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Advertisements.



CUPID DOES...

his most telling work on such paper as F. A. COOMBS handles. He is said to write with Hawthorne pen. Cupid, like every letter writer, knows that the only kind of stationery to use is the best, and everybody in Ellsworth, he says, tells him Coombs is the best.

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Lecture Course.

People's Lecture Course.

Rev. J. H. W. Wharf begs to announce that he has arranged for a course of six lectures to be given at the Methodist church for the benefit of the church.

THURSDAY, OCT. 31.

Rev. H. E. Foss, of Bangor. Subject: "Up the Ladder."

THURSDAY, NOV. 7.

Rev. S. L. Haxson, of Belfast. Subject: "A Yankee in Dixie."

THURSDAY, NOV. 14.

Rev. E. F. White, of Houlton. Subject: "Queer Folks."

WEDNESDAY, NOV. 27.

Chaplain D. H. Tribou, U. S. N. Subject: "Cheerfulness."

Course Tickets, 50c.
Family Course Tickets, \$2.00
Single Admission, 20c.

Lectures begin at 7:30 p. m.

Some men are like one-legged milk stools—no good unless sat upon.

LOCAL AFFAIRS.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS THIS WEEK.

Adm. notice—Est. Samuel Herrick.
James T. Cushman—Messenger's notice.
J. A. Peters, Jr.—House to let.
Statement—Condition of the Ellsworth Loan and Building Association.
M. Gallert—Cloak exhibition and sale.
F. A. Coombs—Stationery.
J. T. Gilles—Keys lost.

TREASON.

Joel K. Hodgdon—Caution notice.

SULLIVAN.

Geo. W. Pettengill and Edward F. Clapham—Commissioners' notice.

BOSTON.

Geo. A. Elfield & Co.—Wholesale teas, coffee, spices, etc.

Robert R. Joy, of Gouldsboro, was in the city yesterday.

E. B. Wyman is building an addition to his house on High street.

There will be a meeting of the board of aldermen Monday evening.

Lygonia lodge will work the third degree this (Wednesday) evening.

O. W. Tapley returned Saturday from a business trip to Portland and Boston.

Mrs. James Clark and daughter Lena are visiting friends in Old-town this week.

Mrs. Flora Lewis and Mrs. C. I. Welch spent Sunday with friends in Bucksport.

B. T. Sowle and L. F. Hooper returned Tuesday from a trip up river, with a fine buck.

L. L. Halman on Saturday received the sad news of the death of his mother in Europe.

The W. C. T. U. will meet this (Thursday) afternoon with Mrs. John Cheney, at 2 o'clock.

The Epworth League will give a pink tea at the Methodist vestry this (Thursday) evening.

G. N. Black and his friend, Mr. Pittman, are spending a few days at the Black homestead.

The Unity club will give a supper at the Unitarian vestry this (Wednesday) evening at 6 o'clock.

H. E. Hamlin left Saturday for Washington. On his return he will stop in New York and Boston.

The ladies of the Free Baptist church gave an excellent supper at the vestry last Wednesday evening.

The topic of the Epworth League prayer meeting next Tuesday evening is "The Conversion of Paul," Acts 9:1-18.

Two new books have been adopted at the high school—Mazzarelli's French course, and Harper & Miller's Virgil.

H. M. Hall, Jr., wife and child, who have been spending the summer here, left last Thursday for their home at Florence, Ala.

The annual meeting of the Ellsworth Baptist society will be held in the vestry of the church on Monday evening, Nov. 4, at 7 o'clock.

Rev. L. D. Cochran and wife leave this week for their new home at Bar Harbor. Success will undoubtedly attend their labors in their new field.

Stillman Royal, of Ellsworth Falls, cut his foot severely while cutting wood. The toes were nearly severed. The wound was dressed by Dr. Haines.

Joseph T. Silvy cut his foot severely while at work on John O. Whitney's new house one day last week. The wound was dressed by Dr. Haines.

Edward H. Emerson has assumed temporary supervision of the electric light plant at Fort Fairfield, taking charge there Monday of this week.

Acadia chapter worked the Royal Arch degree Tuesday night, David Friend and R. M. Campbell being exalted. After the work a chowder was served.

The three-master "Harry W. Haynes" recently made the run from Delaware breakwater to Bar Harbor in sixty-five hours. Steamboat time that.

The largest deer seen in the Ellsworth market this year was brought in by Henry Phillips, of Surry, Friday. The buck was shot by Dyer Curtis and weighed 210 pounds.

A crew of men was called out to fight a small forest fire on Senator Hale's property last Friday. The flames were traveling in the direction of the buildings, but were soon under control.

United States Marshal John B. Donovan, of Portland, was in Ellsworth Thursday, on his return from Southwest Harbor, where on Wednesday he sold the schooner "Rushlight." The schooner was sold to Capt. R. F. Wells, of Brooklin, for \$346.

A hunting party consisting of Judge A. P. Wiswell, A. W. King, L. B. Deasy, of Bar Harbor, and O. F. Fellows, of Bucksport, started "up-river" for Frank Mace's camp last Thursday noon. They returned Sunday without a deer, but report a good time.

Oliver Anderson, who learned his trade in THE AMERICAN office, and who has been working since last spring in the Record office at Bar Harbor, has severed his connection with that office, and has returned to Ellsworth.

The real estate outlook in Ellsworth is more encouraging. The Ellsworth real estate company, through C. H. Emery, manager, have sold several more lots on the Pond Spring property. These lots have been selling off rapidly.

The schooner "Lillian Woodruff," Capt. H. W. Holt, arrived at Providence, R. I., from Turks Island, Monday. Capt. Charles Hodgkins, of Lamoine, left Monday to resume charge of the vessel. Capt. Holt is expected home in a few days.

F. E. Timberlake, State bank examiner, was in Ellsworth last week on official business. He examined the accounts of

the Ellsworth loan and building association. The report of the associations is an excellent showing, the business having almost doubled.

The schools in districts Nos. 1 and 2, on the Mariaville road, No. 16, on the Waltham road, and No. 17, at Boggy Brook, will re-open Monday, after a two weeks' vacation. The teachers are the same except in district No. 2, where Marie K. Maddocks is engaged.

On Sunday morning at the Congregational church the congregation listened to a very fine sermon taken from the parable of the wicked husbandman, Matthew, 21:4. Sunday evening at the people's service the subject was "Conversion to the Christian Faith."

The second of the travel lectures at the Congregational vestry last Friday evening was well attended. The subject, "Our English Cathedrals," was illustrated by sixty stereopticon views. The lecture, read by Miss Eva Aiken, treated the subject thoroughly and interestingly.

County Commissioner Aiken and John Frank Morrison, of the Falls, left this (Wednesday) afternoon for Great Pond, where, under proper guidance, they will display their skill as slayers of deer and partridge. County Clerk Knowlton intended to accompany the party, but was detained at the last moment, and was obliged to give up the trip.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Halman are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter, Monday. Little Miss Halman has already, at the age of thirty-five hours, posed for a photograph, the result being eminently satisfactory. She is probably the youngest subject that ever sat for a photograph in the Pine Tree State.

Charles A. Allen returned Saturday from a trip of inspection over the route of the new long distance telephone line from Millbridge to Machias. A switchboard was put in at Millbridge, and a long distance instrument at Machias, which now has telephonic communication with the outside world. Instruments will soon be put in at Whitneyville, Jonesboro, Columbia Falls and Harrington on the same route.

On Friday evening, Nov. 8, Mrs. Ella Jordan Mason, whose eloquence has already been heard in Ellsworth, will lecture in Hancock hall under the auspices of the Grand Army post of this city. Her appeal will be for aid in the building of the home for soldiers and their wives at Camp Benson, Newport. A home is already established there, but is totally inadequate to requirements. Mrs. Mason is trying to raise \$10,000 for the purpose.

The second in the course of lectures at the Methodist church was given last Wednesday evening. The lecturer was Rev. C. S. Cummings, of Augusta; his subject, "From the Cradle to the Grave." There was a good attendance, and all enjoyed the lecture. This course of lectures is proving unusually interesting. All the lecturers are able speakers, and the subjects are popular ones, admirably treated. The next lecture will be delivered this (Thursday) evening by Rev. H. E. Foss, of Bangor. Subject, "Up the Ladder."

Hon. S. L. Milliken was in town a couple of days last week. The committee on railroads, transportation and commerce of the board of trade did not let him escape without listening to the proposition on foot to improve Union river by dredging. On the strength of the facts presented, Mr. Milliken assured the committee that a first-class case in favor of an appropriation could be made out. He offered some valuable suggestions as to the course to be pursued, and assured the committee of his hearty co-operation.

Ralph Wescott, the twelve-year-old son of George Wescott, of Beekland, lost his left hand by the accidental discharge of a gun in the hands of a companion, Fred Kief, Saturday. The boys were gunning. Young Wescott was walking ahead, when turning he noticed that Kief's gun was pointing directly at him while he was trying to lower the hammer. Wescott pushed the muzzle away from him, and as he did so the gun was discharged, tearing through the palm of the hand. It was impossible to save any part of the hand, and Dr. W. M. Haines amputated it at the wrist. At last reports the boy was doing well.

Harry Lansdown, who was arrested at Bangor several weeks ago through good detective work on the part of Marshal Donovan, of this city, and was held here until bonds were furnished for his appearance in Brooklyn, N. Y., has been committed to the Kings county (N. Y.) penitentiary for five years. Lansdown was arrested here on a charge of burglary from Capt. W. B. Freethy, but it was understood that there were other and graver crimes charged against him. He was tried and sentenced on a charge of forgery. It is said he was also guilty of stealing a gold watch from his mother and \$100 from Capt. Freethy.

The Woman's club will hold its first meeting for the winter at the home of Mrs. E. K. Hopkins, Saturday afternoon. This club has been in existence the past three years, holding bi-weekly meetings through the winters. At each meeting there is a paper on a special subject assigned to one member. Discussion of current events and educational work also form a part of each programme. The special subject at the first meeting is "The Right of Petition by Women," which will be treated in a paper by Mrs. A. F. Greeley. Other subjects announced for November and December are: November 15, "The W. C. T. U.," Dr. Abby M. Fulton; December 14, "The Ministry of Great Musicians," Miss Anna F. Hight. Miss Annie Stockbridge will prepare a paper for November 29, and Miss Abbie

Gerry for December 28, on topics chosen by themselves.

Among visitors to the city during the past week were C. R. Clark, M. Franklin, L. B. Deasy, Fred C. Lynam, A. P. Alley, Henry Eaton, T. F. Moran, C. L. Higgins, F. D. Foster, R. W. Farrin, George W. Rodick, Nathan Ash, A. H. Pendleton, Frank Spratt, Bar Harbor; O. F. Fellows, Bucksport; S. S. Scammons, Otis Springer, L. E. Springer, Franklin; Miss N. L. Fowler, F. P. Merrill, Bluehill; E. D. Mayo and wife, S. G. Stevens, Clarence Hutchings, Brooklyn; D. J. Manchester and wife, Northeast Harbor, E. S. Hamor and wife, Eden; K. S. MacTeer, Winter Harbor; L. F. Benson, Frank H. Benson, Bass Harbor; E. E. Babson, J. Hamor and wife, Mt. Desert; S. W. Norwood, W. C. Moore, Southwest Harbor; James H. R. Jones, Surry; C. H. Hooper, Castine.

We can vouch for the truth of this story. There has been a startling number of skunks in the vicinity of the Osgood place on Church street this fall, twelve having been killed there to date, the record being three in one night. One morning recently Abi Friend found a skunk in the trap set for them. It has been proved by experience that to take a live skunk from a trap is too delicate an operation for frequent repetition, so Mr. Friend procured his rifle. He did not notice that while one paw of the skunk was caught in the trap, another paw held a partridge prisoner; but when he blazed away at the skunk a partridge fluttered away over an adjoining fence and fell dead, the bullet having killed both skunk and partridge. This story is more remarkable from the fact that a partridge should be found here in the thickly-settled part of the city.

There was a carnival of runaways on Main street Tuesday forenoon, and those who watched the fun are not through laughing yet. For a few moments teams seemed to be going in all directions. The fun started at State street, when Arthur L. Saunders' team swung around the corner into Martin Lamson's public carriage. Lamson's team started, collided with A. M. Hopkins' team in front of his store, overturning and breaking Mr. Hopkins' wagon. The Saunders team continued on its wild course up Main street. Teams of Joseph Stackpole and George H. Campbell joined in the race up the street, and sought safety at the Abenaki club. In front of Austin H. Joy's store the Saunders team collided with Mr. Joy's delivery wagon, and for a few minutes the chair was filled with potatoes, apples, cranberries and groceries. The wagon was damaged. The Saunders team, with the wagon overturned, tore up the terrace into John M. Hale's yard, turned back down Main street to Franklin, where he was caught. The next half hour was occupied in gathering up the debris and groceries along Main street. And the five horses joined in a hoarse laugh.

Miss Monaghan's Concert.

Arrangements have been completed for the benefit concert of Miss Mabel Monaghan to be given at Hancock hall on Friday evening, Nov. 1, at 8 o'clock. Following is the programme:

PART I.
March—Fete Champetre.....Benet Monaghan's Orchestra.
Song—"The Mighty Deep".....Jude Mr. D. M. Babcock.
Flute Solo—Romance and Tarentella.....Barrett Mr. S. H. Boardman.
Song—"Song of the Page from 'Les Huguenots'".....Meyerbeer Miss Monaghan.
Song—"Last Night," arr. by Wm. Ross. Kierulff Miss Hopkins, Mrs. Hopkins, Mrs. Greeley, Mrs. Lewis.
Song—"The Young Mountaineer".....Randegger Mr. Babcock.
PART II.
Flute Solo—Selected.
Duet—"Flow Gently, Devo".....Miss Monaghan and Mr. Rollins.
Song—"Rocked in the Cradle of the Deep".....Mr. Babcock.
Flute Solo—"Eulalie".....J. Clinton Mr. Boardman.
Song—"Sing, Saddle, Saddle".....Gould Miss Monaghan.
Overture—"From Dawn to Twilight".....Benet Orchestra.

The following young ladies have kindly consented to act as ushers on the evening of the concert: Misses Georgia R. Hastings, Jessie Weeks, Annie Smith, Addie Austin, Mary Joy and Annie Mullan.

The plan of the hall and reserved seat tickets will be at Parcher's drug store until 6:30 on the evening of the concert; after that hour they may be found at the hall.

AT BAR HARBOR.

The concert, with a few changes in the programme, will be given at G. A. R. hall, Bar Harbor, on Thursday evening, Nov. 7.

Boston Ideal Ladies' Quartette.

An appreciative audience enjoyed an excellent concert given by the Boston Ideal ladies' quartette at Hancock hall last Thursday evening. The concert was given under the auspices of the Unity club.

The quartette consisted of Miss Annie F. Libby, harpist; Miss Ella M. Chamberlain, whistling soloist; Miss Susie H. Perley, reader; Miss Eleanor B. MacGregor, pianist and accompanist. They were assisted by Miss Henrietta D. Rice, vocalist.

The programme was well chosen. Miss Rice was the favorite of the evening. She has a rich though not powerful contralto voice, with wide range and superior expression. Misses Libby and Perley were also warmly received, and Miss Chamberlain's wonderful talent was appreciated.

Mr. Newlove (tasting pie)—My dear, this is what I call capital. Mrs. Newlove—Well, it's what I call labor.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report

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FIRE AT SURRY.

Baptist Church, Store and Dwelling Burned.

Fire at Surry last Thursday night destroyed the Baptist church, the store and stable of George W. Allen and the dwelling of Charles T. Sinclair, while the houses of Dr. W. E. Emery, and Mrs. Mary E. Grant suffered considerable damage from the scorching flames. The total loss is estimated at about \$9,000. There was no insurance on the church or Sinclair dwelling. Mr. Allen had small insurance.

Only the absence of wind prevented the destruction of the greater part of the village, as Surry is without fire fighting apparatus. A witness sends the following vivid account:

Friday dawned clear and bright, but around blackened timbers and smoking ruins stood a score or more of sad-hearted people, for at 2 o'clock a. m. the stately Baptist church had burned to the ground, besides a store and stable of George W.

Allen. Rev. H. F. Day, the pastor of the Baptist church, in a few feeling words encouraged his people and inspired them to trust alone in God's great strength. Rev. D. Smith, pastor of the Methodist church, spoke eloquently and helpfully. Mr. Herrick, a colporteur, spoke words of sympathy. The choir rendered beautiful anthems, and all felt that while sorrow filled their hearts yet Christ had said: "Let not your heart be troubled."

County Jail Notes.

Timothy Collins, indicted on a certificate of insanity, was taken to the State insane asylum at Augusta Monday by Deputy Sheriff James T. Cushman.

Harry Hillman, discharged from the jail after serving a thirty days' sentence for drunkenness, having been committed from Bar Harbor, was arrested in this city on Sunday by Officer Holmes, for drunkenness. He was sentenced by Judge Dutton Monday to thirty days. This time his name appears on the jail docket as Harry Ross.

Another

CLOAK EXHIBITION

AT M. GALLERT'S,
On MONDAY, NOVEMBER 4.

By special request of many of our patrons, I have secured Mr. D. N. Hardacker, representing the cloak manufacturers, MESSRS. SMITH, MURDOCK & CO., of New York and Paris, to exhibit their garments at our store at the above date,

from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.

Most of the garments will be ready for delivery. Special orders will also be taken to be made to measure. These garments are mostly imported, consisting of the latest novelties.

Call at our store on the above date, where you can see the Latest Production of Cloaks and Capes from manufacturers of New York and Paris.

M. GALLERT.

Allen and dwelling-house of Charles T. Sinclair. The "corner" was black and desolate.

The fire started in a shed connected with Mr. Allen's store. Everything was dry, and fire progressed rapidly. Soon the alarm rang out from the Baptist church. Men and women quickly gathered, but scarcely anything could be done to save the contents of the store. Everything was lost. The stable just back of the store contained several tons of hay.

Mr. Sinclair saved nearly all of his household goods but the house was a total loss.

When the church was found to be on fire despair seemed to be written on every face. It could not be seen how those houses at the westward could be saved. Dr. Emery's house was cleared of all household effects. Others on that side were stripped. Everything of value was taken from the church.

Men and women alike worked like mad to save the property. No relaxing of effort until the fire had done its work and property adjacent had been saved. All honor to the noble men and women of Surry, who did so valiantly to save the village!

As the flames reached the church men could but weep and women could not keep back their tears as it was seen the old church must go. This church was an ornament to the village, and an honor to the town. It was pleasantly situated and a thing of beauty to the eye. It was built in 1861 by devoted men and women, and during all the changes of the decades has been the house of the Baptist church and people.

It was a sad and heart-sickening sight to stand and watch the leaping flames as they climbed higher and higher until the tall belfry and spire were reached. Soon with a crash it fell, exposing to view the sweet-toned bell, that had been the pride of every resident of the village for years. The timbers weakened, and with a heavy crash the bell fell to the ground.

The western wall is tottering. Long timbers are placed against it to push it away from Dr. Emery's buildings. Fortunately it fell toward the east, and away from all other buildings, else sadder still would have been the recital of the fiendish work of the fire. Had the night been other than calm, who can tell the result?

No words can be stronger than the expression given to the feelings of many who said that night and the following day "we must build again." Times are hard, but already a move is on foot to have another building at once. Assistance, it is hoped, may be received from outside, but the people here have a mind to work, and it is sincerely hoped that by Thanksgiving Day other walls will be erected upon the site of the old one.

No words can express, no pen can write the desolation and trial of the people at this time, but a stronger-hearted people never lived than those who by word and example are doing so well to replace what has been lost.

A large congregation met in the Methodist church Sunday to listen to the exer-

Coming Events.

Thursday, Oct. 31, 7:30 p. m., at Methodist church—Lecture by Rev. H. E. Foss, of Bangor. Subject: "Up the Ladder." Tickets, 20 cents.

Thursday, Nov. 7—Meeting of Hancock district lodge, I. O. G. T., with Hillside lodge, at Sound.

Friday, Nov. 1, at Hancock hall—Benefit concert for Miss Mabel Monaghan. Admission, 25 cents; reserved seats, 35 and 50 cents.

Wednesday, Oct. 30, 6 p. m., at Unitarian vestry—Unity club circle supper. Tickets, 15 cents.

Thursday, Oct. 31, 5:30 to 7:30 o'clock, at Methodist vestry—Pink tea, under auspices of Epworth League. Tickets, 15 cents.

Tuesday, Nov. 5, at Hancock hall—Fox and Ward's minstrels. Tickets at Wiggins.

Church Notes.

Communion of the Lord's supper at the Congregational church next Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. There will be a preparatory lecture at the vestry this (Wednesday) evening at 7:30.

Hood's Pills cure Liver, Biliousness, Indigestion, Headache. A pleasant laxative. All Druggists—Advt.

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THURSDAY, OCTOBER 31, 1895.

Next Tuesday's Elections.

Twenty states hold elections next Tuesday, six of which—Massachusetts, New Jersey, Maryland, Kentucky, Ohio and Utah—choose governors. Utah elects its first state ticket since its admission from territoryhood. The other states in which elections are to be held are Virginia, Pennsylvania, New York, Kansas, Iowa, Nebraska and Mississippi.

State campaigns in other than presidential years are apt to be merely of local importance, and such is mainly the case this year, although much more than local interest is felt in many of them.

In Massachusetts George Fred Williams, a brilliant but inordinately conceited young man of the magnum stripe of politician, is leading the democratic fervor here. The A. P. A. has made considerable stir before the state conventions, but since Gov. Greenhalge's overwhelming vote for re-election, this factional and bushwhacking opposition has largely subsided, and Greenhalge is likely to be re-elected by a handsome majority.

New York does not elect a governor this year, and the campaign involves no national issues. Intense interest is felt in the outcome of the election, however, due mainly to the Sunday closing question in New York city, where Theodore Roosevelt, the chief of the board of police commissioners, has been compelling the enforcement of the law.

On the outcome of the contest in Maryland depends the political supremacy of Senator Gorman. The same is substantially true of Senator Brice in Ohio.

The fight in Kentucky is perhaps the hottest. The republicans have a fighting chance. They charge their opponents with duplicity on the silver question, and claim that their candidate for governor, General Hardin, is a free silver man running on a sound money platform. The sound money men of both parties are opposed to Senator Blackburn's re-election.

In New Jersey the republicans are fighting furiously to retain the supremacy secured last year—the first time in a generation. The supreme local issue is the race-track as conducted at Guttenberg, Monmouth and Gloucester.

As everybody is for free silver in Utah, this issue cuts no figure, and the fight is an open one between republicans and democrats on purely local issues. A feature of the campaign is the activity of the women.

The Maine continues to assert its rights. The persecution to which it has been subjected in Malden, Mass., has led the city government to adopt an ordinance making it unlawful for a person to throw nails, scrap iron, crockery, waste, rubbish, etc., into the street. But the greatest mission the Nixie has on its hands, so to speak, is the creating of a public sentiment in favor of good roads.

"There is something rotten in Denmark," Albion Ott who escaped from the Knox county jail authorities last week, is the fourteenth prisoner to escape since the new jail was built.

The Piscataquis Observer is the latest Maine paper to abandon the blanket-sheet for the more modern and rational quarto. It is an evidence of progress.

Hon. J. W. Wright, an ex-senator of Bangor, and former member of the State legislature, died Sunday, aged seventy-four years.

"No, Willie dear," said mamma, "the more you sleep, the more you know you cannot sleep on a full stomach." "Well," replied Willie, "I can sleep on my back."—Harper's Round Table.

After gazing rapturously upon the new baby little Elsie whispered: "Say, Bob, is she a sister or a brother?" And he replied contemptuously: "Why, goosey, you never can tell until they're named."

Swell Freshman—Say, old man, your clock is slow, isn't it? Sober-minded Tutor—No, my boy, it isn't. It only seems so to you in comparison with the way you're living.

When Ponce de-Leon sought to find the fountain giving back lost youth, it may be that he had in mind that draught which seems to make a truth out of the false ages old.

For drinking it the old grow young; it is, indeed, a draught of gold. Surprising as it seems, it is Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, of course. It is a most potent medicine, it drives out all poison, all impurities, and makes the blood and organs feel young and vigorous. Ponce de-Leon didn't discover it, but Dr. Pierce did, and he rightly named it when he called it a "Golden Discovery."

Dr. Pierce's cures permanently constipation, indigestion and headaches. All dealers.

COUNTY GOSSIP.

News and Notes of Interest of Hancock County Towns.

Backstop beams the shutting down of its tannery.

Deer Isle "white ribbons" made a raid on the slot machines.

The toot of the new sardine factory whistle will soon make music for Swan's Islanders.

West Deer Isle has a village improvement society. Good! More of these societies are needed in Hancock county.

South Penobscot opened hospitable doors to the Hancock county Endowment. Next year Hancock will entertain.

The body of Arthur Candage, who was drowned at Morgan's Bay four weeks ago, was found on Newbury Neck Sunday.

Amner's claim to the baseball championship of northern Hancock county is undisputed. The club has won six out of eight games.

The road is overrunning with tinker mackerels, it is said, and fishermen predict a good mackerel season next year. May the prediction be fulfilled.

Our West Franklin correspondent anxiously inquires: "Where are the survivors of the Shore Line?" Don't worry, even if they don't get along until next spring. The Franklins won't be left out.

They are slaughtering the wild fowl along the Hancock county shore now. One sportsman, after a few hours' shooting in the forenoon, brought in a bag of 33 birds, with the explanation that if his ammunition had not given out he could have killed all he wanted.

There is very little indication of hard times in Bar Harbor real estate figures. A plot of eleven acres was sold recently for \$90,000. A few days after the sale the purchaser refused to offer \$75,000. An offer of \$50,000 was refused recently for property which a few years ago cost \$30,000.

It really begins to look as though the law and order league is winning the day in Bar Harbor. The announcement is now made that owing to increased consumption of water, the water company proposes to build a new dam on Eagle lake. (Good! Keep up the fight while Eagle lake runs dry.)

The Maine hunting season has just begun. The Maine hunters are out in full force. The season has been the most successful in years.

Hancock county has paid more than its just proportion for the kind of "fair."

The Bar Harbor liquor which are still dodging warrants. They are now dodging the question of license. That it is advisable to let the liquor in at the winter fair, and to let the summer season, when profits will more nearly meet incidental expenses. It is decided in the affirmative. Ellsworth may expect an influx of Bar Harborites this winter.

Primary pupils occasionally give some very bright answers, and oftentimes teachers have to bite their lips to suppress a laugh. This story is pretty rough on the teacher's artistic ability, but as she tells it herself we feel warranted in retelling it. It was at Winter Harbor primary school. The teacher, having drawn on the blackboard what purported to be a representation of two large boys and two small ones, requested a story about them. Master Ralph's hand went up and he smilingly recited his anecdote: "Two boys and two grasshoppers make four."

Two West Ellsworth hunters stalked silently through the woods, carefully avoiding dry twigs and rustling leaves. Hark! Look! Peering through the underbrush they saw a deer lying on the ground. It was a chance of a lifetime. Slowly, silently they crept to a point of vantage, and then, both fired simultaneously. Their marksmanship was good, and both bullets sped to a vital spot. The deer did not move, apparently dying without the twitching of a muscle. Triumphant the hunters plunged through the bushes to the side of their prize. The deer was dead beyond question—had been dead several days, in fact.

An East Ellsworth octogenarian borrowed his son's rifle to go deer hunting. The son tried to dissuade him from going, saying: "Father, you will kill yourself." The old man's pride was aroused, and he replied: "Well, I guess I know how to handle a rifle; I shot deer before you were born, and never have killed myself!" And away he strode for the woods, vowing he would show that upstart of a boy he knew something about deer hunting yet. And he did. Within three hours he returned, having in that short time killed and dragged out of the woods two deer. The son isn't saying much about the old man's shooting now.

The people of the Baptist church society of Surry are bearing up bravely under their severe loss—the destruction of their church home by fire. It is a blow indeed to this little body of faithful workers in Christ's vineyard, but they find comfort in His words "Let not your hearts be troubled," and are not discouraged. Scarcely had the burning walls fallen when the cry was raised: "We must build again!" And with this cry as a watchword, with a courage born of faith in Christ, this band of workers, led by their energetic pastor, Rev. H. F. Day, have taken up the work thus set before them and will carry it forward to a successful termination. Surely no better evidence is wanted of the strength-giving power of God. Such a spirit as is here shown should meet with encouragement in the shape of outside contributions. It will be a hard struggle for this congregation to do the work alone.

A RISING REPUBLICAN.

A Boston Newspaper Man on the Road to Political Fame.

One of the rising young republicans of Massachusetts is Curtis Guild, Jr., a gentleman whose prominence just now in Bay State politics deserves more than passing mention. For some years Mr. Guild has been heard on the stump, but this year he stands out as one of the youngest, ablest and brightest of the galaxy of young men, whose activity in politics has made recent campaigns in Massachusetts conspicuously brilliant and clean. This year Mr. Guild presided at the state convention with such striking ability as to mark him a man of political genius as well as a consummate orator.

Mr. Guild is the elder son of Curtis Guild, the founder of that staunch and successful business journal, the Boston Commercial Bulletin, himself among the ablest of the many able journalists Boston has produced. He is a graduate of Channing Hall school and of Harvard college, class of '81. He early developed the genuine newspaper instinct, and after traveling in this country and abroad for a year or two, he settled down to regular work. Beginning at the bottom, he has, by hard, persistent work, put himself into the front rank of Boston's newspapermen. With his own elevation he has also elevated the character of reporting. Accuracy has ever been his watchword, and so faithfully has he clung to his ideal that to-day his market reports, notably the stock market, are regarded throughout the United States as the most comprehensive, compact and correct.

Though an indefatigable newspaper worker, he has yet found time to study the needs of the body politic, and the results of this study are becoming evident through his masterful political speeches.

At the recent ratification meeting in Music hall, Boston, Mr. Guild spoke, and of his speech the Journal said it was "an eloquent and condensed record of the recent progress of the democracy, of its weakness in the tariff revision, in finance, in civil service reform, in foreign negotiations, in short, in everything with which it has had to grapple. His magnificent tribute to the republican party, which distinguishes not at all between the naturalized citizen and the native, so long as their love for American life and American institutions be unexceptionable, which has shown its contempt for race prescription by nominating a foreign-born candidate for the head of its ticket, which has taken its stand against unrestricted and undesirable immigration of foreign laborers, which offers its influence in the defense of the public school, which conceals no faults and counts no shadows, was one of the most stirring features of this inspiring ratification."

It is interesting as well as gratifying for us Maine people to know that Maine blood courses in this young man's veins, he being a descendant on his mother's side of the Cobbs of Steuben.

It will be well to keep an eye on Mr. Guild. He is bound to be heard from later in a still wider political sphere.

Correspondence.

"The Queen of the Antilles."
WEST SULLIVAN, Oct. 12, 1895.
To the Editor of The American.

Anxiously and pityingly we watch this unequal struggle of an oppressed people for their independence. To-day, Oct. 12, we read "Spain excited." "Afraid United States may interfere." It is said that to intervene between the combatants in Cuba, at this stage, would amount to a reversal of the policy of this government in such matters.

President Grant did, as indicated in his message to Congress, entertain a belief that intervention in the then progressing rebellion in Cuba would be justifiable. "Cuba for the Cubans" is the watchword of the creoles, whose most anxious desire is to be rid of the Spanish adventurers who have absolute control over the government of the island, which is administered in a manner scandalously unjust, and who have secured for themselves the best share of the wealth of the island.

The slaves of pure blood alone have the strength necessary to do the hard work of the sugar estates, and the prosperity of the island is dependent on them. The enormous development of Cuban commerce is due to the great demand for sugar in America, and the monopoly Cuba now has of slave labor. If the creoles could secure their independence they believe, even with emancipation they would be in a better position than now. Since the close of the American war, the Cuban sugar trade has been immensely increased and the quantity exported in good years has been valued at fifteen or twenty millions sterling. Fifteen per cent. of this sugar goes to England and 75 per cent. to the United States.

Before the close of the American war this island was coveted because it was the only market from which slaves could be imported into the southern states. Cuba was twice attacked in 1850 and 1851 by individual Americans, without success. This cupidity was checked more powerfully on the part of France and England than by Spain's own resources. These attacks were commanded by a Spaniard by the name of Lopez, who, being taken prisoner, was hanged as a traitor.

In 1762 George III, of England, with the help of American soldiers, among them brave Putnam, captured Havana, but the following year exchanged it for Florida. Havana is situated on one of the finest harbors in the world, whose comparatively narrow entrance is guarded by six forts. It has one of the most magnificent opera houses in existence. The cathedral in Havana contains the remains of Columbus, according to his dying wish that he might be buried in the new world which he had discovered.

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When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became a Girl, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

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KEYS.—Bunch of keys, with small attached. P. O. Key numbered 1460. Returned to J. J. Clark, Ellsworth.

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Special Notices.

CARD OF THANKS.
To the many friends who so willingly gave us their aid in the time of our bereavement, when the wife and mother was taken from us, we wish to publicly express our heartfelt thanks. Their many thoughtful acts of kindness will never be forgotten.
Her care is over, her work is done. At peace the troubled breast.
No more to die, the victory won.
She enters into rest.
With faith we lay her in the tomb.
To sleep, but not to wake.
For God in love dispels the gloom.
His children cannot die.

JOHN B. MITCHELL,
MARTIN A. HOSNEY,
LESLIE M. SEAR,
ANNIE M. MITCHELL,
TINA MITCHELL.
Ellsworth, Oct. 25, 1895.

NOTICE.
I hereby give public notice that my wife, Alice Cleveland, having left my bed and board without sufficient cause, I shall, from this date, pay no bills of her contracting.
FRED S. CLEVELAND.
Ellsworth, Me., October 18, 1895.

NOTICE.
THE undersigned hereby gives notice that his daughter, Miss L. Cleveland, a minor, has left his home, and he forbids all persons trusting her on his account.
JAMES K. HOSNEY.
Trenton, Me., Oct. 24, 1895.

Advertisements.
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Guaranty fund 40.00
Advance payment 1,000.00
Profits 172.75
\$13,412.75

RESOURCES.
Loans on mortgages of real estate \$11,300.00
Loans on shares 250.00
Permanently expended 125.85
Cash 1,142.22
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F. E. TIMBERLAKE,
Bank Examiner.

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BROUGHT TO TIME.

"I am sorry," said the widow, "but I do not see how it is to be helped."

Mr. Timothy Unkum, or Uncle Tim, as everybody called him, was a man of out of sorts. He did not like the turn affairs had taken.

Not many years before Timothy Unkum's only brother had died, leaving a son in his charge. This son was Harry Unkum, a youth of great promise and of glowing anticipations.

The widow was Mrs. Mary Folger. In the other years she had not only been a warm personal friend of the Unkums, but she also owned the Unkum estate, and she also owned a large share of the Folger-ville mills, left her by her husband, while the rest of that valuable property had descended to Harry.

It had been the earnest desire of the Unkum now deceased that his son should wed with the daughter of his near and dear friend.

Harry was 23, and it was high time that he settled himself down to life after the business which had been left to him.

"I am satisfied," pursued Mrs. Folger, "that Harry will never marry my child. The very fact that his father and I have had the nose so long prepared for him inclines him to avoid it. And yet I doubt if he will find a better wife. Lizzie is a good girl."

"She's an angel," cried Uncle Tim, "and vastly too good for the graceless scamp."

"I should not care so much," said the widow feelingly, "only that Harry has regarded Harry as the man who was to be her husband, and she has learned to love him."

"And," added Uncle Tim emphatically, "I am sure that Harry loves her, only he will not bring himself to acknowledge it. Mrs. Folger, if you and Lizzie will come and spend a week at my house, I think I can bring Master Harry to his senses."

"Now, Master Harry," said Uncle Tim in an abrupt manner, "I want one thing distinctly understood. Mrs. Folger and her daughter will arrive this evening, and I would know if you have any claim upon Lizzie Folger's hand or heart."

"No, sir," answered the nephew.

"That is all. We shall now know how to receive and entertain our guests."

Toward evening Mrs. Folger and her daughter arrived.

Harry greeted her as an old playmate, and after tea he sang with her and talked of the bygone school days. But Lizzie was not over and above so glad, and when in the bright moonlight of the August evening they walked out upon the piazza she took his uncle's arm instead of his, and he was forced to offer his arm to the mother.

On the following day Uncle Tim caught his span of grays to be hitched to the light buggy, and as the team appeared at the door Lizzie came out armed for a ride. Uncle Tim gallantly handed her to her seat and having placed himself by her side he took the reins and drove off.

It was late in the afternoon when the grays, upon their return, came prancing to the door. Uncle Tim leaped out with wonderful agility, and having handed Lizzie to the piazza he kissed her upon her dimpled cheek, exclaiming in a most exuberant manner as he did so:

"There you, my darling! You are an angel!"

And Lizzie looked up and smiled and patted him upon the cheek in return.

Harry had been standing upon the piazza, and he muttered something very far from a blessing.

During the forenoon of the third day Uncle Tim had his nephew in the hall and called him into the library.

"Harry, my boy," he said, with glowing face, "I have decided it my duty to let you know that there is soon to be a change in our household. I am going to give it a mistress."

"I don't understand."

"Haven't you got eyes? What d'ye suppose I brought Lizzie Folger here for?"

"Do you mean that—that you are going to make her your wife?"

"And what do you find wonderful in that?"

"At your age?"

"At my age? I am only 52, in the prime of life. I was never younger in health and vigor. Confound your impudence! A girl of sense looks for a supporter and a protector in a husband."

Harry began to open his eyes to the true state of his own heart. The thing which he had regarded as set apart especially for him, and which he might take into possession at any time, he had not been anxious to claim, but now that he saw the prize in the hands of another he was startled into a new estimate of the value of the boon he had slighted.

In the evening Harry followed Lizzie into the garden. He had resolved to do a desperate thing and was prepared to be plain and outspoken. He urged her to sit down, and as he took a seat by her side he found her trembling.

"Has my uncle asked you for your hand?"

"He has."

"And have you given him a favorable answer?"

"My answer has not been unfavorable."

"Oh, Lizzie! I had not thought of this!"

"How? Not thought what?"

"That you could thus slight me."

"Slight you? I do not understand."

"Yes, you do understand—no—don't go away—don't leave me—I have loved you, Lizzie!"

"You—you loved me?"

"Yes. Here on my knees I confess it."

"Indeed, Harry, you must not. You—you—"

"He was eloquent and impassioned, so much that ere long Lizzie's head was pillowed upon his bosom and one of her arms twined about his neck."

"And you will not give your hand to my uncle?"

"He never asked it for himself, Harry."

"What, not for himself?"

"No; he asked me for my hand, but it was for you he wanted it."

"But," gasped the lover, "what did he mean by telling me that he was going to make you mistress of his house?"

"He told me," answered Lizzie, "that if I ever became your wife I should have this old mansion."

"Hello! What's all this? How now? What does this mean?"

"It was Uncle Tim who spoke."

Harry caught the situation at a glance.

"Uncle Tim," said he, "I surrender!"

—New York News.

To Face the Music.

To "face the music" is a metaphor borrowed from the stage where the player comes to the front and faces the orchestra. It is, however, stated by some authorities that the expression has a military meaning, the old militia laws ordering that when arrayed in line the militiamen should "face the music."

FROM WASHINGTON.

Republican National Convention to be held next June.

[From our regular correspondent.]

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 28, 1895.

The republican national convention will not be held earlier than the tenth of next June. That was made certain when Chairman Carter of the national committee issued his call for the committee to assemble in Washington on Dec. 10, to select the time and place for holding the national convention.

From the talk of national committee men and others prominent republicans who have been in Washington within the last three or four days, the honor of being the convention city next year lies between Chicago and Pittsburg, with the chances slightly favoring the former. San Francisco has some earnest friends on the committee, but should they succeed in getting the convention held there, it would surprise a great many people, themselves among the number.

The talk about there being serious discussion between Mr. Cleveland and Secretary Olney and other members of the cabinet over the maintenance of the Monroe doctrine by Great Britain in its dealings with Venezuela continues, notwithstanding a positive denial made several days ago by Attorney-General Harmon. Those who insist that the discussion exists say that the denial, to have carried any weight, should have been made either by Mr. Cleveland or Secretary Olney, the two men who are reported to be at loggerheads.

A semi-official statement has been made to the effect that the administration does not regard a crisis, requiring either a back-down or a fight, possible between this time and the assembling of Congress, and that Mr. Cleveland intends sending a special message to Congress accompanied by all the correspondence with Great Britain, asking for advice as to the next move on the part of this government, unless Great Britain meantime concedes our right to the application of the Monroe doctrine. If he does there isn't a semblance of a doubt about what will be done—the Monroe doctrine will be upheld, by force if necessary. That has always been the position of a republican party.

It is an open secret among Mr. Cleveland's few personal friends that he regrets having gone to Atlanta. The reason for his regret is the lack of enthusiasm over his visit among the masses. His reception by the Exposition and other officials, not only at Atlanta but everywhere he stopped, was all that could have been asked for, but the crowds which turned out to see him seemed to be actuated mainly by curiosity, and displayed none of the spontaneous, all-absorbing enthusiasm for which pleased southern crowds have long been famous. That was a blow to Mr. Cleveland's egotism, and the more he thinks about it the more he regrets that he didn't stay away from Atlanta.

There has been a shake-up in the financial branch of the state department, in consequence of an investigation by special agents of the treasury department. The chief of the bureau of accounts and the head book-keeper of the same bureau have been compelled to resign. The officials of the department will not say whether these changes are the result of a shortage in cash or bad business methods. The chief of the bureau is under a \$30,000 bond, and handled something like \$2,000,000 a year.

Ex-Congressman Brady, of Virginia, who was for many years an able lieutenant of the late Gen. Mahones, says that Mr. Reed is at present the favorite of the Virginia republicans for the nomination of the presidency.

Speaking of how the south will vote next year, Mr. Brady said: "The south is for protection. The issue is sometimes obscure and sometimes adroitly forced into the background by the democratic leaders, but when it is fully and vigorously presented to her, the south, as well as the north, will vote for the further building up of this country."

No man in this country knows better how to keep his own counsel than does Hon. Thomas Brackett Reed, who will be speaker of the next House. Although the meeting of Congress is only a little more than a month off, he has kept his own counsel so well that the best-informed political writers can do no more than guess at the names of those who will be chairman of such important House committees as those on ways and means and appropriations.

For the first committee the guessers are divided between three men—Dahzel, of Pennsylvania; Payne of New York, and Hopkins, of Illinois—Dahzel having the largest number. The guessers name Cannon, of Illinois, and Henderson, of Iowa, as the two between whom lies the chairmanship of the appropriation committee, the majority guessing Cannon, who was chairman of that committee when Mr. Reed was last speaker of the House; but those who guess Henderson say he has the best chance because he has been continuously a member of the House, while Cannon has missed one term since he was at the head of the committee.

But there is one chairmanship upon which all the guessers agree. That is Hitt, of Illinois, to be chairman of the committee on foreign affairs. There are three reasons for this agreement—each good. Mr. Hitt's friendship for Mr. Reed; his pre-eminent fitness by education, temperament and experience, for the place, and his record as chairman of that committee.

THE MAINE COMPANY.

To Improve Real Estate at Pretty Marsh.

Some time ago C. H. Emery, of this city, bonded about 1,100 acres of desirable real estate at the western end of Mt. Desert island. He has recently closed the sale of 250 acres of this land to Edward Samuels and associates of Philadelphia, who have organized "The Maine Company," with a capital stock of \$100,000, paid in. Mr. Samuels is president of the

company; William Seifridge, of Philadelphia, treasurer. These two gentlemen, with Frank Samuels, of Philadelphia, constitute the board of directors.

The property purchased is at Pretty Marsh, and includes the West Point hotel property. The hotel will be rebuilt and enlarged and made into a club hotel, in which members can secure accommodations.

The property also includes a salt pond about one-half a mile long, in which the tide ebbs and flows only about a foot, which will be converted into a bathing pool, for which it is admirably adapted. There is a stambout wharf on the property and arrangements have already been made with the Bluffville steamboat company to make a landing there.

The property will be otherwise improved, and it is probable that several cottages will be built there next season. Mr. Samuels has purchased a separate tract of seven acres on which he will build himself a handsome cottage.

Mr. Emery, through whom this important sale was made, has been engaged in several like enterprises, notably in the development of Grindstone Neck. He still holds the balance of the 1,100 acres which he bonded at the west end of Mt. Desert island.

COFFEE PARTY.

Given by the Ladies of St. Joseph's Parish.

The "coffee party" at Hancock hall Monday and Tuesday, under the management of the ladies of St. Joseph's parish, proved highly successful.

On Monday evening an excellent supper was served in the lower hall. This was followed by an entertainment in the evening. William Flint sang a humorous selection, "Sunshine of Paradise Alley," which was loudly applauded. Little Miss Helen Donovan's harp solo was encored.

Then followed the pretty little play "Three Fairy Gifts," which was thoroughly enjoyed by a large audience. The cast of characters was as follows:

Fairy Queen.....Sallie O'Connell
Fairy Queen.....Cora Mahan
Fairy Queen.....Frances Doyle
Cynthia.....Ruth Fields
Violet.....Helen Donovan
Violet.....Fannie Greenwood
Violet.....David Latham
Brian.....Stephen Donovan

Besides praise to the children themselves for the excellence of their performance, much credit should be given Mrs. Edmon Effie, whose painstaking and laborious efforts in training them for their parts were well rewarded by the pleasure she took in seeing them do so well.

After the entertainment there was a sale of confectionery, and an informal reception. The articles to be drawn for Tuesday evening were displayed in the hall. On Tuesday a dinner was served at the hall at noon. In the evening the drawing took place, resulting as follows:

Pair of gentlemen's "shoppers," contributed by Patrick Shea, drawn by John W. Congdon.
Silver shoe, contributed by six married ladies of the parish, drawn by Mrs. John Drake.
Barrel of flour, contributed by Mrs. C. E. Monaghan, drawn by John H. Donovan.

Tea set, contributed by five young ladies of the parish, drawn by Miss Mary McDonald.
Mexican table cover, contributed by Miss Minnie Mahan, drawn by A. J. Grant.
Parlor chair, contributed by three young ladies, drawn by Mrs. Charles Grogins.
Oil painting, dog's head, contributed by Mrs. M. E. Redding, drawn by A. K. Woodward.

Five chocolate tea table, contributed by three young ladies, drawn by F. M. Gaynor.
Banquet lamp, contributed by four ladies, drawn by F. M. Gaynor.

French doll, contributed by Mrs. Patrick Mahan and Mrs. John W. Mahone, drawn by E. G. Smith.
Commode set, contributed by five married ladies, drawn by G. A. Parcher.

Monaghan's orchestra furnished music during the evening and after the drawing there was an informal dance.

The affair was a financial success, and the ladies of the parish deserve much credit for their admirable management of it. The ladies extend their thanks to all who kindly co-operated with them in their laudable work.

ELLSWORTH FALLS.

Z. Foster is in Bar Harbor visiting his son Frank.

Frank Lowell is at his home in North Penobscot.

Nellie and Mary Finn are at home from Massachusetts.

A. W. Ellis and wife and Mrs. A. E. Foster were in Bangor Saturday.

Next Sunday is Rev. H. W. Conley's last Sunday here as pastor of this church.

Fred Flood spent Saturday with his parents, returning to Hampden at night.

Rev. H. W. Conley was called to Dedham Wednesday afternoon to officiate at the funeral of Mrs. Aleck Gray.

Lizzie L. Ford, of Hancock, was married last Saturday afternoon to George O. Treadwell, of Ellsworth, by Rev. H. W. Conley.

Joseph Bowden, who has been in very poor health for a long time, had a shock on Thursday night last and is in a serious condition.

E. A. Flood and wife, accompanied by Johnny Dyer, visited Mrs. Flood's parents, J. A. Woodward and wife, Waltham, on Saturday and Sunday.

Martin Moore was appointed delegate to attend, with the pastor, the council called by the church in Somerville, Mt. Desert, to ordain F. W. Barker next Friday.

The ladies' sewing circle serve a supper in the hall next Thursday evening from 5 o'clock until 7:30. There is to be a sale also of articles which the members of the circle have been making.

A. W. Ellis and wife and C. M. Whitcomb and wife went to Cherryfield Tuesday to be present at the wedding of Howard W. Whitcomb and Miss Mabel Church on Wednesday.

Quite a number attended the flag-raising at the school district at the head of Branch Pond last Saturday. The exercises were very interesting and drew credit to the school and its teacher, Margaret E. Laffin.

Artist—I painted this picture, to keep the wolf from the door. Dealer (after inspecting it)—Well, hang it on the knob where the wolf can see it.

No mystery about it. When the Shakers offered some time ago to give away a bottle of their Digestive Cordial to any one who might call at their New York office, there was a great rush and a great many people thought they were crazy.

Subsequent events prove it to have been a very clever advertising transaction, for although they gave away thousands of bottles, it was in the end profitable; nearly every one that took a free bottle came back for more and paid for it with pleasure, saying they had derived better results from its use than from any other medicine they had ever used.

There is nothing so uniformly successful in the treatment of stomach troubles as the Shaker Digestive Cordial, and what is better than all, it relieves at once.

LAXOL, the new form of Castor Oil, is so palatable that children lick the spoon clean.

BORN.

CORRY—At Deer Isle, Oct. 19, to Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo H. Corry, a daughter.

CLOSSON—At Deer Isle, Oct. 16, to Mr. and Mrs. William E. Closson, a daughter.

CARLE—At Bangor, Oct. 23, to Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Carter, a daughter.

DAY—At Bangor, Oct. 8, to Mr. and Mrs. Eugene J. Day, a son. (Frank Leslie.)

EATON—At Ellsworth, Oct. 22, to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Eaton, a son.

GRINDLE—At Deer Isle, Oct. 21, to Mr. and Mrs. Justus H. Grindle, a son.

GRUNDY—At Sedgwick, Oct. 19, to Mr. and Mrs. Walter Grundy, a daughter.

HERRICK—At Brookville, Oct. 9, to Dr. and Mrs. Fred S. Herrick, a son.

HALMAN—At Ellsworth, Oct. 27, to Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Halman, a daughter.

MORSE—At Swan's Island, Oct. 16, to Mr. and Mrs. Nelson T. Morse, a daughter.

SPRAGUE—At Swan's Island, Oct. 16, to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Sprague, a daughter.

STINSON—At Deer Isle, Oct. 20, to Mr. and Mrs. Jack Stinson, a daughter.

SHEPHERD—At Deer Isle, Oct. 22, to Mr. and Mrs. Edridge Shepherd, a daughter.

SHEA—At Ellsworth, Oct. 23, to Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Shea, a son.

WELLS—At Great Pond, Oct. 21, to Mr. and Mrs. William Wells, a daughter.

MARRIED.

BEAN-HAYES—At Ellsworth, Oct. 23, by Rev. E. J. Cheney, Mr. John Bean, of Ellsworth, to Edward Cary Hayes, of Bangor.

BOWDEN-BOWDEN—At Ellsworth, Oct. 19, by J. S. Condon, Mr. Alonzo Bowden, of Ellsworth, to Fred J. Bowden, of Penobscot.

BURNS-JOYCE—At Swan's Island, Oct. 19, by O. J. Joyce, Mr. Burne Burns, of George Jay's.

CHATT-ELLETT—At Bangor, Oct. 22, by Rev. E. J. Day, Mr. Nettie E. Chatt, of Penobscot, to Charles E. Ellett, of Ellsworth.

FORD-THEWELL—At Ellsworth, Oct. 22, by Rev. E. J. Day, Mr. George F. Ford, of Ellsworth, to George O. Thewell, of Ellsworth.

HARDY-ROBERTS—At Sedgwick, Oct. 9, by Rev. A. W. Young, Mrs. Eliza A. Hardy, of Bangor, to Robert Hardy, of Bangor.

LEACH-BOWDEN—At Penobscot, Oct. 28, by Rev. George Bailey, Miss Ella F. Leach, of Bangor, to John Bowden, of Penobscot.

STEWART-MURPHY—At Deer Isle, Oct. 23, by Rev. S. A. Appleton, Mrs. Lizzie C. Stewart, of Bangor, to John L. Murphy, of Deer Isle.

YOUNG-McLEAN—At Trenton, Oct. 25, by Rev. W. H. Powell, Mrs. Ella M. Young, of Bangor, to Charles E. McLean, of Trenton.

DIED.

VEREE—At Swan's Island, Oct. 17, infant son of Stephen and Nellie Veree, aged 5 months, 12 days.

CARTER—At Ellsworth, Oct. 22, Mrs. Abigail Carter, aged 93 years, 23 days.

CLEMENT—At Seal Harbor, Oct. 16, Morris L., infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Clement, aged 3 months.

DODGE—At Sedgwick, Oct. 19, John Boyd Dodge, aged 72 years, 9 months, 17 days.

DOW—At Deer Isle, Oct. 17, Mrs. George Dow, aged 21 years.

GRAY—At Ellsworth, Oct. 27, Mrs. Lydia J. Gray, aged 54 years, 2 months.

HENDERSON—At Deer Isle, Oct. 16, Christopher Henderson, aged 47 years.

HIGGINS—At Penobscot, Oct. 28, Allen Higgins, aged 16 years.

HITCHINGS—At Verona, Oct. 24, James E. Hitchings, aged 22 years, 8 months, 27 days.

JORDAN—At Ellsworth, Oct. 24, Lizzie Jordan, aged 32 years, 4 months.

MOONEY—At Bangor, Oct. 19, Thomas E. Mooney, aged 28 years.

MURPHY—At Trenton, Oct. 24, Joshua Murphy, aged 66 years.

OSGOOD—At Ellsworth, Oct. 25, Mrs. Mary M. Osgood, aged 81 years, 3 months, 10 days.

RAPHAEL—At Orono, Oct. 20, Mrs. Sarah S. Raphael, aged 84 years, 9 months, 3 days.

STANLEY—At Maine General Hospital, Portland, Oct. 20, Mrs. Grace W. Stanley, of Brookville, aged 27 years.

SPINSON—At Swan's Island, Oct. 23, Mrs. Hannah Spinson, aged 55 years, 11 months.

VEAZIE—At Ellsworth, Oct. 22, Lizzie May Vezie, aged 6 months, 28 days.

YOUNG—At Eden, Oct. 18, Eliza Young, aged 88 years, 5 months, 19 days.

Legal Notices.

THE subscriber hereby gives public notice to all concerned that he has been duly appointed, and has taken upon himself the trust of an administrator of the estate of Pickering Eaton, late of Sedgwick, in the county of Hancock deceased, by giving bonds as the law directs; he therefore requests all persons who are indebted to said deceased's estate, to make immediate payment, and those who have any demands thereon to exhibit the same for settlement. SAMUEL HANCOCK, October 9, 1895.

MESSENGER'S NOTICE.

STATE OF MAINE.
Hancock, ss.—October 23, A. D. 1895.
THIS is to give notice that on the tenth day of October, A. D. 1895, a warrant in insolvency was issued out of the court of insolvency, for said county of Hancock, against the estate of Allen V. Carter, of Ellsworth, in said county of Hancock and State of Maine, adjudged to be an insolvent debtor, hereby giving notice that said petition was filed on the tenth day of October, A. D. 1895, to which date interest on claims is to be computed; that the payment of any debts and the delivery and transfer of any property belonging to said debtor, to him or for his use, and the delivery and transfer of any property by him or for his use, are hereby forbidden by law; that a meeting of the creditors of said debtor, to prove their debts and choose one or more assignees of his estate, will be held at a court of insolvency, to be held at the probate court room in Ellsworth, in said county of Hancock, on Thursday, the fourteenth day of November, A. D. 1895, at ten o'clock in the forenoon. Given under my hand the date first above written. JAMES T. CUSHMAN, Deputy Sheriff, as Messenger of the court of insolvency for said county of Hancock.

COMMISSIONER'S NOTICE.

THE undersigned, having been appointed by the Hon. Judge of Probate, for the county of Hancock, on the second Wednesday of October, A. D. 1895, commissioner to receive and examine the claims of creditors against the estate of Luther McLain, late of Sullivan, in said county, deceased, represented insolvent, hereby gives notice that six months from the date of said appointment are allowed to said creditors in which to present and prove their claims, and that they may be held at the following place and times for the purpose of receiving the same, viz.: at the office of Henry Boynton, in said Sullivan, on Nov. 15, 1895, at two o'clock p. m., and on April 2, 1896, at the same place and time. Dated this 23rd day of October, A. D. 1895. GEORGE W. PETTINGILL, Commissioner. EDWIN F. CLAPHAM, Attorney.

The King's Daughters.

[This department is conducted by the Hand-in-Hand circle of the King's Daughters of Ellsworth. Headquarters at Rooms 12 and 13 Manning Block, Main street, Ellsworth.]

The annual meeting and election of officers for the Hand-in-Hand circle will take place next Monday, November 4. All members are earnestly requested to be present.

The supper at Grand Army hall, Tuesday evening, October 22 was a great success, \$32.16 being made. The thanks of the Hand-in-Hand circle are due W. H. H. Rice Post, G. A. R., for the use of the hall, Mr. F. B. Allen, who kindly loaned dishes, and the public who by their generous contributions of food and liberal patronage insured the success of the supper.

Several dishes upon which food was sent to the supper were unclaimed. Those which bore the owner's name were returned; the others were carried to the reading-room, where they can be found.

The following magazines and papers have been placed in the reading-room for the coming year: The Arena, Century, Harper's Monthly, Monsey, Ladies' Home Journal, Youth's Companion, St. Nicholas, McClure's, Harper's Weekly, Harper's Round Table, Boston Herald, Bangor Daily News, and Bangor Commercial. These

HIS WIFE'S PURSE.

"Hullo!" cried Dampier as we both stooped simultaneously to pick up an inviting object lying on the pavement at our feet.

It was a purse, not a fat purse, but still a purse. It was a purse, shining and gaily and brilliant as to clasp and corners—a purse that had assuredly been taken care of to receive substantial dividends.

It's odd, but I immediately began to feel unaccountably antagonistic to Dampier, and Dampier on his side seemed to eye me with feelings of profound mistrust.

"Well, suppose we open it," I said crossly.

"Suppose we do, then," said Dampier, quite savagely.

We did. There were a few coins in one compartment, two postage stamps, and then, folded up in a corner, a piece of paper, peculiarly crisp and crackly.

"Oh, only some old bill of exchange," I said, with a shrug.

"A very curious bill," cried Dampier, who had managed to unfold the paper.

"A bank note," said Dampier, with a look of surprise.

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KITTY TO CARIBOU.

One Week's Winnings of News, Novelty and Nonsense.

At a Randolph wedding last week the bride was eighty-two and the groom eighty-four years of age. A reception followed the ceremony, and the bride and groom were the gayest of the gay.

Portland, the richest town in Maine, averages about \$1,000 to every man, woman and child in the city. It is probably one of the richest towns in proportion to its population, in the United States.

Rockland claims to have a canary that can say "Mother's baby darling is just the prettiest little birdie that ever lived." The bird acquired its linguistic facility by hearing its affectionate mistress repeat the phrase many times, when she was holding it in her hand.

It is remarked of the town of Corinna that the family name oftenest occurring there is Knowles, and while so numerous there is much diversity of relationship, since there are five distinct classes of that name, each not connected by blood with the other. This concentration of unrelated people of one name in a town, it would be hard to parallel.

There is a gain of about \$4,000,000 in the assessed valuation of Maine this year. Portland has made a gain of \$600,000 in valuation, Augusta nearly half a million, Bangor about \$400,000, Lewiston about \$300,000, while the valuation of Houlton, Caribou, Presque Isle and other towns in Aroostook county have made large gains.

S. W. Carr, insurance commissioner, has petitioned the Maine Mutual life insurance company, of Biddeford, into insolvency. The total assets of the company are about \$24,000, while the death claims amount to about \$43,000. There are 1,300 members and it is understood that the company has taken care of them by reinsurance in other companies. This company was a combination of three others, viz. the Kennebec, Orient and York. William A. Roberts was president.

It is said that in certain sections in Maine where game abounds, parties owning dogs live in retired camps, entirely apart from sportsmen. They visit the latter, make trades with them, drop a hint that the hunters will do well to be at a certain place at a certain time, and they accordingly are there. When the game, deer or caribou, comes breathlessly tumbling into the lake, the hunters thankfully take what merciful Providence has sent their way and depart without seeing dogs or doggers.

The ancient Maine schooner "Hiram" is receiving many attentions in Boston, due to her honorable record of eighty-two years. She was built in Biddeford in 1813. The "Hiram" is fifty-seven tons register, and originally carried topsail and topgallant-sail yards on the fore, according to the ancient fashion. Her builders removed the yards and remodeled her, so that probably not more than a few floor timbers and model are left of the original antiquity.

A new schedule of fire insurance rates for the entire State of Maine is now being prepared under the direction of the New England insurance exchange. These schedules are to be based on a variety of considerations, such as the nature and efficacy of municipal water supplies, where there are any, the presence and efficacy of fire departments, the nature of the risks, whether hazardous, either backwoods or city, the character of the buildings insured, etc. The details are not yet fixed as it is believed they should be.

Methodism in Portland is nearly as old as Methodism in Maine. In 1760 the first society was formed there, and from it has grown the present Chestnut street church. Next month, Nov. 1 to 10, that great old church will celebrate its centennial in a manner worthy the organization and the event. Past members of this church, scattered all over the State and Union, are cordially requested to be present. Special return tickets, good from Nov. 1 to 11 inclusive, can be obtained at any

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DO YOU WANT YOUR WIFE

to suffer the serious illnesses which too frequently afflict her sex? Read what Mrs. Wilson says about Dr. SWAN'S NERVE AND BLOOD TONIC, and consider whether this remedy is not a valuable one to always have in the house.

"Mrs. Wilson writes: 'I am fifty years old, and for twenty years have been a sufferer from one of those diseases of which women are the victims. My attention being called to Dr. SWAN'S NERVE AND BLOOD TONIC, I purchased a bottle and took it as directed, receiving so much benefit I immediately purchased another, and after six weeks' treatment consider myself a well woman. I can cheerfully recommend it to all women similarly afflicted as a speedy and sure cure.'—Mrs. HUBBARD A. WILSON, Byron, Me."

This remedy is sure to cure diseases of the Blood, Stomach, and Nervous System, and is sold under a positive guarantee to cure or money back. A bank check with every bottle. If you are not cured, cash the check. Full pints, \$1.00 by express, or of druggists.

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station on the Maine Central railroad for one and one-third fare.

The State board of registration of medicine have granted certificates to 186 physicians and surgeons, and have some 150 applications to be acted upon at the next meeting at Augusta, Nov. 12. It is hoped that all persons who are entitled to registration, under sec. 3, of the law, without examination, will comply at once, as after Dec. 31, 1895, all applicants must be examined and pay \$10, before registration. It would be quite awkward for a physician, now plainly entitled to register, to have to submit to examination on account of his failure to apply in season. Dr. A. K. P. Meserve, of Portland, will send blanks to all applying for them.

One day, during the war, according to a recollection of the Portland G. A. R. an officer of a Maine regiment was listening to the tale of woe poured into his ear by a southern farmer. "I've lost everything that I owned. Before you Yanks came along, I had a good farm, horses, cattle, mules and crops. You Yanks came along and you burned my barns, you stole my horses, you stole my sheep, cattle and crops. All I have left is my faith in the Almighty." "Well, my man," replied the

officer, "you'd better look out, or when Mark Sawyer and the 11th Maine boys come along they'll steal that, too."

Capt. Stephen Leavitt, aged ninety years, committed suicide at Livermore last week.

Taylor Olsen, of New Sweden, met a horrible death last week. He lived alone in an isolated place. While shingling his barn he fell backward, his foot catching in the staging in such a way as to break his leg. There, hanging by the broken leg, his head within two feet of the ground, realizing that there was no one near to help him, he must have suffered untold agony until death kindly came to his relief. He had been dead several days when found.

"Do you think it hurts the poor oyster to be put in the stew?" asked the kind-hearted girl. "It seems cruel," "Yes," replied her escort. "It does seem cruel. There's nothing more terrible, you know, than solitary confinement."

"Young man," said the merchant, "do you want employment in my establishment?" "Certainly," was the applicant's reply. "That's all right, then," was the rejoinder, with a sigh of relief. "I was afraid you just wanted a position."

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Call and Inspect.

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THE "INDIANA."

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Another remarkably successful and powerful ship is added to the fleet of the United States navy. Unlike her immediate predecessors, the "Indiana" is not a record-breaker in point of speed. It was not intended that she should be. But this giant armor-clad is the largest war vessel which the Cramps of Philadelphia have ever produced, and she fairly deserves to be accounted an even more extraordinary ship than the "Minneapolis," "Columbia" or "New York," for she is indisputably the mightiest fighting machine which has ever floated on the ocean.

There is not in all Europe a battleship which, in the power of her battery or strength and completeness of armor protection, can compare with this latest new world wonder. In the descriptions of our new ships the American people have become accustomed to superlatives. As a matter of fact, they are the only things which will do justice to these ships, and they are more conspicuously true than ever of the "Indiana."

This splendid sea warrior is an embodiment of American determination to excel and straightforward American common-sense applied to the solution of problems which, for twenty years, have challenged the skill and experience of Europe. It has become almost a maxim of foreign naval architecture that a ship cannot be created which is capable of carrying a very heavy armament, attaining high speed and possessing entire safety and stability in all weathers. In the "Indiana" this European impossibility has been successfully performed.

By her official trip, which developed a maximum speed of 16.34 knots and an average of 15.61, it is demonstrated that the "Indiana" is one of the fastest vessels of her class in existence. Indeed, it is probable that no vessel of her class has ever maintained so high a speed for so long a time under similar conditions. It should be remembered that the speed required of the "Indiana" by the terms of the contract was fifteen knots; that the recent trial was made with the ship at her normal draught, with boats and deck-fittings in their places, guns aboard and the vessel throughout almost ready to go into actual commission. No foreign nation subjects its new warships to any such exhaustive tests. And yet in a strong wind and a choppy sea the "Indiana," without the slightest difficulty, exceeded her required speed by more than half a knot, and was running a good deal faster at the finish line than when, four hours before, she had started. It should be borne in mind, moreover, that the "Indiana" had not been docked since she was launched, and that a foul bottom prevented her from reaching the full limit of her capabilities.

But more important even than her speed, gratifying though that is, is the demonstration of the fact that the "Indiana" possesses an extraordinary degree of stability and freedom from vibration. In this particular she resembles the new American transatlantic liners "St. Paul" and "St. Louis." American designers and builders have succeeded in giving their ships a symmetrical model and an even adjustment of weights which, with greater care and thoroughness in workmanship, have enabled them to achieve results which defy the best efforts of their foreign competitors. Among the observers and guests gathered on the "Indiana" decks were scores of veteran sea officers of the United States, who have sailed in all kinds of ships, in every ocean. They were, one and all of them, impressed with the "Indiana's" apparent solidity of structure and steadiness under the fiercest impulse of her tremendous machinery, and the manner in which the great vessel stood straight up on even keel when, at the conclusion of the speed run, the helm was put "hard over" and the ship turned right round and round on her own track, filled them with amazement.

A nation which ten years ago had not a single modern cruiser or a modern armor-clad of any description, now possesses the best fleet of cruisers and the most powerful armor-clads in the world. That is the graphic summary of the epoch marked by the "Indiana's" appearance on the seas, soon to be followed by her sisters, "Massachusetts" and "Oregon." And the best and brightest aspect of it all is that the new navy is thoroughly American in fact as well as in name. It has been built in accordance with the historic policy of encouraging American enterprise and trusting to American skill and ingenuity. The "Indiana" was designed by the bureau of construction of the navy department, and was built in an American shipyard, of American materials, by loyal American workmen. Her success is a distinct triumph of the spirit of stalwart and aggressive Americanism.

Nervous people should eat fat food. Every irritated and exhausted nerve should, if possible, be coated with fat. With the fat should be combined grain foods and vegetables for strength, and fruit to keep up a healthful consistency of the blood.

It was in the Alps. On reaching a certain point the driver turned on his seat and observed to the passengers, "From this point the road is only accessible to mules and donkeys; I must, therefore, ask the gentlemen to get out and proceed on foot."

IF Troubled with Rheumatism Read This.
ANNAPOLIS, Md., April 16, 1894. I have used Chamberlain's Pain Balm for rheumatism and found it to be all that is claimed for it. I believe it to be the best preparation for rheumatism and deep-seated muscular pains on the market and cheerfully recommend it to the public.
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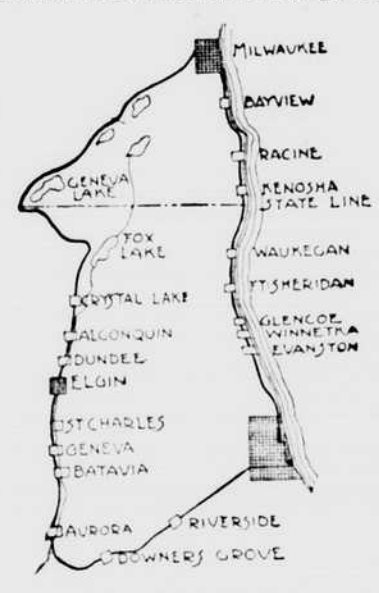
THE GREAT SHERIDAN ROAD.

Magnificent Highway to Connect Chicago and Milwaukee—Plan of Extension.

There is good reason to believe that the next ten years will witness the completion of a broad highway from Chicago to Milwaukee, with a return route through Waukegan, Lake Geneva, and thence down the superb Fox river valley past Huntley, Algonquin, Dundee, Elgin, St. Charles, Geneva, Batavia, Aurora, and from that point back to a connection with the west park boulevard by way of Downer's Grove, Hinsdale and other beautiful suburbs of Chicago, says the Chicago Times-Herald.

It remains for Wisconsin to continue the drive north from Milwaukee to Manitowish, with spurs leading through the lake dotted country which have made the Badger State famous the world over. Many cities, towns and villages will co-operate with the Sheridan Road association in this great work. This movement bids fair to accomplish more in the direction of good roads than any effort, however earnest and practical, that has preceded it. While the undertaking may seem at first glance too stupendous to be attempted, a close study of the situations and the surroundings will convince any thoughtful person that all apparent obstacles can easily be surmounted and that the eventual successful completion of the work is a certainty.

By reason of the fact that the lake shore extension of the Sheridan road connects the two great cities of Chicago and Milwaukee, and that for the greater



part of the distance it will be within sight and sound of grand old Lake Michigan, this 85 miles will probably retain its present fame and supremacy. But for all that there are possibilities in the western link where it winds through the wooded hills and valleys of the Fox and around the shores of Wisconsin and Illinois lakes which will make that portion of the road a dangerous competitor as a scenic attraction. It may take the citizens of these townships longer to complete the work, by reason of less available funds, but when completed that section will not suffer by comparison.

At the earliest possible date a conference of interested leading citizens of the townships through which the great road is projected will be held and a definite plan of action outlined and ratified.

There are some sections where the sparseness of the population will not permit the speedy completion of the road on plans generous enough to be in keeping with its general character. This contingency has not been lost sight of by the promoters of the road, and when the proper time comes the rich and broad minded citizens of Chicago and Milwaukee will be asked to contribute to a general fund to be expended in such sections of the road as are fairly entitled to the co-operation of the general association.

The Nobles Built the Road.
Seeing the necessity for a good road between Florence and their beautiful little city of Pileole, the authorities of the latter place issued titles of nobility which were inscribed in a "book of gold," and for which titles of gold round suns were asked—from \$300 up, according to the dignity of the title. Counts, barons and marquises were created by scores. A man who taught dancing in England became a baron, and a young clerk in a banking house bought the right to be called duke. The road is a fine one, and as the carriage rolls along the visitor tries to fancy what it must have been like to go bumping along in the great sort of wicker basket without wheels that used to be drawn by two oxen.—Boston Commonwealth.

Wide Tires In Europe.
Practically the wide tire costs no more than the narrow one. The wagon is no heavier, it runs lighter and lasts longer. There is not a city in Europe where heavy trucks with narrow tires are allowed upon the streets. The result is perfect pavements. It is only in the cities of this country, where officials care for nothing but robbing the taxpayers, that such things are allowed.—Chicago Tribune.

Lights the Horse's Burden.
That noble society that has for its object the prevention of cruelty to animals has found in the organization back of the good roads movement the mightiest ally it was possible to have brought to its assistance.

Horses have said, since first the world began, "A hard, smooth road's the noblest work of man."

The Good Work Goes On.
The work of road improvement will not be permitted to stop now that the people have become impressed with the intelligent realization of the value of good roads. Every mile of good roads is an object lesson.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVORERS.

Tenth Annual Meeting of Hancock County Union.

The tenth annual meeting of Hancock County Christian Endeavor union was held at South Penobscot, Oct. 15. A delegate to the meeting sends the following report:

The good people of South Penobscot connected with the Baptist society received us most cordially and with unbounded hospitality.

Upon organization, the following officers were elected: President, Rev. H. F. Day, Surry; vice-president, Rev. W. L. Stone, South Penobscot; recording secretary, Rev. J. S. Richards, Deer Isle; corresponding secretary and treasurer, Miss Charlotte L. Buck, Orland.

The reports from local societies were generally excellent, showing a spirit of effort and progress among the Christian Endeavorers of the county. Some new societies were heard from as organized last year, which if they had been duly reported at the State union at Houlton, would have given to Hancock county the banner "Advance Endeavor" which fell to the Aroostook union reporting the organization of twenty new societies. Here then let me enjoin upon the secretaries of new societies forming during the coming year, to report to the corresponding secretary, Miss Buck, immediately upon formation.

The discussions at the meeting were very interesting and helpful. Some most excellent papers were prepared and read by young ladies, upon methods of work in the different committees in our local societies, some of which I hope to see published in our county paper.

A "question box," conducted by the president at the opening of the evening session, after a most excellent praise service, answered very briefly but helpfully many practical questions in C. E. work.

The chief address of the evening was by Rev. G. W. Hinckley, who told his story of the growth of his "boy's fund," and the development of the Good Will home for boys—a story which ought to stimulate and strengthen our faith in the divine promises and in the power of prayer.

An excellent spiritual tone pervaded all the meetings of the day, and frequent time was given for prayer and devotional services. The closing service was the consecration meeting, led by Rev. A. W. Young, of Sedgwick, and was characterized by fervent prayers and pledges of consecration, and by the singing of such hymns as "More Love to Thee, O Christ," and "Take my Life and Let it be Consecrated, Lord, to Thee."

All joined in the "Mizpah," the Christian Endeavor benediction, and the tenth meeting of the union was ended. Good byes, with hand-shakings, were indulged in, and we separated to meet again next year with the Bluehill Congregational society.

Attendees upon the convention were obliged to travel by teams; and no small part of the pleasure of the occasion was the buck-board ride in parties over hill and dale, through the delightful autumn scenery, to and from the meeting. All who went pronounced it a most enjoyable meeting, and will wish to attend again next fall.

Young husband (severely)—My love, these biscuits are sour, horribly sour. Young wife (who took the chemistry prize at boarding-school)—I forgot to add the soda, my dear; but never mind. After tea we can walk out and get some soda water.

Advertisements.

A GOOD THING - PUSH IT ALONG



BATTLE AX
Plug Tobacco
A Great Big Piece for 10 Cents.

Correspondence.

Dr. Condon, of Utah.

PENOBSCOT, Oct. 19, 1895.

To the Editor of The American:
I am glad to learn that our old friend, Dr. A. S. Condon, of Ogden, Utah, has been nominated by the republicans to the first legislature of that new state. It is no insignificant honor, considering the eminent character of the rival candidates, and it indicates the great personal popularity of the doctor. The precinct is a democratic one, and tremendous efforts will be made to win a republican victory in the coming November election.

I have no doubt that the republicans of Weber county have made an eminently wise choice in the selection of the doctor, as a pushing representative in the campaign now in progress.

I knew the doctor when a boy perhaps better than any other person living, outside of his own family. I know that he is a thoroughly representative man, of generous nature and quick sympathies. He has passed through the trials of the poor country boy. Born almost in the heart of the forests, in the old town of Penobscot, trudging daily a distance of two miles, to the little red school-house on the hill to sip from the fountain of knowledge, working on the farm in summer and in the woods in winter, he developed into a hardy, ambitious youth, with the elements of a practical education wrought into his brain. He commenced to teach early, and became a very popular and enthusiastic master of mixed schools.

I know what he is as a stump orator and debater, for nearly every stump of sufficient size on the old homesteads became a platform, and every living tree an auditor and witness to our youthful debates on the questions of the hour and the problems of the future. Ah! those stumping seasons are rich still in the remembrance of youthful ardor and mental pleasure, even if they never settled any of the great questions that have affected society.

With the ambition of youth spurring him on, in mid-winter, with little means and no definite object ahead except to find some opportunity suited to his tastes and talents, he started for the far west; there he taught for a while in the higher grades of schools, finally took a medical course at Ann Arbor, Mich., and for many years has had a successful practice in his profession.

Dr. Condon has contributed many articles to the press in prose and poetry. As

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Should be the finest in the world, and will be if you Salt them with

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Farmers who are using it say they never made such good Pork before.

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Advertisements.

a descriptive writer he has few equals, and many fine gems may be gleaned from his productions. He belongs to a family of hardy workers, with a great deal of vitality, push and endurance. His aged mother, past ninety, is one of the most youthful looking and sprightly women of her age to be found in the State.

If elected, I predict for the doctor a brilliant career in the legislative field.

If your children are subject to croup watch for the first symptoms of the disease—hoarseness. If Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is given as soon as the child becomes hoarse it will prevent the attack. Even after the croupy cough has appeared the attack can always be prevented by giving this remedy. It is also invaluable for colds and whooping cough. For sale by Geo. A. Parker.

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IS THE RESULT OF
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Legal Notices.

To the Honorable Judge of probate for the county of Hancock.

THE UNDERSIGNED, Josephine Beazley, administratrix of the estate of John Beazley, late of Bucksport, in said county, deceased, respectfully represents that the goods and chattels, rights and credits of said deceased are not sufficient to pay the just debts and charges of administration by the sum of one hundred dollars; wherefore your petitioner prays your honor to grant her license to sell, at public or private sale, and convey all of the following described real estate to wit: A certain parcel of land with the buildings thereon situated on the northerly side of a street in Bucksport village leading from McDonald to Elm street; said lot is two and a half rods on said street and runs back nine rods and contains 2 1/2 square rods, and is bounded on the south by said street, on the west by land of Swett, on the north by land of Mrs. Paul Moore and on the east by land of J. Clark; recorded in Hancock Registry of Deeds, vol. 125, page 142, of the real estate of the deceased, including the reversion of the widow's dower therein, and lists said debts and charges of administration.

STATE OF MAINE.
HANCOCK, ss.—Court of Probate, October term, a. d. 1895.
Attest:—CHAS. P. DORR, Register.
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To all persons interested in either of the estates heretofore named, notice is hereby given that the foregoing petition, ordered, That said petitioner give public notice to all persons interested by causing a copy of the petition, and this order thereon, to be published three weeks successively in the Ellsworth American, a newspaper printed or published in Ellsworth, in said county, that they may appear at a court of probate for said county, to be held at said Ellsworth, on the second Wednesday of November next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

O. P. CUNNINGHAM, Judge of Probate.
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JAMES BURGESS.
October 9, a. d. 1895.

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AUGUSTA A. LEACH.
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ANN F. GREELY.
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HARRY S. JONES.
October 9, a. d. 1895.

Pauper Notice.

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Legal Notices.

STATE OF MAINE.

HANCOCK, ss.—At a Probate Court held at Ellsworth, in and for said county, on the second Wednesday of October, a. d. 1895.
A CERTAIN instrument purporting to be the last will and testament, having been offered for probate by the executor named, of each of the following named persons:

Olis W. Herrick, late of Brookton, in said county, deceased; Geo. W. Allen and Horace J. Batchelder named executors.

Phoebe W. Holmes, late of Ellsworth, in said county, deceased; Joseph L. Stevens named executor.

Leamon S. Orent, late of Franklin, in said county, deceased; William W. Hendon named executor.

Ordered, That notice thereof be given to all persons interested therein, by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in the Ellsworth American, a newspaper printed at Ellsworth, in said county, that they may appear at a probate court to be held at Ellsworth, in and for said county, on the second Wednesday of November, a. d. 1895, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, and object if they see cause.

O. P. CUNNINGHAM, Judge of Probate.
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STATE OF MAINE.

HANCOCK, ss.—Court of Insolvency.
N matters having been presented to the court of insolvency at a term of said court begun and held at Ellsworth, in and for said county, on the tenth day of October, a. d. 1895, for the action thereupon heretofore indicated, and that it is ordered by said court that the creditors of said estate, in the Ellsworth American, a newspaper printed at Ellsworth, in said county, that they may appear at a court of insolvency to be held at Ellsworth, in said county, on the fourteenth day of November next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, and show cause, if any they have, why they should not be heard thereon, and object if they see cause.

Charles B. Moore, of Ellsworth, in said county, insolvent debtor. Appointment of second meeting of creditors of said debtor filed and approved.

James S. Kelley, of Hancock, in said county, insolvent debtor. Appointment of second meeting of creditors of said debtor filed and approved.

Frederick S. Jordan, of Mariaville, in said county, insolvent debtor. Appointment of second meeting of creditors of said debtor filed and approved.

Attest:—CHAS. P. DORR, Register
of said court for said county of Hancock.

STATE OF MAINE.

HANCOCK, ss.—Court of probate, Ellsworth, October term, a. d. 1895.

A COUNSEL having been filed for settlement in estates of:

Sarah Bunker, late of Eastbrook, deceased; Sheldon C. Ireland, administrator.

Abram B. Carter, late of Brookton, deceased; Fred E. Carter, administrator.

Ezra Johnson, late of Surry, deceased; Mary Johnson, administratrix.

Ephraim S. Lewis, late of Franklin, deceased; Jefferson T. Lewis, administrator.

Donald Nickerson, late of Bucksport, deceased; William Beazley, administrator.

Wesley T. Orent, late of Orono, Mass., deceased; Hannah M. Orent, administratrix.

John F. Pray, late of Mount Desert, deceased; Gracie A. Pray, administratrix.

Francis T. Taylor, late of Orono, deceased; Fred A. Taylor, administrator.

John L. Pray, of Mount Desert, minor; Gracie A. Pray, guardian.

Ordered, That the said accountants give notice to all persons interested, by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in the Ellsworth American, a newspaper printed in Ellsworth, in said county, that they may appear at a probate court, to be held at Ellsworth, on the second Wednesday of November next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, and show cause, if any they have, why the same should not be allowed.

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STATE OF MAINE.

To the Honorable O. P. Cunningham, Judge of Probate for the county of Hancock.

HOLLIS WILSON, formerly of Whiting, now of Ellsworth, in said county, executor of the last will and testament of Hollis Wilson, deceased, respectfully represents that the goods and chattels, rights and credits of said deceased are not sufficient to pay the just debts and charges of administration by the sum of one hundred dollars; wherefore your petitioner prays your honor to grant her license to sell, at public or private sale, and convey all of the following described real estate to wit: A certain parcel of land with the buildings thereon situated on the northerly side of a street in Bucksport village leading from McDonald to Elm street; said lot is two and a half rods on said street and runs back nine rods and contains 2 1/2 square rods, and is bounded on the south by said street, on the west by land of Swett, on the north by land of Mrs. Paul Moore and on the east by land of J. Clark; recorded in Hancock Registry of Deeds, vol. 125, page 142, of the real estate of the deceased, including the reversion of the widow's dower therein, and lists said debts and charges of administration.

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A PETITION having been filed by Ad E. Parker, guardian of Dora L. Jesse, L. Jesse, Fred C. Jack, and Willie E. Parker, minor heirs of William C. Parker, late of Tremont, in said county, deceased, for license to exchange certain real estate described in said petition, and belonging to said minors, for certain other real estate also described in said petition.

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