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PENN. GOVERNOR GETS GOOD STRING

Initial Attempt In Rangeley Waters Well Repaid.

(Special Correspondence.)

Rangeley Lake House, Rangeley July 19.—The midsummer days have come and they are warm. The traveler now comes for but a day from across the country, then away down the lakes or by some other road over the hills than that by which they came. This hotel is entertaining more than ever before persons who remain for weeks, and added to these the automobile parties make it a gay place.

"Talk about a land of beauty and the scenic attractions of Maine and this Rangeley region. Why we have traveled thousands of miles and found nothing like it," said a lady who came from the White Mountains via Poland Springs this week.

One of the most distinguished persons who has been entertained here this week is Governor M. E. Brumbaugh of Pennsylvania. The party included the Governor and wife, F. W. Foote and two chauffeurs, who came from their home in Harrisburg, Pennsylvania, in a Packard touring car and for the first time the Governor dropped the hook in the Rangeley waters. It was a fine string of trout and salmon they landed. Charles Harnden was the guide who netted the 5½-pound salmon the first big fish the Governor caught that was a gamy one. Then a 4-pounder, also several trout weighing one pound each. When on Monday morning they started homeward through the mountains they expressed themselves as more than delighted with this part of Maine and are ready to believe any fish stories they hear about the Rangeleys.

Mrs. L. Benziger and her daughter are charming New York people who have spent a number of seasons at this hotel, and were heartily greeted on their return Friday evening. They will remain until the September days.

Parties now come daily from all over this section from as far away as Middle Dam for dinners, and thus have a view of the Rangeley scenery

as they cross four lakes.

Mrs. J. H. Kenna and friend, Miss M. K. Hoffman of Patterson, N. J., are among the new comers who plan to spend several weeks.

Mrs. Clarence H. Venner and daughters and Miss Kempshall were among the New York automobile parties that were here for several days this week.

Another auto party came from Morristown, Penn., Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Stingluff, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Gucl and like all new comers have much to say about the scenic attractions of this corner of Maine.

Mr. and Mrs. George D. Kirkpatrick of Washington, D. C., who, while touring New England, are stopping here for a short time.

Three New York ladies, Mrs. G. P. Stuart, Miss Elsa Reedolph and Miss Mary A. Dunham came this week for their first season at this hotel.

A card from Geo. G. Schafer of New York, written from the Glacier National Park, Montana, tells that the family are touring the west, but will soon start east and some time in August reach this hotel where they will find a host of old friends to welcome them.

Mrs. George F. West of Portland is this trip accompanied by Miss Raymond of Boston.

For the week-end, while on an automobile trip through Maine, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Efferly and child of Boston, Mrs. W. A. Efferly, Miss Efferly and Mrs. H. H. Brayton of Fall River, Mass., remained at this hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Bubier of Lynn, Mass., have taken rooms here until August.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Sweet and party of Attleboro, Mass., E. B. Parson and son of Trenton, N. J., while touring spent several days here this week.

Mrs. P. A. Hart and daughter, Miss Virginia Hart of Staten Island, N. Y., are among those delighted to return for an extended stay at the Rangeley Lake House.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. R. Baird of South Orange, N. J., found this an attractive place for a short stay.

Miss McGovern and sister of New York, after a pleasant stay of ten days, left this morning for Quebec, going through the lakes via Dixville Notch, a trip which if a tourist once takes he is sure to advise his

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THE "POET" GREET'S FLY ROD

Fishing Takes Back Seat for a Few Weeks.

(Special Correspondence.)

Mountain View, July 16.—When in a fearful shower I reached this hotel today, the "Poet" welcomed me with these words that are far better than anything from my pen, "Hello Fly Rod

I arrived with all my baggage And my heart is in a whirl, For I find I am surrounded By the charming summer girl. So will paddle on the water, Chance my life out in a gale, For the female of the species Is more deadly than the male.

I could tell you many secrets That would make your note book shine, As you roam through lake and forest

Telling tales of hook and line. But I know you will discover All about the men so pale, For the female correspondent Is more deadly than the male.

So be careful Sister Crosby Tell but half of what you see, I just came to have an outing By this charming inland sea. Should my city clothes or manners Chance to land me in your jail Send some female of the species With the necessary bail.

I shall only tell this secret, that the "Poet" is one of the most charming among the fascinating, handsome city gentlemen who is enjoying these summer days at the Rangeleys.

Every day during the past week different parties have come with big trunks, that tell they intend to remain for the August rush which is almost here.

J. W. Johnson of Philadelphia, a Cornell student, who has been here for the last month finds this just the place for college boys to enjoy vacation days.

Mrs. West Bissell of Philadelphia, who has returned for her eighth season, was welcomed by old friends on her arrival Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Prouty and A. L. Prouty of Boston were among this

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Fly Rod's Note Book

BY FLY ROD

I have always said we should pass the good things we hear said about others along. Many a load would have been made lighter had we all done so, and although Guide Harnden does not know that one of my friends, Mr. John Oscar Erckins of New York whom he guided last month, and during a heavy gale handled the oars so skillfully they were brought safely to land, sent me a copy of the letter he wrote after their return home, a most worthy tribute to the Rangeley guides.

The letter was dated the day after Mr. Erckins and party reached New York and was as follows:

Charles L. Harnden, Guide,
Rangeley, Me.

Dear Sir:—

Having reached home yesterday morning I consider it to be my duty to express to you my very best thanks and appreciation for the great courage, calm and presence of mind you have shown, on the Saturday, when we met with the sudden horrible squall on the lake after having lost one of our oars. Thanks to your excellent boatmanship it is granted me to be here and sitting at my desk again, and to send you these lines.

With best regards, I am

Very truly yours,

It is not an unusual occurrence for our guides by their strength and courage to avoid many a serious accident of which those in his care never dream, and I am proud to number among my best friends the guides of the Rangeleys, who daily by their kind words and deeds make the days brighter as I come and go through this region. God bless you boys!

One day this week I was reminded of how much good is being done and thought too, what a difference it makes if others would go and do likewise.

I was at Bald Mountain Camps when it was my pleasure to meet the merry, happy party of young ladies who are passing two weeks

at the Ricker Camp on Mooselookme-guntic Lake. Miss Janette Ricker of Poland Springs with her friend, Miss Katharine Capps, who are greatly interested in Settlement work, were entertaining as happy a company of six bright, smart working girls as can be found in Boston. They are members of a club at South End Settlement House on Harrison Avenue.

Life here, out of doors, gathering wild flowers, tramping over the trails through the woods, walking to Haine Landing and twice each day to the Bald Mountain post office, is painting roses on their cheeks, as their hearty laughter mingles with the songs of the birds. The girls are sensibly dressed in dark blue bloomers, white middie and white shoes and stockings.

Their names are Misses Elizabeth Gallagher, Mae McNeil, Anna Aimmus, Mary Mellett, Annie Callinane, Mary Phipps, and they will go home, ready to return to their work with beautiful memories of the woods and lakes of Maine, yet their joy is not greater than that of Miss Ricker and Miss Capps, who have had the privilege of giving this outing to the club.

When at Upper Dam last week several told me about "Augusta" catching a fish on the fly. Augusta is the sweet little nine year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Miner of New York, who, for several years have spent their summers in a pretty home-like camp there, and she will soon be known as the "Queen of the Pool," for it seems to be her great desire to catch a record fish and pen her name in the book of honor.

The little lady has for several years caught trout and salmon trolling with her father and as she knows the names of the most of the flies he uses and can tell all about pool fishing, she asked her mother one day, "Please let me use your little fly rod?" The \$50 bamboo fly rod was hanging in its place on the

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Below is the program of the shoot:
SPECIAL EVENTS

The Interstate Association State Amateur Championship.

The Six State Mid Summer Championship.

The Five Man Team Championship.

FIRST DAY, FRIDAY, JULY 28
200 TARGETS

Ten events, 20 targets each, entrance, \$4; optional sweeps, \$1 each event, entrance, \$10; optional sweeps, entrance, \$5; \$2.50 each on first and second hundred. Total, \$19.

Optional Sweeps, 20 target events, divided Rose System, 8, 5, 3, 2.

Optional Sweeps, 100 target events, divided High Gun. Two moneys to each 10 entries or fraction thereof.

Events 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 (100 targets) to constitute the "Six State Mid-summer Championship" (high gun to win). Open to all amateurs from Maine to Connecticut.

SECOND DAY, SATURDAY, JULY 29
200 TARGETS

Ten events, 20 targets each, entrance, \$4; optional sweeps, \$1 each event, entrance, \$10; optional sweeps, entrance, \$5; \$2.50 each on first and second hundred. Total, \$19.

The little lady said "I want a White-tipped Montreal and a Silver Doctor fly put on papa," and standing up in the boat, taking the rod in both her tiny hands she cast the fly over the water. Soon there was a rise and she called, "I struck him papa," and he said, "Now little girlie look out for your reel, can you handle him?"

The brave little angler played the fish and reeled in a gamy pound salmon, and next at the same time had on a pair of small trout which she brought to net and asked if they could not be spared. "They are just right for breakfast, papa" and they were cooked the next morning, and little Augusta is going to keep on trying for a 3 pounder. Here is hoping she will get him and a dainty little fly rod for the August birthday which is always celebrated.

One day recently it was my pleasure to be a guest of my friends, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Atwood of Stonington, Conn., at "Foresthome", their beautiful summer home on the shore of Kennebec Lake. I doubt if the flag can be seen flying in a more wonderful spot in the wilds of Maine than here, where, like an emerald stands out the bright green of the lawn with the dark evergreen forest as a background, and the lake sparkling in the front.

An ideal summer home is this log camp where one has every comfort of a city home.

As my friends welcomed me and I entered their hospitable camp the perfume of the roses reminded me it was the wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Atwood. Telegrams, letters and gifts were received from many friends and the good wishes will be remembered long after the roses have faded.

Mr. and Mrs. Q. A. Atwood of Newton, Mass., have for a month been guests at Foresthome.

While waiting for the boat to take me up the lake, Mrs. Atwood, with much skill, sent the dry fly over the water and caught three nice trout for my breakfast.

Not many fishermen in the Rangeleys use the dry fly and I wonder why, for the box of pretty dry flies that Mrs. Atwood used and changed so quickly surely would deceive any fish.

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Optional Sweeps, 20 target events, divided Rose System, 8, 5, 3, 2.

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Events 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 (100 targets) to constitute the "Interstate Association's State Amateur Championship" event (high gun to win).

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Traps open Thursday afternoon and until 9 a. m. on shoot days for practice. Practice targets one cent each.

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We invite our readers to send in contributions upon any subject in regard to fishing, hunting, canoeing, dogs, or anything in which they are interested.

TRAPSHOOTING A CONVENTION FEATURE.

By Peter P. Carney

NO CONVENTION is complete in these progressive times without a trapshooting tournament.

The twelfth annual convention of the Associated Advertising Clubs of the World, which was recently held in Philadelphia, and the Elks convention, which was even more recently held in Baltimore, both staged trapshooting tournaments for their members. Trapshooters are so plentiful these days that it is quite necessary to make provision for them when managing a convention.

After four days of strenuous activity in Philadelphia the delegates to the convention of the Associated Advertising Clubs of the World adjourned to Atlantic City, where they engaged in outdoor sports, golf and trapshooting predominating. Trapshooting being the newest sport to the majority of the delegates, it proved the most interesting, and many devotees of the "sport alluring" were made.

The trapshooting events were conducted at the Trapshooting School on the Million Dollar Pier, and many participated. This school is fully equipped with traps, guns and targets. Trapshooting under ordinary trap conditions is a restful change to the busy man, but the Admen found shooting at the saucers with the Atlantic Ocean as a background a real nerve bracer. So much interest was taken in this tournament that it is doubtful if any convention will be held at Jersey's famous resort hereafter without a trapshooting tournament being on the program.

Elks lodges all over the country were interested in the B. P. O. E. tournament, which was conducted on the Oriole Gun Club traps. The Elks are the first fraternal organization to stage an event of this kind. The Delaware Elks suggested the tournament, and they were seconded by lodges in New Jersey, Pennsylvania, New York, North and South Carolina, Maryland and West Virginia. The Western Elks, especially along the Pacific Coast, have been interested in trapshooting as a sport for some time, and there is a league of Elks in and around Los Angeles. The trapshooting tournament will be a feature of all B. P. O. E. conventions in the future.

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FISHING, BATHING, TENNIS FILL DAYS

Season Is In Full Swing at Haines Landing.

(Special Correspondence.)

Mooselookmeguntic House, Haines Landing, July 15.—"This is the center of the Rangeleys, the place for vacation days and with the hills and mountains that rise to varying heights beyond the lake, and only miles of wilderness to be seen, our party thinks we have found the ideal place for our summer outing," remarked a New Yorker to one of the new comers this morning.

After an absence of two seasons all are glad to have Judge P. L. Churchman, wife and daughter of Wilmington, Del., return. They have taken one of the camps near the hotel for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Abbott, Berton Rand of Brookline, Mass., Mr. and Mrs. George Richardson of Newton, Mass., while on an automobile trip through Maine are here for the weekend, and have enjoyed a motor boat trip over the lakes.

The young folks are having great fun bathing these warm days, and some of the young ladies dive from the wharf and swim a good stroke for quite a distance.

The tennis court is in order and the lovers of the game spend hours there.

E. L. Rankins of Boston had the luck to make a catch of trout and salmon, the largest a 5-pounder to take home with him the first of the week, that will make his friends all want to come here and try to do likewise. Tom Canadian was his guide.

Among the new comers are Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Wallace of Peoria, Ill. They came to Detroit, Mich., where a new Buick car was waiting for them to take from the factory. With their car they started east to Buffalo, N. Y., up through the Adirondacks and down through the white Mountains, across to Bethel, then to Rangeley, and this week with Tom Splan guide, they have caught all the fish they wanted, but none over 3 pounds.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Stanley, A. C. Tuttle of Winthrop, with Mrs. Chas. H. Gardner of Dayton, Fla., coming from Winthrop in their touring car, were here for over Sunday.

One of the camps is taken until autumn days by a party of ladies who come to Maine for the first time, and are delighted with life here on the lake shore. They are Mrs. Henry C. Thorn and daughter, Miss Thorn of Brooklyn, N. Y., Mrs. Henry F. Strout of New York City and Miss M. E. Parker of Duluth, Minn.

J. H. Londry and son, Frank of Portland are here for a ten days' fishing trip.

A. Frankenhoff and daughter of Brooklyn, N. Y., are for two weeks enjoying life in camp here.

Prof. and Mrs. J. Kirley of New York are both fine singers and add much to the pleasure of the social evenings here at the hotel.

Mrs. Burns takes parties in her big auto to Rangeley, over to Oquossoc for the dances, and for rides over the country and not many can drive a car with more ease.

Brutal.

During the regular pastor's summer vacation the sermons at the church were preached by well-known ministers from other churches. A list of coming attractions was posted in the vestibule. One morning, when making his announcements for the coming week, the day's incumbent mislaid the slip containing the name of his immediate successor, but he supplied the information in this fashion: "On the way out you will find the preacher for next Sunday hanging up in the vestibule!"

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HIGH LINE OF THE SEASON

Salmon of Six Pounds, Two Ounces Taken by Woman.

(Special Correspondence.)

The Barker, Mooselookmeguntic Lake, July 15.—With nearly 100 guests, this is now a busy place, for the days are far too short for the many pleasures waiting the city people who are anxious to fish, climb Bald Mountain, go for picnics and motor over the country.

There has been a number of arrivals of those who come for weeks of cabin life, and not many have said good bye and started homeward this week.

Dallas, Texas, is a long way to come for the summer, but the Sanger party came last year and were so much pleased they have returned and are at Lone Star Cabin. The party includes Mrs. F. G. Beekman, and her daughter's family, Mr. and Mrs. Eltha A. Sanger, their daughter, Miss Fannie A. and E. Everett Sanger and maids. They have Bob Martin for guide and with the motor boat are having good fishing.

Miss Rose Frank is a New York young lady who is pleasantly located here for the first summer.

Messrs. S. Goodman, Wm. Scherick and S. G. Wasch are three New Yorkers who are here for a two weeks' stay.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Ernsthall of New York came this week for another extended stay in Cosy Corner Cabin.

Samuel Lautenback and sister of New York came Saturday for a few weeks' stay. Other New York people who have come within the last few days include Miss Amelia Springer, Miss Stella Schenfeld, H. P. Howell, Mrs. E. J. Becker and daughters, Miss Bertha M. and Miss Addie S. Becker.

Chas. A. Hubbard of Newton Center and Milo W. Kibbe of Boston were week-end guests.

Picnics have been the order this week with dinners cooked in the open.

The fishing has been better than usual and among the fortunate anglers Mrs. J. Van Wezel of New York is high line, with a 6-pound 2-ounce salmon the largest recorded at The Barker this season, and she also caught one 4 1/4 pounds and one 3 1/4 pounds, Levi Dow guide. Mr. Van Wezel with a 3 1/2-pound salmon and one 4 pounds can himself tell a good fish story, Webb Boulder guide.

Mrs. A. Ernsthall of New York, with Ernest DeMerritt guide, this week records a pair of 3 1/2-pound salmon and a 3-pound trout.

Another New York lady who has had luck is Mrs. I. Goldsmith, with Oscar Parker guide brought in a 4-pound and a 3-pound salmon.

Mrs. Jacob Goodfriend has a 4 1/4 and a 4-pound salmon and a 3-pound trout for her week's big ones, and her daughter, Miss Ruth a 3-pound salmon.

Little Miss Fannie Sanger is proud of her two fish, both salmon, weighing 3 1/2 and 3 pounds each.

Dr. F. Bierhoff, with L. Dow guide, caught a 3 1/2-pound salmon and the 2-pounders taken are cooked but not counted.

LOOK BEHIND YOU OFTEN

Glance back frequently as you advance along a trail, particularly at the turns and forks, so that you will recognize all its turnings and twists when seen from either direction. This is a habit which becomes instinctive in the true woodsman, and the scomer one can get in the way of it the better for him, says July Outing. In no place more than in the woods does it pay to be alert and receptive of every passing impression derived from the physical environment. A broken branch or a stone that one remembers for having stumbled over, a glade that one happens to recall because he glanced back there at a certain bird—such trivial details that spring suddenly to mind make frequently all the difference between being hopelessly lost and absolutely at home. They are worth cultivating consciously.

Uncle Eben.

"De man who makes hay while de sun shines," said Uncle Eben, "generally has to take care of a lot o' folks dat put in de time sittin' in de shade, overseenin' de job."

FISHING WAS NEVER BETTER

No One Comes Back With An Empty Creel.

(Special Correspondence.)

The Birches, Mooselookmeguntic Lake, July 15.—The sun shines through the silver birches, the hay-makers are busy and peace and happiness dwells in this charming spot.

The camps are soon all to be taken, and August at this "Maine's Newport" will be a gay month.

The fishing never was better, as the long list of records caught the last few days tells.

Lee C. Hascall of Boston, who is in Camp Comfort for an extended stay and with the steamboat Wm. P. Frye spends much time on the water, has four salmon to his credit, weighing 4 pounds, 3 1/4 pounds, 3 1/4 pounds and a pair 3 1/2 pounds each, and a 3 1/2-pound trout.

Mrs. A. Goldsmith, a New York lady, with Ernest Goodwin guide, has caught five record salmon within the last three days weighing 3 1/2 pounds, 4 1/4 pounds, 3 1/2 pounds, 3 1/2 pounds and 4 1/4 pounds, besides many smaller ones.

Prof. David Werner Amram of Pennsylvania University, who, with his wife and daughter have Birch Barker's camp for the season, has caught the largest yet recorded, a 5-pound salmon, Henry Banker guide.

Miss Clara Morse of Stockbridge, Mass., is very proud of the 4 1/4-pound trout and 3-pound salmon that she brought to net, and her father, Edward L. Morse landed a 3-pound salmon. Geo. Robertson was their guide.

Just before M. Robinson of Providence, R. I., left for home after a pleasant two weeks at The Birches he caught a 3-pound salmon.

Elliot G. Farrington of Yonkers, N. Y., for the first big one this season landed a 3 1/4-pound salmon.

Colonel and Mrs. Henry E. Russell of Boston, who are delightfully located for the summer in Camp Mayflower, have as their guests his brother, Joseph E. Russell of Boston, who caught a 4 1/4-pound salmon and the Colonel one weighing 3 pounds on Monday.

Many old friends of Miss E. R. Seabury of New York City were delighted to welcome her and her niece, Miss Rena V. Green of Morristown, N. J., who this week returned to Camp Hiawatha for another summer. Miss Rena, the day after her arrival caught a 3-pound salmon.

These fish facts prove the statement, "Never was there better fishing at The Birches than the past week," for everyone has caught all the smaller fish they wanted for the table.

Camp Stay-a-While is again taken until September days by Samuel Anderson and daughter, Miss Emma L. Anderson of Chester, Penn., who have been coming to the island for years and everyone is glad to have them return.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Goldsmith of New York, who have Camp Ideal, are much pleased with this, their first visit to The Birches.

Messrs. F. A. Parker and W. M. Dunkle are two young gentlemen from Brookline, Mass., who are spending a month in Cosy Cabin. Fred Sholler is the guide who intends to net some big fish for them.

Miss M. Louise Sullivan of New York and friend Miss Louise L. McCrady of Charlestown, S. C., are enjoying a few weeks of log cabin life here on the island.

Seth H. Clark of Springfield, Mass., assistant superintendent of Boston & Albany railroad came this week for the first time, and is so delighted with the place he will return and bring his family with him.

Mrs. Edward L. Morse has returned from a few days in New York.

Everyone is feasting from the wonderful strawberries that are now daily picked in large quantities from the big patch in the garden.

What is now being most talked of here on the island is a handsome pure white young robin that mother red breast does not seem to love as well as other members of her family, and the bird is being fed on strawberries and angle worms by his admirers.

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TWENTY MILES FOR A SHAVE

Fishing, Camping, Tramping, Occupy Days at Pleasant Island.

(Special Correspondence.)

Pleasant Island Camps, Cupsuptic Lake, July 15.—With the middle of July the city people who love the woods and camp life, are glad to come to this far away wilderness region of ours, and for a few weeks dress in khaki skirts, with shirt waists, while their party gowns are hung away. To fish and tramp through the woods or go boating, crowd the days with pleasure.

Br. and Mrs. Grant W. Brown of Greenfield, Mass., who have been spending their honeymoon days in Lakeside Camp, returned home this morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman C. Walker of Orange, N. J., who have been coming here for nine years, are again in Lone Pine Camp, and a hearty greeting their friends gave them. Yesterday they went out for "to drop the hook" and the fish were so glad to have them return they came back with two salmon and two trout weighing from two to three pounds each.

Hugh A. Walker and brother, Lewis Walker of Philadelphia, who are here for ten days are now on a camping trip at Lincoln Pond, where the fly fishing is excellent and the deer are seen coming down to the lake shore.

Mr. and Mrs. George R. Haynes of Portland came up last week with Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Lemmon of Palisade, N. J., who were so much taken with the place they decided to remain this month and have Camp Sunset.

N. N. Fairchild of New York, with Clarence Gile guide, were here this week en route for Magalloway.

Three gentlemen from Princeton, N. J., J. R. Whyte, James M. Lyons and W. R. Lewis are having the time of their lives here on the Island. They have Otis Bean for guide and a motor boat and spend much time fishing and boating. Their catch already includes two 3-pound salmon and plenty of small trout.

Mr. and Mrs. William B. Pell of New Milford, Conn., who come for the first time, are much pleased with cabin life and regret they can not stay months instead of weeks.

The Bungalow on the main land is taken another summer by the Craig party, and coming by the night Pullman four reached here this morning, Miss Annie Craig, Miss Margaret Stone of Wellesley, Mass., Miss Elizabeth L. Waite of Ipswich, Mass., and Miss E. B. Cummings of New York City. Others of the family come later. G. W. Fanjoy is their guide and there will not be many places around here they will not visit before the summer ends.

Miss Elizabeth Reese of South Orange, N. J., and her friends have a 3 1/2-pound salmon for their big one. They are very fond of lunching out in the open, and Pete Lufkin, their guide, can cook a dinner and make a cup of coffee over the open fire that is a feast. With their motor boat they often go up Cupsuptic stream to watch the deer that come out at sunset.

This morning a jolly party of five gentlemen "went 20 miles for a

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shave" was what they said as they started for the Landing in their motor boat and then by auto went to Rangeley village, but were back in time for dinner.

Mrs. A. L. Brewster and daughter of Rochester, N. Y., find this just the place for a quiet, restful summer, where the honk, honk of the auto horn never disturbs one.

As one looks down the lakes and can see only the forest with hills and mountains in all directions, it would seem as if they were many miles away in the heart of the Maine wilderness, and yet it is only five miles to the railroad station where two daily trains with Pullman cars bring hundreds of people to the Rangeleys every year.

CAMP OWNERS SHOULD READ THIS

July 11, 1916.

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Gentlemen:—

Enclosed please find my check for \$2 for renewal for two years. My wife and I have been readers of Maine Woods for nearly 10 years and would miss it more than any paper or magazine that comes to our home. We have visited a number of the camps that have been advertised in your paper and cannot understand why more of the owners of camps do not make use of your pages, as your circulation must be largely among those interested in what they have to offer in the way of sport. We are particularly interested in reading the accounts sent you from the various camps and always look for Fly Rod's articles. I wish she could extend her territory beyond the Rangeleys. I should think every camp owner in Maine would give a hearty welcome to her.

Wishing you success, I remain,

Yours for sport,

Samuel Dunseith.

Bordentown, N. J.

California Like Island.

California, covering almost ten degrees of latitude, lies well within the warm temperate zone, with conditions of temperature conducive to a luxuriant vegetation. The state is peculiarly isolated, as the high mountains and deserts to the east offer an impassable barrier to plants from the Atlantic side of the continent, while to the south are the deserts of Mexico and Lower California, and on the west lie the shores of the Pacific. The state thus has many of the characteristics of an oceanic island.

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RANGELEY Passenger Train leaves for Farmington at 11.30 A. M. and arrives at 6.43 P. M. Mixed train leaves at 7.30 and arrives at 4.25 P. M.

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KINGFIELD. Passenger train leaves for Bigelow, at 5.00 A. M. and 5.45 P. M. For Farmington at 12.30 P. M. and for Strong at 3.00 P. M. Passenger train arrives from Farmington at 2.35 P. M. and 5.42 P. M. Mixed train leaves for Farmington at 6.00 A. M. and arrives from Strong at 9.20 A. M. BIGELOW. Passenger train arrives from Kingfield at 9.50 A. M. and from Farmington at 6.35 P. M. Leaves for Farmington at 10.45 A. M. and for Kingfield at 6.40 P. M. Mixed train arrives at 1.10 P. M. and leaves at 1.30 P. M.

SUNDAY TRAIN.

Leaves Phillips for Farmington at 9.00 A. M., arriving at Farmington at 9.50 A. M. Leaves Farmington for Rangeley at 10.35 A. M., arriving at Rangeley at 1.00 P. M. Leaves Rangeley at 2.05 P. M., arriving at Farmington at 4.25 P. M. Leaves Farmington for Phillips at 4.45 P. M., arriving at Phillips at 5.35 P. M.

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FRIDAY, JULY 21, 1916.

AUTO PARTIES TARRY HERE

Guests Find Cool Spot on the
Shore of Haley Pond.

(Special Correspondence.)

The Tavern, Rangeley, July 18.—For the past few days travel has increased and several nights this hotel has been crowded, every room taken, and when morning came the tourists would go on their way, some down the lakes, others by auto, across country via Stratton, or to Phillips and Farmington, while others would go over to the White Mountains. There are now a number of boarders who have taken rooms here for a long stay.

Mrs. Etta Rhett of Newport, R. I., who for two seasons has made a tour of the lakes for a few days' stay, arrived today planning to remain at this hotel until the middle of September.

A. B. Woodburn and party from Bethel, Vt., were among this week's automobile parties.

W. S. Schellenger of Philadelphia, who is spending the summer at the Kennebec Lake House, came out Tuesday for a stay of several days.

The following party from Brooklyn, N. Y., Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Duquand and son, and Miss T. A. Britton, who have been here for a ten days' stay had great fishing on this lake. The first day out they caught a 5½-pound salmon, one 2½ pounds and a 2-lb trout, and besides a number of smaller ones they have landed a 4-pound salmon this week.

Dr. and Mrs. E. T. Steedman of Hoboken, N. J., and Mrs. F. W. Reiter of Atlantic Highlands, N. J., have chosen this hotel for an extended stay. The Doctor with Herman Huntton guide has greatly enjoyed the fishing and is proud of the 5½-pound salmon he caught this week, but does not think those 2-pound trout and salmon worth counting. As there are many an 8-pounder in the lake we hope it will be the Doctor's good fortune to land one during his stay.

Miss Alice E. Eager of New York and Miss Frances F. Boyd of Richmond, Va., who were here for the week-end, have taken a camp at Pickford's for the summer.

H. L. Goodrich of Marshall, Mich., spent part of the week here while on a trip through the Rangeleys.

Coming in their touring car from Boston, Jas. P. Carroll, Wm. Murphy and F. Town spent most of the week here and had four days of good fishing. The 2½-pound trout looked big to them. One day they caught seven salmon, but none over three pounds.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Jones, Miss Ruth Jones and Mr. and Mrs. Bert Witham motored over from Skowhegan and dined here one day this week.

Coming on the Saturday morning Pullman from Boston, Messrs. Chas. A. Cooke, James E. White, R. D. Southerland, William A. Edwards, G. W. Sargent and H. G. Fiske of Natick, Mass., were met here by auto and made quick time over to the Dead River region.

Coming around the lakes from Errol, N. H., by auto, LeRoy Bragg and party reported a great trip, and were here for the week-end.

Miss Kathleen Dyer of Passaic, N.

FLY FISHERMEN HAVE GOOD SPORT

"Gentle Angler" Passes Away.
Many Friends at Middle Dam.

(Special Correspondence.)

Lakewood Camps, Middle Dam, July 18.—The middle of July finds more than the usual number of guests here at the "end of the carry" which connects the Rangeleys with the White Mountains, and those who take the trip all declare it to be a wonderful combination of mountain, lake and wilderness scenery not often found in this country.

With arrival of Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Jordan of Boston there is always evenings filled with music and dancing, for they are both fine musicians who delight in adding to the happiness of others. This year they are accompanied by a Boston friend, Earle M. French, Harvard 1918, who plays the mandolin and tonight Prof. Wiswell's son, Charles Wiswell of Boston came bringing his mandolin, and now everybody joins in the songs and dancing as they gather after supper in the big office.

The fly fishermen have had good sport the past week when they have been out. P. M. Berry of Jersey City, N. J. reports, "Fishing! why I think that I have had good luck, for although I have not been out but a few times this week I have caught 14 salmon and six trout the largest 2½ pounds."

Jack Burnham, one of the New York boys, brought in a 3¼-pound salmon that he caught on the fly and his father, D. B. Burnham one 3 pounds and a pair of 2½-pound trout. Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Tibbott of Boston have brought in a number of salmon that weighed from 2 to 3 pounds each, all taken on the fly.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Earle of Philadelphia, who are spending the summer at The Balsams, came through Dixville Notch across Umbagog and made the trip from here to Rangeley on Monday.

Messrs. L. F. Johnson and E. C. Tibbotts of Boston, who came through the White Mountains, are here for a few days' stay.

Geo. F. Morris of Lancaster, N. H., Harry Thaw's lawyer while he was in that state, accompanied by his wife and son, Master Robert Hall Morris and their friends, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. H. Hall of North Conway, N. H., came in their touring cars as far as Errol, N. H., then across Umbagog Lake and the carry. With Will Laughlin and Will Morton guides, they are having good fishing, as already several 3-pound salmon and 2-pound trout are to their credit.

Miss L. M. Eshelman of High Point, N. C., after a tour of the lakes, was here for the week-end en route for home via Dixville Notch and the White Mountains.

The following party of four young ladies, Miss E. G. West of East Orange, N. J., Miss Florence McDonald of West New York, Miss Emily H. Kessler of Larchmont, Manor, N. Y., and Miss Leadora M. Smith of Jersey City, N. J., think they have made no mistake in coming way down to this quiet spot in the Maine wilderness for vacation days.

Everybody plays ball at Middle Dam either with the Silver Doctor or Turtle Bug team and there are games and fun to be reported later.

As there are now parties coming and going through the mountains each day, Capt. Coburn made four trips with his motor truck over to Sunday Cove today. It takes about 30 minutes to go across, while in the olden days with a pair of horses and a buckboard, it was a two hours' trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron S. Cooke of Providence, R. I., who have been coming here for a number of years and after a happy stay of five weeks in camp, left for home in perfect health two weeks ago. They were favorites among the guests at Middle Dam and it was a great shock and sorrow to their many friends when a telegram was received telling of his death last Saturday after a short illness with pneumonia at the age of

J., who has spent a number of summers at Lake View Farm, is welcomed by many friends who are pleased to see her back again.

These warm days the guests find a cool spot under the trees on the shore of Haley Pond, in the rear of the hotel.

THE ANGLER AND THE FISHERMAN

By Charles Bradford

One profound proof of the soundness in the philosophy that teaches against wantonly wasteful slaughter in the chase is the disinclination on the part of certain so-called sportsmen—a vulgar gentry that resort to the woods and waters solely because it is fashionable to do so—and their guides to honorably dispose of their game after the killing. These greedy snobs are viciously adverse to losing a single bird or fish in the pursuit, but they think little of letting the game rot in the sun after the play. With this fact easily provable any day in the year, it may be said that outside of market fishing and camp fishing for the pot the one real object in fishing and angling is the pursuit itself and not the quarry.

In baseball, it's the game, not the bases; in archery, it's the straightest shooting, not the target. True, we play cards for prizes, but surely as much for the game itself, not altogether for the prizes, because it is possible to buy the prizes, or their equivalent outright, or take the prizes by force.

My bayman develops fits bordering closely upon incurable hysteria if I lose a single bluefish in the play, but he worries not when he goes ashore with a sloopful of hand-liners and half a hundred fish he cannot make good use of.

"Pull it in! you'll lose it!" "We could catch a hundred if you wouldn't fool!" "The other boats'll beat us badly!" "There's a million right 'round the boat!"

These are a few of his excitable expressions. But, when I say to him, "What's the difference, Captain, in losing one or two fish here and wasting half a hundred on shore?" he calms down for a minute or two. Only for a minute or two, however, for he's in the game solely for fish, not the fishing. It's all numbers and size with him, and he's encouraged in this greed by nine out of every ten men he takes aboard his boat.

"We caught fifty," says Tom. "We caught a hundred and ten," says Dick.

"We caught two hundred and sixty," says Harry.

And so the bayman brags, too, because it's purely business with him.

I have always found the greatest pleasure in fishing is the fishing and not the blood and bones associated with the pursuit. I would rather take five fair fish on fine tackle correctly manipulated than fill the hold with a hundred horrid monsters mastered by mere strength, as in mastered by mere strength, as in hand-line trolling for bluefish in the ocean and for muskellonge, etc., in fresh water.

"But," says Captain Getemanyway, "I can catch more fish with a hand-line than you can with your fine rod and reel."

"Of course you can," I reply, "and you could catch more if you used a net, a stick of dynamite, or a shotgun."

If it's the fish alone that is the object of the angler's eye, why resort to any sort of tackle when there's a fish stall in every bait-warehouse?

There is great need of enlightenment in the common ethics of angling. Many persons are under the impression that quantity rather than quality makes the angler's day.

According to their view of the pursuit, fishing is judged by figures.

67 years, and much sympathy is expressed for his wife in her deep sorrow. Mr. Cooke was buried from his home at 103 Medway St., Providence, R. I., Monday p. m., July 17. He was a 32nd Mason, a member of Nestell Lodge of Masons, Calvary Commandery of Knights Templar, the Shriners, Providence Gun Club, Turks Head Club and West Side Club. He was one of the "gentle anglers" who fished only with a fly and never killed a fish except for the table, and when two weeks ago after making all arrangements to return next June, no one thought it was a last goodbye. Missed, but not forgotten will be the delightful people when their host of friends gather at Middle Dam next season.

as in finance—glory to the man with the biggest balance. This is not so, because with this view accepted, Rockefeller would shine above Christ, Shakespeare, and Lincoln.

The mere catch—the number of fish taken—is only one little detail; it is not all of angling. If it were, the superior fisherman would be the man who got his fish in any manner.

Some of our greatest anglers purposely never excel in the matter of numbers. The angler's true qualities are based on the application of correct tackle, correct methods in fishing, and a correct appreciation of the pursuit, the game, the day, and the craft.

'Tis the day and the play, not the heads and hides that count.

An ancient writer says of the royal hounds: "The hunter loves to see the hounds pursue the hare, and he is glad if the hare escapes." So it is in angling; we do not wish to catch all the fish we can take in any fashion. We want to take some of them in a proper manner with appropriate implements.

"I can catch more trout with the angleworm and more bass with the trolling spoon than you can with the artificial fly," says Robert.

"Of course you can, Robert," say I, "and you could catch still more if you spread a screen across the tiny stream or set a trap, or if you used a set line with a hundred hooks, just as the target shooter might more readily puncture the circle with a charge of shot than with the single bullet, or just as the greedyman with a blunderbuss might excel in number the wing shot by potting quail bunched on the ground instead of chivalricly bagging single birds on the wing with a pertinent arm."

The neophyte always confounds the angler with the indiscriminate fisherman and so implicates the angler in the cruelty and wastefulness associated with mere chance fishing, when in fact the angler is in no sense cruel or wasteful.

The laws that prohibit greedy catches, and protect the mother fish in breeding time, are made by, enforced by, and supported financially by the angler.

The rearing of the fishes that are placed in depleted waters was originated by, is conducted by, and is paid for by the angler.

No other class has earnestly bothered its head, honestly lifted its hands, or liberally opened its purse in these matters, and the nearest association man in general has with the preservation of both wild fish and fowl is in uttering a cowardly, false accusation against the one who really deserves sole credit for the work, the sportsman, the genuine field sportsman, not the vicious sporting man of the race track, cockpit, and gambling den—two distinct species of animal, as vastly separated in character as the deerhound and the dragon.

And why this change against the innocent? Simply because the guilty wish to shield and profit themselves, as the thief cries fire that he may pick your pocket in the panic that ensues.

But then there is a well meaning but wholly unenlightened element that, influenced by the cry of the methodical spoiler, ignorantly condemns the honest man—the really humane men and women who are sincere in their condemnation but totally ignorant of their subject.

One of this sort, an estimable woman in public life, loudly preaches against the chase and is all the time drawing dividends that provide her with the means to indulge in the vulgar and crudest of fashionable extravagances—among them the wool of the unborn lamb, furs from the backs of fast-disappearing quadrupeds, and feathers of the farmers' most valuable insect-destroying song birds—and these wicked dividends derived from several acid factories, a gas house, a power plant, and dye works that have not only killed off the trillions of fishes in several rivers but destroyed forever the very habitat of the species!

Another of this sort is well exemplified in the character of an old gentleman in Pennsylvania who loudly proclaims against trout fishing, but who utterly ruins nearly eight miles of trout water, once the home of thousands of lordly fish, by permitting his mill hands to run off sawdust in the streams.

This poor, ignorant soul objects to you and me chivalricly taking half a dozen specimens on the fly—catching the cunning trout with an imita-

tion of the thing itself destroys by the thousands for food and play—while he mercilessly slaughters the entire immediate supply, and prevents further propagation of the whole species with the refuse of his forest-devastating, money-making machine.

True, the Angler like all fishermen, and like the fishes themselves, kills his specimens, but this killing is ordained by nature herself—at least it has better grounds for excuse, if excuse it needs, than that tenfold more destructive killing by the fishes that not only slay for food, but actually mutilate millions upon millions of their kind for the mere play afforded them in this practice—and though the Angler may be in the wrong when he humanely dispatches a few of the batch he breeds, he is not as hopeless as the wanton fisher, or as brutal as the unenlightened "reformers," the so-called humane lady with the fashion furs and feathers of fast-disappearing species she never turns a hair to replenish or protect, and the old gentleman hypocrite with his murderous sawdust and dye.

FISH CAUGHT OVER ON PIAZZA

Warm Weather Sends Trout Back
to the Depths.

(Special Correspondence.)

Upper Dam, July 17.—With it 84 in the shade, the trout and salmon have gone so far under the white foam in the pool they cannot be tempted with a fly.

The city folks as well as their guides are sitting in the shade of the veranda exchanging fish stories, for in this land of peace in the wilderness of Maine the great questions of the day are not often discussed.

Tom Miner has returned from a trip to New York, where he was called by the death of his brother, Edward D. Miner, who has been ill for a long time.

Daniel P. Hays of New York, who, with his family are for the summer at Camp Ray on Rangeley Lake, with his guide, Fern Philbrick have just hiked in from Richardson Pond where they have been on a camping trip. Their canoe is on the shore and tomorrow they will paddle across the lake, take their canoe over the carry and then home.

"The ground is red with wild strawberries," is how thick a lady told me they were, and everybody is picking them. Several of the New York ladies have not only been strawberrying themselves, but taken their husbands and guides, and such delicious jam as they are making! Nowhere in the city can such a jam be bought, and it will only be served at special dinners, and add to the fish stories told about the fishing in this famous old pool.

Dwight Kirkby of Englewood, N. J., is very proud to have the good fortune to pen his name on the record book for the first time as with a Silver Doctor fly he caught a 3 pound 4 ounce salmon from the pool this week.

Mrs. Wm. B. Fair of Orange, N. J., landed a salmon of the same size as Mr. Kirkby's.

S. H. Palmer, the Bethlehem, Penn. angler does not intend to have the fish think he has gone home for he landed one weighing 3 pounds 5 ounces this week.

J. C. Dougherty of Syracuse, N. J., had sport with a 3 pound 12 ounce salmon before he reeled him in and these four are the only records taken this week.

J. S. Cochrane of Boston, who was here last year, has returned for a short vacation.

Next week several families are coming to remain until the end of the season.

Bible's Many Languages.

Some of the languages the Bible has been translated into are Accra, Anaitum, Arrawack, Azerbaijan, Bulu, Calmuc, Chippewayan, Coptic, Dajak, Dikele, Eromanga, Gitano, Gujarati, Hausa, Iaian, Ilocano, Khassi, Kanaka, Koordish, Kusaien, Lepcha, Lifu, Malagasy, Maliseet, Mandingo, Micmac, Mpongwe, Muskokee, Namacqua, Nanyingir, Ojibwa, Otiyherero, Paripanga, Pangassinan, Pushto, Rarotengan, Ruk, Scheetswa, Tcheremissiah, Tchuwash, Tshi, Wogul.

"CHUCK CALLS ON AUSTIN

Warm Reception Given--Interview
Short and Snappy.

A member of the marmot family, commonly known as a woodchuck, on ground hog and listed in scientific works as *Arctomys Monax*, made a very brief call on Fish and Game Commissioner Austin early this week, and for the first time a hearty welcome was not given a visitor by the Commissioner. We are inclined to lay the blame for the reception to Uncle Obed Russell who lives next door and who on account of his excellent garden wages continual warfare on all ground diggers and vegetable chewers.

The "chuck" arrived at the door of the Commissioner's house and being unable to reach the bell, sat down on the door step to await his host's pleasure. The watchful eyes of Uncle Obed spied him and he rushed across to secure the services of Micky Finn, a bull dog of marked fighting tendencies, and a popular member of Mr. Austin's family. Micky needed no urging and with the help of Uncle Obed soon dispatched Mr. Woodchuck.

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NOTES FROM THE ELMWOOD HOTEL

The dining tables at The Elmwood have been made more attractive by the addition of dainty table ware marked with the hotel name. This hotel maintains its deserved popularity and we have yet to hear of a patron of the hotel who was not loud in their praise of the excellent cuisine which is always found here.

Mr. W. E. Carter of Amesbury, Mass., has been a guest at the hotel for a week, leaving for Round

Mountain Lake for a sojourn.

Following are the arrivals: Monday, July 10th: Miss Elma J. Byron, Phillips; Thomas Austin, Farmington; A. C. Houghton, Portland; J. Lewis York, York Camps, Rangeley; John E. Johnson, Indianapolis; N. T. Allen, G. F. Sargent, L. P. Dentre, Boston; M. M. Brown, E. H. Ramsdell, Augusta; David F. Safford, Berlin, N. H.; F. M. Owen and wife, Portland.

Tuesday, July 11th: F. Verch, W. Brown, Albany, N. Y.; R. A. Scannell, Lewiston; H. Schwartz, Rye, N. Y.; F. C. Shackford, Auburn; A. H. Webb, Gorham, N. H.; H. F. Smith, Portland; A. M. Small, Bangor; E. G. Daland, Boston; E. P. Leighton, Bos-

ton; E. P. Mason, Lewiston; Dr. E. C. Higgins and wife, town; Mr. Ireland and wife, New York City.

Wednesday, July 12th: L. P. Noble and wife, Portland; Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Kimball, Waterville; Ken Ramsay, Peaks Island; G. F. McFarland, Augusta; D. F. Safford, Berlin, N. H.

Thursday, July 13th: L. J. Fassett, Ware, Mass.; J. H. Byrcn, town; John J. McIntosh, Portland.

Friday, July 14th: J. H. Byron, town; H. B. Brandow, West Medford, Mass.; J. W. Gordon, Waterville; Mrs. F. D. J. Barnjum, Miss L. W. Barnjum, Miss Ruth Russell, G. W. Barnjum, F. E. Dodge, Kingfield.

Saturday, July 15th: E. P. Sprague and wife, Los Angeles, Cal.; J. H. Byron, town; W. A. Garrigue, Plainfield, N. J.; Mr. and Mrs. John Farson, two children, two nurses, Greenwich, Conn.; Mr. and Mrs. V. M. Bonney, Mrs. J. P. Flint, R. B. Flint, J. P. Flint, Jr., Farmington; J. H. Bonney, Newton, Mass.

Sunday, July 16th: A. B. Johnson, Brunswick; M. M. Vose, Madrid; E. C. Higgins, town; William Hayes and Son, Langtown.

RAILROAD WAGES

Shall they be determined by
*Industrial Warfare or
Federal Inquiry?*

To the American Public:

Do you believe in arbitration or industrial warfare?

The train employes on all the railroads are voting whether they will give their leaders authority to tie up the commerce of the country to enforce their demands for a 100 million dollar wage increase.

The railroads are in the public service--your service. This army of employes is in the public service--your service.

You pay for rail transportation 3 billion dollars a year, and 44 cents out of every dollar from you goes to the employes.

On the Eastern Railroads in 1915, seventy-five per cent of the train employes earned these wages (lowest, highest, and average of all) as shown by the payrolls--

	Passenger		Freight		Yard	
	Range	Average	Range	Average	Range	Average
Engineers	\$1641	\$1931	\$1585	\$1783	\$1303	\$1543
	3224		2992		2178	
Conductors	1553	1831	1552	1642	1145	1315
	3004		2901		1991	
Firemen	951	1128	933	1109	752	935
	1704		1762		1633	
Brakemen	957	1141	862	973	834	1085
	1707		1521		1633	

The average yearly wage payments to all Eastern train employes (including those who worked only part of the year) as shown by the 1915 payrolls were--

	Passenger	Freight	Yard
Engineers	\$1796	\$1546	\$1384
Conductors	1724	1404	1238
Firemen	1033	903	844
Brakemen	1018	858	990

A 100 million dollar wage increase for men in freight and yard service (less than one-fifth of all employes) is equal to a 5 per cent advance in all freight rates.

The managers of the railroads, as trustees for the public, have no right to place this burden on the cost of transportation to you without a clear mandate from a public tribunal speaking for you.

The railroads have proposed the settlement of this controversy either under the existing national arbitration law, or by reference to the Interstate Commerce Commission. This offer has been refused by the employes' representatives.

Shall a nation-wide strike or an investigation under the Government determine this issue?

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NOTES FROM OAKES' CAMPS

(Special to Maine Woods.)

Oakes' Camps, July 20.--Maine continues to cordially invite to her attractive resorts all those who feel the need of recreation, and she also studies the needs of her guests, making large outlay that she may please them.

For those who enjoy camp life on the shore of beautiful Rangeley nothing can be more delightful than the location, equipment and accommodations which we find here. Little wonder that most of the guests we meet here are those who return each season.

Each party is assigned an individual cabin, with fire when needed, and modern bath room complete.

The water supply, none purer or better, is abundant, and comes direct from a beautiful mountain spring.

Eggs, poultry, cream and vegetables on the place, and guests say, "The best cook in the Rangeley region." The writer will vouch for the fact that none better is needed.

Fishing is good, although there are fewer veteran fishermen in camp than in June. Fishing, bathing, rowing, walking and tennis keeps all contented and in "good form."

The steam launches have been busy with moonlight parties the past week.

Mr. Oakes is now booking parties for September.

Great Poets.

There have, of course, been many fine poets, writers of beautiful sentiments in beautiful numbers; but the supremely great poets may be counted on the fingers of the two hands. England and Scotland lead the world in great poets, having, perhaps, a half dozen, while the other countries can show hardly more than one each, and some of them not even one.

He Should Know.

Hibbs--"You certainly have a fine library. Can I borrow a book of yours occasionally?" Dibbs--"My dear chap, I make it a rule never to lend books, because people don't return them. You see, all these are borrowed books."--Boston Evening Transcript.

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Maine Woods has frequent inquiries for maps of the fishing regions of the state, etc. We can furnish the following maps:

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Oxford County	.50
Piscataquis County	.50
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Geological map of Maine	.85
R. R. map of Maine	.35
Androscoggin County	.35
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NOTES FROM OX BOW

Oxbow, Me., July 15, 1916.
To the Editor of Maine Woods:
"When the sun through Heaven descending, like a red burning cinder from the hearth of the Great Spirit, fell into the western waters," a week ago, then came out the reapers, and the annual hay harvest began. It's a bumper crop and should fill every crack and cranny in every barn and haymow in all this region of Maine. Potatoes look all right; so do the oats and "garden sass."

Trout are still running up the Umcolous—I have stopped 109 of them. Hayden brook, not far off, on its upper reaches, where the swift water is, gave a party about 100 sizeable trout early in the week. Much has been written about what is the best time of day to fish for trout. What I have to say about it is that I have caught trout at all hours, even at mid-day. Trout eat (at least Aroostook trout do) at any old time if food to their liking is placed before them in the proper manner. There's much good luck in knowing how to do it, and any old pole, line and hook, if strong enough, will do the trick. One alder pole held by a boy and a cotton string took a 2-pounder away from me one day. This fish was taken from under a thick blanket of froth not over three feet from the rock on which the young angler stood on the shore of the stream. We rarely fail to take trout from under such frothy blankets along the Umcolous river.

Our Millmagassetts camps will be well filled from now on for seven or eight weeks. Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Farish of New York, two daughters and a son have just arrived at the home camp at the Bow and will go up to the lake tomorrow for a long stay. August 15th next, Dr. H. T. Baldwin, wife and two sons are due for a month's stay at the lake. They are from Chestnut Hill, Mass.

Others there are who are on the anxious seat as to dates and cabins. Some way or other all the usual doubts and questions get settled amicably, and everybody has a good outing finally, and goes home perfectly satisfied, promising to come again. And no wonder. Billy's camps are beautiful for situation, on the south shores of Lake Millmagasset, and are easily reached by canoe, stopping over night in a comfortable camp half way up river, arriving at the lake early the next afternoon. Good beds, good grub and good sport; good air, and coldest of spring water abounds; so do trout.

Sunday baseball took the field here on the first day of the week. There was a large turnout of young and old. Many autos and not a few teams lined up near the battle field, and many who didn't feel well enough to go to church in the morning were there hanging on the log fence near Libby's hotel cow pasture. The scribe was there, but only as a newspaper reporter, of course, yet he will say that the game was played throughout in a very quiet and orderly way and

gave much innocent pleasure to more than a hundred interested spectators. Masardis sent over one of the teams and Oxbow met the enemy and defeated him. Next Sunday Oxbow sends a team to Masardis for another try-out.

What could show and try the "pep" of the brawn of the Oxbow younger set more than a dance on a hot July night, such as that of Thursday? That's just what they did do, and the affair was pulled off with just as much eclat as though it was a night in December and not July. Young folks came from Masardis by auto and the fun was kept up till the wee small hours of morning and a scotch mist covered hill and dale with a cold wet blanket.

The regular run of sportsmen begins here about a month later than in the southern sections of the state. Anglers from Ashland, Presque Isle, Masardis and elsewhere pass by on their way to the lakes and streams west and south of the Bow. Libby's hotel at the Bow reports many sports booked for August and September fishing. A goodly number are now on the trails and rivers coming from nearby places. Well, my inner man says that a good half pound trout would go well for breakfast tomorrow morning, so I will say "Au Revoir."

Yours cordially,
J. C. Hartshorne.

Just as I was about to seal this letter for the post, Billy and his daughter, Grace (now nine years old) came in from Hayden brook with a fine lot of trout. They left their canoe down stream, then waded and fished down, Grace wading and fishing about as well as her illustrious daddy. This stream, (I may be giving away a secret) I am persuaded, is much more to be desired for small trout than local fishermen, by their off-hand talk would indicate.

The "Blue Alsatian Mountains" don't have anything to boast of over the Blue Aroostook Mountains in full view from our front piazza 25 miles west of the Bow. All through this week our high hills have been veiled in gray-blue mist, while all the while a red-hot sun has blazed overhead every day, and the atmosphere between has appeared to be perfectly clear. The Massachusetts Fish and Game Commissioners have fixed the open season on pheasants for October 12th to November 12th, the same as last year. Shooting is lawful in only seven counties—2 birds in one day and 6 only in the season.

MT. ABRAM CAMPS OPEN

C. A. Rogers Is the New Manager
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Enjoying the magnificent mountain scenery at Mt. Abram Farm Camps at present are: W. G. Richards of Portland, general secretary of the Y. M. C. A. there, with Mrs. Richards Mrs. Charles B. Richardson and daughter, Vivian of South Portland, Mrs. A. B. Waterhouse and grandson, Alfred Waterhouse of South Portland, H. A. Putnam, who is on the editorial staff of the Express-Advertiser, Portland, with Mrs. Putnam and sons, Harold and Philip, and George Barnjum.

These famous camps bid fair to be among the most popular in this section under the efficient management of their new proprietor, C. A. Rogers, who, with his genial wife is proving an ideal host. Especially popular with the guests are the well stocked trout brooks which abound in the great forest district encircling these camps.

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The new edition of the Determined Angler and the Brook Trout by Charles Bradford and published by G. P. Putnam's Sons is intensely interesting and filled from cover to cover with valuable information, especially to the tyro, on all phases of the angler's art.

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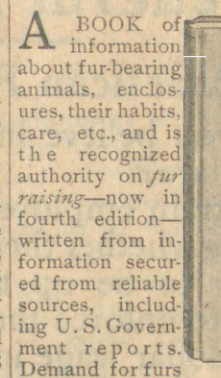


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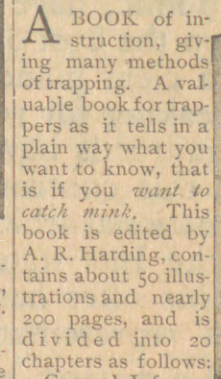


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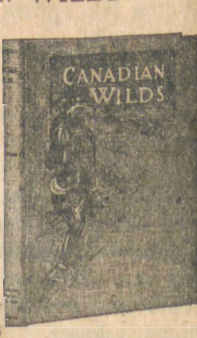
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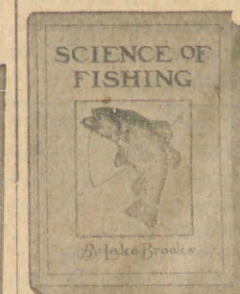
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A policeman is a menace to the community if he carries a firearm without knowing the first thing about handling it.

Some years ago it was commonly believed that there wasn't any use in practicing revolver shooting because shooters were born and not made. This impression was coupled with the delusion that the United States is a nation of marksmen.

Now the United States is not at present a nation of sharpshooters regardless of what it may have been in the past. Furthermore, marksmen are made and not born that way. Of course some may be more adaptable than others.

The policeman carries a revolver for but one purpose and that is to enforce the law when other methods fail. To do this he must be so familiar with the handling of his weapon that it becomes habit, and on occasion arises which calls for shooting he should be able to place his bullets where he wants them to go. Careful and regular practice are bound to produce satisfactory results if persisted in even in the most apparently hopeless cases.

All over the country the police departments, big and small, are waking up to the necessity of pistol practice.

Take New York for example; the Police Department has within the last year or two, made it compulsory for every policeman in the department to practice at regular intervals. It is simply one of the many departments which are giving the matter intelligent attention.

The policeman who says he hasn't fired his revolver for years will soon be extinct, together with the one who loads his center fire revolver with rim fire cartridges.

N. F. R., Springfield, Ill.

1. I have just purchased a new .22 caliber, hammerless rifle, 24 inch octagon, and wish a few tips on how to properly take care of it. Is a brass or steel cleaning rod the better?

Ans. The steel rod is really better. In the first place, it is much stronger than the brass rod and especially in the .22 caliber size this is important. A broken rod end is not the easiest thing in the world to remove. The steel rod is also better for the reason that it does not pick up grit. If you are making a rod yourself, the best material to use is Stubbs drill rod. The best size is a No. 11 wire gauge.

2. Isn't a rod with a swivel handle better than one without?

Ans. A swivel handle rod, if properly made so that it really turns and follows the rifling both on the thrust and pull, is a great convenience. It is not by any means a necessity, however, so long as one in using a rigid rod is careful to turn

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great deal on the weather conditions and how long you expect to put the rifle away. If the weather is very damp, it is better to coat the inside of the barrel with a good gun grease, especially if you expect to leave it for a week or more.

7. Do the various powder solvents on the market injure the rifling, or do you recommend their use? If so, when and how often?

Ans. None of the powder solvents on the market will injure the rifling. I recommend their regular use for cleaning the barrel.

P. K., Alsask, Sask.

Noticing an article in your Target Tips and Hunting Helps some time ago regarding rust and powder burns in a .22 rifle, and having mislaid the paper I am writing you for the information again: I have a .22 rifle which is somewhat powder burnt and rusted. Would like to get your recipe again.

Ans. I do not remember having given any recipe for the removal of rust. If it is what is known as surface rust, that is, has not eaten into the barrel appreciably, the best thing I know of to remove it is a brass bristle brush and nitro-solvent oil. If after continuing scrubbing for some time there are dark patches in the barrel and it seems to be pitted, I would suggest that you send the barrel to the factory where by cleaning it out by the leading process they may bring it back to usefulness again. If this fails there is only one remedy—a new barrel.

G. T. L., Wabash, Ind.

Will you please tell me how to light the target for shooting at night. I have been shooting at 25 yards with open sights and I cannot seem to get light enough to make the sight clear and sharp. There is no electricity where I am located and I have fixed two old automobile lamps that burn acetylene right up close to the target. It seems bright enough but I cannot do good shooting.

Ans. In the first place, it is impossible to get the sights so that they will be absolutely sharp when using open sights. This is due to the fact that the eye cannot see sharply several things at the same time when they are at different distances from the eye. I rather imagine that your trouble is too much light on the target and no light anywhere else. The target probably ap-

pears to you as a very white spot surrounded by darkness. I would suggest that you try moving the lamps back from the target and setting the target up against several large sheets of brown paper. There will then be considerably more light coming back to the eye but not so much from the point you are trying to shoot at. This will make the light easier on your eye and I feel sure that you will get better results. The next worse thing to having too little light is to have too much light. If this does not work, come again.

ORDER OF OWLS HAS PARK

South Bend, Ind., July 11, 1916.
Editor Maine Woods,
Phillips, Me.

It is a pleasure to me to be able to announce, as the Supreme Secretary of the Order of Owls, that the organization, numbering 300,000 members, with 2,100 lodges, the membership of which is well established in all States of the Union and in all English speaking countries and provinces outside the United States, a year since determined to establish an International Park, to be controlled by the Order, where recreation angling and game shooting could be furnished to its members. The Park has now been established.

The Order has purchased a large tract of land in Central Vermont, one mile distant from the village of Gaysville. It is threaded by trout streams and lies in the center of the best deer shooting in North America. Grouse, rabbits, bear and other game are there in abundance. The organization will maintain this Park permanently. Within the present year the construction of buildings thereon will be begun.

Yours,
Geo. D. Berth,
Supreme Secretary.

Why don't you send in that story of your last year's hunting trip? Your friends would like to read it. All the better if illustrated.

Right Sort of Citizen.

A man of a right spirit is not a man of narrow and private views, but is greatly interested and concerned for the good of the community to which he belongs and particularly of the city or village in which he resides, and for the true welfare of the society of which he is a member.—Jonathan Edwards.

WOOD WASTE EXCHANGE WIDELY USED.

Washington, July 18.—Extensive use by lumbermen and wood-working factories of the wood waste exchange conducted by the Forest Service is reported by officials who have just completed a short field study to determine the extent to which the opportunities offered are being taken advantage of. Only a small per cent of the total number of concerns listed were visited, but a comparatively large number were found to have benefited by the exchange.

Makers of wooden novelties, it is said, have been particularly successful in finding supplies of material near their plants. Other wood-working industries have been able to dispose of their waste at higher prices than they could otherwise have obtained. Many of the firms were located within short distances of each other, but until recently have had no way of getting together.

The wood waste exchange was established by the Forest Service in 1914. It consists of two lists of manufacturers, which are sent out quarterly to persons desiring them. One of these is of "Opportunities to Sell Waste" and contains the names of firms which use sawdust and small pieces of wood. This list is sent to plants having waste for sale. The other is of "Opportunities to Buy Waste" and gives the names of concerns which have waste to dispose of. This list is sent to firms who wish to buy material.

There is no charge for the service and any manufacturer who wishes to have his name added to either list can do so by writing to the Forest Service, Washington, D. C. A list of waste problems which the exchange has proved an effective means of meeting can also be obtained by anyone who cares to ask for it.

Husband and Wife.

A husband and wife have no business to tell one another's faults to anybody but to one another. They cannot do it without shame. Their grievances are to be settled in private, between themselves; and in all public places, and among friends, they are to preserve towards one another that nice consideration and entire respectfulness which their relation enjoins. For they are one in the law; and for a man or woman to publish the truth, that they are not in fact, is to acknowledge that they are living in the relation of an unwilling lover and a compulsory mistress.—Josiah Gilbert Holland.

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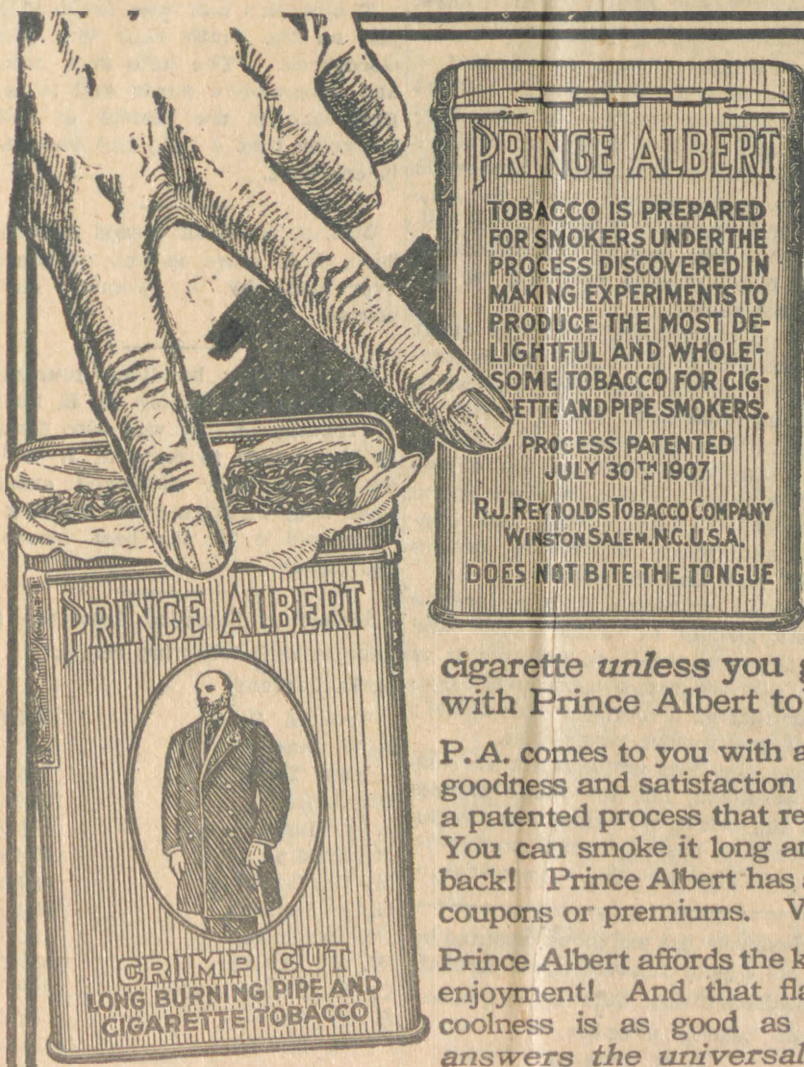
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(Special Correspondence.)

Rangeley, July 19.—Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Tibbetts are keeping house in the Harry Quimby rent.

John Corey and son, Julius of Blaine were recent guests at Bedford Corey's. Norman Corey, who was here the past season, returned home with them.

Thursday evening members of the R. H. S. alumni gathered at the

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Grange hall for the purpose of organizing an alumni association. Every class but 1910 was represented. H. B. McCard, 1907, was chosen president, Eugenie Easley, 1914, secretary and treasurer. Music and conversation made the time pass very quickly. Dainty refreshments of ice cream, cookies and punch were served. During the evening a letter from J. E. Peakes was read. A pleasant time was enjoyed by all.

Willard E. Hewey is at home from Stonington, Conn.

Leon Hoar, who has been very ill at Dr. Ross' private hospital, returned home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Caswell returned to their home in Brockton, Monday morning after a two weeks' visit with relatives in town.

Mrs. Londer and party, who are to occupy the Gilman cottage, arrived Tuesday. Ira Hoar met them at Portland with an auto.

Mr. and Mrs. Archibald of Weehawken, N. J., are occupying their camp on the shore of Rangeley Lake.

G. M. Esty went to Lewiston Monday.

Miss Lulene Pillsbury of Lewiston spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Pillsbury.

A good-sized family party took dinner on the spacious piazza at Ross

Acres Sunday. A beautiful picnic dinner was enjoyed and the afternoon spent in talking over old times. For generations of one family. Four generations of the family of Daniel Hoar were present. The entire party consisted of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Hoar, Mr. and Mrs. Anson Hoar, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Hoar, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hoar, Mr. and Mrs. A. Caswell, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Doten, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Ross, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Ellis, Mrs. Albert Carlton and son, Donald, Miss Muriel Hoar, Miss Nadine and Master Allison Hoar, Mr. and Mrs. J. Sherman Hoar, Clinton Hoar.

Mrs. Albert Carlton returned to Kennebago Monday morning.

T. Freeman Tibbetts spent the week-end with his family.

W. D. Hayes and son, Danforth were in Lewiston Monday.

Miss Kathleen Dyer is spending the vacation at Lake View Farm.

H. A. Furbish and Glenn Butler spent the week-end at Kennebago.

Miss Mary Whaples is assisting at Mrs. Emma P. McCard's during the busy season.

Miss Hildred Robertson is employed at the stone station as assistant again this season.

GETTING THE DUCK BLIND READY.

In building duck-blinds on freshwater lakes and ponds the most important thing to remember is that there should be a harmony of color between the material used in their construction and the surrounding growth, says July Outing. Beware of a big black blind in a bed of yellowish green wild rice or a light straw-colored one along a dark shoreline. Also remember that, when possible blinds for the season's shooting should be built before the northern birds arrive, so that when they come they may believe them of natural growth and not show suspicion of their being man-made.—Springfield Republican.

HOW MAINE HOUSES ITS SUMMER GUESTS.

There are in Maine 1,265 hotels, camps and boarding houses, that cater especially to the summer tourists, representing a combined capacity of 69,073 guests. Our summer tourist season, measured by our schedule for full summer train service comprises a period of one hundred days, or approximately fourteen weeks.

A careful estimate shows that a million and a half people spend their summer vacation in New England and on the basis of Maine's representation this state's proportion of the gross amount would be 458,100 or in round numbers, a half million out-state guests; approximately four four thousand each day of the summer season.

As to the amount of money spent by the tourist throng for transportation to, through and from this state and entertainment during their sojourn within its borders, it figures upon the same basis as the above, that is, that pleasure seekers spend between one hundred and one hundred and twenty-five million dollars in all New England annually.

Maine's proportion of the revenue would amount to \$34,357,500.00 and on the same basis of estimate it is felt that we can conservatively consider that each tourist spends \$75.00; some vastly more, others less.

One sees this grand result variously estimated, but the above figures are the result of careful compilation and are as near the truth as may be figured. They are also conservative.

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PENN. GOVERNOR GETS GOOD STRING.

friends, if they enjoy lake and mountain scenery to take.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Condict of Jersey City, N. J., remain here until August.

Mr. and Mrs. David S. Cowles and Wm. H. P. Cowles of Rye, N. Y., are pleasantly located here for their first visit.

Mrs. E. A. Wakefield of South Africa, in company with Mrs. Yale D. Bishop of New Haven, Conn., who are on an extended trip through this state, spent the week here.

Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Abbott of Brookline, Mass., Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Richardson of Newton, Mass., while touring lingered here for several days.

D. H. Dixon of Montclair, N. Y., is among the late comers who will remain for several weeks.

Tuesday evening Miss Ros and Miss Williams arranged a delightful moonlight party for a company of young people. Capt. Halley took them down the lake to the picnic grounds, and there they made hot coffee and had their feast in the woods, returning when the "big full moon" was shining, and their songs and laughter told of the happy evening they had spent.

The Rangeley Motor Boat Club has its flags flying and later will have the usual motor boat races and water sports.

Mrs. E. S. Crocker has several times taken a party of ladies in her Pierce-Arrow car across country to Stratton for an afternoon ride, and they always return enthusiastic over the wild mountain scenery and the good roads.

The city people are interested in watching the hay makers on the hotel grounds.

Tennis as well as golf is now an outdoor pastime, and the bathers take many a dip in the lake these warm days.

The Saturday handicap tournaments are much talked of and bring the players out in large numbers to practice.

Dr. Lane, the well-known golfer from Brazil, is seen daily on the links. He is fast rounding into form and bids fair to enroll his name on the honor list.

The week's golf was featured by a one on the ninth hole by Morton Goodspeed. The hole is a hundred and seventy-five yards and it is the first time in the history of golf at Rangeley that a hole has been made in one shot.

Mrs. J. M. Bach turned a card of 94. This score is one of the best ever made by a woman on this course.

The weekly handicap tournament which was won by Mr. E. B. Parsons of Trenton, N. J., was also featured by the return to form of J. W. Daley. The latter displayed excellent form both in driving and putting and registered a 79, the best score of the season.

Result of Saturday handicap tournament with following scores:

E. B. Parsons,	
Trenton C. C.,	100-24-76
J. W. Daley,	
New York,	79-0-79
Dr. Lane,	89-10-79
J. S. Jones,	81-0-81
M. Trump,	97-16-81
M. Goodspeed,	83-0-83
E. B. Parsons,	103-20-83
Dr. Bordman,	92-9-83
W. B. Zimmer,	100-17-83
C. W. Williams, Jr.,	103-20-88
J. M. Beach,	97-8-89
C. W. Williams,	143-40-103

To Clean Water Bottles.

Put one handful of tea leaves, one tablespoonful of salt, one tablespoonful of vinegar into the water bottle, and then fill one-half full of water; rinse this well round and round for several times, then pour away, and wash thoroughly in cold water. Turn the bottle upside down to drain, and wipe the outside with a dry cloth.

Crooked.

"Well, how did your ticket come out in the primaries?" "Crooked politics beat us," answered the Punkville candidate. "We were fixing to offer two dollars for votes, and the other side came along offering five dollars. It's a heavy blow to reform."

THE "POET" GREET'S FLY ROD

week's automobile parties.

Miss Agnes Ross of Phillips is boarding here for a few weeks.

Mrs. E. P. Thayer of Boston and Miss Ella L. Gregory, who for more than 20 years have found Mountain View the ideal place for summer days, have returned and are accompanied by a charming lady, Dr. E. B. Cahill, who has been with them for several seasons.

The handsome canoe, "Red Wings" is again seen on the lake, for H. E. Moore of Boston has returned whom everyone is glad to greet again. Mr. Moore spent some time at Round Mountain Lake and Mr. Bowley sent his automobile as far as Eustis to bring him and Charles W. Dyer of Taunton, Mass., across country.

Mrs. H. H. Davis and daughter, Miss M. and son, LeRoy Davis of Monticello, N. J., who are touring, came from Kinross in their Buick car, were here for over Sunday, going home via Bretton Woods.

Commodore F. A. Newlin of Boston has launched his boat "Comet" and now his friends will be enjoying moonlight sails and rides to Rangeley for shopping trips.

The little church "Our Lady of the Lakes" at Oquossoc is to have for organist Arthur C. Daniels of Lewiston, who is a very fine pianist, and as musical director for the College Duke toured the Middle West last winter, and this summer is acting as night clerk at this hotel.

C. A. Clarke of Boston, who has recently purchased Indian Point Cottage, is here with his daughter, Miss Margaret Clarke for a few days. Miss Clarke has this past week been entertaining three of her classmates at Bryant-Stratton Business College, Miss Sydney J. Betton of Lynn, Mass., Miss Helen Drummond and Miss May Ramsey of Boston, and the young ladies have enjoyed fishing, tramping and visiting the different places in the Rangeleys.

Dr. and Mrs. W. H. Young, Dr. and Mrs. W. D. Barron of Camden, who are on an auto trip in this part of Maine tarried here for over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Stocum of Montclair, N. J., are among the new comers for a few weeks' stay.

Miss Madge S. Clarke of Brooklyn, N. Y., is pleasantly located at this hotel for a month.

Dr. and Mrs. H. C. Schuman of Boston are spending their honeymoon days in Camp Fleuve-de-lis. Both the Doctor and wife are fine swimmers and diving from the float they take strong strokes and go far out into the lake.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Rosenbery and daughter of New York spent several days this week in one of the cottages here while motoring through Maine.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Barrett of New York, who came this week, were so much pleased with the place they have taken rooms for an extended stay.

Among the new comers who are greatly taken with Mountain View are Mrs. William C. Allen and daughters, Miss I. M. and Miss Mary and sons, Ronald and Master Will and maid, and Chas. S. Thorne of New York.

Roy O. Hawkins of Providence, R. I., is no doubt trying to be as famous a fisherman as his father, for he landed a 3-pound salmon yesterday that his father netted.

Miss Marguerite Clarke of Newton, Mass., caught a 3-pound trout and her father, C. A. Clarke a 4-pound salmon, with R. O'Brien guide.

Fishing does not seem to call many out onto the lake these days, but cards and dancing, canoeing, boating and swimming, walking and motoring crowd the days and evenings with pleasure.

It is understood the log church which is nearly completed, will be ready and services held there next Sunday.

Unusual Insurance Policy.

Freak insurance is not at all uncommon with Lio'd, but what is considered as one of the most curious policies ever written by that agency was one covering a bishop, 11 priests and 17 nuns who were bound from London to Perth in western Australia. The policy was for \$10,000, divided thus Bishop, \$5,000; 11 priests, \$3,500; 17 nuns, \$1,500. They all reached their destination safely.

Quick and Dangerous.

Most things that are of mushroom growth have toadstool characteristics. —Philadelphia Inquirer.