

SUPREME JUDICIAL COURT.

KILGORE RECEIVES SENTENCE OF TWO YEARS IN PRISON.

Full Account of the Business Transacted at February Term—Cases Settled by Juries Pro and Con—Decisions of Interest to Franklin County Readers.

FARMINGTON, ME., Feb. 14, 1908.

The first case taken up in the supreme judicial court last Wednesday was that of Almon S. Gifford of Farmington vs. George L. Huff of Avon, to recover the price of a cream separator sold by plaintiff to defendant in February, 1905, for which the latter gave two promissory notes amounting to \$68. Butler appeared for the plaintiff and Ross for defendant. The defense was that the separator was an old worn out one, that failed to do good work; it made a rattling noise when it was run and failed to separate all the cream from the milk. Defendant used it but a short time when he notified plaintiff that it was not satisfactory and that he should not keep it. Plaintiff thereupon visited him and told him that if he could find a customer for it, he might resell it and he would take the notes of the new purchase and give up the Huff notes. He got rid of the machine by letting Al Tyler, one of his neighbors, have it, and it had remained at Tyler's ever since. The defendant, his wife, Rose, and Ralph W. Knowlton testified that the machine was not in proper condition to do good work and was badly worn and of little value.

Plaintiff testified that he had originally sold the machine to Mr. Huse of Wilton and had taken it back owing to the latter selling his farm. He insisted that the machine was all right and did good work. Mr. Huse said he found no fault with the machine while he owned it.

In arguing for the defense Ross contended that the defendant did not get the machine that he bought; he didn't expect to get a new machine, but did expect to get one that would do good work, and this one did not surely come up to that standard. Butler for plaintiff, on the other hand, insisted that the machine was just as Gifford had represented it to be. Defendant did not buy the machine till after it had been tried by him and he then knew just as much about it as Gifford did. There was no warranty and there can therefore be no breach. The court instructed the jury that they were to determine whether there was an express warranty at the time of the sale, or whether the plaintiff, when he stated that the machine was as good as new, made that assertion as a direct, positive statement or merely as an expression of opinion on his part. It was a pretty fine and interesting question for them to decide. If there was no warranty then the defense fails. If there was one, then the measure of damages is the difference between the value of a machine that is practically new and of this one at the time of the sale. The jury returned a verdict for the defendant, much to the surprise of nearly everybody who listened to the trial of the case. The plaintiff filed a motion to set the verdict aside and the case goes to the law court.

The court then took up the case of Fred W. Soule of Salem, formerly of Rangeley, vs. Frank W. Jacobs and Arthur L. Oakes, both of the latter town. Morrison appeared for plaintiff and Ross for defendant. Before the case proceeded it was found that one of the defendant's parties was sick and unable to be present. It was therefore decided to continue the case on the defendant reimbursing plaintiff for the actual expenses of one witness whom he had brought to the trial.

On Thursday the case of Albertus D. Norton and his wife, Mary E. vs. Farmington village corporation was the first one taken up in the supreme judicial court. Greenleaf appeared for plaintiff and Richards for the corporation. The action was brought to determine the dividing line between the premises of plaintiffs and the fire engine house of the corporation on High street in Farmington village. The piece of land in dispute is eight and one-half feet wide. It appears that in 1866 Ruben Cutter owned all the land embraced by Broadway, High and Church streets;

that in that year he deeded to Dr. Alfred Bolan a strip, seven rods on Church street by seven rods on High street, and the next year the engine house lot to Joel Phinney. Subsequently Dr. Bolan's son and heir deeded a two rods' strip off the west side to William Tufts; then Tufts deeded to Phinney. Bolan, Jr., also deeded the balance to F. C. Perkins and the latter to Simon Collins and Henry McKean and then bought back a portion of it till finally the heirs of Perkins owned the lot they deeded to the plaintiffs which lies just north of the engine lot. The deed of the latter commences its boundary description by starting two feet north of Cutter's stable. This was subsequently moved back and the engine house erected.

A plan of the disputed premises, drawn by Prof. Mallett, was introduced and explained by him, and the jury also took a view of the premises at the noon recess. All the various deeds from Cutter's in 1866 down to that of the Perkins heirs to plaintiffs in 1905 were introduced and the oral evidence of sworn witnesses was taken by the plaintiffs. The bone of contention was as to the precise spot where the old stable stood.

Plaintiffs testified to his occupying the premises in dispute and grading up part of the disputed land; also to finding two corner line stones imbedded in the earth. Washington Bradbury was one of the carpenters that built the present engine house; it was placed about 4 feet north from where the old building stood. It was built by Dr. Johnson, and he recollected saying at the time that this getting over the line was "one of Dr. Johnson's tricks." Edward C. Clark formerly occupied the stable that stood on the engine house lot; this he moved back to the westerly side of the lot. He judged that the present engine house stands about 4 feet further north than the old stable stood.

Andrew W. Perkins, one of the grantors to the plaintiffs, testified that he never knew where the true line was, but it was the report that Dr. Johnson had built the new house partly on their land.

Mrs. Lottie T. Walker, widow of Geo. H. Walker, formerly occupied the Norton house as a tenant of F. C. Perkins, and had a flower garden on part of the disputed premises thus occupying the same.

The plaintiffs rested their case at this point. The defence, in opening called the jury's attention to the fact that the plaintiffs claimed no land bounded by monuments or fixed bounds. Their deeds only covered land bounded by lands of others, and by nothing else on the face of the earth. It claimed the land on which the engine house stands by virtue of deeds and also by open, notorious, undisputed, adverse and peaceable possession for 24 years prior to the bringing of this action.

Levi G. Brown was the first witness for the defence. He owns the lot next south of the corporation lot. He built the blacksmith shop in 1885 and the engine house was built two years previously.

John Robinson testified to working for Dr. Johnson in building the present engine house in the fall of 1882.

Prof. Mallett was recalled and explained the additions he had just made to the plan exhibited.

Corporation assessor, S. O. Tarbox testified to measuring back 3 rods by the Wheeler lot and then 25 feet to a corner that Norton claimed as the true corner of his lot.

Defendant then introduced the claim of deeds to establish its title to the engine house lot. This closed the testimony. Arguments followed and adjournment was taken till Friday morning when the charge was delivered and the case went to the jury, which returned a verdict for the defendant corporation.

At the conclusion of this case there was no other case ready for trial, owing to the illness of Lawyer Richards, who was counsel in the cases assigned, and the jurors were excused until Saturday morning.

Grand Jury Reports.

The Grand Jury made its final report Thursday forenoon and was discharged. The following indictments were made

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SEDGELEY A CANDIDATE.

WOULD BE DISTRICT DELEGATE TO CHICAGO CONVENTION.

His Platform Is That Maine Should Send Uninstructed Delegates to the Convention—Defends His Position and Talks Plain Language About Some Political Methods.

PHILLIPS, MAINE, Feb. 14, 1908.

To the Editor of MAINE WOODSMAN: Up in the woods of Maine candidates for high public offices burst forth and flourish like toadstools.

I am a candidate for delegate to the Chicago convention June next, and the only work that I shall do to get the job will be to defend the position I take.

Maine should by all means send uninstructed delegates to the convention.

Tell, if you can, into what state of degradation the citizens of our own state have fallen if they cannot select and elect six delegates who can be absolutely trusted, men who cannot be frightened, awed, fooled, bought, driven or coaxed into doing anything they have decided not to do. Men of the type of our Puritan and Pilgrim fathers big, broad-minded, unselfish; with keen ambition, a bull-dog determination, a big slice of good judgement common sense and will power, with a pronounced individuality of their own. Men who have demonstrated to the local community that they can do things. Men of character.

All citizens, candidates and delegates should watch all men and especially those in office with an eagle eye, so to be able at a moment's notice to select from among our many able and honest men the right one for any office. In other words, to be able to determine at once between a statesman and a politician. And what is the difference? Why! A statesman does at all times just what he believes should be done regardless of consequences. A politician does at all times only the things that he thinks will help himself and his future business—politics—accompanied with the excuse that he did it for the party. It takes a mighty strong imagination to see his loyal working interest centre on anything except himself.

Illustrations: Roosevelt is a proved statesman. Taft also, but he is doing far too much personal canvassing for the Presidency. Hughes' works and actions in the few years he has been before the public are ideal. But between now and next June he may do a dozen things that would show to the thinking public his unfitness for the high office. Foraker, Aldrich and Hale are able politicians. Littleton tries to do things in a statesmanlike way. Cannon has a way of his own. Bryan is a bright and brilliant orator of the first magnitude.

The delegates to the Chicago convention should unquestionably be men of the statesmanship type and not politicians, free of mind and not positively decided who to vote for until they are on the floor of the Convention hall. Keeping close watch of the movements of the self-set-up candidates, as well as the candidates pushed forward by the different states and by the people at large. Every state should voice by vote its first and second preference of candidates. But by no means place its delegation in bondage by a solemn pledge.

I can conceive of no more pitiable sight than the following, the like of which we have all seen and probably will see many times more. In a rural town of three hundred voters there is about to be a caucus to nominate a Republican candidate for representative to the State Legislature.

This year, unfortunately or otherwise there happens to be two candidates for this office. These candidates or their paid agents can be seen going in haste to get ahead of the other fellow, from farm to farm, from voter to voter, down through the list to beg, buy or steal pledges from the citizens for their support at the coming caucus. The climax comes on caucus day, with the gathering of the voters, when the real situation blossoms out in fiery hues. Some call themselves fools for pledging without knowing the existing conditions to the first candidate who came along and begging asked for help in an exceedingly pleasant way.

Others find that they sold their vote too cheap—below market price. And

the last class by comparing notes find much to their discomfort and chagrin that the candidate entirely misrepresented the situation and stole their pledge.

My what a mix up! And voting is about to commence. Some keep their pledges. Some don't. Others honestly believe it their duty to vote for B, but they vote for A because they are pledged to him. The only real calm and normal ones in the bunch are the men who did not pledge themselves to support any candidate. These men are free to do as their conscience dictates. There is more or less of this condemnable wire-pulling, pledging system used all up through the lines to the highest office within the gift of the American voters. Cut it out and leave every candidate for every office standing on his own merits voting day, where every voter can see all sides and judge in the natural way, unhampered by pledges.

Recollect. The delegates at the convention of 1860 after days of voting were obliged to abandon the candidates backed by pledges and forced to select a man who stood on his own merits—Abraham Lincoln.

To the good citizens who don't go to the polls I say that they have a perfectly moral and legal right not to vote, not withstanding the periodical outcries against apathy. The ever present, shrewdly managed political trickery and graft disgusts and discourages many of the honest citizens. And they say what is the use of trying to do better on voting day for things are all fixed beforehand.

Leave the delegates free to act with the voice of the people as they will naturally do in most cases, or against it as they think best. Near convention time almost at the last moment conditions might arise, with no time to consult the people at large where it would be wise and for the good of all for the delegates to act against the voice of the people. Then again at the convention the delegates are on the field of action and this is a decided advantage in helping to arrive at the correct state of affairs.

Is it because of our innate desire to dictate? Is it lack of confidence? Is it because we are really afraid to trust any six men we may select, that we are so anxious to have them pledged? If these delegates are so corrupt and unreliable, how in the name of all that is good, are they to be trusted after they pledged themselves to do this and that?

I believe that in Maine there are many times six men who, if sent to Chicago to do the very important duty of nominating a president of the United States, would do the right thing under any circumstances that might arise.

GEORGE B. SEDGELEY.

Master Mechanic Injured.

Ed Greenwood, master mechanic of the Sandy River & Rangeley Lakes railroad, had a narrow escape from serious injury Saturday. He was riding in the cab of a locomotive and just before reaching the bridge below the village swung himself out to look at the load the engine was drawing. The load was being carried upon trucks, instead of regular cars and he was watching to see that they took the bridge all right.

The locomotive is the widest of any on the narrow guage system, and Mr. Greenwood in his anxiety about the train leaned out too far, with the result that his head came in contact with the bridge.

He was rendered unconscious for a time, but soon was able to be removed to his home when his injuries were attended. He sustained a severe scalp wound, but resumed his duties Monday. He is congratulating himself to have escaped as well as he did.

Special Town Meeting In Salem.

The town of Salem held a special town meeting on February 6 and voted unanimously to exempt Mr. W. S. Dodge from taxation for ten years if he would rebuild a mill for sawing long lumber, parcel handles etc. There was a paper passed at the meeting and \$120 was donated to assist Mr. Dodge. Mr. Dodge expects to buy the Oliver mill in Freeman and move it to his water power in Salem.

PRISONER ELUDED OFFICERS.

ALLEGED LIQUOR DEALER MADE A BOLD BREAK FOR LIBERTY.

Had Been Landed In Supreme Court Room by Deputy Sheriff, But Took Advantage of Confusion to Escape—Prompt Pursuit Brought Negative Results.

Special to MAINE WOODSMAN.

FARMINGTON, ME., Feb. 8, 1908.

Michele Marcucello, one of the Italians brought here from Chisholm's Friday, having been indicted by the grand jury charged with a violation of the liquor law, succeeded, after being landed in the supreme court room, in eluding the officers, made his escape and at this writing has not been apprehended. It was a daring break for liberty, but successful, and has been the subject of much comment.

The jury returned an indictment against Marcucello, charging him with being a common seller and maintaining a liquor nuisance. Deputy sheriffs were sent to that town and Marcucello, together with five others against whom indictments had been found, was arrested and the whole half dozen of malefactors were conducted to this place in a bunch. They were herded into the supreme court room, where the business of the court was going on at the time, but as they were not to be arraigned immediately, they were admitted to bail.

The confusion of the coming and going of the officers, the appearance of bondsmen, and the presence of many others in the room, caused the watch to be relaxed on the prisoners, and Marcucello was not slow to take advantage of the conditions and to mingle with the spectators. He made his way unnoticed through the people in the room, gained the door, passed through and since has not been seen by any of the court officials.

It happened that his case was at the bottom of the list so that it was some little time before his absence was noticed and the intervening period had been so well utilized that he made good his escape.

It was learned afterward that Marcucello upon leaving the court house went across the old cemetery in the rear of that building thence up Anson street and continued on out into the country. A telephone line follows that highway and on this he kept his eye, watching for a house with a wire leading into it that would indicate that there was a telephone inside. After going about two miles he came to such a house, went inside and called up Joseph Marchetti, a compatriot, of this town. He asked Marchetti to procure a livery team and come out and get him, which the latter did. They drove to Madison where Marcucello took the electric car to Skowhegan, Marchetti returning here with the team.

The officers were not slow about getting on the trail and Deputy Sheriff L. D. Eaton was soon in hot pursuit. He traced the fleeing man to Madison without trouble, found out there that the man he wanted had been seen to board a car bound for Skowhegan, but beyond that point all traces were lost. Deputy Eaton finally was compelled to give up the chase and return without the prisoner.

Taken to task by the officers because of the part he took in aiding his fellow countryman's escape, Marchetti stoutly maintained that he, too, had been duped by the wily Marcucello and that when he responded to the telephone call everything seemed all right and he had no suspicion that the man he was aiding was escaping from the clutches of the law. He gave the authorities what assistance he could and evidently did everything in his power to rectify his error.

Word reaches here from Skowhegan concerning the manner by which Marcucello got out of that town by train and off to Boston. It appears that the sheriff was watching the Skowhegan railroad station to see that the fellow did not escape that way and being quickly sized up by the fugitive, the latter immediately purchased a parlor car ticket and being nicely dressed and carrying considerable style, he allowed the parlor car porter to assist him aboard his car, and he rode away in great shape, no one mistrusting till too late that it was an escaped prisoner that was putting on so many airs.

AMONG THE CHURCHES.

For his sermon, preached at the Union church Sunday morning, Rev. M. S. Hutchins took the text found in John xxi:24, "Except a corn of wheat fall into the ground and die, it abideth alone." These words with those that follow, "but if it die, it bringeth forth much fruit" are the statements of Jesus Christ and may be termed his philosophy of life.

Doubtless every one of us believes that the world is growing better. We might not assent to the saying that in every way it is better than it was centuries ago. We may even believe that there are years or periods of time when it cannot be said that it is becoming better, but we believe that in the long run the general trend is along the line of advance. We believe that "one eternal purpose" is at work throughout the ages, that God is his world; and all this faith of ours is founded upon this philosophy of life which was taught by Jesus Christ.

The time when these words were spoken, was a critical time in the life of Jesus. We are accustomed to speak of his experience in the wilderness, as the temptation of Jesus, as though when that was ended he never again knew temptation, yet he was continually all through his life being tempted, perhaps seldom more sorely than at this time. Just before this, as he came toward Jerusalem to the Passover, he had been met by a multitude, bearing palm branches and shouting triumphant hosannas. The waving branches in the hands of the advancing throng, the shouts upon the lips of the people were their welcome to their king. Jesus was now on the topmost wave of popularity. But he knew that just over the crest of the wave he would meet his enemies, who in a few short days would bring this crowd, should he fail to satisfy their expectations as the founder of a kingdom with earthly glory, to raise the cruel cry, "crucify him, crucify him." Instead of seeing in him a deliverer they would see a traitor, whose words were full of treason,—so short a distance is it between the triumphs and the defeats of earth.

There were certain Greeks in Jerusalem to attend the feast of the Passover. These may have been people from faraway Greece, or perhaps the term is used less specifically and may designate persons who had been under the influence of Greek teaching and customs, or even it may signify simply any Gentiles. A request was brought from them to Jesus by Philip, the disciple with a Greek name. Whoever they may have been, they have probably heard something of the wonderful deeds of Jesus and something of the teachings that he uttered. They wish to know some new philosophy that will teach them new power and beauty for life, is there some message of beauty that they may take to their friends in Greece, or in the land or city from whence they came.

Jesus tells them that the hour is at hand when he shall receive glory, but there follow the words, spoken also to his disciples, verily, verily, I must say unto you, that unless a corn of wheat fall into the ground and die, it abideth alone.

For a seed two things are possible; one is that it may, the seed of the corn or grain, be eaten. This is one choice and should it be sold, it is practically the same thing for the selling is that the price may supply the needs of man; the other use you may read in the seed catalogues, that are sent out, at this time of the year in such numbers by the various seed houses, and the excellency of the seed is set forth by the fact that it bringeth forth much fruit. But first it must fall into the ground and die. This is the law of life, the natural law that we give nothing save by renunciation of self.

Do You Think For Yourself?

Or do you open your mouth like a young bird and gulp down whatever food or medicine may be offered you?

There is an intelligent thinking woman, in need of relief from weakness, nervousness, pain and suffering, then it means much to you that there is one tried and true honest medicine of known composition, sold by druggists for the cure of woman's ills.

The makers of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, for the cure of weak, nervous, run-down, over-worked, debilitated, pain-racked women, knowing this medicine to be made up of ingredients, every one of which has the strongest possible indorsement of the leading and standard authorities of the several schools of practice, are perfectly willing, and in fact, are only too glad to print, as they do, the formula, or list of ingredients, of which it is composed, in plain English, on every bottle-wrapper.

The formula of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription will bear the most critical examination of medical experts, for it contains no alcohol, narcotics, harmful, or habit-forming drugs, and no agent enters into it that is not highly recommended by the most advanced and leading medical teachers and authorities of their several schools of practice. These authorities recommend the ingredients of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription for the cure of exactly the same ailments for which this world-famed medicine is advised.

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A part of the training given by Spurgeon, the great London preacher to young theological students, was sending them to various pulpits to preach from texts and subjects given them after they had entered the pulpit. Were you asked to speak without time for special preparation upon a theme which has been treated in certain magazine articles. "How to be popular" would you not say at once that the secret lay in self-forgetfulness and in entering into the thought and wishes of others? There must be a measure the death of self and selfish interests. The example of Jesus is one of entire self-forgetfulness. His life was crowned by his death of unselfish sacrifice.

We, following his example of unselfishness, are not asked to leave friends and home, not many of us are asked to do this, not asked, as was the young man who came, questioning to Jesus, to part with our possessions distributing all to the necessities of others. We are asked to hold all things as subject to the command and service of God. We are not asked to love others better than we do ourselves. That command is nowhere in the bible; but we are asked to love others as ourselves.

This must be the principle of the whole life, not a principle now and then applied.

We test people by their action in small things the actions that perhaps they deem unobserved. Suppose a young man has entered a street car seated in which are those through whose influence he hopes to receive advancement along the way he has chosen. The car is filled and there enters it an old lady burdened with packages looking friendless and weary. He knows the eyes of those whom he wishes to please are watching him, and very graciously he gives his seat and gives assistance to the friendless one. Is that act a measure of his kindness or chivalry is it the criterion for his manliness? Surely not, it may be tinged too deeply with thoughts of self interest. The measure of his unselfishness may be known some other time, when in a car filled with those who are strangers to him, and who will probably never enter into his life or hopes, he shows or fails to show the same kindness to the friendless and weary. It is a small thing, but in such opportunities lies the test of the character of one's willingness to sacrifice self.

In this we ought to find a cure for discouragement for in thus dying to self there is promise of life.

We have read with sorrow the article in the current number of Everybody's magazine in which Lawson tells of his future plans. Whatever we may have thought regarding the motives which have actuated him in the past, we will, for the purpose of this illustration say that he wished to open the eyes of the people to existing evil that he might do them good. Having lived the life of Wall street, knowing its secrets, the author of the paper on Frenzied Finance warned the people of the land against the methods of greed and of injustice that were practiced to win from them their possessions. Largely because of his writings investigations have been made which have resulted in the exposure of fraud and dishonesty among men who had been trusted. And now in the article of which I have spoken, Lawson practically says that because the people have not greeted him with due applause because they have not flocked about him with the praise and rewards that should be his, he will return to Wall street to stock gambling, to the things he has denounced.

This is not the philosophy of Christ. His teaching is to live for others regardless of selfish motives or interests. Without it, there is discouragement. With it discouragement is driven away and in the death of self life comes forth beautiful, glorious. We are accustomed to speak of goodness and happiness as one, as being present in the life one with the other. In the long run it is so but not always from day to day. Goodness involves love, sacrifice. Shall we go through life as through a crowd elbowing ourselves along pushing others to one side, or shall we go sacrificing self to others?

Sacrifice, in the simple expression is hideous. We shudder at it as at the cold gray mountain wrapped in clouds and snow. By and by upon the mountain which has felt the warmth of the sun we see the beauty and life of plant, of tree, of birds. So from the hideousness of sacrifice comes the beauty of life.

Sacrifice with love means life, means beauty means happiness.

It is the fashion in speaking of the Golden Rule to sometimes say "Do to others what they would like to do to you, and do it first." But the real Golden Rule, is it not this, "Whatsoever ye would that men should do to you, do ye even so to them?" Love others as you love yourself. Wish for them, do for them what you would wish and do for yourself. Remember this is the true philosophy of life, "Except a corn of wheat fall into the earth and die it abideth alone."

Stupid Fellow.

"Mary said 'No' to me last night," sighed Peter Sloman, "but I don't believe she could honestly tell why she did it."

"Oh, yes, she could," replied his cousin Kate. "She told me."

"Did she?"

"Yes; she said she didn't think you'd take 'No' for an answer."—Philadelphia Press.

Rome's Gormandizing.

The decline of a nation commences when gormandizing begins. Rome's collapse was well under way when slaves were thrown into the eel pits to increase the gamy flavor of the eels when they came upon the table.

Wilton.

Mrs. Lillian Adams is quite ill with typhoid fever.

Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Thompson were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Savage on Sunday.

The three children of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Harnden and Mrs. McKeen, Mrs. Harnden's mother, are ill with the grip.

The Y. P. C. U. of North Jay gave the drama, "Uncle Rube," in the town hall, Thursday evening, under the auspices of the Wilson Lake Rebekah lodge.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Fernel are occupying George Goodspeed's house during his absence in Europe.

May Clayton, who has been the guest of her friend, Miss Florence Perry, for nearly two weeks, returned to her home in Wayne last Thursday.

Marguerite, the daughter of Rev. and Mrs. A. P. Craig of Westbrook was successfully operated on for appendicitis Saturday. The son, Reginald was operated upon for this same trouble four years ago when Mr. Craig was pastor of the Methodist church in this village. Since going to Westbrook, both Mr. and Mrs. Craig have been operated upon and Marguerite completes the family list.

Mrs. Mary Dellaway is ill at C. F. Blanchard's.

Leavitt Masterman of Weld and Mrs. Fish of Dixfield were married last week at Livermore Falls and are now settled in his home in Weld.

A. B. Allen is confined to the house with erysipelas in his right foot. He has not been able to step upon the foot since last Thursday and does not expect to use it for several days.

Miss Iona Merchant is ill with the grip.

Leonard Hathaway, who is having a severe time with gangrene in one of his feet, remains about the same as last week. His condition is such as to give little hope of his recovery and his mind wanders much of the time.

Mrs. Julia Greene has sold her house on Weld street to Alvey Johnson, the carpenter, who has recently moved here from Harpswell.

Gordon Smith has been confined to the house for nearly two weeks with a lame knee. When a small boy he fell from a fourth-story window and broke his arm, injured one shoulder and his knee. The knee has troubled him at times since.

D. C. Heath, who died at his home in Newtonville, Mass., recently taught a High school in the Walker hall in this village in the middle sixties and is pleasantly remembered by his students, who are still residents in this vicinity.

Clyde Scribner and Miss Maud Drake both of this village, were married Saturday evening, Jan. 18, by Rev. W. H. Palmer. They are making their home for the present with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Drake on Joy street.

Eustis.

Feb. 5 was the coldest morning this winter here. The thermometer registered 36 degrees below zero.

Carroll Leavitt is working for Sargent & Wyman at Jim pond.

Charles Smart came out from Jim pond sick with the grip last week, but is better at this writing.

Mrs. Harry Sylvester is visiting at Stratton for a few days.

Mrs. John P. Sylvester is doing her work again. Mrs. Dennico has gone home.

Suffering & Dollars Saved.

E. S. Loper, of Marilla, N. Y., says: "I am a carpenter and have had many severe cuts healed by Bucklen's Arnica Salve. It has saved me suffering and dollars. It is by far the best healing salve I have ever found." Heals burns, sores, ulcers, fever sores, eczema and piles. 25c at W. A. D. Cragin's, Phillips; Chas. E. Dyer's, Strong; L. L. Mitchell's, Kingfield; E. H. Whitney's, Rangeley; druggists.

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Phillips, Maine.

Madrid.

William H. Davenport recently killed a hog which dressed 422 1-2 pounds.

A sociable and box supper with a sort of dramatic entertainment combined, was held at the Grange hall Wednesday evening, Feb. 5. Following was the program:

Music, J. A. McKenney. H. B. Plummer, 1st and 2d violins; Gertrude Davenport, organ.

Dialogue, "Sister's beau," characters, Archie L. Lufkin, (sister's beau); Winnie Douglass, Mabel Hinkley, Carrie Smith, three younger sisters who are seated in the parlor giving Mr. Lufkin a full account of sister's failings before her arrival.

Recitation by Lee Davenport.

Music.

Tableau, "Woman's rights," represented by two well-dressed ladies sitting in idleness while two men are doing the washing, churning, etc.

Song by Miss Gertrude Davenport, William and Walter Davenport assisting with bass and tenor.

Charade dialogue, "Mendicant," characters, Elsie Moores, an industrious girl, "mend," Viola Lufkin, proud and crooked, "E," Pearl Smith, lazy and unambitious, "can't," Mrs. Abbie Moores, (Aunt Phoebe), an eccentric lady who to test the disposition of her nieces, appears to them in the form of a mendicant.

Music.

Tableau, "Old time courtship," represented by a young lady sitting in a young man's lap each enclosed in the other's arm.

Thanksgiving monologue, Mrs. Sarah Clark.

Music.

During the entertainment Mrs. Eva Davenport, the Worthy Grange mistress presided in her usual and efficient way and at the close W. H. Lufkin sold the supper boxes. Owing to the cold weather and bad roads the attendance was small, but everybody was there for a good time, and after many had partaken of a fine pastry supper, C. E. Crossman was induced to sing two songs. Then the most of those present indulged in a march after which "Tucker" was played. According to leap year rules the ladies led in this play and they "tuckered" the gents most splendidly. Soon after this, part of the crowd went home; but some 10 couples stayed and danced an hour or more. Some six dollars was the financial result of the entertainment everything being temperate and harmonious.

A Night Alarm.

Worse than an alarm of fire at night is the metallic cough of croup bringing dread to the household. Careful mothers keep Foley's Honey and Tar in the house and give it at the first sign of danger. Foley's Honey and Tar has saved many little lives and it is the only safe preparation for children as it contains no harmful drugs. W. A. D. Cragin, Phillips.

Estate of John R. Toothaker.

FRANKLIN, SS. At a Court of Probate holden at Farmington, within and for the County of Franklin, on the third Tuesday of January, A. D. 1908:

Eugene I. Herrick, administrator of the estate of John R. Toothaker, late of Rangeley, in said County, deceased, having presented his second account of administration of the estate of said deceased for allowance.

Ordered, That said Administrator give notice to all persons interested, by causing this order to be published three weeks successively in the MAINE WOODSMAN, published at Phillips, that they may appear at a Probate Court to be held at Farmington, in said County, on the third Tuesday of February next, at ten of the clock in the forenoon, and show cause, if any they have, why the same should not be allowed.

J. H. Thompson, Judge.

Attest, A. L. Fenderson, Register.

Notice.

I hereby forbid all persons trusting or harboring my wife, Adella E. Lambert, on my account as I shall pay no bill of her contracting after this date. CHARLES W. LAMBERT.

Freeman, Me., Jan. 29, 1908.

Notice.

The subscriber hereby gives notice that he has been duly appointed Administrator of the estate of Eliza Wadts, late of Phillips, in the County of Franklin, deceased, and given bonds as the law directs. All persons having demands against the estate of said deceased are desired to present the same for settlement, and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately.

Charles F. Chandler.

January 21, 1908.

Notice.

The subscriber hereby gives notice that he has been duly appointed Administrator of the estate of Mary J. Smith, late of Avon,

in the County of Franklin, deceased, and given bonds as the law directs. All persons having demands against the estate of said deceased are desired to present the same for settlement, and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately.

Samuel Trask.

December 17, 1907.

Estate of Laura A. Gardner.

FRANKLIN, SS. At a Court of Probate holden at Farmington, within and for the County of Franklin, on the third Tuesday of January, A. D. 1908.

Whereas, a petition has been duly filed praying that Arthur E. Brackley may be appointed trustee under the will of Laura A. Gardner, late of Phillips, in said county deceased.

Ordered, That said petitioner give notice to all persons interested, by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in the MAINE WOODSMAN, published at Phillips, that they may appear at a Probate Court to be held at Farmington, in said County, on the third Tuesday of February next, at ten of the clock in the forenoon, and show cause, if any they have, why the same should not be allowed.

J. H. Thompson, Judge.

Attest, A. L. Fenderson, Register.

Estate of Phineas O. Witham.

FRANKLIN, SS. At a Court of Probate holden at Farmington, within and for the County of Franklin, on the third Tuesday of January, A. D. 1908.

Whereas, a petition has been duly filed praying that administration on the estate of Phineas O. Witham, late of Weld, in said county, deceased, may be granted to Phineas S. Schofield, or some other suitable person.

Ordered, That said petitioner give notice to all persons interested, by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in the MAINE WOODSMAN, published at Phillips, that they may appear at a Probate Court to be held at Farmington, in said County, on the third Tuesday of February next, at ten of the clock in the forenoon, and show cause, if any they have, why the same should not be allowed.

J. H. Thompson, Judge.

Attest, A. L. Fenderson, Register.

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Estate of Davis Moody.

FRANKLIN, SS. At a court of probate holden at Farmington, within and for the County of Franklin, on the third Tuesday of January, A. D., 1908, in vacation.

Edgar Willis, Guardian of Davis Moody, of Salem, in said County, having presented his first account of Guardianship of the estate of said ward for allowance:

Ordered, That said Guardian give notice to all persons interested, by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in the MAINE WOODSMAN, published at Phillips, that they may appear at a Probate Court to be held at Farmington, in said County, on the third Tuesday of February next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, and show cause, if any they have, why the same should not be allowed.

J. H. Thompson, Judge.

Attest, A. L. Fenderson, Register.

Estate of Hosea A. Dunham.

FRANKLIN, SS. At a Court of Probate holden at Farmington, within and for the County of Franklin, on the third Tuesday of January, A. D. 1908.

Mary H. Dunham, widow of Hosea A. Dunham, late of Madrid, in said County, deceased, having presented her petition for an allowance out of the personal estate of which he died possessed:

It was Ordered, That said petitioner give notice to all persons interested, by causing notice to be published three weeks successively in the MAINE WOODSMAN published at Phillips that they may appear at a Probate Court to be held at Farmington, in said County, on the third Tuesday of February next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, and show cause, if any they have, why the same should not be granted.

J. A. Thompson, Judge.

Attest, A. L. Fenderson, Register.

Notice.

The subscriber hereby gives notice that he has been duly appointed Administrator of the estate of

Ezra A. Wright, late of Eustis, in the County of Franklin, deceased, and given bonds as the law directs. All persons having demands against the estate of said deceased are desired to present the same for settlement, and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately.

Andrew J. Wright.

January 21, 1908.

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MONEY-MAKING FARMS FOR SALE.

In Maine and 13 other States: "Strout's List 19" the largest illustrated catalogue of farm bargains, with reliable information of farming localities, ever issued, including Bond good for R. R. Fare, mailed free. E. A. Strout Co., 335 Water St., Augusta, Maine.

Kingfield.

Mrs. J. Willis Jordan has returned from Hallowell where she visited her sister, Miss Josephine R. Thompson, who is a teacher in the Industrial school in that town.

Charles Oliver is recovering from the injury received several weeks ago, yet he still is obliged to use crutches.

Guy Sedgley of Stratton was a business caller here last week.

Owing to illness N. H. Peterson has been unable to attend to his duties as janitor at the Stanley school the past week or so.

Earl L. Wing has returned to Bowdoin college, after having spent a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Wing.

The Mission study class at the Free Baptist church this winter will be in charge of the Ladies' Missionary society. The text book to be used is entitled, "Daybreak in the Dark Continent."

A. C. Nickerson of Fairbanks was a business caller in Kingfield recently.

Our village schools close in two weeks.

Mrs. W. B. Bradbury and Master Teddy, visited in the family of Joseph Fotter at Bigelow last week.

Remember the Leap Year ball which is to be given in French's opera house on Friday evening of this week. The ladies have spared no pains to make the affair a delightful one and all are invited.

Mrs. John G. Butts was called to Farmington last week by the illness of her mother, Mrs. Roscoe Harlow.

Did you get a Valentine?

Recently H. S. Wing, Esq., was a business caller in Farmington.

Frank Stanley is recovering from an attack of neuralgia at his home on Stanley avenue.

Mrs. Nellie Merrill of Waterville, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Orris M. Vose.

The Jumping off Place.

"Consumption had me in its grasp; and I had almost reached the jumping off place when I was advised to try Dr. King's New Discovery; and I want to say right now, it saved my life. Improvement began with the first bottle, and after taking one dozen bottles I was a well and happy man again," says George Moore, of Grimesland, N. C. As a remedy for coughs and colds and healer of weak, sore lungs and for preventing pneumonia New Discovery is supreme. 50c and \$1.00 at W. A. D. Cragin's, Phillips; Chas. E. Dyer's, Strong; L. L. Mitchell's, Kingfield; E. H. Whitney's, Rangeley; druggists. Trial bottle free.

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Stove repairs and funnel.

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Kingfield, Me.

Wicker Rocking Chair Free

With every 10c purchase I give a coupon. When 2000 coupons are given out the person holding the lucky number will receive a good large Wicker Rocker free of charge. Call and see it.

R. Frank Cook, Kingfield.

The road rollers which the town purchased last year did good service after the heavy storms of the past two weeks. One noticeable feature being the width of the streets, allowing heavily loaded teams to pass without difficulty.

George Voter has returned to his home in Strong, after having had employment here several weeks.

Friday evening a social dance was enjoyed at French's hall. Music was furnished by local talent.

Over Sunday Leon Hoar of Rangeley was the guest of friends in town.

Miss Myra D. Butts returns this week from Eustis where she taught a successful term of school.

Rev. L. R. Schafer spent several days the first of the week with her parishoners at New Portland.

After an eight years' absence, Chas. P. Dennison of West Bethel, a former principal of the High school in Kingfield, called on friends the first of the week when he was warmly greeted, as he made many friends while teaching here.

On Friday, February 14, "Uncle" Tristram G. Norton will observe his 97th birthday at the home of his daughter, Mrs. H. G. Williams. Old friends extend heartiest congratulations and best wishes; that this grand old man may live to complete the century mark is the wish of all.

Sunday Mrs. Carl Cole underwent a surgical operation at the home of her mother, Mrs. Florence Witham, on Main street. A trained nurse is in attendance, and friends hope for a speedy recovery.

Mrs. J. W. Hall and daughter, Miss Helen Hall, of Newton, Mass., are guests of their daughter and sister, Mrs. Fred A. Crossman.

Miss Flora A. Norton was unable to attend school last week on account of illness.

W. L. Brown of Bigelow was a caller on friends in town recently.

Miss Ada Lander of Portland spent several days recently with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Lander, at "Elmwood farm," West Kingfield.

We learn with regret of the illness of Sam'l B. Wing, at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Chas. Barden, on Main street.

Mrs. Lester L. Mitchell was called to New Portland this week by the serious illness of her mother, Mrs. Otis Hutchins.

C. W. Myers is convalescing from an attack of blood poison in the hand, from which he has been a great sufferer.

At high noon on Wednesday, Feb. 5, at the home of Judson Alward on Main street occurred the marriage of Hemon S. Blackwell of Eustis and Miss Edna M. Scribner of Kingfield. The ceremony was performed by Rev. L. Arthur White, pastor of the Free Baptist church, the single ring service being used. The bride was prettily gowned in a blue traveling suit with hat to match, while the groom wore the usual black. Mr. and Mrs. Blackwell went to Boston on a brief wedding trip, and will make their home in Eustis. Friends extend congratulations for many years of happiness.

Rev. L. Arthur White gave his first lecture at the Free Baptist church Sunday evening last in the series of "Practical Talks to Young Men," to a very attentive audience. The lesson from the Scriptures was read by Carleton Hutchins, and for special music, Misses Maud Cross and Bertha Hunt sang a duet, while Deacon Geo. H. Winter rendered a solo in a most pleasing manner. The second talk will be given next Sunday evening, Feb. 16, at the usual hour. Attend this service if you can.

Mrs. A. G. Winter has nearly recovered from an injury to the eye.

The first of the week C. D. Landers was home from New Portland where he has employment.

Owing to the heavy wind our passenger train was nearly three hours late Saturday evening, as the Sandy River train "got stuck" and a snow train from Strong had to be sent to the rescue.

Foley's Orino Laxative is a new remedy, an improvement on the laxatives of former years, as it does not gripe or nauseate and is pleasant to take. It is guaranteed. W. A. D. Cragin, Phillips.

Drawing Power.

D'Auber—Of course not every one can be an artist. One must have imagination to draw. Crittack—Yes; I notice that most so called artists in talking about themselves draw on their imaginations a great deal.—Catholic Standard and Times.

Optimism.

"Pa, do you know any optimists?" "Yes. We have one in our office. Every time he draws his pay he thinks he is going to have several dollars left at the end of the week."—Chicago Record-Herald.

HAPPY MONTHS.

An Odd Custom Observed in England at Christmas Time.

"Happy months" is the name applied to the little mince pies made at Christmas time throughout England and served to any guests who may call at the house during the holidays.

The saying is that for every one of these tiny pies one eats a happy month will come during the year, only the pies must be given to the one who eats them.

When one calls at the house the little pies are brought forth with a glass of wine or a cup of tea, and, however well satisfied one may already be as regards one's appetite or how many of these "happy month" pies he has already eaten, it is considered a marked breach of etiquette to refuse the little pie, although one is allowed to take it home and eat it later. This, however, is not very often done, for who would refuse the coming of a happy month by refusing to overtax the stomach for just one more little pie?

In some parts of England these little pies are literally made by the dozen, so there will be plenty of them for family and friends. They are made of the richest of puff paste, too, which, at the best of times, is an indigestible goody, and the crust is filled with a mince meat filling that is even richer than the crust.—Suburban Life.

CEYLON ELEPHANTS.

The Only Species In Which the Males Have No Tusks.

What a sight for a Ceylon elephant hunter would be the first view of a herd of African elephants—all tuskers! It is a singular thing that Ceylon is the only part of the world where the male elephants have no tusks. They have miserable little grubbers projecting two or three inches from the upper jaw and inclining downward.

Nothing produces either ivory or horn in fine specimens throughout Ceylon. Although some of the buffaloes have tolerably fine heads, they will not bear a comparison with those of other countries. The horns of the native cattle are not above four inches in length.

The elk and the spotted deer's antlers are small compared with deer of their size in India. This is the more singular as it is evident from the geological formation that at some remote period Ceylon was not an island, but formed a portion of the mainland. It is thought that there must be elements wanting in the Ceylon pasturage for the formation of ivory.—Ceylon Manual.

An Austrian Dogberry.

The Vienna men of law once distinguished themselves in a unique manner. A Wachau peasant had been caught in the criminal act of throwing stones at rabbits. He had not hit them, and the rabbits had decamped without so much as suspecting the attack, but the peasant was hauled before the high courts of justice. His defense was that the rabbits had been close to his garden and that he had only tried to frighten the greedy rodents off his cabbages. All the same, he was condemned to three days' imprisonment. The peasant appealed against the sentence, but in vain. If a rabbit had been killed, said the authorities, the peasant would certainly have stolen it, and stealing a rabbit was an unlawful action. And thus the man from Wachau went to prison for three days, and the wise judges of Vienna bounded into fame for their method of applying the "if" and "and" theory.—Westminster Gazette.

The Sundial at Yale.

About the time of the Yale bicentennial celebration in 1901 some wag presented the university with a perfectly good sundial, which was elaborately advertised in the New York papers and with due solemnity set up in a conspicuous place on Berkeley oval. "The blamed thing never did take very well," the Record explained apropos of the trouble sundry undergraduates got into in trying to run off with the main-spring of it, and the grotesque grandeur of this expensive and beautiful piece of architecture set the Owl off into paroxysms of laughter in which the campus followed with a will. "Shay, Jack, what time is it?" "I can't tell you, old fel'; this sundial's stopped." And, "Hey, fresh, out there by the sundial! Strike a match and see if it isn't bedtime!" are typical.—E. R. Embree in Bohemian.

Wanted to Be Ready.

Servant—I've come to give notice, ma'am, as I am going to get married. Mistress—Indeed, Mary! How long have you been engaged? Servant—I ain't engaged at all, ma'am. Mistress—Well, who is the happy man? Servant—You know the big shop down the road. Well, the shopwalker looked at me the day before yesterday, and yesterday he smiled, and today he said, "Good morning," and I expect tomorrow he'll propose, and, you see, ma'am, I want to be ready.—London Answers.

A fool at forty will never be wise.—Irish Proverb.

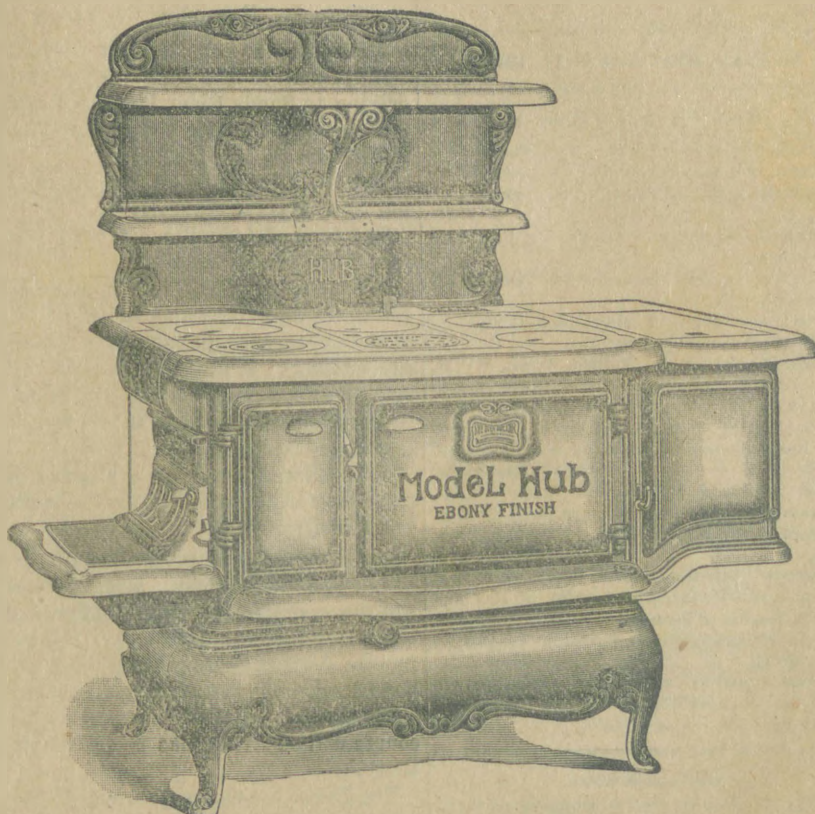
Log Driving Companies.

The four corporations, operating in the Kennebec and tributary waters, known by name as the Kennebec, the Dead River, the Dead River North Branch and the Moose River Log Driving Companies, will hold their annual meetin-s at Hotel North, Augusta, on the 18th of the present month. S. W. Philbrick of Skowhegan is clerk and treasurer of all of these companies and many residents of Somerset county are interested in them. The business done by them, bringing the logs down the river to the mills is an important feature of the lumbering industry for the Kennebec water shed and calls for an

annnal disbursement of over \$100,000

If the charges for towing on Moosehead lake are added, and the assessments of the Roach River Dam Company, the total reaches about \$130,000. The figures given are readily accessible as S. W. Philbrick is treasurer of the Coburn Steamboat Company, operating all the steam craft in Moosehead Lake waters and the Roach River Dam Company, operating all the steam craft in Moosehead Lake waters and the Roach River Dam Company, as well as the Log Driving Companies, and the accounts are all kept at his office in Skowhegan.

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The Prize Will be a

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Rules of the Contest.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 14, 1908.

Franklin County Officers.

Clerk of Courts—Byron M. Small, Farmington.
County Attorney—Cyrus N. Blanchard, Wilton.
Judge of Probate—Josiah H. Thompson, Farmington.
Register of Probate—Albion L. Fenderson, Farmington.
Register of Deeds—George D. Clark, New Vineyard.
Treasurer—Carleton P. Merrill, Farmington.
Sheriff—Dana O. Coolidge, Jay.
Deputies—Joseph A. Witham, Weld; W. B. Small, Kingfield; James H. Howes, New Sharon; A. J. Merriman, Jay; Herman Sanborn, Wilton; George M. Esty, Rangeley; Harry E. Bell, Phillips; David Richardson, Strong; Lester D. Eaton, Farmington; Charles S. Robbins, Chesterville; W. S. Morrow, New Vineyard.
County Commissioners—Charles R. Hall, East Dixfield; B. F. Beal, Phillips; Sherman I. Bean, Jay.
Terms of Supreme Judicial Court, the first Tuesday of February, third Tuesday of May and fourth Tuesday of September.
Terms of Probate Court, the third Tuesday of each month.
Regular session of County Commissioners court, last Tuesday of April and last Tuesday of December.

Political Notices.

MAINE WOODSMAN is pleased to publish all notices of political caucuses free of charge, regardless of party.

New Vineyard.

The sick ones are all on the gain.
Charles Fuller of Lewiston, formerly of New Vineyard, was in town one day recently.
F. O. Smith started up his birch mill one day last week with full crew.
Mrs. John Rand has been very sick with heart trouble but is a little better at this writing.
Mr. and Mrs. P. B. Kennedy of Strong visited his Mother Sunday.
Russell Lynn of Strong was the guest of Miss Lottie Look over Sunday.
Mr. Hiram Emery of North Anson visited at Frank Holbrook's recently.
Frank Garrett of Farmington has bought the Edd Abbott stand and is all settled in the new home.
Elwin Voter is at work for I. S. Wilcox.
Charlie Carley is to build a new ell to his house in the near future.
W. S. Morrow is to enlarge the old post office and make a store of it.
The next regular meeting of Lemon Stream Grange will be Feb. 22.
Mrs. Ether S. Savage is at home for a few weeks.
Mrs. Nellie McDaniel is in better health than for some time.
John Savage and Daniel Pratt are hauling birch lumber to Fred Smith's birch mill.
Wendall Hackett is hauling long lumber to L. L. Hackett's sawmill.

Fairbanks.

Frank Green has returned from Portland where he has been working at his trade.
Mercury 30 degrees below zero Wednesday morning of last week.
Frank Stanley with his gasoline engine has sawed H. A. Compton's wood pile, also that of J. B. Holley.
The Holley school house was burned Jan. 5. It has been built only a few years.
Plenty of snow for sledding now.
Madams Cothren and Tarbox are gaining slowly.

The Jar of Coughing

Hammer blows, steadily applied, break the hardest rock. Coughing, day after day, jars and tears the throat and lungs until the healthy tissues give way. Ayer's Cherry Pectoral stops the coughing, and heals the torn membranes.

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Postmaster S. G. Haley of Phillips Postoffice says:

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The postmaster has no discretion in the matter but must obey the ruling of the department.

This means just what it says, and if your paper is 12 months in arrears at that time it will be stopped.

The address label on each paper shows you and the postmaster the time to which your paper is paid and whether it is mailable under the new ruling or not.

Rangeley.

Misses Maude and Roberta Rowe of Phillips arrived in town Saturday night driving to Sandy River Plantation next day, where they are guests of their sister, Mrs. William Ellis.

Mrs. S. B. McCard was in Farmington Monday.

The Ladies' Aid will meet with Mrs. Alice Coburn this week.

It is hoped that all church members will make an extra effort to be present at the Conference meeting next Thursday evening. A business meeting will be held at the close of the conference to see what shall be done in regard to repairing the church.

E. I. Herrick has sold his interest in the camps at Spencer Lake to Patterson and Tibbetts.

Eugene Soule accompanied his wife to Lewiston last Friday, week, where she was operated on for appendicitis at the Maine General Hospital. At last reports she was getting along finely and her friends hope for a speedy recovery.

The subject of next Sunday's discourse will be "The Measures of Temptation".

The Rebekah officers from out of town were entertained over night by Mrs. H. A. Furbish.

Mrs. Amos Ellis spent several days last week with her daughter, Mrs. Olin Rowe.

Miss Maude Lowell went to Dixfield last week where she has employment in the toothpick mill.

Miss Ruey Brackett has returned from Farmington and is working for Mrs. Herman Huntoon.

A Cobweb sociable is to be held at the Grange hall on Wednesday evening by the Ladies' Aid Society.

Miss Bertha Rich is boarding at the Oquossoc House.

Dr. Colby made a professional call at Stratton last week.

Mrs. Anson M. Hoar and Mrs. Ira D. Hoar gave a whist party at the home of the latter Wednesday of last week.

The following ladies were present: Mdms. H. A. Furbish, H. T. Barber, Frank Stewart, A. H. Sprague, Freeman Tibbetts, A. L. Robertson, Charles Barrett, Frank Porter, Walter Oakes, Charles Harris, Ed. Coburn, Harry Look, W. E. Tibbetts, Lufe Kempton, Eben Harnden, Miss Edith Harris. First prizes were won by Mrs. A. L. Robertson and Mrs. Ed. Coburn; consolation prizes by Mrs. Frank Stewart and Mrs. W. E. Tibbetts. Refreshments, consisting of doughnuts, cheese, assorted cake and coffee were served.

Mr. H. L. Bradford has sold his residence on the corner of Middle and School streets to Frank Stewart.

Miss Doris Oliver has gone to Massachusetts to spend the remainder of the winter with her aunt.

Miss Prudence Richardson is visiting her friends, the Mallorys, in New York.

Rev. F. P. Freeman talked to the children Sunday, taking for his subject, "Building Characters" and urging them to use as the four corner stones, purity, truth, honor and reverence.

Summit Rebekah Lodge, No. 120, held its installation of officers at the Grange hall, Friday evening. Mrs. H. B. Voter, Mrs. Hannibal Russell, Mrs. Arbo C. Norton of Farmington and Mrs. Charles Chandler of Phillips were the installing officers and performed the work in a very creditable manner.

The following is the list of officers: Mrs. H. L. Bradford, N. G.; Miss Winifred Hinkley, V. G.; Miss Dossie Oakes, secretary; Mrs. G. M. Carlton, treasurer; Mrs. Ira Hoar, R. S. to N. G.; Mrs. Alexis Blodgett, L. S. to N. G.; Mrs. Emery Haley, R. S. to V. G.; Miss Leona Hinkley, L. S. to V. G.; Mrs. F. F. Russell, chaplain; Miss Lucilla Lamb, warden; Mr. Lyman Kempton O. G.; Mrs. Arthur Oakes, I. G.; Mrs. H. Spiller, conductor; Mrs. Lyman Kempton, P. N. G.

Friday afternoon of last week Mrs. Freeman Tibbetts entertained the ladies at whist. Mrs. Ira Hoar and Mrs. H.

A. Furbish carried off the first prizes; Mrs. Walter Bush and Mrs. A. H. Sprague consolation prizes.

Mrs. Cora Haley had charge of the store for Mrs. E. P. McCard during her absence the first of the week.

Word has been received from Mrs. George Snowman, who is at the Sisters' hospital, Lewiston, that she underwent a very successful operation for gall stones last Friday.

Ed. Coburn was in Lewiston last week.

A PORTO RICAN CUSTOM.

Prayers For the Dying Recited in the Public Streets.

"A few evenings ago while we were at dinner in our hotel," writes an American author visiting in Porto Rico, "we heard the tinkling of a small bell just outside the hotel doors. Instantly Salvador, the waiter, stopped in the little bustling run with which he waits on the guests, hurriedly procured a candle, lighted it and carried it out on the balcony. Almost as soon as that candle was on the balcony railing we three Americans were beside it, questioning Salvador, for we were sure something unusual was going on.

"We saw a procession of many people, led by two priests, coming down the street, each person bearing in his hand a lighted candle. They stopped in front of a house facing the hotel, and Salvador told us that somebody was dying there and they were praying for his soul. Up and down the street as far as we could see on every balcony railing was burning either a candle or a kerosene lamp.

"From the absorbed interest of the people gathered in front of open doors and windows of the afflicted house the sufferer was apparently trying to die in full view of the spectators.

"Presently the bell began to ring again, the procession formed once more, and they all moved up the street, Salvador telling us in explanation that there was a second person dying and they were now going to pray for him."—Exchange.

A Slight Deduction.

In Mrs. Lapham's family circle her powers of reasoning were accounted most remarkable and convincing. Outside the family her ability to convince was not so marked.

"See here," she said without releasing the ten cent piece for which the conductor of the trolley car had gone to her side, "I've only brought Willy with me. He's eight, so I've got to pay his fare. I've left Myra, that's four, and Neddy, that's two, at home. Now, you wouldn't have charged me for them, would you?"

"No, madam," said the conductor "Your fare, please."

"Well, they'd have taken one seat," persisted Mrs. Lapham, still retaining her hold on the ten cent piece. "I couldn't have held 'em both. I thought of bringing them, only 'twas too far. Now, why can't you take off something from Willy under the circumstances?"—Youth's Companion.

The Cure.

"In love with that penniless young scamp, are you?" said old Roxley. "Well, I propose to cure you of that." "You can't," retorted the willful young girl. "I'm determined to marry him." "That's it exactly. I propose to let you do it."—Exchange.

Rest. Do it now. Easy to accomplish by reading MAINE WOODS. Leads you back to original self. One dollar does it.

DENTIST

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

Monday, Feb. 3, to

Saturday, Feb. 8, 1908

The Phillips office will be open on and after Tuesday, Feb. 11, 1908. No office hours on Mondays.

CUNNING BIRDS.

Stratagem of the Lapwing and the Ruse of the Thrush.

"The goose is a frightful liar," said a nature fakir. "He quite puts me to shame."

"Really?"

"Really. You know how the goose, when you draw near it, hisses? Well, with that hissing sound it says: 'Scott, beware. I am a serpent.' Yes, from primeval times the goose has acted this lie. The primeval goose mother, sitting on her eggs in a place of reeds and sedge, would not fly when an intruder appeared; but, keeping her body concealed amid the leaves, she would stretch out her long, flexible neck and hiss wickedly. 'A snake in the grass,' the intruder would say to himself as he retreated, and on her eggs the goose would chuckle in a sly, contemptuous way.

"The lapwing is another liar. Approach her nest and she sets up a distressful crying and runs back and forth in front of you, trailing one wing as though it were broken. You follow. You think to snatch her up in your hands. With this lie she lures you away from her young.

"The thrush in time of drought beats with his feet on the grass like a clog dancer. Thus he lies to the earthworms. He makes them think that it is raining. Up they come in silent haste, and the deceitful thrush makes a rich meal."—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

WELL BURIED.

Two Funerals For One Man Provided For by His Will.

Curious directions for the disposal of his remains were left by John Robert Pringle of Calford, who died leaving an estate of gross value of £8,049 3s. 3d. The testator directed:

"After my decease I desire that a competent and trustworthy doctor of medicine shall, by any experiment he may deem suitable, thoroughly satisfy himself that life is absolutely extinct. My carcass is to be cremated and the residuum thereof deposited in two metal urns, numbered respectively 1 and 2. On the ashes in No. 1 are to be placed a packet, which will be found on my desk, and my miniature portrait scarf-pin, and on the ashes in urn No. 2 a similar packet, which also will be found on my desk, and my miniature portrait finger ring."

He directed that the urns were then to be soldered down and No. 1 buried in his mother's grave at Newport Pagnell and the other in "my dear Lizzie's grave" in the Streatham cemetery at Tooting. He also enjoined his son to see that the graves of his mother and of the testator's mother were properly looked after.—London Mail.

Always Strong.

Church—They say the human voice is stronger in the morning than it is at night. Gotham—I can't see any difference in baby's.—Yonkers Statesman.

No Case On Record.

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

SUICIDE AT FREEMAN.

Charles A. Russell Became Despondent and Hung Himself In Woodshed.

Special correspondence to MAINE WOODSMAN.

FREEMAN, ME., Feb. 11, 1908.

Becoming despondent on account of sickness, Chas. H. Russell committed suicide by hanging early Monday morning. He was found by his son about 4.30 a. m., hanging from a beam in the woodshed.

He left a note dated Feb. 10, stating what disposition he wished made with his property. Mr. Russell held the respect of the community and his death is a shock to all who knew him.

Carrabassett.

On Feb. 11 18 inches of snow fell at this place and since then it has been cold and stormy.

H. A. Chapman of Waterville and Andrew Hilton of Anson were in town last week on business.

John Berry of No. New Portland, who has been driving team at Huston Brook, was called home recently by the illness of his wife.

John Woodcock has moved to Bigelow, George Jackson of Embden is hauling birch and boarding at Walter Roger's.

Fred Mullen of No. Anson, who has been at home for a week with a lame hand which he jammed quite badly, has returned to his work.

Jim Gates of Kingfield is driving team for F.S. Tufts.

Miss Mary Rogers, who has been working up river, is expected home in a few days.

Madrid.

As it snowed the first and the sixth all day it has given the road breakers plenty of work.

Mdms. O. A. Dunham and Bonney Webber and children were guests of Mrs. J. C. Wells recently. Fred Ladd has moved into the house with James Dunham.

J. C. Wells is recovering from an attack of the prevailing distemper, a bad cold.

All sympathize with Isaiah Dunham, who is nearly blind from cataracts which have nearly obstructed his sight.

Last week was cold and rough for the wind played its part well.

Simple Remedy For La Grippe.

La Grippe coughs are dangerous as they frequently develop into pneumonia. Foley's Honey and Tar not only stops the cough but heals and strengthens the lungs so that no serious results need be feared. The genuine Foley's Honey and Tar contains no harmful drugs and is in a yellow package. Refuse substitutes. W. A. D. Cragin, Phillips.

ACHES AND PAINS.

Relief in Thirty Minutes by Using Neuralgic Anodyne.

From the throbbing, nervous headache that may wear you and itself out in a day or two, to the grip of rheumatism which seems never ending, Neuralgic Anodyne is guaranteed to give relief in thirty minutes by the clock.

This valuable remedy is entirely different from anything else, as it is taken internally, reaching the nerve centres and strengthening the whole nervous system, and is at the same time rubbed onto the affected parts, thus finding its way through the pores of the skin to the aching tissues and throbbing nerves.

Neuralgic Anodyne is a family remedy that is invariably successful in curing neuralgia, rheumatism, headache, bruises, sprains, toothache, colds, croup, sore throat, etc. A large-sized bottle costs but 25 cts., with a guarantee to refund the money if not satisfactory. Made by The Twitchell-Champlin Co., Portland, Me.

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1 Lot of Boy's Wool Boots,	.39
1 " " Ladies' Overshoes,	\$1.50
1 " " Children's Overshoes,	.89
1 " " Ladies' 50c Dress Goods now	25c per yard
1 " " Men \$1.00 Underwear,	.79
1 " " Boy's 50c and 25c caps now,	.19
1 " " Men's \$1.00, 75c, 50c caps now	.39

We have bargains in Men's and Boys' Suits.
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I have a few more Overcoats to close out at post holiday bargain prices.

One lot of Mackinaw's Coats at \$1.69 you shouldn't miss before they go in a few days.

H. V. KIMBALL, Prop.,

Rangeley,

Maine.

Farmington.

Miss Cora B. Houston of Portland is visiting her sister, Mrs. George McL-Presson.

Otis B. Lawry, son of Frank W. Lawry, is very ill.

Frank Harnden went to Phillips Tuesday to attend the funeral of his sister, Mrs. Haly.

The hydrant at the corner of Broadway and High streets, which has been leaking for some time, burst Sunday, owing to the water backing up around it and freezing. It caused quite a flood for a short time. The shut-offs that controlled it had to be reached by digging in the snow and some time elapsed before they could be located and the water flow subjected.

The home of Wallace Watson and sisters at Farmington Falls came very near being burned last week from a chimney which burned out about midnight, setting fire to the word-work round it. The roaring of the fire waked Mr. Watson, who with the help of his neighbors, succeeded in putting the fire out.

The members of Pilgrim Commandery, Knights Tempar, are perfecting arrangements for a concert and ball to be held early next month. While the exact date has not yet been permanently decided upon, yet March 4 will probably be the time of the event which, like the similar affairs of former years, will constitute the chief social function of the winter. Chandler's orchestra of Portland, reputed today to be the best in the state, has been engaged, and negotiations are being made that will result in the presentation of a choice vaudeville entertainment, probably from the Keith circuit.

Dr. and Mrs. John W. Nichols returned Saturday from Portland where Mrs. Nichols recently underwent a severe surgical operation at the Maine General hospital.

J. Ardine Blake has returned from a successful business trip to the lumber woods.

Two of the new Springfield rifles of 22 caliber have been received by Company K. and the boys have begun their indoors rifle practice. The new arms are found to be exceedingly accurate and good scores are the rule rather than the exception.

Prof. W. R. Chapman was in town last week and met the local members of the Maine festival chorus in Normal hall. There was a large turnout of the lovers of vocal music and the instruction imparted by Professor Chapman was of great benefit. The grand opera Aida, composed by Verdi, was rehearsed and is to be produced at the Maine festival in Portland. The professor is the originator and director of the festival and his interpretation of the coming opera aroused much enthusiasm among the local members of the chorus. His piano playing in particular was a revelation to his hearers and the entire evening was replete with valuable instruction. It was announced that Mdm. Schumann-Heink had been engaged to sing in concert at Lewiston at an early date and that excursion rates had been arranged for on the railroad to accommodate those who desired to hear this famous vocalist.

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Supreme Judicial Court.

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public, nine being withheld for a time until the parties had been taken into custody:

Harry L. Kilgore of Avon for polygamy in marrying Guida Lovejoy, alias Guida Searles, Oct. 19, 1906, when he had a wife living, Rosina A. Witham, whom he had married Oct. 27, 1872. Kilgore was arraigned, pleaded guilty and was remanded for sentence.

Guida Lovejoy, alias Searles of Freeman, for unlawfully intermarrying Harry L. Kilgore, at Berlin, N. H., Oct. 19, 1906. Plead guilty.

Joe Herbert of Jay, larceny of a watch, valued at \$18, from Daniel Richards, Oct. 8, 1907. Plead guilty.

Joseph Dowling of Jay, breaking, entering and larceny of \$11.54 in money from Mat. Arsenault. Plea, not guilty.

Fred Marceau of Jay, liquor nuisance at Chisholm's. Plea, guilty.

William Gay of Jay, liquor nuisance at Chisholm's. Plea, not guilty.

State vs. Peter Ardenglie of Jay, liquor nuisance.

State vs. Nelson J. Gagne of Jay, common seller.

State vs. same, liquor nuisance.

State vs. Frank G. Colburn of Wilton, liquor nuisance.

State vs. same, single sale.

State vs. Clementine Lodi of Jay, liquor nuisance.

State vs. George A. Gagne of Jay, single sale.

State vs. Michele Marcucello of Jay, common seller.

State vs. same, liquor nuisance.

State vs. Joseph Marcucello of Jay, single sale.

Before the final discharge of the grand jury, they presented to County Attorney Blanchard an elegant K. T. watch charm in token of their appreciation of his services during the terms served under his direction. Foreman J. Currier Tarbox made the presentation speech, to which the county attorney happily responded.

The case on trial in the supreme judicial court Saturday was between Lovey S. Soule and Arron M. Soule both of Rangeley, an action of trover to recover for over 70 different articles of household goods and furniture, all of the alleged value of \$102.40. Butler appeared for plaintiff and Green leaf for delendant. The case was tried before a drawn jury, of which Frank A. Emery of Jay was appointed foreman. The parties were formerly wife and husband, having been divorced at the May term, 1907, and in July following she was married to Charles N. Hamlin with whom she now lives. At the time of the divorce the parties made an agreement by which he paid her a specified sum of money, and she also claimed that he agreed that she should have all of the things in the house that belonged to her, but when she went after them, just prior to her second marriage, he refused to let her have them. The jury returned a verdict for the plaintiff for \$15.

Monday the first case taken up was that of State vs. Frank G. Colburn of Wilton, for a single sale of intoxicating liquor, the allegation being that on Dec. 5, last, he sold a quart of whiskey to Blinn Whittemore of West Farmington, receiving therefor \$1.00. Holman appeared for respondent. After hearing the evidence the jury promptly returned a verdict of not guilty.

George A. Gagne of Jay was then placed on trial on a single sale charge. Holman also defended him. The charge was that he sold four pint bottles of Sterling ale to Leander Matson on last Christmas day, but the jury was of a different opinion and brought in a verdict of not guilty.

This was followed by the single sale case against Joseph Marcucello of Chisholm's. His attorneys were Pratt and Clary of Livermore Falls. The indictment alleged that he sold a pint of whiskey to John Matson on June 1, last. A verdict of guilty was returned.

The fourth case of the day was that of state vs. Peter Ardenglie for a liquor nuisance at his camps near the Mountain View House on the road to Rangeley village. He was defended by Holman and McCarty of Rumford Falls. Deputy Sheriff Esty testified to visiting the camp of the respondent on Jan. 1, last with two others, found

four men there, all more or less intoxicated. Beer in bottles and a keg of beer were found. The beer analyzed less than three per cent. Deputy Sheriff Beil visited the camps with the former witness and described what they found there. William Tomlinson was present on the same visit, going with the officers at their request and he noticed the same things that they did. Respondent said he kept the camp for lodgers and sold them only Uno beer and tobacco. Henry G. Perry, clerk at the Mountain View House said he had seen lumbermen going to and from this camp intoxicated. Irving Toothaker said he carried a party of six to the camp one Sunday. The wife of the respondent, a young and pretty woman who was married to him last August said they had rooms for only five people, but never allowed anybody to drink liquor or Jamaica ginger there and they never sold any liquor to anybody. Mark Stanfield of Rumford Falls, had been up to this camp but he never saw any liquor dispensed there. Case at this point was suspended till Tuesday morning, when Ezra Cook of Rangeley testified that he is a farmer and has sold the respondent farm products in considerable quantities, but never saw any drinking there. The defence then called Fred Vallie of Rumford Falls, who claimed that he was one of the intoxicated men who was found there by the officers. He said they bought some Uno beer there, but no liquor. Deputy Esty and Mr. Tomlinson, in rebuttal, denied that they saw Vallie there at the time of their visit. The case went to the jury about 11 o'clock, and they returned a verdict of guilty.

William Gay of Chisholm's, indicted for maintaining a liquor nuisance, retracted and pleaded guilty; Clementine Lodi of the same place did the same in the case against her, on a similar charge. Joseph Downing of Jay, indicted for breaking, entering and larceny of eleven dollars and some odd cents from a child's savings bank in that town, also retracted and pleaded guilty.

The court then took up the appealed search and seizure case against Charles Kitchner of West Farmington, the officers finding three quart bottles of whiskey in his bed at his boarding house, the residence of Charles Smith. The jury returned a verdict not guilty.

Joseph Gilbert, alias Joseph Wiseman of Lewiston, was called on a search and seizure at the fair grounds last fall, and not appearing was defaulted, as were also his sureties, Alice Gilbert and Clarence M. Eaton.

Clementine Lodi and Nelson J. Gagne of Jay and their sureties were also defaulted in liquor cases standing against them.

William Arnold of Eustis was arraigned on an indictment found at the September term for a single sale of whiskey to Frank L. Cox and pleaded guilty. The case was continued for sentence and a common seller indictment against him was nolprossed, as was also a nuisance indictment against George E. Colburn of Wilton.

Harry L. Kilgore of Avon, who had pleaded guilty of polygamy in marrying Guida Searles was brought into court for sentence. Judge Morrison stated in behalf of the respondent that the latter was 53 years of age and had been a hard working man all his life and had been unlucky and accumulated but little property. He had supposed his first wife had procured a divorce and that he was free to marry again when he married the second woman, which he did in a most open and public manner, without any attempt at concealment and then had come back to his native town with her, not realizing that he had committed any serious offense, and asked that he be dealt with as leniently as possible, as he has already been in jail three months. The court said under all the circumstances, he would not impose the maximum sentence, but that a substantial sentence would be given as a deterrent in this class of crimes which were of a very serious character. He therefore sentenced him to two years in state prison.

The Searles woman's case was continued for sentence and she was allowed to go on her own recognizance.

Joseph Downing of Jay was given a sentence of two years in state prison.

Joseph Herbert of Jay, for the larceny of a watch, was sent to the Farmington jail for six months.

Peter Ardenglie of Rangeley, for maintaining a liquor nuisance, was sentenced to pay a fine of \$200 and costs and four month in jail.

Joseph Marcucello of Jay, for a single sale, was fined \$50 and costs and 30 days in jail.

William Gay, who pleaded guilty on a nuisance charge, is now in jail serving a sentence and this nuisance case

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was continued for sentence. Clementine Lodi also had a nuisance case against her continued for sentence.

Wednesday morning the court took up the case of Frank E. Hall and Harold H. Hall vs. Clifford R. Thompson of Jay. The plaintiffs own a farm in Wilton which last year was under the management of Lawyer Blanchard of that town. The apples on the farm were sold and it was agreed that the only question to be submitted to the jury should be: "Did Clifford R. Thompson, the defendant, agree to take and pay for the apples described in the writ?" To this question the jury returned an answer that he did. The action was then marked "defaulted." The question of damages will be settled by a subsequent hearing before the clerk of courts, by agreement of the parties. This proved to be the last jury trial for the term and all jurors were finally excused shortly before noon.

Two cases against George B. Barker of Jay, one for single sale and the other for a liquor nuisance, were nolprossed, one of the state's witnesses being in jail here, another in the Oxford County jail and the third one gone to that "bourne from which no traveler ever returns."

Divorces Granted.

The following divorces have been decreed during the term:

Rosa L. Goss from Edwin F. Goss, for desertion; Lizzie R. Hawes from Arthur W. Hawes, for cruel and abusive treatment, custody of the children given to mother; Irvin B. Toothaker from Maud L. Toothaker for desertion.

Albertus E. Bartlett from Florence C. Bartlett for a statutory offence.

Ora B. Wilkins from Gerald Y. Wilkins for intoxication and cruel and abusive treatment, custody of the children given to the mother.

Maud N. Collins from Fred E. Collins for cruel and abusive treatment and extreme cruelty; name of libellant changed.

George H. Young from Columbia R. Young for desertion.

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THE SIMPLE REMEDY THAT EFFECTS THE CURE

Professor Blanchard of the French Academy of Medicine has spent a great amount of time studying that dread disease—Appendicitis. In company with Professor Metchnikoff, he has carefully examined numerous cases, and both have reached the conclusion that the cure is not the knife. In more than forty cases the symptoms of Appendicitis disappeared after the patients had been treated for worms.

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Mary A. Bean from Howard A. Bean for cruel and abusive treatment and extreme cruelty.

Rosina A. Kilgore from Harry L. Kilgore for adultery. Libelee to pay libellant \$200 in lieu of alimony.

Mertie L. Rogers from Fred E. Rogers for cruel and abusive treatment; name of libellant changed.

Nellie M. Mooney from John J. Mooney for intoxication; name of libellant changed to Nellie M. Smith.

Charles M. Whiting from Georgia A. Whiting for desertion.

Adella E. Lambert from Charles W. Lambert for cruel and abusive treatment; name of libellant changed.

Marie L. Harris from Ernest L. Harris for desertion; custody of child given to the mother.

The libel Florence C. Bartlett vs. Albert E. Bartlett was dismissed; also that of Alberta M. Grover vs. Eugene A. Grover, a new one having been filed in the latter case.

Della K. Locke from William P. Locke for cruel and abusive treatment.

In the divorce case, Melvina Whitney vs. C. Carroll Whitney, the libelee was ordered to pay her \$25 before May 1 next. Whitney is the man who was acquitted at the special term on the charge of polygamy in marrying Miss Ripley of Farmington while Melvina was still alive, she claiming that she was married to him on the Steamer Bay State in Boston harbor and he denying that he was ever legally married to her. This divorce case goes over to the May term.

Defaults were entered in the following cases on the last day of the term: Ernest A. Odell vs. Floyd B. Wilson; Town of Jay vs. Frank W. Payne and certain land; Perley C. Collins vs. James Tolman; Moses S. Parker vs. Walter S. Nutter; O. B. Head vs. Woodbury G. Lowe; Hilda E. Sprague vs. Wm. P. Lynn; Alonzo P. Carville vs. Frank E. Burrill; Silas H. Niles vs. I. C. Mayo; E. H. Lowell vs. J. F. Richmond; Wilfred McLeary vs. A. J. Mace; John J. Linscott vs. B. F. McLaughlin; Alonzo P. Carville vs. Frank E. Burrill; Frank N. Blanchard vs. A. J. Mace; W. B. Hoyt vs. W. H. Tibbetts; Charles F. Blanchard vs. Wm. E. Burns; Henry R. Dascomb vs. Isaiah C. Mayo; Richard D. Harding vs. Herman, Heath; Frank N. Blanchard vs. F. H. Fish; Alphonso Chase vs. Fred A. Roberts and John L. Cummings; Charles G. Wellman vs. Albert M. Piper and tr.; S. H. Keene vs. Harvey Tibbetts; and tr.; C. H. McKenzie Co. vs. Peter Newell and Sylvester Gabriel; Frank B. Gordon et al vs. S. S. Gross; same vs. same; F. B. Hutchins vs. A. A. Dyer; Frank H. Wilbur vs. Charles T. Dodge; E. O. Greenleaf vs. Peter Gastonguay; James Morrison vs. William E. Russell; Chas. W. Bell vs. Ed Stinchfield; same vs. Nathaniel Carville.

Judgment for costs was given in three cases Frank W. Butler, complainant, vs. Frank J. Barnjum.

The term was brought to a close shortly before 5 o'clock.

Republican Caucus.

The republicans of the town of Salem held a caucus on February 6 and chose the following town committee:

N. P. Harris, F. E. Harris, and W. S. Dodge.

Clerk, Edgar Wills.

Delegate to the State convention at Bangor June 30, N. P. Harris.

Delegate to Congressional district committee, W. S. Dodge.

Delegates to County convention, N. P. Harris, Edgar Wills, F. E. Harris.

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Phillips and Vicinity.

A most enjoyable party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Sweetser on Monday evening, in celebration of the 16th birthday of their youngest daughter, Miss Florette Sweetser. About 20 of the young lady's friends were in attendance and the evening was pleasantly passed in playing games. A treat, consisting of ice cream, fancy cookies, peanuts, candy, fancy crackers and cake was served. Miss Sweetser was the recipient of many birthday presents which included a handsome ivory paper cutter with sterling silver handle presented by her class in high school.

Capt. E. F. Coburn of Angler's Retreat, Middledam, was in Phillips last Monday.

Anyone in need of moccasins should go to C. E. Gould, Upper Village, who is selling them at half price.

A peculiar accident happened to a locomotive on the Phillips & Rangeley railroad a few days ago when while making a trip between Rangeley and this place the whistle was lost. It was necessary to exhaust the pressure of steam in the boiler, before repairs could be made and the trip resumed.

Local railroad men were chuckling the other day over the misfortune which came to one of their number. It was during the cold snap and thinking to enjoy a warm meal, instead of eating one lacking but a few degrees of being at freezing temperature, he placed his well-filled dinner pail on the exhaust of a locomotive standing in the roundhouse. Suddenly the engine "blew off" and the dinner pail and all was scattered around the premises, warm all right, but in no condition to eat.

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. Nelson W. Howard will deeply sympathize with them in the death of their little daughter, Elizabeth, which occurred Sunday Feb., 2, very suddenly and unexpectedly at their home in Roxbury, Mass. Her age was 5 years and 6 months. Mrs. Howard was Miss Willard before her marriage and she is a cousin to Mrs. C. E. Parker of this town.

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Butterfield drove to Weld Friday, called there by the death of Mrs. Butterfield's brother, Mr. Joseph Plummer.

The many friends of Col. R. W. Soule who has for the past two weeks been very ill at his home on Winter street, will regret to learn that he is not recovering as fast as could be desired. —Kennebec Journal.

Mrs. D. T. Libby and daughter, Laura, who have been at Waltham, Mass., for some time, returned home Friday. Miss Libby, who underwent an operation while there, is in much improved health.

A regular meeting of North Franklin Pomona Grange, P. of H. No. 22, will be held with Lemon Stream Grange, New Vineyard, Thursday, Feb. 20, at 10 A. M. Picnic dinner.

CLARA FRENCH.—Sec'y.

Cyrus Goff, who worked for the Redington Lumber Company for seven years at their mills at Redington sawing laths, now lives at Gray and boards at the Elm House. It has been 10 years since Mr. Goff left the Redington Lumber Company and went to Portland where he lived until about six years ago. Gray is the first town in the United States where cloth was woven by power. It was down in Mayall's Mill. The old building is still standing. Mr. Goff is a very methodical man and keeps a record of everything, consequently he is able to prove that he was domiciled at Redington for 7 years, 2 hours and 10 minutes, figuring the arrival and leaving time of the trains.

F. B. Burns, proprietor of the Mooselookmeguntic House, Haines Landing, spent Sunday in town.

Phillips and Vicinity.

The regular meeting of Phelan Lodge No. 30, D. of H. will be held this Thursday evening, Feb. 13th.

The Phillips Athletic Club quintet will meet the Abbott school combination of goal throwers in Lambert Hall, Saturday February 15th. A red hot game is expected. The second teams of both institutions will also try conclusions, making two games for one admission. These are the games that were scheduled for Feb. 1st. Tickets sold for the Feb. 1st. game will be accepted. Admission 25 cents, reserved seats 35 cents.

At a meeting of Standard lodge A. O. U. W. of Lincoln last week A. L. Matthews was installed master and A. Weatherbee financier. The installing officer was ex-District Past Master Workman J. L. Matthews.

New Sharon.

Miss Laura Campbell has gone back to her work for Mrs. Harry Johnson in the east part of the town after a two weeks' vacation at home.

Miss Grace Garland is sick with a bad cold.

Henry Parlin has rheumatism quite badly. He is yet able to be about, but suffers a great deal of pain.

Mrs. Lois George has been quite ill. The two snow storms of last week left us with about fifteen inches of snow on the ground, everyone is "digging" right into business especially the lumbermen.

Our stage driver, Mr. Henry Porter, found it pretty disagreeable coming down from Farmington the night of Feb. 1, as it snowed and blowed all that day and about 6 o'clock commenced raining and was so cold it froze as fast as it fell and covered everything with ice. Mr. Porter looked more like an ice man than a stage driver when he arrived here about 10 o'clock, three hours later than the usual time. It is hoped for Mr. Porter's benefit, at least, that we won't have many more such nights as that one.

One of our oldest and respected citizens, Jason Gordon, passed away Jan. 30. He had been very sick with the grip and as his age was against him he failed to recover. He leaves few relatives, but many friends to mourn his loss.

Mr. George Campbell is with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Campbell, taking a rest and also gaining better health. About a year ago he went to Boston to attend college. His relatives and many friends are very glad to have him with them again, if only for a short time.

Weld.

The C. E. social held at Floyd Witham's Monday evening was a great success. Everybody seemed to enjoy the evening.

Mr. Joseph Plummer died at his home Thursday afternoon and the funeral was held at the Congregational church Sunday at 2 p. m., conducted by Rev. G. A. Logan. The floral decorations were very pretty, there was a very handsome piece made of white pinks from Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Chandler, Mr. and Mrs. Hamlin Butterfield and Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Noble, also a very handsome pillow given by the children. Mr. Plummer leaves a widow, a married son, and a married daughter all of whom have the heartfelt sympathy of the community in their bereavement.

Mr. Cleveland Masterman has pneumonia.

Mr. and Mrs. Hamlin Butterfield of Phillips were in town last week.

Mr. Robert Wormell of Portland spent last week at D. B. Swett's.

Mr. Joseph Witham spent a few days in Farmington last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Masterman are keeping house on their place now.

Sunday was a red letter day at the Congregational church as we had with us Mr. Hiwale from Bombay, India. Mr. Hiwale has been in this country three years graduating from the seminary at Bangor last year. He is now at Bowdoin college taking a two years' course there. He is a great friend of Mr. Logan and considered it a great privilege to be here with him. In the morning he gave a very interesting talk in regard to the conditions in India. In the evening about a hundred and fifty were out to hear him talk about the customs and ways of the people in India. It was a very informal meeting, questions were asked and answered by Mr. Hiwale.

Miss Angie Swett is visiting in Lewiston.

Mrs. N. N. Noyes died at her home Monday from the effect of the grip.

Miss Vera Drew of Wilton, who has been visiting her grandmother, Mrs. A. N. Sanborn, for a week or two, returned home Tuesday.

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Strong.

The Epworth League meeting was held at the parsonage Monday evening. The meeting was led by Mrs. Marie Harris. The business meeting was held after the prayer meeting. It was decided to have some socials in the near future.

Marathon Lodge, K. of P., gave a concert in Bell's hall Tuesday evening, consisting of music by Dyer's orchestra, Strong band, readings, songs, etc. All expressed the concert a delightful affair.

Mrs. C. W. Allen of Freeman visited her sister, Mrs. Marie Harris, over Sunday.

The Ladies' Aid met with Mrs. H. A. Clifford Wednesday afternoon.

A short missionary program was carried out at the Methodist Episcopal Sunday School, Feb. 9, which everyone enjoyed.

Miss Rena Hinds of Phillips was the guest of her brother the first of the week.

Verne Richardson was a caller in Farmington recently.

Mrs. A. C. Waite of Portland is visiting her mother, Mrs. Robert Keefe.

Charles Whiting was in Lewiston last week.

The many friends of Mr. Albert Daggett will be pleased to learn that he has recovered from his recent long sickness and is to be seen on the streets once more.

Ralph Lewis underwent an operation Monday, at his home on Main street. At this writing he is getting along finely.

Walter Bradford was a recent caller in Farmington.

The Ladies' Aid is making plans for the fair which will be given in May.

Miss Blanche Boston has returned home from her school at Canton.

Alton Ladd of Salem was in town Monday.

The community was shocked Monday to hear of the sudden death of Mrs. William Dyer.

Miss Hattie Smith is working for Mrs. E. W. Loring.

Taylor Hill.

Snow and blow and break roads.

Mrs. Charles Wilbur, who has been stopping for the past two weeks at Guy Kershner's, has gone up to Geo. Wilbur's, Avon.

George E. Voter has returned home from Kingfield, where he has been working in the novelty mill.

O. S. Voter is still in very poor health.

Aurora Grange.

Aurora Grange, Strong, held the first regular day-meeting Tuesday afternoon, January 28th. A good number were present and a pleasant and profitable session was enjoyed.

It was voted to begin the day meetings at 10 o'clock A. M. for an all day meeting, and at 1.30 P. M. for the afternoon meetings.

The program, put over from the last meeting, was carried out in part.

The next regular meeting will occur Tuesday evening, February 18th for which has been arranged a Washington program consisting of papers on the boyhood, home and public life of Washington. With a discussion of the changes in agricultural methods since the time of Washington by the gentlemen, and remarks by the ladies of the changes in the home life during that period of time. Quotations by or of Washington will be another feature, and patriotic music by the choir will be enjoyed.

Reed's Mill.

Mr. Harry Dunham has employed Henry Walker.

Miss Anna Sargent is nursing Mrs. Smith of Farmington Falls.

Evan Webber is working for Bonney Webber this winter.

W. L. Dunham is talking of erecting a stable in the spring to take the place of the one that burned.

Mrs. Jemima Kinney is not very well at this writing.

F. N. Dunham and Harry Wing served on jury last week.

Mr. and Mrs. George Stinchfield are in camp for a few weeks.

Fred Ladd has moved to James Dunham's.

Frank Dunham will haul lumber for John Stinchfield.

Bonney Webber is laid up with sciatica for a few days.

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RANGELEY DURING THE WAR.

SAM FARMER WRITES OF THE EARLY BEGINNINGS IN 1860.

Hotel and Camp Accommodations Were Few and Primitive—Striking Contrast With Conditions of Today—Haven For "Skedaddlers" Toward Kennebago Lake.

(Special correspondence to MAINE WOODSMAN.)
ARKANSAS CITY, KANS.,
Jan. 8, 1908.

During the war and long after, Indian Rock was the most central point for all sportsmen as it was the only place where any camps were kept open for entertainment or any boats could be had; and they comprised a dozen clumsy things at that, though at Upper Dam the lumberdealers had quite commodious quarters which had been used by the builders of the big dam. At Bemis Stream there was no place to stop save an old logging camp back a little way in the woods. At Haines Landing, where the Mooselookmeguntic House now owned by Mrs. Jessie Burns and under the care of her son, Mr. Fred Burns, was a small fisherman's camp occupied by a few fishermen, generally through the winter, who made fishing a business by setting lines baited with live shiners and chubs, catching large quantities of big trout which were allowed to freeze and when a horse load was obtained were put on the market and sold at good prices. At Birch Island where the veteran, Billy Soule, has near a score of camps with all the paraphernalia necessary to the comfort of many guests, was a small camp just big enough for five persons to lie down, besides room for a fire and a pile of wood to burn, and as there were six of us in the party Uncle George Soule, our host, camped on the wood pile. Up the Cupsuptic river a few miles at the head of the falls was a camp owned and occupied by one G. L. F. Ball, a regular hunter, fisherman and guide, who spent several years in that section during the war, but later went to Grand Lake Stream in the eastern part of the state where I believe he now has a son doing a good business at that point.

Uncle Geo. Soule and oldest son, Augustus, went into the army where the son lost his life, and now while writing this up and looking back most 50 years find the biggest half, yes three-fourths have gone hence forever and my history is more of the dead than the living. But to return to the 1860's: Instead of a railroad to Rangeley there was a one horse team with Uncle Joe Frazier as driver, who made two trips a week with the mail from Rangeley to Phillips and return, doing a little express business and carrying a few passengers now and then. Later on it was three trips a week and a two horse team under the direction of the veteran stage driver, Moses Wills, who will be remembered by many now living and who continued to drive for several years. Business to the lakes increased rapidly during the war as money became plentiful. There were no accommodations at the foot of Rangeley Lake. A very rough road from the old Bowley place led down to the old mill, and a log bridge across the stream a few rods below the dam and down to Indian Rock, but very little work had been done on the road save to cut away the trees, log bridges were placed over the mud holes and water ways, and a path was made down across from said road to the cove where the Mountain View House now stands. A boat was kept there for parties going to Indian Rock. It was a solid bunch of alders and other brush, where the Mountain View House and other buildings including camps are now seen. Later on Mr. Henry T. Kimball built a camp a little back from where the wharf now is in front of the hotel and named it "Camp Henry." As near as I remember it was about 30 feet long, one story high and contained a long dining room, two bed rooms, with kitchen attached and in the attic a row of beds strung the whole length with a ladder at one end instead of stairs, the only way for guests to go to bed. This camp came into the possession of the veteran Geo. Soule, wife, and two daughters, who royally entertained many sportsmen among whom some were millionaires. Across the cove near the boat landing were a lot of bough camps fixed up in different apartments for sleeping, eating, cooking, etc., by a New York gentleman by name of Lazell, who with his friends enjoyed it hugely for several years.

It was in these early days that Senator W. P. Frye became infatuated with trout fishing at Indian Rock and made annual trips to this place he loved so well, often taking Mrs. Frye and children with other close friends and

making headquarters with us at the Mooselookmeguntic House and taking a boat from there to Indian Rock via foot of the lake. Major Frye was a great advertiser for this now great summer resort being a member of Congress, and meeting so many Congressmen, and people all over the United States. Much credit is due him for the magnitude of one of the biggest summer resorts in this country, the Rangeleys and Dead River.

As the war progressed people flocked to the lakes in great numbers, some for sporting, others for hiding to keep from being forced to the war, while a greater number were "skedaddlers" on their way to Canada who were generally wearing belts filled with cartridges and knives, showing the same temper that might have been seen in the South at that time. Their hiding place was said to be back in the woods in the direction of Kennebago lake where they had a camp or rendezvous and going out nights to take anything that was of any use to them. Fat lambs in the back pastures were often taken, as was shown by a man finding a pair of suspenders tied on one of his lamb's neck. The place was said to be advertised by the party who built the camp by writing to their friends notifying them where to come and when enough were congregated to make a party would make a break for Canada, a distance of near 40 miles all the way solid woods.

It was the same there as everywhere else in the country, many had gone to the war and others were bitter and would do all they could to help "skedaddlers" get away. Most all the people lived in fear of thieves and robbers who had become so bold. It fell to our lot to enroll the soldiers, besides openly opposing skedaddlers we helped capture them when called on to do so and openly worked for the government without fear or favor and of course felt like we were a target and liable to be interfered with at any time. For a long time we kept our house lighted entirely through the night thinking it might protect us from violence.

After the close of the war the people came in flocks, and Mr. Henry Kimball, who has always been a great worker in every way to build up the place, secured the mail route from Phillips to Rangeley and stocked it with a four-horse team and 12-passenger coach, besides extra turnouts to accommodate all who came making daily trips to and from Rangeley.

In 1866 we sold our property in Rangeley but did not leave the place till the next year, but was elected to represent the Strong district in the legislature the coming winter 1867. Beach Hill had always been the terror in going to Rangeley, being a distance of three miles mostly up hill and many steep places, making it very hard to keep in repair on account of washouts in summer and snowdrifts in winter, and for many years efforts had been made to get a road up the valley by following the Sandy river branch up to the ponds. But as the route was mostly in an incorporated township it was next to impossible to raise the funds with which to build a road in so hard a place. By being a member of the legislature I had an opportunity and secured an appropriation of \$2000 from the state to build the road, and have always been proud of my effort for I believe there is not to be found in the state a drive so picturesque and beautiful as that from Madrid to Sandy River ponds, and even through to Greenville along and between the Sandy river and Long pond on the divide between the head waters of Sandy and Androscoggin rivers.

SAM FARMER.

(To be Continued.)

North Phillips.

There were no services at the Blethen schoolhouse Sunday on account of bad roads.

The people in this vicinity who have been having the grip and bad colds are better.

Miss Carrie Davenport, who has been very sick with bronchitis and grip, is now gaining slowly.

Mrs. Thaxter Davenport is in very poor health.

Mrs. Clara Byron, who has been caring for Mrs. Ralph McLaughlin, returned home Sunday.

The Stevens Brothers are hauling lumber to W. B. Smith's portable mill for E. B. Davenport.

Lee Savage is working for the Byron boys getting out lumber.

Mrs. Fred McLaughlin and daughter, Cora, are stopping a few weeks with Mrs. Ernest Rowe.

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I. P. Savage from Maple Grove Corner died at Fred Collins's last Wednesday.

The rural carrier on route 2 did not miss a trip until last Saturday, when light snow and high winds made it impossible to keep the roads open. Over at Maple Grove Corner the winter roads have been broken through the woods where practical, thus saving much shovelling and insuring better roads and incidentally saving not a little expense to the town.

The sick ones are on the gain and the wave of colds, grip and pneumonia is subsiding.

Gray Hairs in Wall Street.

"It seemed to me down in New York the other day," remarked a Cleveland-er who had just returned from the metropolis, "that one might almost recognize Wall street and the financial region by the number of gray haired young men you see. I had occasion to be in several offices on Wall street the other day, and I honestly believe more than half of the young men I saw had gray hair. I noticed the same thing along the street. It may have been just a coincidence, but I couldn't help wondering if they would have been gray just as soon if they had been at some other game for the last few years."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

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One hundred young red foxes, also a few old ones. How many will you agree to furnish this spring and at what price? Address at once, J. C. Goode, Boynton, Va.

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TRADER wanted. I want to hire somebody on commission to handle the sale of various articles, including books and pamphlets that I publish. The person who undertakes the work, should—if a natural trader and an earnest worker—make a fair thing, with the possibility of developing a very lucrative and pleasant business. The person who takes the job will do all of the work in connection with it. My part will be to furnish the goods and pay all expenses excepting salary. The salary will be a liberal percentage of the profits. I will furnish advertising space in the MAINE WOODS and WOODSMAN and the person who undertakes the work must furnish ideas and write the advertising. This job is worth undertaking by a person who can spare only a little time each day at first. J. W. Brackett Co., Phillips, Maine.

Phillips and Vicinity.

The Ladies' Social union will meet with Mrs. E. V. Holt Tuesday, Feb. 18, at 2.30 p. m.

Miss Nellie McLeary of South Strong is spending a few days with her brother, A. W. McLeary. Miss McLeary is superintendent of a school in Malden, Mass., and she goes back to her duties the 22nd of this month.

There will be a dance at the Grange hall, Madrid, on Saturday evening, Feb. 22, given by the ladies of that town. Partners will be chosen in a unique way. Each lady will wear a rosette of a certain color and the gentlemen must purchase a necktie. The lady whose rosette matches the necktie will be portioned off to that particular man. Should it be a stormy night it will be postponed until the 29th.

Mrs. Rand Harden who has been having a bad case of the grip is more comfortable at present.

Fred K. Toothaker, who has been spending a two weeks' vacation at home, has returned to Portland where he has a fine position on the Maine Central railroad.

Mrs. W. C. Snow and little daughter, Olive, of Lancaster. N. H., are with her sister, Mrs. A. J. Toothaker, and in spite of the very cold weather are thoroughly enjoying their visit in Phillips.

M Frank Bennett of Readfield has moved his family here and taken rent in the Dill house on Amble street.

Word was received in Phillips Tuesday of the death of Mrs. Deborah Howard Whitney of Arkanas City, Kansas. The remains will be brought to Phillips for burial and will be accompanied by her son, Mr. George Howard. It is expected they will arrive in Phillips about Saturday.

Mr. J. H. Stevens is attempting to organize a farmers' syndicate in this section to control in a measure the shipping of apples and other farm products. He is now located at Madrid village and the farmers in that vicinity appear to be looking with favor upon his plans.

Just as we go to press we learn of the death of Walter W. Howland occurring this morning at 9 o'clock. He returned from the sanitarium at Hebron a few weeks ago and has been failing very rapidly, his trouble being consumption. He is the only child of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Howland of Avon. He leaves a little son about eight years of age, and the bereaved ones have tenderest sympathy for many friends.

The following were entertained at whist at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Brackett Saturday evening: Mr. and Mrs. H. W. True, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Hammond, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Austin, Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Field, Mr. Mrs. C. E. Cragin, Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Austin, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Field.

Mrs. Evelyn C. Haley, wife of A. J. Haley, died from pneumonia Feb. 9, aged 58 years, 7 months and 2 days. Funeral services were held Tuesday, conducted by Rev. M. S. Hutchins.

The funeral of George M. Hackett, who died in Avon, Feb. 10, aged 41 years, 2 months and 18 days, was held Wednesday. The services were conducted by Rev. M. S. Hutchins and many of the friends and relatives of the deceased were in attendance. The floral offering was large and included, Pillow, Family; two dozen roses, High school; bouquet pinks, Mrs. Dickey; two flat bouquets pinks, flat bouquet roses, A. J. Haley and friends; bouquet pinks, Mrs. U. S. Jacobs; bouquet pinks, Mrs. Rose Huff, bouquet pinks, Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Hackett; wreath, M. W. of A.; bouquet white roses, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Allen; bouquet white pinks, Will Hackett and Mrs. Huff; pillow, Mr. and Mrs. J. Tirrell; bouquet pink roses, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Varney.

H. N. Gould of Farmington was in town Wednesday.

Gasolene on the floor of the engine room in MAINE WOODS office Saturday afternoon became ignited and caused a breeze of excitement for a short time. The alarm was given summoning the fire company, but fortunately the blaze was extinguished by the office force with only trifling damage.

Mr. and Mrs. Hanscom attended the Military drama, "The Drummer Boy or The Spy of Shiloh," at Livermore Falls and while there visited their daughter and other relatives.

Mr. Everard M. Stacey, a prominent businessman of Waterville, Me. and who represents the anti-saloon league, will be in Phillips and Strong Sunday, February 16th. He will speak in the morning at the Union church in Phillips in the afternoon at the Methodist church in Phillips, and in the evening at a union service at the Methodist house in Strong. His topic will be "Temperance from a business man's standpoint."

Phillips and Vicinity.

Rev. M. S. Hutchins was called to East New Portland Wednesday afternoon by the sickness of his brother.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hewey and family spent Sunday with her aunt, Mrs. E. B. Hanscom, also Charles and Miss Ellen Hewey.

On Friday afternoon, Jan. 31, Mrs. Charles H. McKenzie entertained at her home on Pleasant street in honor of her mother, Mrs. Sarah Bangs the following friends: Mrs. Joel Wilbur, Mrs. G. A. French, Mrs. N. P. Noble, Mrs. L. G. Voter. Mrs. Eva Toothaker, Mrs. Frank H. Atwood, Mrs. Rufus Beede, Mrs. Ella Hammond, Mrs. S. L. Twombly, Mrs. Mary Field and Mrs. Hattie Hoyt. During the afternoon Mrs. McKenzie served refreshments assisted by her sister, Mrs. A. L. Pratt and Mrs. Ed Greenwood. Mrs. Bangs received many pretty gifts and hearty congratulations and sincere wish of many friends that they may take tea with her on many a future birthday.

BASKET BALL GAMES.

Exciting Contests Waged by Franklin County Teams.

Special correspondence to MAINE WOODSMAN. FARMINGTON, ME., Feb. 10, 1908.

An exciting and hotly contested game of basket ball was played in Music hall Friday evening between the High school and Town teams. The game was full of sensational plays and the teams were more evenly matched than the score would indicate. It resulted in a victory for the town team by a score of 29 to 10.

The line up:
Town Team F. H. S.
Capt. Craig, rf. lg. Tucker
Clark, lf. rg. Webster—Pinkham
Lowell, c. c. Field
Higgins, rg. lf. Bangs—Schrumpf
Hatch, lg. rf. Merrill Capt.

Score, Town team, 29; F. H. S., 10. Goals from floor: Clark 6, Craig 2, Hatch 2, Lowell 1, Merrill 2, Field 1. Goals from fouls: Clark 4, Lowell 3, Merrill 4. Referee, Pratt and Newman. Umpire, Newman and Pratt. Scorer, Prescott. Time, 15 minute halves.

Between the halves of the first team game, the second teams played, the High school boys being victorious 13 to 9.

The line up:
F. H. S. Town Team
Morton, rf. lg. Craig
Dingley—Marsh, lf. rg. Greenwood
Davis—Dingley, c. c. P. Nickerson
Prescott, lg. rf. McLeary
C. Nickerson, rg. lf. Pooler
Score, F. H. S., 13; Town team, 9. Goals from floor: Morton 4, Dingley 1, Craig 2, Greenwood 1, McLeary 1. Goals from fouls: Morton 3, Craig 1. Referee, Pratt and Newman. Umpire, Newman and Pratt. Scorer, Doble. Time, 15 minute halves.

Wilton, 36; Abbott School, 17.

The Abbott school team visited Wilton on Saturday evening and in a rough game which abounded in fouls was defeated by the Wilton Academy team by a score of 36 to 17.

The line up:
Abbott School. Wilton Academy
Jackson, rf. rg. Orr
Abbott, lf. lg. Adams
Babbitt, c. c. Pratt
Osborn, rg. rf. Cram
Rosseau, lg. lf. Witham
Score, Wilton Academy, 36; Abbott school, 17. Goals from floor: Abbott 2, Babbitt 1, Osborn 2, Rosseau 1, Adams 2, Pratt 6, Cram 3, Witham 4. Goals from fouls: Jackson 5, Pratt 6, Referee, Mr. Newman. Umpire, Mr. Powers. Timekeeper and scorer, Mr. Emery, first half: Mr. Norton, second half.

Basket Ball.

A special train will bring the Abbott School Basket Ball Team and its supporters to Phillips Saturday night leaving Farmington at 7 o'clock. Great interest is manifested in the game and a large attendance is looked for. The Phillips Band will furnish music. A dance will be held in Wilbur hall after the game.

Basket Ball Challenge.

The Phillips Athletic association challenge the town boys of Phillips to meet them at basket ball in Lambert's hall any time between now and March 31. They can have the use of the Athletic association's hall two nights in the week at an expense of \$1.50 a night.

ATHLETIC ASSO. MANAGEMENT.

Births.

Farmington, Feb. 10, to Mr. and Mrs. J. Prentice Flint, a son.
Livermore Falls, Feb. 1, to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jennings, a daughter.

Marriages.

Kingfield, Feb. 5, Homer S. Blackwell of Eustis and Miss Edna M. Scribner of Kingfield.
Wilton, Jan. 18, by Rev. W. H. Palmer, Clyde Scribner and Miss Maud Drake, both of Wilton.

Deaths.

Roxbury, Mass., Feb. 2, Elizabeth Howard, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Howard, aged 5 yrs. 6 mos.
Perkins Plantation, Feb. 4, Orrin Hatch, aged 70 years.
Washington Plantation, Feb. 6, Mrs. L. V. Dodge, aged 74 years.
Avon, Feb. 10, George Hackett, aged 41 years, 2 months, 18 days.
Phillips, Feb. 9, Evelyn C., wife of A. J. Haley, aged 58 years, 7 months, 2 days.

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At Half Price.
A few pairs of odd sizes in Overshoes will be included.
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To increase my cash business I will give
1 Pound
of good
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with every \$5.00 worth of cash trade for one month beginning Jan. 19, 1908.
N. E. WELLS,
Phillips, - - Maine.

Dallas.

Mr. James Searles, who has been doing chores for Mr. Charles Adams this winter, is down home for a few days.
Mrs. James Searles, who has been at work at Charles Hammond's, has returned home.
Mrs. Charles Adams, who has been sick, is better.
Miss Della Adams, who has been visiting at her grandfather's at Phillips, has returned home.
The Dallas School will finish February 21 and there will be a box supper the 22nd. Each lady must bring two bows of ribbon just alike, put one in an envelope and pin the other to herself. The gentlemen will buy the envelopes and match the ribbons.
We are having pretty cold weather when the thermometer drops down to 28 below zero.
Mrs. Edith Lovejoy is the guest of Mrs. Robert Nile.
Mr. Roscoe Smith is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Cook.
Mr. Frank Poltry has been staying with Charles Adams for the past few weeks.
Mrs. Robert Nile was the guest of her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. William Walker, two days of last week. S.

At Liberty to Scream.

It was on a ferryboat plying between Sydney and Manly, one of that city's beautiful suburbs. Every seat was occupied. Each occupant felt the influence and prepared for an enjoyable trip when a lank girl of fifteen appeared, dragging by the hand a screaming child. There she stood, glowering. A mild lady suggested the child might be in pain. An old bachelor muttered that people who had charge of children should keep them at home. Low voiced but distinct imprecations were now rife. She took not the slightest heed of the muttering or the bawling, which was now at the highest pitch, till the suggestion was offered that medicine would do it good. Then she arose in her wrath, as it were, and, giving the child a vigorous shake, said: "Ethel, cry as loud as you like. I've paid your fare."—London Tit-Bits.

What He Knew.

Master—If your friend were to borrow 12 shillings from you, agreeing to pay 1 shilling a month, how much would he owe at the end of the year?
Pupil—Twelve shillings.
"You don't know the elements of arithmetic."
"But I know my friend."—London Scraps.

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