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Yolks of four eggs. Three tablespoonfuls of olive oil. Four tablespoonfuls of vinegar. One-half tablespoonful of mustard. One teaspoonful of salt. Two teaspoonfuls of sugar. One-half pint of whipped cream.

Put yolks in sauce-pan, stir to a cream. Then slowly add four tablespoonfuls of oil, drop by drop, stirring constantly. When this is well mixed, add the vinegar. Set sauce-pan in double boiler. Stir over the fire until contents begin to thicken, then remove, and stir until cool. Then add the four remaining spoonfuls of oil drop by drop. Now add sugar, salt, mustard and cream.

If you do not care to use all at one time, do not put cream in, as it will keep for weeks without the cream, and it should be added when used. Red pepper should be added after cream has been whipped in. Quantity to taste.

Salad Dressing.

Three eggs, beaten light. One-half cup of vinegar. One-half cup of water. One teaspoonful of salt. One teaspoonful of sugar. One teaspoonful of mustard. Butter size of a walnut. A little red pepper. Mix and put in a double boiler until it thickens. Strain. Stir while cooking.

Cream Salad Dressing.

Yolks of two eggs well beaten. One cup of cream. Butter size of an egg. One-fourth teaspoonful of red pepper. One-half teaspoonful of mustard. Add four tablespoonfuls of vinegar. Cook until it thickens. After removing from stove, beat until cold. Then whip in one half a cup of whipped cream. Deborah.

CARTHAGE.

March 14, 1910.

Mrs. Winnifred Staples Smith is spending a few weeks in Bangor and Portland.

Quite a large number attended the Pohnemian Glass Blowers' shows last week.

Eugene Staples is hauling birch to Dixfield.

Fred Smith made a trip to Rumford last week.

Clinton Libby took the prize offered by the Glass Blowers for the most popular child under six years of age.

Clarence White has finished work for E. L. Holt.

Carthage Town Meeting.

Mod., J. G. Coburn; clerk, Erlon R. Berry; selectmen, Lester S. Libby, Chas. Brown, F. W. Smith; treasurer, E. C. McLain; road commissioner, A. W. Burgess; school committee, E. B. Maxwell; collector of taxes, to be chosen by the selectmen.

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OBITUARY.

Sarah V. Clark.

During the past few weeks the many friends of Mrs. Clark have been asking with deep interest as to her health. She was called by her Father to her heavenly reward Feb. 21, at Sanford, Me., after a severe illness of pneumonia.

She was the daughter of Rev. Elias Dodge and was born and spent the early part of her life in Carmel, Me. She received her education at Bucksport, and was for several years a very successful teacher. As a girl she was loved by all who knew her and as she grew to womanhood her true sense of duty and her beautiful character endeared her to all.

On January 11, 1870, she was married to Dennis E. Clark of Strong. Five sons blessed this union. Her home was at Strong, where she became a member of the Methodist church in 1873.

In the passing of Mrs. Clark we have lost one, not prominent in public work, only on account of her location. Her sphere of work was

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among the sick and those in trouble, to whom her very presence brought cheer and comfort. She was one who never thought of being ministered unto, but whose pleasure was in ministering to others. She was the exemplification of a true wife and loving mother, always striving to make her home the brightest place on earth. Her unselfish nature caused all who came in contact with her to admire the sweet spirit that manifested itself through the whole life of this noble woman. Her husband and five sons are in deep sorrow, but they are grateful that she has been spared to pass her sixty-sixth birthday, and to see her family grown to mature life.

The funeral services were held in the Methodist church at Strong. The hymns "Abide With Me" and "Jesus, Lover of my Soul," were sung by the choir, also the song "At Last" by Miss Clifford. Beautiful flowers attested the affection of her friends. So our friends may gaze on to

"Time's willow-shaded river,  
To the spring embosomed shore;  
Where the sweet light shineth ever,  
And the sun goes down no more;  
O, wondrous, wondrous shore."

Dea. Henry L. Sampson.

Deacon Henry L. Sampson, who, after a long illness of two years, passed peacefully away February 27, was the oldest son of Abel Sampson, Jr. His mother was Zeruah Stewart, daughter of Capt. Henry Stewart of Farmington, for whom Dea. Sampson was named. He was the seventh generation from Henry Sampson who as a lad came over in the Mayflower. He was a direct descendant of Myles Standish and John Alden. His mother traced her ancestry to a Puritan, James Stewart, who came over on the Fortune in 1621. Dea. Sampson was born in Temple, June 19, 1843, where he passed all his life with the exception of four years, during which time he was principal of the high school at Weld, Me. He was educated in the common schools of Temple, at the old Farmington academy, and at Kent's Hill. He taught school in Temple, Weld and West Farmington 31 years. He was on the school board and supervisor of schools for a long time. He established and taught a private high school in town, building the house which was afterwards taken down and carried to Farmington and used for the Wendell school.

He was married to Miss Jennie Colcord May 7, 1868, who has tenderly cared for him and faithfully ministered to his needs during his long, trying illness. One daughter was born to them, now Mrs. Mabel Mannock. His father, mother and two brothers were waiting for him over the river. One sister, Mrs. Helen Smith, is now the only survivor of the family.

Deacon Sampson was known for his integrity and uprightness, no more than for the noble graces of a refined Christian character. He was a member of the church for 48 years, clerk and secretary from 1881 until a year ago, when his feeble health compelled him to resign. He was made deacon in 1881, which office he held at the time of his death. He had the care of the church building, warming, lighting and ringing the bell for church services for twenty years, and during the time when the

church was without a pastor he conducted the services, by reading sermons.

He was always deeply interested in everything pertaining to church work, constant in attendance at all its services, and during the long months of sickness he regretted more than anything else his inability to attend church services.

He often said: "I wish I could make others feel as I do the duty and privilege of attending church, and of becoming Christians, living helpful lives for those around them and working for God who has done so much for us. I have nothing to do now but think, although it is very hard to bear. God knows best and is with me every hour, helping me to bear it, and by and by I shall understand it."

He appreciated the calls and letters received from friends, the flowers, fruit and delicacies sent him as tokens of love and sympathy. He often spoke of his old pupils and of their attentions to him. All these were rays of sunshine. Some pinks were sent him by his daughter a short time before his death. He said: "Beautiful flowers! They make me think of heaven. When we get there we will have them all the time."

The funeral services were held at his home Tuesday, March 1, Rev. W. B. Kenniston, a former pastor, assisted by the pastor, Rev. Grace Stanley, officiating. Mr. Kenniston spoke tender words of comfort, testifying to the helpful life and noble character of the deceased, and of the loss sustained by the town, church and home. Two selections were sung by a male quartet. The casket was covered by lovely flowers from friends, which were highly appreciated by the family. The burial was in the lot beside father, mother and brother in the Intervale cemetery.

H. M. S.

The Sabbath Then and Now.

Salem, Me., Feb. 28, 1910.

To the Editor of Maine Woods and Maine Sportsman:

Let our thoughts run backward to those who crossed a stormy sea, that they might find a place to worship God according to the dictates of their own hearts.

Religious liberty was the boon sought for by the Pilgrim fathers.

What hardships they endured that this might be gained!

Religious worship was not always enjoyed in the peaceful atmosphere it is now.

History tells us how their arms were stacked at the church door while they were attending worship inside. Even for many years attending church meant something besides a few steps down the street to a comfortable, even elegant church, with its well cushioned pews. It often meant a long ride over rough roads in an uncomfortable team, or perhaps on horseback, or maybe a walk of six or eight miles—not to the modern church, but to perhaps an old schoolhouse or any room where they might gather and listen to the word of God. But did they hesitate over these things, framing little excuses on account of the weather or a slight indisposition, or worse yet, "nothing suitable to wear?" Far from it. They felt it a duty and a privilege and not one went to represent the family, but the whole family went. They had not gotten the idea that religion was something for women and children; it was something as necessary to fathers and sons as to the mothers and daughters.

Today, instead of the deep tranquility and pure refreshment that the Sabbath once brought, we have the constant invasion of business and a fierce onslaught of amusement, making it more of a holiday than a holy day.

But, they say that is the only day the working class have for recreation and change (it would be quite a change for some of them to attend church) and that it is necessary to keep these places of amusement, etc., open for their benefit.

But, wherein are they benefited? There is neither physical or spiritual rest gained. They go back to their places of business Monday more wearied than when they left them on Saturday; and certainly with a much lighter pocketbooks. Would they think of giving one half as much to God's cause?

And may this not be helping to swell the great number of nervous wrecks so common nowadays. Breaking down under too close application to business they say, and what wonder? God never intended us to stand up under a seven-day strain.

That seventh day was set apart for rest and for due recognition and worship of the creation.

The tendency to destroy the Sabbath is in direct denial of divine authority. What can we do to check the progress of disintegration and once more bring about a return to the hallowing of the Lord's day? The question is pertinent and practical.

Lulie M. Heath.

MILE SQUARE, AVON.

March 14, 1910.

The last of the year's apples on the hill were bought by Lowell & Whitten and packed up last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Selden Keene of Phillips visited at Fred Ellsworth's Sunday.

Mr. E. A. Peary and M. G. Bubbler were in Rangeley Monday night to attend a K. of P. meeting.

Mrs. Dana Stinchfield of Phillips is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Peary.

Miss Edna Dodge of Salem visited at G. F. Beal's last week.

Messrs. Ernest Leadbetter and Burdell Wright of Farmington visited at G. F. Beal's Sunday.

Miss Gertrude Dunham is taking music lessons of Miss Lucille French in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Plaisted of Phillips visited at Fred Ellsworth's one day last week.

EAST WELD.

March 14, 1910.

Mr. F. L. Buker, who has been at Framingham and Boston, Mass., for two weeks visiting relatives and friends, returned Thursday, the 10th.

Mrs. Dayton M. Greene, a former resident of Weld, and little daughter, Marion, who have been visiting in Franklin county, also relatives at Rumford, Mexico and Newry, returned to their home at Forest Hills, Boston, Wednesday, the 9th.

Uncle Silas Wing of Phillips was in town selling cranberries last week.

Gilbert Houghton of Wilton bought a new milch cow and calf of I. H. Buker last week.

I. H. Buker and Delbert Buker went to Wilton last Friday.

John Kennedy and Mr. Abbott from No. 6, were guests of I. H. Buker last Friday.

Mrs. E. P. B. of Weld, who is 75 years old, is suffering from an attack of pneumonia. This is her fifth attack of this terrible disease within seven years. They think she will recover. Mrs. Martha Proctor is taking care of her.

Saved a Soldier's Life.

Facing death from shot and shell in the civil war was more agreeable to J. A. Stone, of Kemp, Tex., than facing it from what doctors said was consumption. "I contracted a stubborn cold," he writes, "that developed a cough, that stuck to me in spite of all remedies for years. My weight ran down to 130 pounds. Then I began to use Dr. King's New Discovery, which completely cured me. I now weigh 173 pounds." For Coughs, Colds, La Grippe, Asthma, Hemorrhage, Hoarseness, Croup, Whooping Cough and lung trouble it's supreme. 50c. \$1.00. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by W. A. D. Cragin, Phillips; Chas. E. Dyer, Strong; L. L. Mitchell, Kingfield; E. H. Whitney, Rangeley.

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## AMONG THE CHURCHES.

## Union Church, Phillips.

Melvin Sherburne Hutchins, pastor. Calendar for week ending Saturday, March 26.

Sunday, March 20: 10.30 morning worship, sermon, "Down Into the Valley" (an offering will be taken at this morning service for the benefit of the American Board of Foreign Mission); 11.45, Sabbath school; 7.30, people's service, address, "The Deadly Sins."

Thursday, March 24, 7.30 p. m., Union prayer meeting.

Saturday, March 26, 2.30 p. m. F. B. conference. All are invited to attend these services.

At the Union church the subject of the Sunday morning sermon preached by Rev. M. S. Hutchins was "Volunteer Undertakers." The scripture reading which was at the same time the text, was the passages making mention of Nicodemus and of Joseph of Arimathea, and included selections from the third, the seventh and the nineteenth chapters of John.

In olden times there was not such a diversity of occupations to which persons gave their exclusive attention as we have at present. Families did more things for themselves. Much of the preparation of food and clothing now done by those making it their special work was accomplished at home. There was no one who gave to all the community the last care bestowed upon their bodies. Today I bring you a character study of those who performed these last offices for Jesus the Christ, and whose deeds in so doing have ever since placed them in the limelight of publicity.

It was the darkest day in human history. He who was the Son of God the noblest prophet God ever sent, the best man whose feet ever trod the earth, had been done to his death by those whom he came to help. His body was dead upon the cross. Who should come to give it the last care of earth, to offer the last ministrations of friendship?

Shall it not be some from the band which had enjoyed the closest companionship for three years with him, or some friend whose house had known the benediction of his presence, or, perchance, some from among the multitudes, whom he had healed? It was none of these. The two who took the body of Jesus and with loving care prepared it for the tomb were Joseph of Arimathea and Nicodemus, men who have been called cowardly. We know nothing of this Joseph, save that which is told us in this incident. He came secretly, fearfully asking for the body of his friend. Yet when it was given, he boldly and bravely placed it in his own new tomb. It is often in the crisis of life that those thought to be brave and those thought to be cowardly change places. It was not Peter, the impetuous, not he who had made the bold declaration "Thou art the Christ, the Son of the Living God," not he who had boastfully said "Though I should die with thee, yet will I not deny thee;" it was not John, so dear to Christ that he was called the beloved disciple, who gave to the body of their friend the last service that love could offer. Peter thrice denied Jesus, and John followed afar off.

A lesson that we are to draw from the story of this sad day is to be continually on our guard, lest temptation coming suddenly find us weak where we had deemed ourselves strong. And the second lesson is that though we know ourselves to be weak, we may find grace sufficient to enable us to bravely meet all the duties that may devolve upon us. One of the greatest sermons of Dr. John Watson of England, known to us as Ian MacLaren, author of "Beside the Bonny Brier Bush," is that upon Nicodemus. I wish to quote this morning several of his thoughts and conclusions regarding the character of this man. The first mention made of Nicodemus is that he came secretly to Jesus by night, and we have termed him cowardly. Dr. Watson gives three reasons which would induce him to go by night, none of which reflect upon his bravery. First, Nicodemus was a scholar. His scholarly tastes made him a seeker after and a lover of truth. He wished to hear the words of the new teacher and his teaching regarding things that he wished to ask him, not in the noise and confusion of a crowd, but in a place of quiet, where he might perceive their meaning and weight. So coming at night he asked Jesus concerning entrance into the kingdom of God. The answer which he received, "Ye must be born again," has been often repeated, and rightly so, saying that Jesus declared the necessity of a spiritual birth as there is of a birth into the mental and physical life. There must be a turning from all that is selfish and low, a turning toward that which is pure, and good, and higher. There must be that which in theological terms is called regeneration. This Jesus said to Nicodemus. But today we are not speaking of the truths that were told, but we are making a character study of the inquirer. Because he wanted the scholar's understanding of what he might learn, Nicodemus went to Jesus by night.

Again, he was a leader of the people. There had descended to him through generations of ancestors the

Every Tub Stands.  
On Its Own Bottom.

And so does every town.

If the bottom of this town drops out, what are we going to stand on?

And the bottom will drop out—

If we fail to stand together and work together for the good of the community—myself, yourself and the other fellow.

In order to build to the top, there must be a solid bottom.

position and the qualities of leadership. He who climbs a mountain alone may take any way he chooses that leads him to the top, but he who is finding a way for others must choose his path with care. Nicodemus as a leader of the people must exercise great caution, and be sure of the wisdom of the way before he leads others therein.

The third reason Dr. Watson gives as to his mind, the strongest of the three: Result of temperament. The publicity attending the discussion of matters pertaining to his own spiritual life when others were thronging about Jesus was distasteful to him.

Nicodemus was brave to invoke the majesty of the law, when, in the second incident that is told of him, he demanded of the Sanhedrim who would condemn Jesus, that he be given a hearing. It was not the populace, they who some time waved branches of palm along the way he passed and greeted him with loud hosanna, it was not one whom he had forgiven, healed or taught, neither was it one of that nearer band who had walked with him through Galilee, hearing his words and seeing his deeds as he went about doing good, who pleaded that justice be shown Jesus. It was one of that class which alone called forth words of denunciation from the lips of the gentle Christ, the Pharisee, Nicodemus. He was true to Christ successful, Christ tried, Christ defeated.

The lesson is not a condemnation of others. It is a statement of fact. In the service of God there is a place for all who will enter it. Church history gives the names of

the disciples and of the apostles. No mention is made of Nicodemus. Tradition says that he was an outcast from his nation because of his friendship for Jesus. While Peter was speaking of him whom he once denied, while Paul was preaching the gospel of Jesus Christ and him crucified, while John was telling of the friend whose love was beyond any other love, the influence of Nicodemus, we may be sure, was somewhere speaking for the same friend.

The first thought in the Lenten season is one of gratitude for mercies received and it bears with it the desire to render service. There is the temptation to imitate others in our work. We each have our own powers, our own understanding, our own love. Let us use these as obedient children, each doing his own part in the uplifting of the world. "To thine own self be true, and it must follow as the night the day, Thou canst not then be false to any" duty.

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## DEAD RIVER.

March 7, 1910. Ray Viles finished his work at The Carry the last of the week. Mr. Chas. Peterson of Lexington was in town, looking for a chance to purchase a pair of horses for Ray Viles. Messrs. Leroy Parsons, Danville Durrell and Russell Safford have taken out their New England telephones. Mr. Warren Gould has finished his job and has begun on another. The winter has broken and the crows have come. Mr. Mahlon Sampson is at work at Jlin Pond.

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## HIGHLAND.

March 7, 1910. Mr. A. J. Dunphy began hauling birch to the Lexington mill Saturday. Chas. Pinkham has not hauled any birch for John Ford, since it rained. Mr. Justin Howard is at work cutting wood for Obed Allen. Mr. Chas. Bradbury has sold his farm to F. M. Churchill. Herbert Gould, a guide in town, went to the hospital in Waterville for a few weeks' treatment last week. Mr. George Safford was in town to purchase a horse to work on a farm. Mr. Walter Safford purchased a horse of Roscoe Peterson recently.

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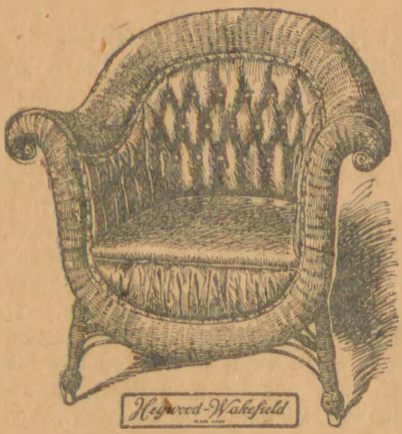
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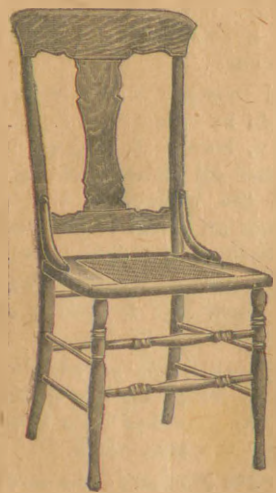




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ent and seats were brought in from the vestry to accommodate the people. Wednesday evening was devoted to missionary work. A concert by the children was conducted by Miss Betty Marden. Lillo May Norton and two Whittemore girls sang songs and the other children had recitations. All did themselves much credit. A choir rendered some very fine music, after which Elder Coy gave a very interesting missionary discourse. The meeting all through was very helpful and interesting. The time between the sermons was filled in with prayer meetings. Dinner and supper were prepared by the good people of West Farmington at the church, who were very generous in their supply. A very large company was served. The members of the church at West Farmington feel very grateful to all who so kindly helped.

The Red schoolhouse circle had a drama at the schoolhouse last Saturday night. Ice cream and cake were served, also candy was for sale. The proceeds, which were over \$14, went toward paying for a horse shed at the schoolhouse. The Sabbath school has been kept up through the winter with good interest.

**STRONG.**

March 14, 1910.

The Monday snowstorm made fairyland among the trees and brooks.

C. V. Starbird and family arrived from Florida Friday noon and received a cordial welcome.

Mr. Charles Shaw started Monday for his new position in charge of the college buildings at Middletown, Ct. Mrs. Shaw will visit friends in Cheshireville for the present.

There was a good audience at the Methodist church Sunday. The pastor preached from Romans and spoke of the great value of the "spiritual gift" to every home. There were 81 in Sunday school. A Chautauqua salute was given to Washington Daggett, who has acted as superintendent this winter, and to C. V. Starbird, who is the returning superintendent.

March 27 will be Easter Sunday and special services will be held in the churches.

Mr. O. M. Moore will give an interesting address on Western experiences in the Methodist church, Tuesday evening, March 22, at 7.30 p. m. Be sure to hear him, for he has good stories and facts of value to all.

**TAYLOR HILL, STRONG.**

March 14, 1910.

Mrs. W. K. Howes has returned to her home, after a successful surgical operation, and her many friends hope that she will steadily gain in health.

C. A. Goldsmith was on the hill Saturday last.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Savage of New Vineyard visited at Mrs. Nellie E. Voter's Sunday.

George E. Voter has gone to Portland for a time.

Mrs. Nellie Voter has gone for an extended visit among relatives and friends in Lewiston, Lisbon, Mechanic Falls and Rumford Falls.

Mr. Arthur Furbish and Mrs. Cowan visited Mrs. Cowan's daughter, Mrs. Seldon Fuller, last Saturday.

**EAST NEW PORTLAND.**

March 14, 1910.

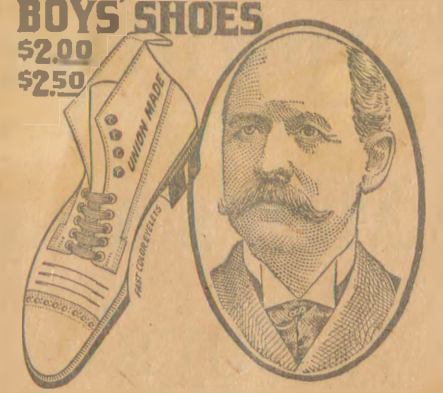
Mr. and Mrs. Sam Quint and Lou Kenton passed through town Sunday. F. G. Emery has returned home from the woods.

Miss Gladys Starbird of Solon is

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Harold Adams has been hauling logs with C. H. Noyes' team the past week.

Mr. Edwin Jones and Mrs. George Jackson have returned to their home in Bath.

Mrs. Guy Smith has returned to her home in Waterville.

Rev. and Mrs. L. Hutchins are slowly improving from their recent illnesses.

Mrs. A. M. Adams and daughter, Jennie, spent the Sabbath at home.

#### Resolutions of Respect.

Whereas, the Supreme Grand Commander, in His All-Wise Providence, has seen fit to transfer the distinguished spirit of our Comrade Richard H. McKenney from our ranks below to the Grand Army above.

Resolved: That in the passing of Comrade McKenney, this Post has lost a valuable member, the community a worthy citizen, and the family of the deceased a kind and indulgent husband and father.

Resolved: That we extend our heartfelt sympathy to the family of the deceased, in this hour of their great bereavement.

Resolved: That the Charter of our Post be draped in mourning for thirty days, that these Resolutions be spread upon our Records, a copy sent to the widow of our deceased Comrade and a copy sent to the Maine Woods and Maine Sportsman for publication.

H. R. Butterfield,

Lafayette Voter,

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**FARMINGTON.**  
March 14, 1910.

Mr. A. D. Norton has been holding meetings at Fairbanks recently, one at Elias Bryant's house, and the last two at the church, which were well attended.

Mrs. Nettie Dodge Hunter and her son, Harry, of Wilton visited Mrs. J. M. S. Hunter Monday and Tuesday week. Mr. Hunter has just returned home from a long trip as a salesman for the Bass shoe which is manufactured in Wilton.

Miss Cleona Coolidge has been quite ill the past week from tonsillitis. Dr. Lyford was called. She was confined to the house for a number of days, but is now out again. She has also suffered from the effects of chloroform taken for the removal of a tooth.

The leading character, Mr. Bennett, in the play, "The Holy City," which was given here Wednesday night week, gave a talk to the students of the high school Wednesday afternoon on the controversy of the authorship of Shakespeare's plays. It was much enjoyed.

Mr. Orrington Berry of Dryden was in town between trains Tuesday week and called on friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Sewall Hancock, who have been visiting in the southern part of the state for the past three months, returned home Wednesday night.

Mrs. Justin Taylor of Stark drove

into town Friday morning and took dinner with her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Westcott.

A number of the pupils of the high school, accompanied by two of the lady teachers, took a walk on the crust Saturday morning to the Titcomb sugar camps.

Mrs. Dana Ranger of Temple called on her former neighbor, Mrs. Susan Cutler, Friday afternoon.

Nelson True, a former resident of this place, is very ill at the home of Henry Adams in Temple.

Samuel Stackpole has been quite ill for a number of days past, but has persisted in going to the station every day, nevertheless.

The chorus has begun rehearsing for the May Fair entertainment.

Mr. and Mrs. John Perham have both been confined to the house recently, suffering from grip.

Mrs. Hannah Simpson Russell has been sick with a severe cold.

Mr. Henry Conant is quite ill with Bright's disease, but still gets out doors occasionally.

Miss Mabel E. Hunter returns home the 19th, for a week's recess from her school in Dexter.

Miss Dorothea May Carville, who has been visiting friends at Fairbanks, returned home Thursday.

We are glad that the English sparrow has a few friends. We should miss their happy little chirping if they should be exterminated, as some seem to wish them to be.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Raymond of Avon drove down Saturday afternoon to pass Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Susan Cutler, on Pleasant street.

A pair of doves has begun making their nest in a stable this week.

Some pussy willow branches, which were picked Sunday, the 6th, and put in water in a warm room, are growing finely and are almost ready to blossom.

Mrs. Harry Brown went to Boston Monday, March 14, to get her new millinery for the spring trade.

Edward Parker of New Vineyard drove a handsome Likewise four-year-old colt down to the village Saturday.

Master Carl Milliken, who has been with his grandmother in Boston for the past four weeks, is home again.

Mrs. Joseph Wellman and daughter, Miss Fannie, have returned from their visit in Massachusetts.

Mr. M. A. Shaw, S. B., has resigned as submaster of the high school. Mr. Merrill, a student at Bowdoin, will finish out the school year. He has taken a room at Mrs. John M. S. Hunter's.

**WEST FARMINGTON.**

March 14, 1910.

The Farmington Quarterly meeting convened with the Free Baptist church at West Farmington Wednesday and Thursday, March 9 and 10. It was the largest meeting known for years, if ever. Tuesday evening Rev. Mr. Mosher of Augusta gave an able discourse to a well filled house of attentive hearers. Wednesday and Thursday a large audience was pres-

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Treasurer's Office, Farmington, Me., Feb. 19, 1910.			
The following costs in Criminal Prosecutions were allowed by the Supreme			
Judicial Court at the February term, 1910:			
Case	Originated Before	Costs Allowed	
State vs. Herbert Jewell, Supreme Judicial Court,		\$ 4.80	
Alfred Snow, Supreme Judicial Court,		4.73	
Marshall Preston, Supreme Judicial Court,		6.96	
Intox. Liquors, R. H. Thompson, Trial Justice,		7.06	
Pasquale Nemo, R. H. Thompson, Trial Justice,		20.43	
Vesta Plaisted, D. R. Ross, Trial Justice,		7.66	
Herbert Jewell, Supreme Judicial Court,		4.69	
Charles E. Moore, N. R. Knowlton, Trial Justice,		77.82	
Ralph Hines, Supreme Judicial Court,		7.18	
Adolph Beaulieu, Supreme Judicial Court,		96.87	
Norman Hewey, D. R. Ross, Trial Justice,		64.14	
Calvin Greenleaf, Supreme Judicial Court,		37.51	
Adolph Beaulieu, N. R. Knowlton, Trial Justice,		99.78	
Marshall Preston, Supreme Judicial Court,		3.69	
Harold E. Hodgkins, Supreme Judicial Court,		38.69	
Mial E. Lamb, Supreme Judicial Court,		100.00	
Frindel & Colburn, Supreme Judicial Court,		17.77	
Thomas Welch, Supreme Judicial Court,		15.60	
Millard F. Wilder, Supreme Judicial Court,		11.40	
Eddie Lagree, Supreme Judicial Court,		122.89	
Eddie Lagree, O. C. Dolbier, Trial Justice,		18.73	
General Bill,		139.69	

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money by the yard  
Chanced to happen in the village and  
he wrote a post card  
Saying, "I have heard your singing, and  
as sure as any fate,  
You have Tetrazini faded—I would like  
to make you great."

So she answered him next morning, and  
declared that she would go  
With him anywhere he mentioned if he'd  
get her in a show;  
And he promised, and she followed, and  
our little tale is done—  
She is now our "gifted singer" in a  
nickelodeon.

—St. Louis Star.

Reginald Hinkley has the frame up  
for his new house on the Dodge road.

Mrs. T. L. Stewart has been visit-  
ing her daughter, Mrs. H. L. Good-  
win, this week.

Chester Allen will build a house  
on his lot on Pleasant street this  
year and already has most of the  
lumber on the spot.

Dr. J. H. Rollins, agent for the  
cruelty to animals association, has  
received two anonymous letters from  
Phillips, but pays no attention to that  
kind of communications.

Local news on pages 2 and 3.

Mrs. C. B. Sweetser spent a few  
days in West Farmington last week,  
the guest of relatives.

We have received from Mrs. Diana  
Aldrich of Phillips a clipping from  
a newspaper dated Albuquerque, N.  
M., which reads as follows: Three  
thousand people welcomed Edward  
Payson Weston upon his arrival here  
at nine o'clock this morning. He  
had walked 23½ miles from Sandias  
since three o'clock. Weston left here  
at one o'clock this afternoon and  
reached Domingo at midnight, hav-  
ing walked 60 miles during the day.  
He is now four days ahead of his  
schedule.

It is rumored in Rumford that Mr.  
Charles W. Burdett is to be a can-  
didate for the office of assessor at  
the coming election there. Mr. Bur-  
dett married Miss Gertrude Briml-  
gion of Phillips.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Keene of Oak-  
land were guests of relatives in  
town over Sunday.

The annual meeting of the library  
association will be held at the library  
on Wednesday, March 23, at 2 p. m.  
It is hoped that all citizens who are  
interested in the welfare of the li-  
brary will make an effort to be pres-  
ent. Imogene L. Seaman, Sec.

Mr. L. McPherson of Kingfield was  
in town last week. He is talking of  
going west some time in May.

J. Z. Everett will build an addition  
to his set of buildings on the Dodge  
road this season. He has been haul-  
ing the lumber the past week.

J. E. Noble has purchased the farm  
on the Mile Square owned by Joe  
Sweetser.

Messrs. W. E. Stuart and R. H.  
Preble spent a few days at Reding-  
ton recently, enjoying the rabbit hunt-  
ing.

Mrs. Gertrude Smith, who recently  
sold her millinery business to Mrs.  
J. C. Tirrell, will very soon move to  
Hallowell, where her husband will  
have employment in the Hallowell  
granite works.

All friends of the American Board  
are requested to remember the spe-  
cial offering for foreign missions to  
be taken next Sunday morning at  
the Union church.

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