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Oxford County Affairs.  
With the first of January there were, as noted in the Democrat last week, few changes in the administration of Oxford County affairs. Wellington B. Eastman, who has been chairman of the board of county commissioners for the past two years, succeeded himself for a term of six years, and the board reorganized, according to custom, the choice of Henry D. Hammond of Paris as chairman. George W. Walker of Lovell became the second member of the board, and Mr. Eastman the third member.

William O. Frothingham of South Paris became sheriff, succeeding J. M. Bartlett of Stanham. The list of Mr. Frothingham's deputies was published last week.  
Harry D. Cole, who has been jailer for the past four years, has been removed by his family to his recently purchased home on High Street, and the new jailer, John A. Titus of Bryant's Pond, has moved into the jailer's residence. Mr. Titus is 32 years of age. He has been in the meat business at Bryant's Pond for some years, and recently in the lumber business also. He has a wife and two sons, Merton A. Titus of Portland, telephone operator on the Grand Trunk, and L. W. Titus of Bryant's Pond, who runs the meat business there. Mr. and Mrs. Titus are all of the family who make their home at the jailer's house.

THE FINANCES.  
The county commissioners and county treasurer were in session last week and made up the financial statement for the year. The showing is the most favorable one for several years. Five thousand dollars have been received, and more has been paid during the year and with normal criminal costs as many more will undoubtedly be received in the present year. There seems every prospect that all the bonds will be paid by the time they become due in 1915, and the county will be free of debt for the first time since the new county buildings were erected at South Paris. The receipts and expenditures of the county treasurer for the past year have been as follows:

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