1911.

The supper at Fred Webster's for the benefit of the Good Will Farm, was a success. The proceeds of the supper was \$6.00.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Sawyer have been quite sick. Mrs. Wood has been taking care of them.

Mrs. Bessie Hardy is better.

Bert Hardy is sick with a cold and a bad cough.

Mrs. Elvanus Russell has sold her farm to Mr. Page, who has moved onto it. He formerly lived on the road to Farmington Falls.

Erland Niles has moved to Stratton. We are sorry to have him leave.

The circle will meet with Mrs. N. E. Ranger in one week from next Tuesday.

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S. W. Bends, of Coal City, Ala., has a justifiable grievance. Two thieves stole his health for twelve years. They were a liver and kidney trouble. Then Dr. King's New Life Pills throttled them. He's well now. Unrivaled for Constipation, Malaria, Headache, Dyspepsia. 25c at W. A. D. Cragin's, Phillips; Charles E. Dyer's, Strong; L. L. Mitchell's, Kingfield; Riddle's Pharmacy, Rangeley.

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THE SAWYER PRINTS.

Farmington, Maine.

DRYDEN.

Feb. 13, 1911.

Among the new victims of the grip epidemic are Clark McKeen, Asa Ranger and Mrs. W. P. Rand.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Leroy Stone of Chesterville were in Dryden Saturday on their way to visit their daughter, Mrs. Lillian Adams at Wilton.

Fred F. Ranger, who has been suffering from the grip, was out doors Saturday for the first time since his illness.

Miss Elsie Swift, who has had the grip, is better.

Mrs. Nellie Farrington is able to be up and around the house.

Dryden friends of Mrs. Ursula Swift Longfellow of Rumford, will be glad to know that she is recovering from her recent illness.

Mrs. Linna Howland is out again after a week's illness.

Wendall Wood and Will Libby are cutting cord wood for Eaton Bros., during their enforced vacation at the mill.

Perley Fish is also cutting wood for them. They have hauled 35 cords to the Grammar schoolhouse.

MILE SQUARE.

Feb. 14, 1911.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Worthley visited her father, W. C. Beal Sunday.

Mr. J. A. Norton and Mr. Dana Sweet were visitors at H. W. Worthley's one day last week.

Mr. M. G. Bubler, who has been working for Chas. Barker, was home over Sunday.

Mr. R. S. Hinds was home from Strong over Sunday.

Mr. S. H. Beal and John Dunham are hauling their birch to the International mill in town.

Mr. George Beal is working for the Wilber Bros., on the Phillips place hauling logs.

Mr. W. T. Hinds has a very promising Percheon colt which he recently purchased of the Dill Bros.

Judge Morrison visited his daughter, Mrs. H. W. Worthley, over Sunday.

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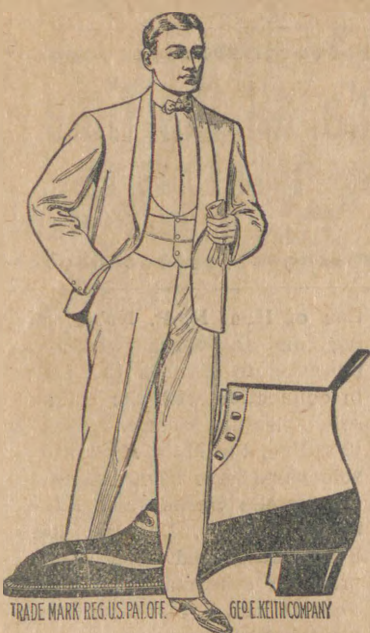
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Is it wise for the average person to keep posted on political affairs?

Perhaps the average man will tell you that his party is governed and controlled in the town, in the state, in the nation, by a few leaders, usually called bosses and that everything is cut and dried long before he has any chance to express himself by voting otherwise.

In the ordinary run of politics the average man has nothing to say about what shall be done, how it shall be done, or who shall do it. He simply votes with his party. After any party has been in power a number of years the bosses get corrupt and bold. And here is the one chance for the average voter, if he is well posted, to do much good and noble work by taking the reins in his own hands and voting for the other party. A good illustration is Maine's last election. The Republican bosses got so extravagant during their long rule that many members of their own party voted against them.

The dominant party—The Democrats—at Augusta, are doing fine work thus far.

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PHILLIPS AND VICINITY.

Mr. Raymond B. Wing and Miss Edith F. Doland were married in Boston on Jan. 23. Mr. Wing is the son of Mr. Benjamin Wing, formerly of Weld.

The Ladies' Social Union will meet on Tuesday, Feb. 21, with Mrs. F. A. Lawton.

Mr. and Mrs. N. B. Carpenter and two children of New Market, N. H., are boarding at Mr. Frank Toothaker's. Mr. Carpenter is foreman of the portable mill situated just below Fred Raymond's in Avon.

We are in receipt of a pretty calendar from Mr. O. M. Moore of Strong advertising Clark's Cove Bay State fertilizers, which are for sale by him at Maplewood, South Strong. The calendar has a pretty water scene with one moose swimming across and one standing on the shore, evidently calling to the other.

The ladies of the Congregational church will serve a supper in Wilbur hall, Saturday night, Feb. 18 from 6 to 8 P. M., followed by a sociable. Menu: Baked beans and brown bread, cold boiled ham, hot rolls, cabbage, apple and celery salad, assorted cake, custard pie, fruit jelly with whipped cream and coffee. All for 25 cents.

John Frazar reports there has not within his knowledge, been so much trouble from the freezing of water-works. Mr. Faza has been digging up pipe for Chas. Howard at Mrs. Julia Lambert's place, George French, George Huff, Mr. Kennedy's near Mr. Whitney's and at Mr. Hersey's new house. Mr. Frazar says he found the frost down 5½ feet in one place.

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February 24-25, 1911.

PHILLIPS AND VICINITY.

Mr. John L. Matthews of Lincoln has been quite ill with a bad cold.

Elmer W. Voter started for Waterville yesterday morning where he represents Mt. Abram lodge, No. 65, A. O. U. W., at the grand lodge sessions today. He will return Friday.

At the morning service in the Union church next Sunday, a special offering will be taken for the Maine Missionary society.

Miss Mildred Reed gave a pleasant valentine party at her home Tuesday evening. Forty guests were present. The house was very prettily decorated with different colored hearts and hanging from the center of one of the rooms was a very large heart with the word "welcome." The evening was spent in playing games and singing. The Boys' Orchestra was in attendance and rendered some very fine selections. The guests departed at a late hour, having spent a delightful evening. Refreshments of assorted candy and peanuts were served during the evening.

Dr. Vaughan, who was for some years engaged in professional work in our state hospitals, has established a private sanitarium for nervous invalids at Portland.

Mrs. Carl E. Cragin is visiting her aunt, Mrs. J. W. Brackett, in Portland.

Get after your friends at once and see if their subscription is paid to Maine Woods. If not take their money and votes and enter your name for the contest.

We have had all kinds of cold weather this week. Monday morning it started in with about 18 below, Tuesday morning creeping to over 20 below and Wednesday morning clapped the climax by dropping to 45 below at Charles Wilbur's; 38 at the railroad station. At 6 o'clock at M. W. Bean's it was 30 below and at 9 o'clock 18. Mr. Andrew Davenport informs us that there was quite a change at his place Wednesday morning in three hours' time. At 7 o'clock it was 24 below and at 10 o'clock it was 46 above.

A special meeting of the Ladies' Social Union, held at Mrs. J. W. Brackett's last Monday evening, was largely attended and several matters of importance attended to. Mrs. Berta Holt was elected president in place of Mrs. F. A. Lawton, who resigned. Mrs. W. B. Butler was elected vice president, and Mrs. C. H. McKenzie as secretary, Mrs. J. W. Brackett, resigning.

Our readers will note that we have started another canoe contest, and we hope they will manifest the same interest that they have heretofore in our contests.

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PHILLIPS AND VICINITY.

Mr. Ernest Butler and Miss Lillian Gifford of Farmington were in town over Sunday, guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Larrabee.

The Phillips Athletic association are playing two games of basket ball this week, out of town, one at Rumford and one at Dixfield on Thursday and Friday evenings.

Mr. M. W. Harden was in his shop Wednesday for the first time for nearly a week, as he has been confined to the house by illness.

Little Miss Lillian Bennett, who has been ill for some time, is able to be out again.

Jesse Bixby, who is working in Strong, spent Sunday with his family in town.

Mrs. M. S. Kelley was in Farmington this week.

A slight fire at the Upper village in the residence owned by Wm. J. Ross and occupied by Jesse Bixby, caused considerable uneasiness in that vicinity one night last week, but it was extinguished with little damage.

Miss Jessie Copp, who has been employed in the family of O. M. Moore at South Strong, has returned to Phillips and is with her aunt, Mrs. Frazer.

Mrs. Fred Masterman was in Strong Sunday, the guest of her sister, Mrs. Lionel Allen.

Mrs. Ina Davenport returned Sunday from Temple, where she had been for the past few days.

Mrs. Wm. True was at Mr. True's camp, Eustis Junction, one day last week.

Mrs. John Steward, Jr., was in Rangeley this week.

Harlan O. White was in Farmington one day last week on business.

Goo' advertising pays; pays the merchant who does it; pays the reader who acts on its suggestion.

The Choral club, under the direc-

tion of Hon. N. P. Noble, are working on an opera which they are planning to give in the near future in connection with the Union Sunday school lecture course. The opera is "Pauline, the Maid of Saratoga." The solo parts have been assigned to Misses Estelle Barker and Mildred Mahoney, Messrs. DeBerna Ross, esq., Frank Davis and Leon Ladd. They met for rehearsal Thursday evening Feb. 16 and a full attendance is absolutely necessary.

George Bean was at Byron over Sunday.

Mrs. Altie Ross Dudley, who is employed at Bemis, spent Sunday in town with her mother, Mrs. Cornelius Grover.

Mrs. H. B. Austin accompanied her husband to Augusta Monday morning and will remain the entire week. Thursday evening they will attend Ladies' night at Kora Temple, Shrine, Lewiston.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that we, C. E. Cleaveland and C. L. Cleaveland, known as the firm of C. E. Cleaveland & Son have this day dissolved partnership. The business will be continued in the Currier store, by C. E. Cleaveland.

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Phillips, Me., Jan. 28, 1911.

NOTICE.

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