









The Optimistic Class meets with Mrs. Governor at the University of Wisconsin. **ODD FELLOWS' BLOCK BURNED** Supreme Judicial Court. **NORWAY.**

**THE LADIES' SOCIAL UNION** will meet with Mrs. Lottie Abbott Wednesday of this week at 7:30 p. m.

**SOUTH PARIS.** Street, Portland, Maine, is a guest at Raymond Gates.

**Film Which Starts the Fire.** the panels were short of men during the first week of the Supreme Judicial Court.

**ton, D. C.** Mrs. Howard Smith have gone to St. Petersburg, Florida, for the

**MEN'S CLOTHING STORES**

The W. E. M. S. of Deering Memorial church will meet with Mrs. L. F. Schoff Thursday afternoon, Feb. 24th, at 2:30.

The Baptist Ladies' Aid will meet with Mrs. George Outing Thursday afternoon at 2:30. Come prepared to sew.

Walter S. Jones has finished his engagements in the machine shop of J. N. Oswell, and has gone to Auburn to see his father.

Frank Maxim, a well known South

A possibility which South Paris has long feared became a reality Friday night. A fire in Odd Fellows' Block got beyond control, and reduced the building to a wreck. While there were left portions of the walls more or less burned, and a mass of wreckage piled up, which must be cleared out of the way, the building and most of its contents are practically a total loss.

Frank Maxim, a well known South

Pariser, was in the building at the time it was destroyed. The mansard roof was entirely burned off, and some portions of the walls were riddled. The upper floors mostly fell in, and the building finally literally drowned out by the volume of water which was turned on it, and there was left all the fire on the lower floor. As is said above, however, what remains of the building is worse than useless, as it will cost a considerable amount to clear it out of the way.

few cases coming before the bodies with one drawn jury no talsmen were sworn in during the forenoon. The trial of the second week Monday there were five drawn to fill up the depleted

George P. Hathaway, Norway.  
Don H. Bean, South Paris.  
L. E. Smith, South Paris.  
L. W. Brooks, South Paris.  
J. M. Walker, South Paris.

Messrs. Hathaway and Bean were assigned to the case.

balance of the winter.

All the stores will be closed on Tuesday, Feb. 25, Washington's Birthday. Theophilus Judkins from Rangely will be in the village Tuesday.

H. Young has moved his family to this village from West Paris.

Samuel H. Hayden of Haverhill, Mass., was in town last week on business.

The railroad bridge over Tannery Brook has been repaired.

George Richardson of Lynn.

We are showing some new goods for Spring.

**HATS, CAPS, SHIRTS, SUITS**

At the new prices these should attract you and please you

New Samples of Custom Clothing

son of Mason was in the village all last week.

Dancing as usual at Grange Hall Saturday night this week. Shaw's Jazz Orchestra. Dancing at 8:15. Come early.

West F. Shaw was in Lewiston and back on Wednesday.

Paris boy of 13, was badly burned when the face and hands by a blasting plunger blew. His burns are not deep but are exceedingly painful.

The fire originated in the booth of the water was getting ahead of the blaze and before midnight most of the crowd of spectators who had chilled and shivered.

By eleven o'clock it was evident that the water was getting ahead of the blaze and before midnight most of the crowd of spectators who had chilled and shivered.

assigned to the next jury duty session, until late in the afternoon.

O. D. Chandler of Sumner, who had served as foreman of the first jury during the opening week, had been excused

Mae, is spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. Eugene Hayden.

The Browning Reading Club will meet this Monday evening with Mrs. Gertrude

**New Samples of Custom Clothing**

**Agents for ED. V. PRICE & CO., International Tailoring Co.**

Mr. and Mrs. Walter L. Stone have gone to New York.

L. V. Ashton has purchased the house on Marston Street of the Richardson

**Closing out sale of Winter Suits, Overcoats, Mackinaws, Sweaters, Odd Trousers, Flannel Shirts, at big reductions**

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Mr. Andrews of Woodstock visited his daughter, Mrs. L. W. Titus, last night at her home in the city.

Arthur S. Foster Post, No. 73, American Legion, wish to thank the churches and pastors for the assistance that they have given to the American Legion.

Mr. Starbird removed most of the equipment from his barber shop. A considerable part of the stock of the Stevens Pharmacy was also removed while the store was closed.

A verdict for plaintiff in the case of Elias McKee vs. George Davis, which was on trial when the Democrat went to press.

Friends: Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Horne, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Book, F. F. Stone, Mrs. O. J. Foss, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Homan, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Herriock, Miss Ruth Smith and R. S. Osgood.

South Paris Blue Stores Norway

Forest C. Tyson of the Insane  
asylum at Augusta was in  
the Thursday.

Three rendered in having the lectures on  
a Better America prove so satisfactory.

The installation of officers of Paris  
Lodge of Masons, which was to have  
taken place at the residence of  
Chester Gore Miller went to Ox-  
ford County Jail.

at last Thursday, a  
people who were waiting for the second  
shot, and without panic or serious  
incident they made their way out of  
the fire escape at the other end of the  
room on the ground floor the Paris Auto  
Sales Co. had three new cars, and in the  
basement some used cars. These were  
all got out. It was not possible to get  
out of the building.

Colonel Albert J. Stearns was in  
afternoon.

Following this there was placed on  
the case of Ernest L. Pike of Wood-  
stock vs. Norman A. Smith of Standish.

Colonel Albert J. Stearns was in  
Augusta last week to attend the hearing  
on Oxford County assuming a por-  
tion of the care of the municipal build-  
ing in Ramford. The college was in

**B. H. Anderson** of Wallaston, is the guest of her parents, Mr. & Mrs. M. T. Tufts.

meeting in K. of P. Hall Thursday evening. West Paris Lodge will visit this Saturday and confer the second degree. Supper will be served after the work at the first water was turned on, the entrance of the Odd Fellows in the south-east corner of the upper floor was all on fire, the windows had broken, and the worst corner of the building was blazing popularly known as Carrigan & Gray of Lewiston, who for some time have run a moving picture house there under the name of the Savoy Theatre. Nothing was moved from this floor.

to \$1800, arising from an alleged breach of contract. Several years ago Mr. Pike entered into contract with Mr. Smith for the purchase of the John C. Pike papers which have been running for some years in the Youth's Companion, of which he is one of the editors, concerning "the old squire" and life in Norway.

*Elect.*

The following additions have been made this week to the children's European fund:

Orange hall.	like a torch. Such headway had by this time been made by the flames that it was impossible to get in to use a hose on the interior of the building, and all those who were in the hall were thrown out.	The third or upper floor was used exclusively for the Odd Fellows, the several bodies united in being Mr. Miles Lodge, Aurora Lodge, and Mt. Pleasant Lodge. The latter had their hall	burn in Wisconsin, and this time was not clear. Mr. Smith was to have a tiger and clear the site, giving Mr. Pike what equity he might have in the place. In the mean time Mr. Smith	the longest Haystack a volume called "When Life Was Young." It is a book of 420 pages given as a premium to the Youth's Companion. They can be obtained in no other way.
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vention in Auburn last week.

There will be a meeting of the parents of the Shurtleiff School children at Enclave Hall this Monday evening at 8 o'clock.

Up to some time Sunday, the fire under the boiler in the Odd Fellows Block

Grass Island, \$100  
Mrs. Mack Perry, Sweden, 50  
Hebron Baptist church, 50  
South First Baptist Sunday School, 50

side, through the windows, and through the holes in the roof after that began to break through.

Help from Norway was sent for, and

gave Mr. Pike possession, giving a bond for a deed.

Mr. Smith also stocked the place, and stock under an agreement to remain his property with the increase, until paid a total loss.

Brick Grammar School.

The following had 100 per cent in one year for the week:

Ripley & Fletcher Co.

Stuart was in Hebron a day last week running lines. He exchanged with Minot in a few minutes. The heating plant was still going, and a little cloud of steam was issuing from a broken pipe which stood up above the ruins of the wall near the upper cornice. The business structure in town, a wooden building, was still standing, but the roof was added, until nine streams were coming from the roof for interest, taxes and insurance. Pike was to have use of the stock. The bay was to be fed on the farm, other crops to go to Pike. Pike concluded in the end that he had the best of the deal. Grade 8, Marion Hill, Glenda Garolion, Lucy Lundell. Grade 7, Mamie Cummings, Lena M. Davis, Marion Davis, Lila Bryant, Lillian Davis.

There will be a social at the vestry of the Congregational church under the auspices of the C. E. society next Friday evening at 7:30. This is guaranteed. By arrangement of Bridgman.

every one come and help out the piano fund. Admission 10 cents.

The G. O. P.'s (the plural form is correct) met Saturday evening with Mrs.

This ended the civil docket.

The criminal cases began Tuesday afternoon.

Thurlow, Ava Hatch, Sidney Whitney, Clara Nevada, Jennie Sweet, Matti Lundell, Roy Young, Myrtle Bryant, Charlie Sillen.

Grade 5, Marion Allen, Kenneth Davis.

1919 Touring—Standard equipment, this car is perfect in every

Albert E. Cash fell on the court steps late Tuesday afternoon, and was injured.

Eva Andrews Evins at Norway, when nine of the members of the club were present. This week they meet Thursday evening with Miss Evelyn Wight for a Washington birthday party.

The first to be tried was State vs. Frank Di Angilo, for assault with a dangerous weapon with intent to murder. The alleged act was committed on Oxford, Nov. 10.

The Crown fuel saver, by scientific

Bernard Dumas, Rams Judd, Thelma Lawrence, Philip Maxim, Stella Mills, Fannie Sweet.

way, \$375.

1918 Touring—Has Gray & Davis starting and lighting system.

This car is 13 ft. long. \$375.

The following pupils in the Pleasant Street school have received 100 per cent in spelling for the week: Third Grade, Lucinda Ripley, Madiyn Bell, Gertrude

Paris Grange, has been postponed the evenings of February 24 and 25 to the evenings of Thursday and March 3 and 4.

Second annual ball of Odd Fellows' Block is the tall building with mansard roof, at the left of the picture. The lower building on the same side nearer the camera is True Block.

He was acquitted.

A. E. Stearns appeared for respondent. The second case was State vs. Tony

having and comfort. The only household convenience that requires no expense other than its initial cost. Inquire of George H. Davis, South Park, or of Charles H. Barron, 138 Wood

**1918 Runabout**—Standard equipment, good paint and tires, a perfect running car, **\$260.**

who attended the re-  
 C. T. U. conference at Auburn  
 Rev. Mrs. Carlson of Paris  
 Jennie Bates Russell of Nor-  
 who lost their home Friday night, will  
 for the present in K. P. Hall, and  
 some change of meeting nights will  
 be made to avoid conflict. With the sev-  
 several people in the place seem-  
 ed to make no difference.  
 building of three stories and basement,  
 erected in 1878, and the upper floor has  
 always been occupied by the Odd Fel-  
 lows. Since its erection its external ap-  
 pearance has been somewhat dilapidated, the map pos-  
 sibly of the same make as the one in  
 Albrecht, accused of stealing \$500.00 from  
 the pocket of his companion. This was a  
 card party, which took place on a farm  
 north of Rumford. This party was  
 made of less intoxicated, the map pos-  
 Street, Lewiston, Me. 6 10  
 1916 Dodge Brothers Touring Car—A good looker, and a  
 good running car. Bargain, \$400.  
 Born.

Many other good cars of various models from \$100.00 to \$300.00 each.  
**NOW IS THE TIME TO PURCHASE A GOOD USED CAR.**

fine coal and tar, and perhaps her ingredients, pressed in the large eggs. They burn very

Mr. Jaseud, 300 E. 10th St., was in Canton, Feb. 15, to the wife of Herbert E. Hall, a son.

In South Paris, Feb. 16, to the wife of Herman H. Record, a daughter, Marion Gertrude.

South Paris, Feb. 16, to the wife of G. Harold Abbott, a daughter, Irene Mildred.

Friday evening, Feb. 24, West  
 crew staff will work the second  
 is spelling during the week: Soforados,  
 Bertha Swan, Fred Swan, Howard  
 Twitchell, Edward Briggs and Har-  
 old Nevers; 2d Grade, Marlon Kenney,  
 Dorothy Startevant, Stanley Whitney,  
 those who went to Augusta

neither this building nor any other suf-  
 fered damage. The roofs of two of  
 three buildings, where they were not  
 covered with snow, were wet down, but  
 the fire alarm system control the  
 ing it much higher, but \$30,000 is a con-  
 servative figure for the total. The  
 several losses have insurance to some  
 amount.

enter at 2 o'clock in the morning; lying  
 in wait outside the rear porch door  
 thought he saw him come out of his  
 apartment and struck him as he was  
 speaking, falling him to the floor.

**Died.**  
 In Sumner, Feb. 24, Guy V. Russell, aged 30

**New Spring Clothes**

to attend the Kumford court hearing were J. H. Dean, A. W. Charles W. Bowles, Morton V. O. K. Clifford, George F. Eustroy, A. Dean, S. F. Davis, Mark Payton Paine, Earle Briggs, Christine Naupe.

This Tuesday afternoon will be children's day for the Community Club, and the light wires gave way, leaving the town in darkness so far as electricity was concerned, but the light of the moon

nothing more than a necessity.

About an hour after the start of the fire, the light wires gave way, leaving the town in darkness so far as electricity was concerned, but the light of the moon

sentiment was expressed that another wooden building would not be erected on that lot, and forecasts of a brick block there are freely heard. Indeed,

He held him until an officer arrived. Stansie declines he was in the Jansd apartment at all but in another apartment in search of beer.

The verdict in this case was not guilty.

In Canton, Feb. 10, John Orlando Gammons, aged 67 years.

In Bainford, Feb. 16, Richard Ellis, aged 19 years.

In Gilard, Feb. 15, Mrs. Lila Coffin.

In Greenwood, Feb. 16, Harold King, aged 23

W. Percy F. Ripley, Harold C. W. Ernest, J. Record, Clarence L. Child under fourteen if they have one, if not to borrow one. The meeting will be held in the Congregational vestry, and the special committee with Mrs. True Block or anyone of it in some way.

On account of the failure to convict Tony Staasla, the indictment against Albert Bellevue appeared for response. In Reibel, Feb. 11, Mrs. J. W. Cummings. In Ramford, Feb. 19, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Salant, aged 10 months.

In Oxford, Feb. 15, Moses Truman Haskell, aged 32 years.

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**REALLY YOU OUGHT TO VISIT**  
**BROWN, BUCK & CO.'S EVERY DAY**

<p>the Universalist church Tuesday, March 1, at 6:30 o'clock. There will be a "bible" Every one in the parish, able to be present or not, is</p>	<p>Sadie Parlin chairman have a very interesting program prepared for the children. The time is 3:30.</p>	<p>Paris School News Item. The assembly of the school</p>	<p>State Health Officer in Conference. The board of the state board of</p>	<p>These criminal cases brought before the jury were tried before drawn juries. State vs. Calvin Cummings, for abuse</p>	<p>12 August, 1901, Henry Dunbar of New- In Norway, Feb. 19, Mrs. Addie E. Bean, formerly of Locke's Hill, aged 41 years.</p>	<p>BROWN, BOOK &amp; CO.'S EVERY DAY</p>
<p>This is the period of the season when no woman</p>						

kindly seed in a bundle containing  
article of the value of ten cents  
Hibernia park to motorists, and  
pharmacy was moved into the piano  
rooms of W. J. Wheeler & Co. A.  
French Stevens, the proprietor, has en-  
gaged a portion of the hardware store of  
pleasant gathering was held  
of animals was heard by the court.  
Don't mistake the Cause  
Many South Paris People Have Kid-  
ney Trouble and Do Not Know It.  
The case of John S. Watson of Frye-  
burg for insect was not pressed for lack  
of time Saturday to investigate conditions  
at the Sturteiff school building. The  
committee appointed at the parents'  
school small new signs regarding the  
health, officer of this district, was in  
town Saturday to investigate conditions  
at the Sturteiff school building. The  
committee appointed at the parents'  
has been accomplished by the Improve-  
ment Leagues in the schools. It will be

last week at the home of Mrs. Albert P. Farnham. Those were Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Eber, and Mrs. Horace S. Sawyer, and Mrs. Charles A. Richardson paid a visit to the store.

K. E. Shaw, and will continue his business there for the present. B. W. Starbuck, the barber, is running his shop at his residence over W. A. Porter's store. The selectmen have moved into the new building.

The committee consists of Mrs. Howard Shaw, Mrs. Edward Greene, Mr. Joseph Currier, Mrs. Henry Merrill, and Mr. George A. Farnham.

The meeting last Tuesday evening was productive of sufficient evidence. State vs. Fred E. Murphy was heard next before the court. This was for the abduction of a young girl, who was taken from her home at Murphy's, for

Do you have backache?  
Are you tired and worn out?  
Feel dizzy, nervous and depressed?  
Are the kidneys acting irregular?

store New Spring Goods are being displayed.

**BEAUTIFULLY DESIGNED SUITS**

of Brown of Norway, Mr. and Mrs. Russell of this village, Mr. and F. Oldham of Canton.

At the meeting of Paris Grange Feb. 19, it was voted to start a degree team at once and the following were appointed:

office of C. W. Bowker.

\$15.00, to be paid to each school earning money and applying it to some school improvement.

One rural school—Paris High—under the management of Mrs. Edna Cummings.

Mr. L. E. Card, Besides the committee Mr. Garcelon, Dr. Stewart, Mr. Allen and Mr. Eastwell were in attendance.

Dr. Goodrich earnestly advocated that three or four towns in this vicinity unite

some small offense he was whipped on his naked body with a whip until the blood ran from his stripes; then the wounds were bathed with salt brine.

Highly colored sediment? Likely your kidneys are at fault. Most kidneys give warning of distress. Heed the warning; don't delay—Use a tested kidney remedy.

**Superior Quality Materials**

Friday evening of parents and to the number of about fifty, the school house was pronounced by a committee was ap-  
ed for the floor work: Leader Bert Curtis, Raymond Gates, Percy Millett, Ernest Talbot, Charles Hammond, Mer-  
mings, has earned the almost unbelieve-  
and hire a health officer. He said that  
in order to obtain state aid the health  
other rural school in the state, or indeed  
the whole United States, can show as  
FOR THE MURPHY, the county jail six months. There was a  
woman, Florence Tyler, indicted with  
him but her part of the transaction was  
simply to remove the boy's clothing,  
Read this South Paris testimony.  
L. E. Monk, mechanic, Pleasant St.,  
says: "Some years ago I was going to  
work every day with a lame back. The  
boy he loved got across my eye and

Quite a number of the best of the Spring Fashions are here for choosing. The models are extreme-

board of health, consisting of  
governing persons: Mrs. Howard  
Mrs. Edward L. Greene, Mrs. Jo-  
Curtis, Mrs. L. B. Card and  
Misses: Mrs. J. H. Porter, Myrtle Gates, Grace  
Storke, Izabel Cummings, Ida Stearns,  
Martha Bird, Helen Cummings, Ella Stearns,  
Annie Dudley. The other officers will  
appear in next week's paper.

The following list will show the amount earned by the different schools.  
The money has been spent for the special needs in each school. Some

better records are than those of last year. The following list will show the amount earned by the different schools. The money has been spent for the special needs in each school. Some

Louis Manakin, for forgery, who pleaded guilty, was brought in for sentence. Manakin is a young Lithuanian

and that part of the indictment was dropped.

The kidney secretions were unnatural, and I decided my kidneys needed attention. Some one told me to try Doan's Kidney Pills and I got some

ly effective, though at times the style is quite plain.

SPRING SUITS \$14.95 to \$45.00

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The annual roll call and work. A will be served at 6:30. All members come and answer to your own door. The order has been invited to America's gift to France.

The teachers and scholars are deserving. The Briek School put in electric lights.

He negotiated this check for clothing to the amount of \$50.00 and received cash for the balance. He was sentenced to the state prison for not less than one year.

RIGHT YEARS LATER Mr. Monk said: "Occasionally, I use a few doses of Donat Kidney Pills when my kidneys get overworked and the results are always good."

There is just one way to learn of the beauty and

Each member is asked to give a \$1.00 contribution to the "Saint Patrick's" party at Dierling Memorial vestry March 1st, and to invite the young people of the society, and the various committees. As the president, Mrs. Ivy R. Morton, is in Southern

help their schools, and the town has demonstrated the fact that it is willing to help those who help themselves. School Improvement Leagues in the

that have been used by the pupil who has the disease must be burned, and other books which the child may have handled must be disinfected.

year nor more than three.

Roy Temple for three years and effort to break fast was sentenced to the state prison for one year and not more than three. This young fellow is 17 years

salutatory."

Price 90c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Dr. Cass' Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. Joseph

desirability of these garments. You must see the new designs and feel of the materials and try them

um has been going the rounds of  
cerning the rescue of a  
nine years old, Marston Thas  
who had broken through the  
Ellis Fund Newark, N.J., and  
Pines, N.C., for several weeks, a letter  
in rhyme was written to her by the  
several members and the Democratic readers  
may be interested to read it:

RURAL SCHOOLS.

Mountain.....\$ 10.00  
Valley....." 10.00  
Plains....." 10.00

\*Furnished out at the Ellis' Class.

Walden where the kind and  
could have contacted the disease Dr.  
Goodrich thought it might be from laun-  
dry work, which the mother does at  
home.

old this month. He has served a part  
of term in State Boys' School, running  
away from that institution to commit  
the robbery for which he was indicted.  
Morris Bailey indicted for larceny,

N.Y. Foster-Burnett Co., Mpls., Minn.,  
N.Y.

ON.

**EXCHANGED.**

**Spring Coats \$12.45 to \$42.50**

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a human chain and pulling the  
 y out. The three Thayer boys  
 of Mrs. Dora Thayer, a former  
 miss. The boys certainly must  
 We had chosen and uncounted.  
 Not rolls four inches high.  
 Resealed eggs and salad,  
 material, lemon and cream mix-  
 ture.  
 VILLAGE SCHOOLS.  
 Brick Grammar School: 12.00  
 taken from the throats of the children  
 and sent into the state board, but  
 this would be expensive. He commended  
 the fifth in the basement, said school  
 buildings should be swept daily, and dis-  
 July. He was sentenced to the Reform-  
 atory for men at South Windham for an  
 indeterminate sentence.  
 Thursday morning the case was State  
 R. C. DAVIS,  
 Bryan's Pond, Maine.

We had two kinds of pudding.	Grade 7	18.08	Infestant sprayed upon the floors.	lent check". This was continued from the February term, 1920.	<h1>Confidence</h1> <p>\$13.95, 14.95, 17.50, 19.50</p> <p>It takes considerable time for an</p>
Not to name three kinds of cake.	Grade 6	18.08	Definite action regarding these matters will doubtless be taken at the parents' meeting at Engine Hall this	Although young Whitman was less than 21 years old at the time of leasing	
Hot chocolate and ice cream	Grade 5	18.08			
This made our stumplings ache.	Shurtliff Primary	8.00			
	Shurtliff Fourth Grade	8.00			
	Order Street Primary	11.57			

We had a lot left over.	West Parle Primary	32.92	the choice in question, he was assigned	individual or concern to gain the	<b>New Silk Dresses</b> <b>\$19.75, 22.45, 24.75, 27.45</b>
Quite wonderful to state,	West Parle Intermediate	32.92	in mying outfit, cheap and born, believ-	confidence of the public.	
We had a lot left over.	West Parle Grammar	15.00	ering them, and taking the carcasses to		
And Lucia came too late.	West Parle High School	31.50	market. Most of these animals were	This agency can boast that through	
We had a business meeting.	Mrs. Erika Barnes (mother)	30.00	bought in the town of Woodstock, al-	the city, and it has	
	Pleasant Street Primary	34.00			

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of the Universalist church. A program of music and readings and the gathering then devoted itself to sociability. Especially light refreshments were served.

As you read these gifted lines.

A. H. GARDNER, sups. schools.

To the Voters of the Town of Paris.

I wish to announce that, as conditions

Canton Alfred S. Kimball.

The Odd Fellows of South Paris, Nor-

and a committee was chosen who are authorized to secure an architect to come and look the situation over and make estimates. This committee consists of several

in Augusta for observation, and Dr. Forest C. Tyson was in court to report on his case.

Respondent was found not guilty by

valuable help in all matters relating to insurance.

You may need some of this information.

and the showing embraces Waists of Georgetown.

A fire alarm put a rather sudden  
 stop to the evening.  
 Montreal-Portland express last  
 evening was several hours late.  
 The work of the office has increased to  
 such an extent that it is impossible for  
 me to do it in the time at my disposal.  
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to perform the work as it should be done requires so much of my time as to prevent me from assisting in the repairs of the engine. To the assistance of the hiring of help to take my place at the store a part of the time, and with the small compensation of \$1.00 per day, I have secured the following persons to perform the work as it should be done:

The installing officers were Colonel John W. Gorman of Portland, Chief of Staff to the Department Commander, Brig. Gen. Will C. Miller of Augusta; James S. Fisher, Ubalan, Augusta, from William K. Fisher, Marion, and abusive treatment of the same.

86 feet more or less, on the site of Odd Fellows' Block and True Block, the latter to be moved to some other site. At present of course plans for this as well as all other plans for rebuilding are on hold.

Della M. Egan, Ubalan, Marion, from South Road, Marion.

**W. J. Wheeler & Co.,**  
Insurance and Planes

**GEORGETTE WAISTS \$5.95, 6.95, 7.95**

**SOUTH PARTS, - MAILING**

**HONEY!**

**Buck & Co.**

station a little after eight o'clock, on an unusual number of passengers waiting for the train at South end the Lewiston Branch train.

Captains—Frank R. Kimball, Lieutenant—Eugene J. Smith, Engineer—Frank R. Barrows.

The appointed officers are:

Chief—George F. Eastman, Clerk—George F. Eastman, Blood Blitters. Ask your druggist. Price, \$1.50.

Cheapest accident insurance—Dr. Thomas' Eucalypti Oil. For burns, cuts and all other emergencies. All druggists sell it. See and see.

Paul Haines, Dixfield, cereal and abusive treatment.

Henry L. Marston, Libanon, from Charlotte's A. Marston, both of Marston, great and successful treatment. Cure and constancy of minor child.

Pure clover-basswood honey, thick, rich and delicious. Delivered, all charges prepaid, 6 lbs. \$2.35; 15 lbs. \$4.35; 30 lbs. \$16.00. Satisfaction guaranteed.

**NORWAY, MAINE**

date them. With this coach  
to the Norway ran the Norway  
main proceeded to Portland.

A lazy liver leads to chronic dyspepsia and  
constipation—weakens the whole system. Don't  
suffer (the way we) set mildly on the liver  
and kidneys. As all-day cure.

For any thickness of the skin, for skin rashes,  
chaps, pimples, etc., try Don's Ointment. 50¢ at  
all drug stores.

As all-day cure.

to "beaten."

Robert Thomas Smith, Utica, N. Y., Caroline  
Rich Smith, both of Madison, and all about  
treatment.

Longfellow Bros., Hallowell, Maine.

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## The Soul of the Grange

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—From THE COUNTRY GENTLEMAN of May 15th, 1920.

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### Cakes.

A gift of fancy cakes in a decorative box or wrapped in a pretty paper napkin is a welcome one. It is one of those small gifts which give the personal touch to friendship. But don't give all the cookies away! Have one at hand to serve with tea, chocolate, or ice cream.

For the decoration of fancy cakes one may use a star, ribbon, or leaf, as well as tubes of other designs. One of these tubes is slipped into the open point of a pastry bag, which is usually made of heavy unbleached muslin in the form of a cone. If the star tube is used, it is held in an upright position, and to make ribbon bow-knots and leaves the tubes are held as one would a pen in writing.

For decorating the cakes is made of confectioners' sugar and unbeaten egg-whites in the proportion of about one cupful of sifted sugar to two eggs. Mix thoroughly and add flavoring of vanilla, lemon, orange juice, or other fruit juices. With a fruit juice more sugar may be necessary. The frosting is of the right consistency to use when a case knife cut through the mixture makes a clean cut so that the frosting remains parted. For yellow icing, use the grated rind of a deep-colored orange pounded to a pulp. For light brown or tan, a few drops of caramelized sugar will give the desired color, and for green, spinach juice may be used. A red fruit juice or cochineal will make a pink icing.

The cakes may be frosted with a boiled icing with the decoration of a half walnut, several almonds cut in strips radiating from the center, or an ornament of a candied cherry, sultana raisin, candied orange or citron peel. A butter icing may also be used if the cakes are not to be packed.

### BALL CAKES

- 1 cupful sugar
- 2 cupfuls pastry flour
- 1 teaspoonful baking-powder
- 2 teaspoonfuls cinnamon
- 1/4 cupful chopped citron
- 1/4 cupful chopped nutmeg
- 1/4 cupful rind 1/2 orange
- 3 eggs

Sift all the dry ingredients together. Add the eggs unbeaten, the citron, and the grated orange rind. Mix well. With well-floured hands make the mixture into balls the size of a walnut. Bake on a well-oiled cookie sheet, placed one and one-half inches apart, in a quick oven, 450° F.

### CHOCOLATE, FRUIT AND NUT DOUBLES

- 2 eggs
- 2/3 cupful sugar
- 1/2 square chocolate
- 1/2 cupful nut meats
- 1 teaspoon vanilla
- 1/2 cupful candied cherries or sultana raisins
- 1 cupful pastry flour
- 1/2 teaspoonful baking-powder
- 1/2 teaspoonful salt

Beat the eggs well, add the sugar, the flour sifted with the baking-powder and salt and mixed with the nut-meats broken and the candied cherries cut in pieces, the chocolate melted and the vanilla. Mix all together well and drop by teaspoonfuls on a greased baking sheet. Shape in rounds and press a nut meat, raisin, or piece of candied cherry on each. Bake till brown at 400° F. Spread the underside of the ball cakes with jelly or frosting and press the other half on them.

### DATE SQUARES

- 3 eggs
- 1 cupful sugar
- 2 cupfuls dates
- 1 cupful pastry flour
- 1/2 cupful chopped nuts
- 1/2 cupful chopped nuts
- 1/2 cupful vanilla

To the beaten egg yolks add the sugar. Stir in the dates cut in small pieces, and add the dry ingredients sifted together. Fold in last of all the whites of the eggs beaten until stiff. Bake in a sheet using a large pan for one-half hour in a moderate oven, 375° F. Remove from the pan, cut in squares, and roll in powdered sugar, or if preferred, they may be decorated with almonds or stoned dates.

### WALNUT SQUARES

- 2 eggs
- 1 cupful brown sugar
- 1/2 cupful dates
- 1/4 cupful pastry flour
- 1 cupful chopped nut-meats
- 1/2 cupful vanilla

Beat the eggs until light; add the rest of the ingredients. Pour into a well-greased pan and bake about fifteen minutes in an oven registering 425° F. Cut into squares while still hot and remove from the pan.

### GINGER NUTS

- 1 cupful molasses
- 1/2 cupful shortening
- 2 tablespoonfuls water
- 3/4 cupful pastry flour
- 1 teaspoonful soda
- 1/4 cupful candied orange
- 1/4 cupful candied orange, lemon or citron peel
- 1 teaspoonful salt

Heat the molasses and melt the shortening in it. Cool. Add the dry ingredients sifted together. Chop the fruit fine and add to the mixture. Mix well and roll out on a floured board. Cut in any desired shapes. Bake in an oven registering 400° F.

### ORANGE COOKIES

- 12 cupful shortening
- 1/2 cupful sugar
- 2 eggs
- About 2 1/2 cupfuls pastry flour
- 3/4 teaspoonful baking powder
- 1/4 cupful candied orange
- Grated rind 1 large orange

Cream the shortening and sugar. Add the eggs well beaten and the flour sifted with the baking powder and salt. Add the orange rind and the candied orange. Roll very thin and cut in any desired shapes. Sprinkle with grated orange rind and bake in a quick oven. Do not brown. Vanilla may be added and the top sprinkled with granulated sugar instead of the orange.

### PEANUT MACAROONS

- 1 egg-white
- 1 cupful brown sugar
- 1 cupful peanut butter
- 1/2 cupful salt
- 1/2 cupful vanilla

Beat the egg-white until stiff, and add the sugar, gradually continuing the beating. Fold in the peanuts finely crushed. Drop from a teaspoon, one inch apart, on a well-oiled pan. Bake quickly, at 425° F., till well browned. Remove from the pan and cut in strips.—Good House Keeping.

### FRUIT STICKS

- 2 eggs
- 1/2 cupful sugar
- 1/2 cupful shortening
- 1/2 cupful pastry flour
- 1/2 cupful pecan meats
- 1/2 cupful salt

Beat the eggs together until light. Add the sugar, the shortening melted. Last, add the nut-meats broken in pieces. Spread thinly on a greased and floured cake pan. Bake quickly, at 425° F., till well browned. Remove from the pan and cut in strips.—Good House Keeping.

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Many times each week big trucks draw up to the door of the shop and deposit their cargoes of untrimmed hats. At frequent intervals the plain bonnets, with their long blue streamers, blue rushing and satin folds, leave the establishment bound for years of service in the slums and bleak spots of the nation. The familiar blue bonnet—shaped like nothing else under the sun—is a symbol of unselfish service in nurseries, hospitals and tenements the whole world over.

### THING THAT REALLY COUNTS

First Punch Always the Effective Agent in Life as Well as the Squared Circle.

Georges Carpenter is a smart fellow—that is, he is something more than a fighter. One might even call the Frenchman a prophet.

"The one that gets in the first punch will win," he said, referring to his coming match with Dempsey.

We'll let it go at that so far as the next world's championship heavy-weight fight goes. But just look around and see if you have a punch in your system and if you can land it first.

What is your batting average in the a. m. Or can you take a punch as well as give one?

They called Tris Speaker a miracle plot because he put the punch into a ball club that topped the world title. He always made it a point to land first on the scoreboard and when he didn't he kept slugging away until he usually had his lead at the end of the game.

Man 'O' War is called the greatest horse the world has ever had. But the Biddle colt is just a horse that puts the best he has into every race and always Man 'O' War finishes ahead of the dust.

The football star who "hits 'em first" is usually on the honor roll when the cleats are hung up at the end of the season.

It's the punch that counts, from marbles to K. O.—Chicago Evening Post.

### New Use for Filiver.

Fred Hawkins, a farmer in southern Thayer county, Nebraska, has discovered a new use for the filiver. Grasshoppers are plentiful in this section and it is necessary to kill them off now before they can lay their eggs. He attaches to the front of his car a trap-like device made on the principle of a vacuum cleaner. It takes in a 30-foot swath and will function at any speed up to 40 miles an hour. He has cleaned 500 acres of alfalfa by this device and gathered in about three-fourths of a ton of hoppers in the once over.—Slox City Tribune.

### Greek Harbor Rising From Sea.

The remarkable tilting of Crete with its historical cities has been lately described by Professor J. L. Myers in a Royal Geographical society discussion. The eastern half of the island has sunk and the western has risen and as a consequence the ancient quays and harbor works at Hierapetra are submerged, while at the west end of the island the Greek harbor of Phalarina has been entirely lifted out of the water, making it possible to walk about on the dry floor of the ancient sea inlet.

## Armenian President Asks American Aid



Dr. H. Ohandjanian, Armenian President

Erivan, Armenia: Dr. H. Ohandjanian, President of the Armenian Republic, has sent an urgent cablegram to Charles V. Vickrey, General Secretary of the Near East Relief, New York City, requesting immediate assistance to prevent the starvation of the Armenian people before the next harvest can be gathered. President Ohandjanian's message reads:

"Owing to hail, rain and field mice, the harvest in Armenia fell below expectations. Standing crops appeared well, but owing to poor seed, returns were not as good as was expected. Maximum return for 140,000 tons, only sufficient for eight months for one and a half million people. Food crisis critical and intensified by new Turkish invasion of Armenia. It is estimated that 100,000 peaceful inhabitants of Armenia, and the Armenians have been forced to renew the life of refugees and flee towards the interior of Armenia. There are also large numbers fleeing from Bolsheviks in Azerbaijan and Southern Russia, and coming to Armenia. Farmers, fearing famine, are unwilling to sell crops, thus leaving the people foodless. In addition to the Armenian crops, ten thousand tons have been purchased from neighboring countries.

"In order to secure Armenia it is necessary to secure food from America, 50,000 tons, maximum requirement. In the name of the Armenian Government and the Armenian People, I beg that you use your wide influence in order that the Near East Relief may secure and ship the food needed. I am sure that in this serious crisis the Near East Relief will not fail to continue its aid to Armenia in her struggle for existence.

"H. OHANDJANIAN, 'President of Armenia.'

### Accounted For.

"I was reading an article which says that jazz is popular in China." "Well, if you've heard a Chinese orchestra you'll know why."

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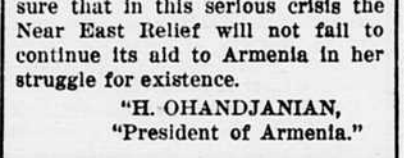


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In the little square of former Russian barracks in Alexandropol, Republic of Armenia, are housed 5,947 little Armenian orphans under care of the Near East Relief. Every bite they eat, every stitch they wear, is the gift of the people of the United States, through the Near East Relief. In addition, the Near East Relief hospital has a daily average of 1,211 children patients, while 1,049 others are given medical treatment which does not require confinement to hospital beds. Over 54,000 little Armenian children are housed, clothed and fed by the Near East Relief in Armenia and Syria.

In all over 110,000 little children are being kept alive by American aid.

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## IMITATE CUSTOMS OF WEST

Manchu Women on Streets of Peking Use Rouge, but in Manner Pronounced Clumsy.

The first strikingly surprising custom among the citizens of Peking is that the women wear skirts, James A. Muller writes in the National Geographic Magazine. To a traveler fresh from America, this would seem as it should be, but to one resident in the land of trousersed women it appears almost immodest!

They not only wear skirts; they further approximate western usage by painting their faces. Broadway is nature itself in comparison; for in Peking there are no light, artistic touches, but bold cheek circles of red upon frankly whitened faces—come to unadorned.

These are the Manchu women. The Manchus men, descendants of the roving Tartars, go fully about this gorgeous city of their fathers, balancing trick birds upon their wrists; for, now that the empire is no more, their only occupation, that of ruling, is gone, and the conquered Chinese, immemorial city dwellers, are masters of the capital. It is a significant illustration of the age-old ability of the Chinese to absorb and enervate their conquerors.

### A Little Love Story.

A dreamer and a man of action loved a woman. The dreamer said: "I shall write verses in her praise; they will touch her vanity and she will love me for them."

But the man of action said: "How old fashioned! I shall corner the stock market, and that will bring her."

So the dreamer wrote verses, and he induced a friend of his, who ran a ten-cent magazine to print them. And the man of action cornered something or other and became a millionaire.

In the meantime the girl married a man who inherited his money, and lived happily ever after.

But the dreamer was so proud of his verses that he didn't care; and the man of action was so busy that he didn't care.

The only one to suffer was the man she married.—Exchange.

### An Important Decision.

"This celebrated novelist says he frequently sits at his typewriter all morning without being able to write a word."

"I know just how that is," said the debutante. "I once sat for two hours at my writing table before I could write the one word, 'No.'"—Birmingham Age-Herald.

## We don't know for sure that Washington never told a lie

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