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A MODERN PAPER.

A gambler's life is not an easy one. He has to work hard for a living.

"The value of manure lies in the application on it," as Jack Bunbury would have said to a farmer.

The money market absolutely refuses to get tight. And yet some say the Maine law is a failure.

Herr Holtz discovers that steel tubes retain a wonderful amount of electricity. Anything that is steel will retain. (Answer next week.)

A sporting item informs us that American dogs are going to England. This is much better than if England was going to the dogs. Much better.

A Rockland woman had an attack of pleurisy and they stuck porous plasters all over her to draw out the pain. She said she felt as though she had on a jersey.

A Rockland man, who had been drinking, went home the other night and growled so at his wife that she called him her sour mash. He said if she called him that again he'd liquor.

A young Englishman has gone sick over Mary Anderson, and serenades her every night with a flute. There must be something very wild and weird about being serenaded with a flute.

A contemporary tells of a woman with hair so long that she can sit on it. But that is nothing. A Rockland woman's hair is so long, that the other night at a dance it fell off and a man stepped on it.

A German proverb says "time is the best preacher." Yes, we know. We've seen preachers who had the same idea. That is, they seemed to stave—they staved to seem—they strove to stave—Haven't you noticed it?

A poet in the Philadelphia *Bulletin* opens with the highly seasonal line: "Oh, the rapturous spring is dead." Well, you can just bet your best hat it is. It's the wrapped up winter that's on deck now, dear Ann.

Randolph Haines of New Jersey kicked his wife to death the other day because she criticized his play at croquet. We always thought that sooner or later croquet would become responsible for something more than lying.

How discriminating a woman is. Ask one of them, who is perhaps a trifle plain: "Don't you think Miss Pinquecheeks has a lovely complexion?" and see if she doesn't answer: "Yes—oh, yes—but she'll fade." They're all alike.

It is stated that the dentists of this country use a ton of gold a year in filling teeth. We know it—we know it. We recollect perfectly when one-half that amount was dropped into a sensitive tooth of ours at one blow. It nearly killed us.

"In a race between love and money," remarks a writer in the "woman's department" of an exchange, "how often does the heart win?" We'll have to give it up, of course, but if she had used the synonymous word beat for win the answer would have been seven times a minute.

MIGHTY HARD, THEN.

"I'm afraid Henry is getting to be a pretty hard boy," said his mother, in an anxious tone.

"Hard!" yelled the provision man, whom Henry had just been "sassing" around the corner of the house, "hard! Why, he's harder than the frosting on a piece of wedding cake."

The mother sighed.

A Swiss citizen named Pflyker fell in New York the other day and knocked out all his front teeth. It was two hours before he could make the police understand his name, and then he had to write it with a piece of chalk, accompanying it with some profanity at the officers' stupidity. But the police said how were they to know that a rush of wind and an exclamation point stood for a man's name.

TROUBLE IN THE HIVE.

Mrs. Beebe came to the door of the hive, and shading her eyes with one foot, anxiously scanned the horizon.

"I wonder where that Beenhah can be with that flower I sent him after," she said in a fretful tone; "I shan't get my bread mixed to night."

Just then she caught sight of a black and gold jacket scooting behind a dandelion leaf.

"You Beenhah!" she called, in an angry voice, "come into the hive this instant." "Oh, you go cell yourself," impudently returned the youth, and catching sight of a barefooted boy driving home the cows, he flew off and imprinted an exclamation point in the calf of his sunburned leg.

Mrs. Beebe turned hot with anger, and reported the case to her husband. At nightfall, when the errant Beenhah came slowly dragging in to supper, the old man carefully reached down a razor-strop and said:

"Young man, you don't seem to bee bread more than half decent. I propose to learn you how to beehive yourself, if I have to beat you raw," with which brief but potent exordium he took the trembling Beenhah down into the farthest corner of the brood-section, and gave him a round of bee's whacks that he never forgot to his dying day.

KNOX AND LINCOLN.

A Glance at Its Improvements and Present Condition.

During the past few months the Knox & Lincoln Railroad has received a number of improvements in one way and another that are worth being noted. A reporter of THE COURIER-GAZETTE one crisp sunshiny morning of last week wended his way to the depot. Everything was silvered with frost. The hackmen slipped from their seats and assisted the passengers to slip out of their backs. The trunks and valises were slipped into the depot and into the baggage-car. The passengers, after procuring tickets—little slips entitling them to a ride—slipped up the steps of the cars into a seat. The conductor, slipping his hand into his watch-pocket, exclaimed in theatrical tones "all aboard," waved his hand tragically, the engine tooted, the wheels slipped around on the track, and the train slipped out of the depot.

Just beyond the depot at Thomaston a change has been made, the track being moved to the north a short distance, thus saving 100 feet of expensive trestle work, which required constant repair to keep in safe condition. The track now runs on solid ground and the old trestle work is being removed. Beyond Thomaston, across "Nigger Meadow" as it is called, 1 1/2 miles of steel rails have been laid. The road here is very straight, and when first built the rails used were a little shorter than the regular length. These have been taken up and steel ones laid. Iron rails batter down at the ends, and as the wheels of the cars pass over them a clicking sound is heard and that disagreeable jumping motion is felt. This unpleasantness is obliterated by the use of steel rails, which do not wear down at the ends. They act as a continuous rail would; there is no jumping or jerking of the train. The traveler can tell immediately when the train reaches steel.

A short distance beyond Warren a crew of men is engaged filling in the Wade dump, which was partly filled last year. The road here was originally built up over marshy foundation. Soon after being constructed it settled, and a trestle was built. This trestle is now being filled in with gravel. Just this side of Waldoboro a siding is being made. The grade from the Waldoboro depot is very steep, being 70 feet to the mile. After stopping at the depot, it is sometimes very difficult for the freight engine to draw a heavily loaded train up the grade, especially when the track is slippery. With this improvement, part of the train can be hauled up and left on the siding and then the remainder brought along. The changes made at Danton's Cove, a little beyond Damariscotta, have been noted by this paper before. The track has been moved south and runs through a cutting along the shore, instead of directly across as formerly, saving a long stretch of trestle work, which would have to be entirely rebuilt by this time, if still used. From Damariscotta to Wiscasset the track has been graveled anew and is now in splendid condition. Two years ago the road purchased a gravel pit situated at the foot of Muscongus Bay. This pit has proven very valuable, furnishing an abundance of fine gravel, which has been procured heretofore with great difficulty. All the bridges have been repaired and put into first-class order. Within the last three or four years, the white pine stringers have been removed from the bridge at Wiscasset and new hard pine ones substituted, and now there is not a white pine stringer in the whole extent of that long bridge. Seven-eighths of the caps of this bridge have been replaced in the same way. The road has used 100,000 feet of hard pine during the past season.

From Wiscasset to Bath, steel rails have been laid, with the exception of about a mile and a half at the Bath end, where new iron rails have been stretched. This portion of the road is also nicely graveled and is as fine a piece as can be found anywhere. There have 700 tons of steel rails with angle splices laid in the last two years including those near Warren, —200 tons were laid in 1882, and 500 tons this year. The difference in cost between steel and iron rails is comparatively small, and most roads are now laying steel as fast as the old iron ones wear out.

The station houses all along the line of the road have been repaired and repainted. The depot at Wiscasset has received extensive repairs, new timbers, etc. The piling and slips on the Bath and Woolwich sides of the ferry, and the draw, have been put in fine condition. The road never has been in so good condition as at present. All needed repairs and innovations have been made by the present efficient corps of officers.

The number of regular employees of the road is about 75. This is increased during the summer and fall to about 125. The additional men are employed on gravel train and track. The road-bed has been, and the greatest part is now, very scant of gravel, and this deficiency is being supplied, as fast as prudent. The pay roll runs from \$3500 to \$5000 in round numbers per month. The road has 5 engines, and a new and powerful freight engine, needed to meet the increasing demands of business, is being constructed at Manchester, N. H., to be delivered this month. There are 9 passenger cars, 3 baggage, 2 saloon, 44 box, 10 day, 1 cattle, 19 long flat and 12 short flat cars. The last named, which are for the gravel train, were built at the company shops the past season. The past year 25 box cars have been leased from other roads. As it is more profitable to own than to lease, the company will give up these cars and purchase, as fast as their means will admit.

The past year has been a very profitable one for the road. The gross earnings for the year have been about \$151,000, the largest with one exception (1874) since the road has been opened. During last August the heaviest business the road has ever experienced since its formation, was done. Crowded passenger and heavily loaded freight trains have caused the directors to smile with complacency. The expenses of the year will be larger

than usual, as the wise policy of the directors has been to improve the property and make it more valuable, and not to save every cent that could be saved and allow the road to depreciate. There is no evading the fact that the road is being splendidly managed. President Berry and Supt. Coombs, backed by an efficient board of directors, have shown their ability to make the road a paying one. The employees of the road, from conductors down, are a fine and efficient set of men, as we have often said before. The freedom of the road from accidents and mishaps of all kinds is a voucher for the capacity of the management. Through the enterprise of Supt. Coombs, the road has given many excursions the past year, which have all been well attended and profitable. A large amount of other work in the way of bettering the road is mapped out, when the money can be afforded. It goes without saying that the Knox & Lincoln is an excellent road, and invaluable to the towns through which it passes.

COLBY COLLEGE NOTES.

A correspondent at Colby University, Waterville, writes as follows: Matters in the college are moving along prosperously. Knox County and vicinity is well represented in the institute and college. Seldom B. Overlook of Washington, Randall J. Condon of Friendship, J. Frank Bickmore of Tenants Harbor, and O. L. Beverage of No. Haven are members of the Sophomore class, and Eugene T. McNamara of Camden, and Chas. E. Cook of Friendship, of the Freshman class. Sherman B. Hupper of Tenants Harbor and Chas. Roberts of Rockland are attending the Colburn Classical Institute, Hupper being in the first class and Roberts, who has just entered, in the middle. Hupper teaches at Tenants Harbor this winter.... Work on the new building for the classical school is being rapidly pushed and it will be ready for occupancy in the spring. It is without doubt the handsomest school building in the state. A large number of students have entered this school this fall.... A large number of the college students are to teach this winter, and nearly two-thirds of the Sophomore class expect to be out for that purpose. Beverage is to teach at Tenants Harbor, where he has taught before very successfully. Overlook teaches in Surry, and Condon in Friendship. Cook also expects to be out teaching. A number of first-class teachers are as yet without schools. Agents in search of teachers can secure capable and experienced instructors by applying to H. M. Lord, Colby University, Waterville.... Work on the new dam across the Kennebec back of the college is being rapidly carried on. A coffee-dam has been constructed and the remaining gap is being filled in.... Good boating is now possible on the Kennebec and the coming summer the students will doubtless avail themselves of this privilege.... Waterville has a large and commodious skating rink, which is a great place of resort for the students. A visit to the rink recently revealed a desert of lovely girls relieved here and there by one or two fair oases. It was somewhat of a contrast to the Rockland rink, where the homely female is the exception. The rink is open every night and day and is largely attended. It is very large, being 166 feet long by 80 wide, one of the largest in New England. Waterville has some very pretty skaters.... A lawn tennis tournament, between Phinney and Clark, of Bowdoin and Emerson and Doe, of Colby, was played on the Colby court last Wednesday. The games were very interesting. The Bowdoin boys won the doubles and the Colbys the singles, being virtually a draw. Phinney, a Thomaston boy, was the best of the Bowdoin players, and in the doubles did some splendid playing. His swift volleying and dexterous returns resulted in the Bowdoin winning the doubles; but he was beaten in the single sets by Emerson of Colby, who also defeated Clark of Bowdoin.... A football match between the Institutes and the college eleven is to come off Wednesday. It.

MAINE BIBLE WORK.

A correspondent writes concerning the work of the Bible Society: The Bible Society of Maine are now engaged in thoroughly exploring every town throughout this state. A peculiarity of this effort is to bring the whole community under pastoral supervision. It brings the pastors of different denominations to a mutual and cordial understanding in respect to each family in the community. It removes all embarrassment from the sensitive pastor, by faithfully reporting to him all who express a preference for his parish. Those who have no preference are, by mutual arrangement between the pastors, assigned to some one, and thus every family is brought under some spiritual oversight. Many of the young have thus been gathered from scenes of Sabbath desertion into the house of God and the Sabbath-school.

The society have just completed work in Sagadahoc County, and from the report, some sad and startling facts are gathered. There are districts in some portions of the county where the people are unable to attend church, and where there has seldom or never been any Christian service held. Some when asked their religious preference replied, "We are Americans." In one town there are four church buildings in which there has been no preaching service for months. Two have been unused for years. The following are some of the items of the summary of the work performed in the county.

Whole number of families found, 4093; families admitting that no member attends church, 2383; protestant school children not in any Sunday School, 1495; volumes of sacred scriptures sold and donated, 1022; value of same, \$187.90. Denominationally, we have the following: Adventist families, 204; Baptist, 351; Christian, 29; Congregational, 567; Episcopal, 105; Free Baptist, 1901; Methodist, 826; Romanist, 243; Unitarian, 10; Universalist, 354; other denominations, 194; without religious, 90.

The superintendent of the society, Mr. Stilson, is now prosecuting the work in this city.

THE NARROW GAUGE.

Some of the Freight Business that a Railroad Between Rockland and Liberty Would do.—Facts and Figures.

In addition to the business done in this village, at McFarland's Corner, in Montville, but two miles from here, there is a very large and successful store owned by C. S. & D. M. McFarland, which probably does as much trade as any store in 'Valdo County except one. They have in addition to their store, the finest apple evaporator in the state, with a capacity of 20,000 bushels of apples annually. They make the celebrated "Star" brand of evaporated apple, which bring the very highest price in the market. On enquiring of them the amount of freight which they handle to and from Belfast yearly, they informed me that in the years of 1881 and 1882 their freight was 450 tons, each year, but owing to the extremely light apple crop it will not be as much this year.

Just add this 450 tons to the amount from this village, which is about as follows: A. D. Mathews, merchant, 300 tons; S. F. Young, merchant, 200 tons; Fred Knowlton, merchant, 200 tons; A. P. Cargill, corn and flour, 75 tons; R. H. Gilman, foundry, 75 tons; L. C. Morse, dowels, 50 tons; Hunt, Walker & Co., and Knowlton & Hunt, 600 tons; also A. Wentworth, merchant, at South Montville, 2 1/2 miles below (and on the line of the proposed railroad) who handles about 300 tons a year. Making a total of 2200 tons. This amount of known business would be diverted from Belfast to Rockland, besides all the produce of the farms, which is not small. It is estimated that Waldo county harvests 80,000 tons of hay on an average each year; and 20,000 tons of this is surplus. Of this surplus 13,000 tons was shipped from the port of Belfast in 1881, and as the eastern and northern parts of the county have shipping points, viz: Winterport, Stockton and Searsport, by water transportation, Brooks, Thordike, Unity and Burnham, by B. & M. Railroad, it is fair to presume that at least 6000 of the 13,000 tons shipped from Belfast in the above mentioned instance, came from that portion of the county that would be connected with Rockland by the proposed road, viz: Palermo, Liberty, Montville, Searsmont and Appleton. In the above year, 500 tons of hay was shipped from one school district in Appleton, and 2100 tons from the town of Palermo.

A road to this place would draw to it all the freight from North Palermo, which now comes from Belfast, 22 miles, and Thordike station, and is but six miles from here. There is one large store at that place, doing a thriving business. Sherman's corner, West Liberty, has one store, and is 19 miles from Belfast and only 3 from Liberty. South Liberty, one store, is 18 miles from Belfast, the same distance from Waldoboro, and only 5 miles from Liberty. East Palermo, two stores, is 22 miles from Belfast, 23 from Augusta, and only 6 from Liberty. Greely's Corner, one store, is 22 miles from Augusta, only 8 from Liberty. Branch Mills, where, with the exception of the tanneries, as much business is done as at Liberty, is 17 miles from Augusta, over a very rough and hilly road, and but 11 miles from Liberty, and a very easy road.

I think I have shown facts enough to warrant the presumption that it will pay to build a road from Liberty to some place. In my next I propose showing why it should be built next to the George's Valley and to Rockland. J. O. J.

KNOX COUNTY COURTS.

The case of inhabitants of Camden vs. inhabitants of Belgrade, which was on trial nearly all of last week, resulted in a verdict for plaintiffs with damages assessed at \$39.48, which being less than amount for which Belgrade offered to be defaulted, throws costs of this term upon Camden. The jury found specially in answer to questions that the pauper was married to Esther A. Craig in 1854, and that the wife to whom he was married in 1873 and her children had their settlement in Camden at date of writ. Plaintiffs had to put the pauper on the stand to make out their case, and his appearance and testimony did not tend to help the case. Tried by Gould for Camden, and O. D. Baker of Augusta, for Belgrade.

Alison Shuman vs. Edmund S. Murphy. Action to recover for injury, sustained by defendant having driven upon the plaintiff on Main street, Rockland. Defence—1st, "I didn't run him down;" 2nd, "I didn't hurt him any." The jury found for plaintiff with damages at \$87.50. Rice & Hall for plaintiff. Staples for defendant.

Charles Titus vs. Thomas M. Smith. Action of assumpsit on account annexed to writ for services. Defendant filed an account in offset for supplies furnished the plaintiff and his family, and asserted that the balance due was to and not from him. The jury found for plaintiff and gave him \$40.00 damages. J. E. Hanly for plaintiff. Simonton & Rich for defendant.

The juries were discharged on Saturday noon. The judge adjourned on Monday to Thursday, on which day he will return to hear the evidence in some equity cases, and there will be no final adjournment until these hearings are completed.

Donald J. McNeil of Rockland, native of Nova Scotia, and Thomas Dilliant of Warren, native of New Brunswick, have been naturalized at this adjourned session.

Charles S. Coombs was brought into court on Saturday and sentenced to pay a fine of \$100 and costs, on each of two indictments for maintaining a common nuisance, and two search and seizure cases, and in default of payment within ten days, to imprisonment in Wiscasset jail for 60 days on each of the nuisance cases, and 90 days on each of the others, being an aggregate of ten months imprisonment. Coombs was unable to pay his fine, and yesterday was taken to Wiscasset jail.

The amount of fines paid in liquor cases, up to Saturday noon, was \$915.

DIVORCES DECREED.

Bessie M. Strout of Cushing from Lorenzo

D. Strout, formerly of Thomaston; allegations—desertion and adultery. Gould for libellant.

The entry, "divorce nisi" was ordered in the following cases:

To Clara G. Ray of Camden from William M. Ray formerly of same place. Desertion. Custody of minor child decreed to mother till further order. Simonton & Rich for libellant.

To Roena M. Orleton of Union from Isaac E. Orleton of Camden. Drunkenness and cruelty. Staples for libellant.

To Roxana E. Chandler from William R. Chandler. Parties of Warren. Intemperance, cruelty and desertion. French for libellant.

To Maggie Hamilton from Marion W. Hamilton. Drunkenness and neglect to provide. Parties of Rockland. Pierce for libellant.

To Susie A. Bryant of Rockport from Charles Bryant of Lincolnville. Desertion. Staples for libellant.

MEN AND WOMEN.

Personal Paragraphs of More or Less Interest to Our Readers.

J. E. Doherty is in Boston.

Mr. Blaine is a grandfather.

Mrs. E. E. Gillette of Boston is at her father's.

W. J. Wood.

T. P. Pierce esq. has gone to Boston on professional business.

Mrs. G. W. Hicks and Mrs. F. F. Burpee are making a visit in Boston.

Alden Sprague, of the *Kennebec Journal*, and wife were in the city last week.

Mrs. John Doherty and daughter Lizzie are visiting Rev. James Doherty at Salmon Falls, N. H.

Mrs. Nancy Sweetser is in Charlestown Mass., where she will pass the winter with her son Harvey.

We were favored yesterday with a call from Capt. C. A. Abbey, the genial commander of the Woodbury.

Miss Susie Sellers is in Brooklyn, N. Y., where she will pass the holidays with her sister Mrs. Williams.

Sheriff Irish has rented the Newbert house, Sea street, and will remove his family here from Camden.

N. M. Wilson, of the firm of John B. Hamel, Jr., & Co., Philadelphia ship brokers, was in the city last week.

Major Gregory was "down east" on a trip last week, and didn't get back in time to attend last night's meeting of the city council.

John Blithen, superintendent of granite cutting at Clark's Island, has removed his family to this city. They reside on Crescent street.

The recent article in this paper regarding Gen. Cilley is being extensively copied by the press of the state, which has many pleasant things to say of the general editorially.

Letters state that Will Jones, whose fall into his father's vessel at Baltimore we recently recorded, still remains unconscious from the effects of the accident. His mother is with him.

George C. French, who has been with Jordan, Marsh & Co., Boston, for some time, has entered the dry good store of E. B. Hastings. Mr. French is a smart salesman and a very genial young gentleman.

Mrs. Moor closed her services as teacher of the art of painting and crayon drawing Saturday. The class unite in praise of Mrs. Moor as a teacher and we are of the opinion that during her short stay in Waldoboro she made many friends.—*Waldoboro News*.

Chas. E. Williams, formerly of Rockport, and this city, now of Bangor, is lecturing on "The Last Hours of the Southern Confederacy." The *Commercial* says the lecture in that city was well attended and was meritorious.

Everett S. Albee, who has been with T. W. Hix, Jr., for some years, has bought out a jewelry store in Wolfboro, N. H., and has removed to that place, his mother accompanying him. Mr. Albee is a very fine workman, and has a thorough knowledge of every department of the jewelry business. He is also a very fine young man, and we regret to have him leave our city.

The funeral services of the late Albert A. Richardson were held at his father's residence, Rev. Joseph Kallach officiating. It was largely attended. Deceased was a young man of many excellent qualities and was liked by a large circle of friends for his warm and generous hearted disposition. The pain of his sickness he bore with patience and fortitude. His family have the sympathy of all in their bereavement.

Miss Kate Davis, the leading lady of the Dan Maginnis Company, will be remembered as the young lady who appeared in this city as a reader, at the concert given by Mrs. Ames about four years ago, at which time she showed much elocutionary talent. She told a C. G. reporter Friday that she gave up the profession of a reader because it was distasteful to her, and should devote herself heartily to the dramatic profession. She is bright, pretty and talented, and shows evidence of possessing powers that her ambition will be bound to develop in good manner.

Lieut. Alphonso H. Cobb was last week retired from service by the naval retiring board. Lieut. Cobb has served faithfully and meritoriously in the navy for 16 years, and ranked high as an efficient officer. The past four years he was engaged in arduous survey work, which injured his eyesight beyond hope of recovery. For the past year he has been resting here at home, in hope that his eyes might gain strength. Unfortunately they made no progress in this direction. The prospect is that the gentleman may entirely lose the sight of one if not both eyes. Entire recovery from this affliction being impossible, Lieut. Cobb appeared before the retiring board at Washington last week, and being found incapacitated from active duty by reason of an incident of the service, was by the President of the U. S. placed upon the list of retired officers of the navy. His reticency is most honorable and carries with it three-quarters pay.

Gen. Butler became 65 years old on the day of his defeat.

WAYSIDE GLANCES.

Butler was snowed under.

The czar promises Russia a constitution.

Well, we're not sorry to have Mahone go.

A small ice harvest is predicted this season.

Now we shall begin to enjoy reading Boston papers.

The impression seems to be gaining ground that Maine is a pretty good state to stay in.

Notwithstanding the reduction in postage, a complete collection of postage stamps is worth \$20,000.

After a little flirting with a republican drummer Virginia has gone back to her first love, Dem O'Cracy.

Judging by the returns from Massachusetts, New York and Philadelphia the republican party has begun to "go."

Subscribers seeing this notice are requested, if they owe anything on this paper, to pay it, providing they can find time.

But General B. Butler he Says he don't care for the presidency.

The Pullman Car Co. has 13,000 blankets. Bear this in mind the next time you wake up on a sleeper and find yourself slowly freezing to death.

King Alfonso has the rheumatism. If it's the same case that just left us we beg to extend to the king our most distinguished consideration.

The girls of Princeton, Ind., have organized an anti-chewing-gum society. That is a step backward. Chewing gum is good for dyspepsia.

Hurlburt, formerly editor of the *New York World*, is in England, and it is said he is to marry a duchess. Well, that's the natural end of an editor.

A New York ballet girl has been sent to the hospital, nearly dead from lead poisoning, caused by painting her face. We hope none of our readers paint.

Reduction in postage works well. Government receipts are larger than ever since the cheap rate went into effect. Now let us have a half-cent postal card.

Mr. Moody is carrying on grandly successful meetings in London. In spite of so-called "science," people persist in being interested by the Christian religion.

Patti reached New York last week. A reception was arranged for her but the steamer wasn't reported in season and poor Patti arrived just like common people. We pity Patti.

A German philosopher named Gherke has a very ingenious theory that the aboriginal Americans descended from bears. Let see, isn't this the man who invented the little bottled pickles?

A plot to tar and feather the lord mayor was uncerth and frustrated in Dublin, Thursday. A lord mayor in a neatly fitting suit of feathers and tar must present an interesting feature of the autumnal landscape.

E. C. Stedman says he had to drop literary pursuits and go into business to earn a living for himself and family. There are a great many persons sloshing around in literature who might ponder on Mr. Stedman's example with profit.

Harry Finklestein of Troy, N. Y., was engaged to eighteen girls at one time. As he succeeded in borrowing \$40 of each he made the occupation a very profitable as well as engaging one. But he got found out and came to grief.

Complaint is made that hundreds of Chinese laborers are landed on the Pacific coast in spite of the law to the contrary. They come with certificates as teachers, students and merchants, who are admitted under the act of the treaty. Turn the rascals out.

Most of the idols worshipped by the heathen in India and Africa are of brass and made in England. With heathen lands worshipping English brass and christian nations bowing down to English gold, it looks as if England was still holding her grip on the world.

Last Thursday, the 8th, was the day when, according to some Mohammedan authorities, the world was to come to an end. We have made diligent enquiry, but fail to learn that the event took place. It may be that Mahomet or Mohammed or Mohamet made an error. Even the best of us are liable to err.

The U. S. consul at Crefeld has ascertained that in thirty-one cases where American girls have gone to Germany and married noblemen, the affair has ended in abandonment, divorce or separation. Take our advice, girls, and stay at home. We American boys may not be rich and pretty, but we'll treat you better than the snar-krouters.

Last August Mary Churchill left her father's house in St. Louis and couldn't be found. There was great excitement about the mysterious disappearance, and the newspapers were full of it. Foul play was suspected. The girl turned up last week in the ironing room of the Indianapolis insane asylum, where she had hired out. She says she is all right. Well, we suppose she is, but it seems as if she might have been fanny without putting the associated press to so much expense.

THREE-MASTERS.

Advantages and Disadvantages of the Schooner Rig.

The schooner is a very economical vessel. She costs less to build, because there are no yards to make and rig. The masts cost less. A smaller crew can handle her with equal safety. Did you ever watch a ship go about from one tack to the other? What with rising tacks and sheets and bracing around the yards and getting everything snug again, it is a job that is performed when the watch is called, so that all hands can have a chance at the sport. Besides that, the ship while in stays often loses her headway and drifts astern part of the time. But when a schooner is beating to the windward the helm is put down by the man at the wheel. She comes up with her canvas shaking fore and aft. A man shifts the topsail tack and the booms swing over. The mate looks on with his hands in his pockets. Two men only are on deck. She never loses headway for an instant, but gains several lengths every time she tacks. Once around she will run from one to two points nearer to the wind than the ship.

The schooner rig is an American invention. Captain Andrew Robinson, of Gloucester, Mass., built the first one in 1713. It had two masts. It was a rig that came to stay. As the coasting trade increased the vessel owners built larger schooners and rigged them with loftier spars and greater spreads of canvas. They all had two masts only. About 1855 or 1856 they began to see that the great mainsail was too heavy a sail for the small crew of a schooner. The schooner spread too much canvas for a gale of wind, even when close reefed. So they put three masts into the schooner, making three sails out of the canvas formerly used for two. The schooner Lydia P. Cowperthwaite was launched at Forked Rivers, N. J., in 1856. She was a great schooner in her day, and she is not a bad one now. She was one of the first three-masted schooners. She will carry 600 tons of cargo. But schooners are afloat now that could take her on deck like a long boat, and not settle very much either. After the war, as the coasting trade increased, large schooners were a necessity, and the number of three-masters increased. One-fifth of the schooners in Lloyd's American Register have three-masts. Nearly one-half the schooners launched in 1882 had three-masts and all schooners of 300 tons burden and upward are now rigged in that style.

The advantages of having three high and narrow and therefore light and easily handled sails in place of two high broad and heavy ones are so obvious that schooners of only 200 tons are rigged with three masts. The John S. Case, a three-master of Rockland, is only 112 feet in length over all. She was built by C. B. Wyman & Co. at Brewer.

William Ingersoll & Co.'s Mollie J. Saunders is one of the latest three-masters. She was built by David G. Carr at City Island in 1882. She will carry 1,500 to 1,600 tons of coal. That would have been considered a good cargo for a ship once. There are larger schooners than she is, but not many. At that size the sails become very heavy, and then resort is had to four masts, all rigged with fore and aft sails.

For the coastwise and Gulf trades schooners are unequalled. The most profitable size for the coast trade is one that will carry 800 or 900 tons of coal. For the West India three large ones are built, with great success. The whole question of rigging a ship is to get the necessary spread of canvas in the most convenient shape.

For long voyages schooners have not done so well as vessels with square sails, because the square sails are more easily handled in a gale of wind. It is said that men who have taken schooners to the East Indies once can not be persuaded to do so again. After a gale of wind it is impossible to spread canvas to steady the vessel. In a schooner there are no braces to steady the gaffs, as there are on a square-rigged ship to steady the yards. When a schooner is rolling around with no wind the sails sway and surge across the deck with a report like that of a cannon. The sails have to be lowered to keep from slapping out, and there the vessel lies wallowing in the swells like a porpoise. That is an experience to make any man sick. On a square-rigged vessel the lower topsails could be set. Then in voyages to the East Indies the great spread of canvas in a square-rigged ship is a great advantage in the trade winds.

THE PENSION LIST.

While no other nation has more cause than this for being grateful to its soldiers, it is also true that no other nation has ever exhibited in its gratitude so liberally. Nearly \$600,000,000 have already been expended in pensions, and as many millions more will probably be paid. For two years the nation's pension payments have amounted to one-third of its expense, interest on the debt excluded. If Congress shall persistently refuse to extend the pension list so as to include every Mexican veteran, rich or poor, (a deserter or lover), and every man who served his time in a Confederate prison pen, whether he now be hale or disabled it will not take this course because the nation has forgotten the services of its brave soldiers, but because the list is now sufficiently large and costly to satisfy the demands of gratitude and has a great financial burden, cheerfully borne, perhaps but still so enormous that no prudent law maker is willing to make it heavier.

To Repair Damages.

Dear lady, there is probably no use telling you that fashionable life in a great city is a rough one on your beauty. Late hours, loss of sleep and mental excitement will leave you by and by shown of those beautiful tresses which drew lovers around you in other years. Artificial substitutes can never pass for those rich and glossy locks. Parker's Hair Balsam will stop your hair from falling out, restore its natural color and softness, and prove cleansing and beneficial to the scalp.

STARTLING PROBABILITIES.

It is estimated that the United States will contain 150,000,000 people fifty years hence. The natural increase of population, as judged by the tables of the past, in conjunction with the swelling tide of immigration from Europe, will accomplish this marvel of national growth. When future historians record the fact that the American colonies, with 3,000,000 people, developed into a republic of 150,000,000 in a century and a half, it will read like a tale of the Arabian Nights. Rome at its zenith had no such a population, nor one so homogeneous in language, spirit, intelligence and aspiration. This will be the mightiest republic of all history. Figures alone fail to convey an adequate idea of its probable vastness and power. Its population will be equal to that of the German Empire, France, Spain, Belgium, Switzerland, Italy and Austria combined. It will be a match in war for the whole of Europe, or for any other quarter of the globe. In the achievements of peace it promises to exceed any nation extant, or that ever rose to wealth and splendor.

There is a point, however, beyond which growth of population cannot pass without proving a curse. China would be a stronger nation to-day with half her present population, and with a more general diffusion of wealth and intelligence. When human beings become so thick that they must herd in cellars like animals, or dwell on rafts on the water like rats or beavers, and when law-makers can no longer treat infanticide as a crime, the limit of healthy growth has been passed. Density of population is no longer a source of strength, but of weakness and alarm. Lord Bacon commands the plan of Henry VII., "to maintain such a proportion of land that it may breed a subject to live in convenient plenty, and in no servile condition; and to keep the plow in the hands of the owners" and not in the hands of hirelings. This is the true theory, and should not be forgotten when the imagination is fired by the panorama of national grandeur soon to be presented on this continent, for our nation is destined to exceed any nation of Europe in population, its cities will also attain unexampled size. Is there any danger that we shall soon begin to have too many people?

A glance at statistics indicates that the time for such forebodings is yet remote. In no country of Europe is there more general content and prosperity than in France, and yet, if the area of the United States were as densely settled as that of France, there would be room here for 680,000,000 people. Extensive regions of the Pacific coast are at present not adapted for agricultural pursuits, but they can be rendered rich and fruitful by irrigation, and they abound in mineral deposits of description, iron included, which would afford employment and support to large populations. When Alaska has been peopled, and the main portion of the Union becomes somewhat crowded, Canada, Mexico and South America offer suitable outlets. By that time European immigration will have probably ceased, or have become insignificant. When the poorer classes of Europe are offered quite as attractive inducements to remain at home as to immigrate to this country, they will prefer to remain at home. Remarkable political changes will be inevitable in Europe if this country continues to advance to great destinies without civil war or a failure of representative government.

AUTHORSHIP AMONG US.

Literature in the raw, as we find it in the journals of different classes, pays better in the long run than in its crystallized condition in books. We have no distinct reading class, so called, as they have in England. Here all alike are called readers. Yet very few books that are published with us achieve a sale of more than fifteen thousand copies. The American people read newspapers and magazines rather than books. There is many a dramatic brain and deft pen at work to-day on the press that would be glad to put its best combined works between covers, if there were time from other occupation. The press has a maw that swallows up thoughts, fancies, plots, philosophic reflections, sentiments, and everything.

To be an author in any genuine sense a person must be able to command leisure, and exist very largely in an atmosphere of thoughtful repose. He must feel that he can have all the time he wants for brooding. Work on daily journals extracts the sap from the mind very fast, leaving positively little that is worth using over. At least it would only be hash, more or less dry and tasteless. A fiction writer must make daily companions of his characters, until he finally lets them all go from him into the world. How can he do it, unless, as Hawthorne did, he constantly vexes his mind's eye till they yield him the long desired distillation that acts as the elixir of life to his pages? If a man is rich already, he will not court such an existence; if poor, with the gleams of inspiration dancing about his head, he must earn his living first with his pen, and after that there is little left of what should make the author.

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We wish to call attention to the following notice taken from the Portland Argus. Although the "Temporary Home" is located in Portland, it is a state charity, and, as such, should claim the attention and aid of all Maine people. We hope the citizens of Rockland, Thomaston and vicinity will do what they can in aid of the "Home."

This institution has been gradually and unostentatiously working its way into public notice, literally carrying out the injunction, "By their works shall ye know them." The purpose of the institution is to provide shelter and employment for the women and children of the state of Maine, who may be found on the streets, in bad homes, in stations or public institutions, or are reduced to dependence upon public charity, and who need to be protected from temptation and vice. Now, while the institution is felt to be an active agent in a humane and reformatory direction, it is not generally understood; and many of those who at first were prejudiced or who honestly doubted its value, are inquiring into our special need of assistance.

First, we wish to say to our friends throughout the state, that our Home is open to all who need our care, wherever it is, and whenever brought to our notice; and we would cordially and earnestly invite ladies visiting our city to show their interest by inspection and personal investigation. In so doing they will learn that our little house is sadly inadequate to our needs. With the approach of winter there is increased demand for funds to meet the want of fuel, clothing, food and shelter for a large number of women and children, friendless, and but for us, homeless.

The work of carrying on this institution is cheerfully done by Portland women, sustained by generous aid from our citizens; but we want every town and township in the state to lend a hand.

We beg the ladies of our auxiliary committee to urge upon the good, warm-hearted women of their town to become members, and to form circles that will with busy fingers work for our women and babies, with the assurance that they are being made better and happier by their kind bounty.

We desire the philanthropic men of our state, those who wish to lessen pauperism and vice, to give us the means to provide a suitable home for our inmates, where there shall be facilities for work, where our rescued women shall be strengthened and encouraged by being employed and taught the means of maintenance. A laundry, a sewing room, a knitting machine, a garden where women and children can raise fruit and vegetables for their own use, and for sale, are all needed. The benevolent gentlemen who have donated for our use, a fine lot of land for our building, have taken the first step in this good and to be great work, and now we feel sure that we have only to send forth this appeal to bring this hearty and generous response.

MRS. BION BRADBURY, President.

A WORD TO THE BOYS

Rev. C. M. Spurgeon.

Water is the strongest drink. It drives mills; it's the drink of lions and horses, and Samson never drank anything else. Let young men be teetotalers if only for economy's sake. The beer money will soon build a house. If what goes into the mash-tub went into the kneading trough, families would be better fed and better taught. If what is spent in waste were only saved against a rainy day, poorhouses would never be built. The man who spends his money with the publican, and thinks the landlord's bow and "How do ye do, my good fellow?" mean true respect, is a perfect simpleton. We don't light fires for the herring's comfort, but to roast him. Men do not keep pot-houses for laborers' good; if they do, they certainly miss their aim. Why, then, should people drink "for the good of the house?" If I spend money for the good of any house let it be my own, and not the landlord's. It is a bad well into which you must put water; and the beer house is a bad friend, because it takes your all and leaves you nothing but headaches. He who calls those his friends who let him sit and drink by the hour together is ignorant—very ignorant. Why, red lions, and tigers, and eagles, and Vultures are all creatures of prey, and why do so many put themselves within the power of their jaws and talons? Such as drink and live riotously, and wonder why their lives are so lousy and their pockets so bare, would do well to wonder if they had two grains of wisdom. They might as well ask an elm tree for pears as look to those habits for health and wealth. Those who go to the public house for happiness climb a tree to find fish.

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The following communication, received by us several days ago, explains itself:

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THOMASTON.

Mrs. Betsey B. Watts is on a visit to China, Kennebec county.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Leighton are on a visit to Waterville and Portland.

Malachi Delano, of Friendship, is on a visit to his relatives in town.

Col. S. H. Allen and family will pass the winter in Gardiner, it is reported.

Schooner Eliza Levensaler is discharging cargo of coal for J. O. Cushing & Co.

Edward Mink, the lamp-lighter, has moved into the Crosby House, East Gleason street.

Sch. Hattie Turner, Blaine, is discharging cargo of hard pine for Samuel Watts & Co.

Samuel Watts & Co. have nearly all their frames up for the new schooner now building.

Ship Snow & Burgess, Capt. R. B. Anderson, sailed from Baltimore Nov. 4th, for San Francisco.

Peter G. Hanly, of the Bangor House, is on a visit to his father's home, Beech Woods street.

Vesper Woodcock is at home from Grafton, Mass., where he has been at work in a shoe factory.

Miss Percy, of Phippsburg, is a guest at the residence of Mrs. George E. Wallace, West Main street.

Capt. William H. Smith, of schooner Cathie C. Berry, is at home. His vessel is in Providence, R. I.

The first flock of wild geese of the season flew over our village last Friday en route southward.

Frank A. and Edward Washburn, of Bath, passed the Sabbath at their mother's residence in Knox street.

Mrs. Clara Dunn is acting librarian at Ladies' Library in the absence of Miss Clara Creighton.

Ship H. D. Rice, Capt. N. B. Jordan, towed down river last Tuesday, sailed the next morning for Baltimore.

D. W. Woodbury has purchased the S. B. Flint house on Flinker street, and will move his family into the same.

Rev. E. Barnum, of Cushing, occupied the pulpit at the Baptist church at Mill River on Sunday afternoon last.

Maj. Delano has gone down to George's Island and duck shooting. Fred C. O'Brien and Frank Keizer went with him.

Capt. A. L. Seavey, of the new schooner H. O. Bright, is at the Knox Hotel. This vessel will be ready for sea this week.

Capt. Ehabod Willey, of schooner Freda A. Willey, who has been at home for a number of weeks, has left to take command of his vessel.

A bunch of ripe strawberries were picked by Mrs. H. C. Levensaler last Wednesday, (Nov. 7th) in the garden lot adjoining Levensaler block.

Frank H. Jordan, East Main street, is making repairs and improvements in his dwelling house. W. M. Cook on same street has also repaired his buildings.

R. H. Conner Engine Co. had a clam chowder at their banquet rooms on Saturday evening last. The officers of Eureka and W. W. Rice Engine companies were invited.

Supervisor O'Brien will please permit us to remind him that during this cold weather good fire should be kept in our school houses. Some of the primary school houses have been very cold.

J. C. Henderson at his boot and shoe store is carrying on quite a business in the shoemaking line. He has employed William Winchester, a first-class workman and is making some very nice gentlemen's boots and shoes.

Sunday morning Rev. C. A. Marsh delivered an interesting sermon to the children at the Congregationalist church. In the evening Rev. G. P. Matthews, D. D. gave a lecture to the young men at the Baptist church, which is highly praised for the good advice it contained.

On account of the storm Friday evening the lecture of Gen. Chamberlain in the High School course, was deferred until Friday evening, Nov. 15th. The subject of the lecture will be "The Surrender of Lee," and will be delivered at the Congregationalist church. We trust there will be a full house.

A petition, numerous signed by our citizens, is being circulated by Eli M. O'Brien, asking Rev. William Walker to return to his former duty as rector of St. John Baptist church. Mr. Walker is deservedly popular with our people, and strong hopes are entertained that he will return to Thomaston.

The steaming leading from the coal house on Central wharf on board schooner Eliza Levensaler, discharging cargo of coal, gave away yesterday morning during the heavy blow, and James Davis at work on staging fell some fifteen feet down into the vessel's hold. He received some severe cuts and bruises about his head.

The following are the officers of Steamer W. W. Rice Engine Company elected last week: William P. Bunker, Foreman; Thomas F. Phinney, 2d Foreman; A. S. Lash, 3d Foreman; Joseph E. Mears, Clerk; H. H. Stedman, Steward; A. B. Davis, Engineer; E. L. Dillingham, Levi Seavey, Finance Committee.

WARREN.

The flying horses were in town last week. As Eliza Fuller is visiting at Rockland.

Sam Oliver's block has been painted in colors.

Mr. Dolman has moved his family here from Waldoboro.

Our printers have plenty of work ahead for a long time.

George Oliver has sold his house to a Mr. Pullen of Union.

W. H. Montgomery and wife arrived home from Connecticut last week.

J. H. Payson & Co. are putting in a saw mill at "Cold Mill," on Oyster river.

The woolen mill will adopt standard time on the 15th. They are already very near that time.

Mrs. Mary Bickford is spending the winter in Massachusetts with her son, Rev. F. S. Bickford.

It is plain that we need some method of giving a fire alarm. Why not put a whistle on the shoe shop?

The saw mill near the depot caught fire last Tuesday and as a strong wind was blowing at the time, word was sent for the fire engine at the village. The Tigers were on hand promptly, but the fire was put out by the hands of the men from the saw mill, so the company came back without reaching the spot.

A. J. Chase and J. K. Osgood held a temperance rally here last Tuesday evening to a fair audience. We learn that a Division of Sons of Temperance is to be organized here. We need to have a house for the most part of twenty years ago, but it was broken up during the war. There is no doubt but what one is needed in this town, and there is plenty of material for a good lodge.

HOPE.

Mrs. B. H. Carleton has gone to Boston for a few days.

Miss Annie Payson is teaching school in the Holden Dist., Camden.

School in the Payson Dist., taught by Miss Alice Carleton, closed last Friday.

The wife of W. H. Hobbs of California is in town, visiting her husband's relatives.

The friends of Geo. Athearn and wife met at their house on the evening of the fifth anniversary of their wedding, carrying quite a number of guests and useful presents.

Adeline Payson and family are severely afflicted by sickness, he being nearly helpless from rheumatism and his wife from paralysis. Their daughter Etta, has been very sick.

Francis Kimball has at last been released from his sufferings by death. He has been confined to his house for the most part of three years by consumption, and has been a great sufferer. He leaves a wife and son.

CAMDEN.

A. M. Judson, our annual summer visitor from New York, is in town for a few days.

H. L. Alden's new house is nearing completion, and will be an ornament to the village.

Carrier Bros., truckmen, have lost another horse. This is the fourth horse they have lost within a few years.

B. C. Adams is deepening the well at his residence by means of an artesian machine from Rockland.

W. H. Gardiner and family closed their cottage for the season, last Tuesday, and have returned to their home in Philadelphia.

A beautiful elm shade tree about three feet in circumference, in front of H. L. Alden's residence is being dropped three or four feet lower in order to grade the bank more symmetrically.

Improvements are going on finely in Mountain street cemetery. This is a matter we are all interested in, and we are glad that the home of our dead are no longer to be places of desolation.

Mrs. Mary L. Pierce died at the residence of her son, W. D. Pierce, on High street, Nov. 4. The remains were taken to So. Thomaston for interment, where her husband, the late Jacob Pierce, was buried a few years ago.

The Universalist Chapel recently carpeted and new seated with nice white ash and black walnut pews was opened Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Hickock preached a very eloquent and interesting sermon from the words, "Cast not your pearls before swine." She gave a temperance lecture in the evening to a large audience and another Monday evening.

ROCKPORT.

Capt. Ed Perry has taken command of Sch. H. S. Boynton.

Brig Marie Norwood, sailed Wednesday for Charleston, S. C.

W. T. Rollins has been plastering the house of H. S. Alden at Camden.

The schools of the Rockport corporation closed Friday after a successful term of eleven weeks.

Capt. Fred Small of Wilmington, S. C., has rented the tenement over the postoffice. Capt. Small takes command of schooner Mary Van Cleef.

Capt. Walter Thornthike will go in command of the bark Richard Parsons, now loading in New York for Bombay. Capt. Packard is expected home in a few days.

An attempt was made Wednesday night, about 11:30 o'clock, to enter the store of Carleton & Co. A front window was broken, but the thieves were frightened away by people who were aroused by the breaking glass. Three men were seen with a team who drove rapidly away when they found that they were discovered.

OWLS' HEAD.

J. J. Emery and wife of Ash Point have gone to Boston.

Capt. Stephen Foster has left the schooner Abbie G. Emery and gone with his brother in the Express. Capt. Levett Smith commands the Abbie S. Emery.

George W. Emery, brother of J. J. Emery, who has been traveling in the south and west for the last three years for his health, arrived here last Tuesday and called on several friends. He went to Cherryfield Saturday where his family reside.

APPLETON.

Eben Carlin has arrived home from Dakota. Business has started up in Sherman's stove-mill.

H. Pease is repairing the outside of his store and the postoffice.

Postmaster Pease received a dispatch last week from Dakota, that his son "Ned," who has been sick some time with fever, was in a critical condition.

I received a pleasant call a few days ago from Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Matthews, Mr. M. is quite a farmer and stock raiser. He has set out fifty King of Tompkins apple trees the present season.

I forgot to mention in my last the fox hunt that came off a short time ago. It was participated in by J. G. Wentworth, Charles and Will Newbert and "Chief" Pease. Wentworth was high-line, shooting four of the six foxes captured, two of which he knocked over in a very few minutes.

SOUTH UNION.

Dr. L. F. Bacheelder has been quite sick during the past week but is now comfortable.

Ethel S., son of Samuel Cummings, is sick of fever. Dr. Alice attends.

The Methodists have been holding meetings at their church the past two weeks, every evening. A good interest is manifested and several conversions have been made.

Rev. Mr. Norwood will hold meetings at the Congregationalist Church Tuesday, Thursday and Friday evenings at 7 p. m. He preached at our schoolhouse on Monday evening.

Columbia Thompson has bought a house lot of B. Eastman, next to O. Burdett's, and has commenced building a house.

B. Eastman has completed his house, except painting. He has a fine convenient house containing twelve rooms.

FRIENDSHIP.

Elias Lawry went to Waterville, last Monday to enter the Classical Institute.

Capt. George Poland is making a large addition to his barn.

Elder Tunnell was able to preach last Sunday, the first time for several weeks.

Albert Collamore is building a new barn.

George Wallace, of South Waldoboro, dug 25 bushels of clams, in Friendship last Saturday.

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Births.

Providence, R. I., 2nd ult., to Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Orbeton, formerly of Rockland, a son, [Maurice Cleveland.]

West Camden, Nov. 1, to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. H. Farrington, a daughter.

East Warren, Oct. 27, to Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Watts, a son.

Marriages.

North Weymouth, Mass., Oct. 30, at the residence of the bride's father, by the Rev. R. T. Sawyer, Edwin H. Coose, of Hope and Miss Ida May Wolf, of N. Weymouth.

South Thomaston, Nov. 1, by Rev. Joseph Kallach Fullerton R. Wilson and Evelyn H. Dean.

Friendship, Oct. 28, Jonathan D. Morse and Rose E. Willey, both of Bremen.

Union, Oct. 18, by Rev. T. R. Pentecost, Alden H. Copeland, of Warren and Marilla F. Butler, of Union.

Deaths.

Rockland, Nov. 7, John Day, aged 82 years, 5 months, 2 days.

Rockland, Nov. 9, Isaac H. Marks, aged 54 years, 10 months, 4 days.

Rockland, Nov. 12, Frank B., son of Samuel and Eliza J. Packard, aged 27 years, 9 months, 20 days.

Rockland, Nov. 13, Becca L., daughter of Benj. and Rebecca Clough, aged 19 years, 1 month, 24 days.

Rockland, Nov. 11, James Duncan, aged 72 years, 10 months, 21 days.

His sufferings all are ended now, No sorrow rests upon his brow, Sweet fields beyond this vale of tears Shall be his home through endless years.

East Union, Oct. 30, Lizzie, daughter of G. W. Payson.

Camden, Nov. 4, Mary S. Pierce, aged 84 years, 6 months.

Appleton, Oct. 21, John Towle, aged 82 years, 7 months and 19 days.

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Leave Bath at 8:40 A. M. and 3:15 P. M. Arrive in Rockland 11:35 A. M. and 5:50 P. M.

Freight train leaves Rockland at 2:25 A. M. Due in Bath at 10:20 A. M. Leave Bath at 12:30 A. M. Due in Rockland at 5:00 P. M.

The 1:10 P. M. train from Rockland will connect for Boston via Eastern R. R. only.

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"7-20-8" Thursday night.

Remember the soldiers' monument entertainment tomorrow evening. It is free.

A change in time of running railroad trains takes place next Monday as per time-table.

It is getting very cold. We saw ice over a foot thick on Middle street yesterday. It was in an ice cart.

Robert Anderson, the man who kicked Deputy Marshal Bramhall, was arraigned for assault and bound over under \$300. He went to jail.

The skating rink will be open Tuesday and Saturday evenings, and Saturday afternoon. Friday evening will be devoted to beginners.

Miss Carro Atherton has decided to remain in the city for two months, and advertises to cut, fit and drape ladies' dresses. She can be found at J. E. Doherty's, Elm street.

A lecture course at the Commercial College will be opened Wednesday night of next week by Rev. W. S. Roberts, to be followed by others. These lectures will be free to the public.

A very handsome monument has just been placed on the White and Case lot at the Achorn cemetery. It is a round spire and is 26 feet high. It was made by the Bowdell Granite Company.

We are indebted to a Boston friend for specimens of recent Butler campaign literature. "There is but little of it to be found now," he remarks significantly. Well, a very little of that sort of stuff is enough.

C. H. Pendleton the druggist advertises a novelty. Saturday afternoon and evening, Nov. 24th he will give away fancy cards to every boy and girl who calls at his store. Here is a chance for the little folks.

A very heavy rain Friday night cut down the attendance at the Dan Maginnis show. The company was an excellent one and pleased the audience, but the general opinion seemed to be that the play itself didn't have merit equal to the actors. Dan himself was much liked, as he always is.

Invitations are out for a ball Friday evening, in dedication of the new armory of the Tillson Light Infantry. The soldier boys have made extensive changes and improvements in their quarters and now have an armory of which they may well be proud. This ball is in honor of the completed improvements. Music is to be by Meservey, Doherty and Demuth.

Fred Sweetland has just erected a derrick at the Doherty quarry, to be used in the removal of the mass of rock which recently fell there. The derrick, which is of the pattern invented by W. H. Littlefield of Vinalhaven, is 55 feet high, and weighs over three tons. It is supported by eight wire guys, each 400 feet long. Setting the derrick in position was a very difficult job—but Mr. Sweetland is used to overcoming such.

An extensive job of digging is going on in the cellar of John Bird & Co.'s new store. In order to admit the shaft of a hydraulic elevator, 82 with which the store is to be provided, a hole feet is required. This hole was started, and at a depth of eight feet the solid ledge was struck. The shaft is now being sunk through this at the rate of a foot a day. It is a difficult job and is in charge of James McWilliams, of Blackington's Corner, an experienced quarryman. The blasting is done with rock.

Our readers will bear in mind the soldiers' monument entertainment tomorrow evening in Farwell Hall. Gen. James A. Hall will deliver one of his orations, W. O. Fuller Jr., will read his poem written for the occasion, and the Orpheus Club will present an unique program of vocal and instrumental music. It will all comprise an evening's entertainment worth taking in. No admission fee will be charged, and it is hoped the best classes of our people will turn out, it being desirous of starting this monument enterprise with a boom.

Early last Tuesday evening, as A. Bradford Butler's team, containing himself, Miss Nancy T. Sleeper and Mrs. Ada F. Mills, was driving along Union street, when opposite the Church of Immanuel it collided with the horse and wagon of Hiram Ingraham, of the Marsh Road, who was driving from the opposite direction. The shock threw Mr. Butler and the ladies violently into the road. Mrs. Mills being rendered unconscious from the shock. Mr. Ingraham and wife were not thrown out. Both horses suffered, a shaft of the other wagon being run into the breast of each from six to ten inches. Both animals it is thought will recover. Mr. Butler and Miss Sleeper were badly shaken up and bruised. That the accident did not result more seriously is a matter of congratulation.

"There are some of the finest tamarinds I ever saw," remarked a Main street grocer. "Last summer a Mr. Billing of Lincolnville made a trip to Cuba, and while there put up some tamarinds on his own hook. Not finding a sale for them at home, he brought them to this market, and they are so unusually fine that they go fast." Most everybody knows the tamarind by sight, but not many families use it regularly on the table. Seafaring people love it, and the families of seagoing men esteem it highly. The tamarind is a product of the West Indies, and grows like a bean in a pod. It is put up in a syrup of molasses and sugar, has a sweet and slightly acidulous taste, and makes an excellent table relish. In this city where there are so many sailors' families it finds a large sale.

The furniture of the High School room is in a fearful state of delapidation. The desks are marked and cut to a bad degree, while the seats, never of good design, are in such condition that they are scarcely fit for use. The school fund appropriated this year will not warrant the purchase of new furniture, though it is woefully needed. So to meet the want the scholars of the school, assisted by their teachers, have in preparation a fair, to be given Thursday evening, the 22nd, in aid of the object. The program in preparation is an excellent one. A variety of fancy articles and refreshments of all sorts will be on sale, while during the evening readings, tableaux, etc., will be given on the stage, with a silent drill by the H. S. Cadets. So worthy an object will not fail of meeting with generous patronage, and we have no doubt the school can easily raise the \$300 or so needed to accomplish their laudable purpose.

Don't forget to set your watch back 20 minutes next Sunday.

Remember the art embroidery exhibition at A. R. Morse & Co.'s, to-day and to-morrow. Treasurer Tolman gives notice that he will pay the Knox Fair awards. See advertisement.

King's Solomon's Chapter R. A. M., have a meeting Thursday evening for work on the Royal Arch degree.

The ladies of the First Baptist circle will hold their first social of the season Thursday afternoon and evening.

J. H. Flint and A. M. Fuller & Co. appear with new wagons, from the shop of J. Fred Hall. They are very fine vehicles.

Dr. Stacy has fitted up an office in the rear of the Limerock Bank, where he may be found in his office on days as set forth in his advertisement.

Bishop's Original Colored Minstrels, which left such a favorable impression when they were here last season, are again to visit us, and will of course be greeted with a crowded house.

Our Liberty correspondent has another article in to-day's paper upon the scheme of a railroad between that place and this city. It is a matter that deserves the careful consideration of our capitalists. We hear it favorably spoken of upon many sides. Keep talking about it.

The Rockland Band in a card announces a concert. The object is a good one and should receive support. If supported in their efforts to maintain a good organization the band boys next season will favor our citizens with regular out-door concerts. Those willing to aid in any direction can so state to the committee whose names follow the card.

Since November came in the weather has been beautiful beyond description for the time of year. The air has been soft and balmy, sun and moon shone radiantly, garden plants began to take on a second growth and spring overcoats have kept persistently on deck.

Nobody could seem to recall a parallel, except one merchant, who remembers that 45 years ago there was just such a season, stores not being put up till the middle of November. This fine weather has been enjoyed by everybody, except coal dealers and clothing men, but their hearts lightened when yesterday the wind turned cold and genuine bleak November weather shut down, with a squall of snow in the evening. But the mild two weeks will long be remembered.

The City Council last night adopted as standard time for the city the universal railroad time that goes into effect all over the country next Sunday, the 18th. This time will do away with all variations in clocks. The United States is divided into four districts, and in each district there is a standard. Our district is all the country east of the Alleghany Mountains. Every railroad train will run by it, all shops and factories will be regulated by it. A man's watch set in Rockland will give him true time if he is in Boston, Philadelphia or Washington. Therefore next Monday the clocks of city jewelers and the town clock will be set back 20 minutes, and schools will begin, trains start out and working men go to their labors in accordance with the new standard time. It is a good thing.

At the theatre Friday night Officer Mark ejected a young man named John Whitney, of Clam Cove, and lodged him in the lockup. Whitney was tight and made disturbance. He was several times spoken to by the officer, who finally had to take him in. He was fined \$7.54 the next day. A crowd followed the officer to the lockup and talked rescue, but it was well no such attempt was made. Everybody should unite in praising Officer Mark in this doing his duty. This idea that a man can get full of beer and then go into a public hall and be cunning, and nothing be said, has prevailed too long. It couldn't be done for a minute in a larger city, and it shouldn't be allowed here. We hope the police will continue in this reform, and they will be backed up by all decent people.

All who have seen the great play of "7-20-8" agree in saying that the press notices are none to strong in their unstinted praise. The whole play bubbles over with fun. The plot briefly told, is as follows: A gentleman of leisure falls in love with the picture of a young lady which he saw at a private exhibition. An English lord also falls in love with the picture, but not of the young lady, but of the dog which was crouching at the feet of the fair one. This leads to many absurd situations and misunderstandings, cleverly contrived. The mother of the young lady has a passion for poets and other literary celebrities, and she has all the old love letters of her husband, abounding in quotations from Tennyson, Longfellow and Moore, and deemed by her as original productions of her husband, printed in an "edition de luxe" to give a surprise to the "old man." The company which presents the play in Farwell Hall Thursday evening is said to be an exceptionally fine one, and our amusement loving people may expect a rich and humorous treat in the evening's performance.

When Spear & May opened their store last Wednesday morning they found that it had been burglarized during the night and about \$10 in change taken from the money drawer. The thief entered by means of the hatchway in the sidewalk, then through a broken window in the cellar door, and standing on a box he raised a scuttle in the floor and got into the store above. After going through the drawer he let himself out by a back door. Suspicion pointing to a boy named Dennis Chaples, he was arrested, and on being tried before Judge Hicks it transpired that he was the guilty party, and he afterwards made a full confession. In default of \$500 bonds he went to jail Saturday. Chaples is about 17 years old. He is well known about Main street and bears a hard reputation, having before been detected in crooked matters. He made a large number of confessions to the city marshal, saying that he had committed all the store robberies which have lately been chronicled. He gave the names of several boys and young men who have assisted him, and said they had a regular organization, with headquarters, a full set of burglar's tools, etc. But he afterwards retracted these statements. He is quite a liar and not much stock was taken in what he said, but there is small doubt but that he is responsible for some of the robberies he confessed to. His work is a state prison offence, he being too old for reform school. Chaples was very cool, and appeared perfectly hardened to his life of idleness and crime.

"Singed Cat" is the euphonious name of a very fine five cent cigar which Cobb, Wight & Co. are wholesaling in large quantities. Ask for it the next time you want a good smoke.

The strong northeast gale that prevailed all day yesterday and continues at this writing, succeeded in making everybody uncomfortable, but has done no damage that we hear of except turning over a few fences and wrenching off some skylights. The steamer Penobscot remained at her dock in this port, all night, while the Richmond, Rockland and Morrison stopped east. The Katahdin put out of Boston and arrived here about noon.

A hearing was held at Washington Mills, Thursday, before G. M. Hicks, of Rockland, and A. M. Sprague, of Appleton, commissioners appointed by the judge of probate, to examine the claim of Dr. W. A. Albee, of Union, against the estate of the late Randall Albee of Washington, claim being to the amount of \$366.27 for professional services. The commissioners awarded the full amount of claim with interest. T. P. Pierce, esq., of Rockland appeared for Dr. Albee, Hon. J. W. Knowlton of Liberty for the estate.

The Cong'l ladies' circle Thursday evening was a very pleasant occasion. After a fine supper a pleasing musical program was presented, as follows: piano solo, polonaise by Chopin, Mr. Sweetser; quartet, "Come where my love lies dreaming," Mrs. Spear, Miss Spear, Mr. Wight and Mr. Torrey; bass solo, "Fearless," Mr. Torrey; solo, waltz song, Mrs. Spear. The music was heartily applauded, and the quartet, which was excellent, had to be repeated. A charade followed, word "Studio;" admirably rendered by several ladies and gentlemen, the humorous accomplishments of James Wight coming out in fine manner.

A shocking accident occurred at the A. F. Crockett & Co. quarry at the Meadows Saturday afternoon. Albert Ulmer, aged 21, who runs the donkey engine used in hoisting rock from the quarry, climbed up over the engine to obtain a piece of board, when he slipped and fell. He struck an escape pipe at the bottom of the boiler in his fall, and throwing it out of gear the steam and hot water poured out, till the boiler was emptied. The young man being unable to free himself, received the hot mass full on his arms, shoulders and body, and was dreadfully scalded. He was carried to his father's, Gilman Ulmer, and medical aid called. His condition is very critical and it is doubtful if he lives.

Judge Wood held a special term of probate court last Tuesday, when a hearing was held upon the petition of Margaret Crockett, widow of the late Enos Crockett, in which she represented that a large amount of personal property had not been returned in the inventory made by the executor of the estate, W. H. Titcomb. The examination disclosed the fact that Mr. Crockett on March 27, 1882, made gift of and delivered to Mr. Titcomb the personal property which Mrs. Crockett claimed should have been returned in the inventory, amounting to some \$10,000. It is understood that the matter will be further investigated. Mrs. Crockett is mother-in-law of Gen. Titcomb. C. E. Littlefield appeared for Mrs. Crockett, and T. P. Pierce for Mr. Titcomb.

THE CHURCHES.—Supt. Stilson of the Maine Bible Society spoke for forty minutes at the Cong'l church Sunday morning, explaining the society's work. His remarks were in the highest degree instructive and interesting. Sunday evening Rev. Mr. Roberts, First Baptist, preached an interesting sermon to young men, the text being the first half of the Prodigal parable. The second portion of the parable will be likewise treated. Rev. W. R. Richards of Bath will occupy the Cong'l pulpit next Sunday morning and evening, in exchange with Rev. Mr. Blair. Sunday evening Rev. Mr. Blair delivered a discourse on Luther. The subject of Rev. Mr. Philbrook's next Sunday evening lecture will be "Nobility of Labor."

CITY COUNCIL.—Regular monthly meeting of the City Council last night. In absence of Mayor Gregory, Alderman Thurston of Ward 1 acted as chairman of the board of aldermen. Rolls of accounts passed: Contingent fund \$10.68; Fire Dept \$16.34; Pauper \$379.08; Police \$69.79. School bills ordered paid: Leander Thomas \$4.15; James Fernald \$7.00; Henry T. Benner \$17.50; Janitors' pay-roll, full term, \$3565.32. Committee on Fire Dept reported that they had notified hotel keepers and others to provide fire escapes for their buildings. The marshal was ordered to change the oil street lamp from Park to corner of Main and Florence streets. A gas light was also ordered established at corner of Limerock and Claremont streets. Com. on Fire Dept ordered to arrange for use of N. A. Burpee at the North-end, in case of fire, by people in the vicinity. Ordered that the railroad time which goes into use Nov. 18th be adopted by the city as standard time. Street Commissioner ordered to complete Berkeley street. Road Commissioners reported that \$2630.76 have been expended in District 1, and \$1466 in District 2, a total of \$7096.76. The appropriation was \$7000. Voted that Dist. 1 be allowed one-third and Dist. 2 two-thirds of the appropriation. Remonstrance of Lydia S. Hatch and 89 others against further billiard hall licenses was received. John P. Tyler was licensed to keep a billiard hall in Crockett block. Edward H. Bartlett was appointed janitor of the Middle street schoolhouse.

The Quarterly Conference of the Baptist Association was held last week, Tuesday and Wednesday, with the First Baptist Church of this city. Delegates in considerable numbers were present from Camden, Rockport, Tenants Harbor, Thomaston and St. George. Rev. L. D. Hill of South St. George preached the opening sermon Tuesday at 11 a. m. His subject was Christ as a Preacher. Rev. F. A. Vinal of Tenants Harbor preached the afternoon sermon, taking from his theme "How to Promote a Revival." The attendance during the day was good and in the evening the house was well filled. Rev. J. H. Barrows of Warren preached from Gen. 47:8. The sermon treated of the different ways in which human life is measured, and showed that without a loving faith in Jesus Christ life is always a failure. Rev. G. P. Matthew, D. D. of Thomaston took the place of Rev. Mr. Harwood of Camden, who had been announced for Wednesday morning, but was unable to be present. Dr. Matthews is always heard with interest, and his discourse on this occasion to Christians, from Isaiah 40:31, was one of more than usual power. From the very beginning of the meet-

ing a delightful spirit seemed to prevail, and the evidences of spiritual quickening increased with each succeeding session. The closing conference Wednesday afternoon from two to four o'clock was a time of genuine refreshing. Rev. Joseph Kallach, moderator of the conference for many years, after one year's rest from the duties of the position, was again chosen to fill it. Hiram Ingraham of Rockland, for many years clerk of the conference, was re-elected. These meetings are held for the purpose of promoting religious interest in the churches. All the exercises are arranged with reference to that object. Routine business is not brought in but left for the annual meeting of the association, which is under the direction of the regular officers; those of the conference being special and elected for the purpose only of taking in charge the quarterly conference. The Rockland meeting was the first that has been held here for a considerable period, the custom having arisen of holding the conference generally with some one of the smaller churches. The people came up to the gathering with one accord to pray that the work of the Lord may be revived throughout this region. The sermons were timely and the sessions given to prayer and conference evinced a spirit of earnestness that is a sure precursor of religious awakening. Some of the individual testimonies of men who were recent converts will not soon be forgotten. None could deny that the same Christ who of old had power on earth to forgive sins is still mighty to save.

"7-20-8," the funniest and most laughable comedy ever written, is originally a German production, and created in Europe two years ago a sensation in every city and town. It was such a "go" when it was first brought out that in three months it had been translated into French, Spanish, Italian, English and Russian, in all of which countries "7-20-8" has been and is still running with great success. The credit of adapting and remodelling the play for the American stage is due to the famous author and dramatist Augustin Daly, at whose New York theatre the piece was first produced under its present title. It has proved very successful throughout the states, both artistically and financially, the receipts in Chicago alone reaching the enormous amount of \$37,000 in four weeks. The Relian Combination comes to us with the strongest recommendation, not only from the entire New York press, but also from the leading papers of this state, where the company has been performing for the last two or three weeks. This piece, which has been the sensation in dramatic circles both in Europe and here, ought to draw a large and fashionable audience on Thursday night, and it will no doubt prove the event of the theatrical season.

FIRE.—The alarm of fire at 2.15 o'clock this afternoon was from the old Munroe house at the Meadows, back of the "Green House." It is owned by Halsey Moore and occupied by Stephen O'Brien. At time of this writing the fire is still burning and house likely to be total loss.

GRAND BAND BENEFIT.

The Rockland Band intends giving a concert and dance at Farwell Hall at an early date, when it will distribute to its patrons some grand prizes. We intend to give out-door concerts the coming season, to interest the lovers of music. We make an appeal to the good citizens of Rockland who desire to see a good band supported here, to open their purses and give.

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NOTICE.

THIS is to warn all persons not to trust my wife, Fannie Kenniston, on my account, as I shall pay no bills of her contracting after this date, she having left my bed and board.

W. S. KENNISTON.

South Thomaston, Nov. 5, 1883.

NOTICE.

W. S. KENNISTON having publicly warned all persons not to trust his wife, and stated that she has left his bed and board, I reply that I simply went home to see my mother, after having been cruelly denied that privilege ever since our marriage, and for that reason alone, he broke up our home. His office is a hundred fold worse than mine.

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MARKBY'S REVENGE.

London Truth.

When the Annerlys discovered that Mr. Samuel Markby, whose acquaintance they had made during their summer trip on the continent, kept a bric-a-brac shop in Bond street, they found themselves in a very awkward predicament; for, never doubting that his social position was equal to their own, they had, upon their return to town, sent him a card of invitation to a dinner party. It was only upon receiving his reply that Mrs. Annerly had the curiosity to look upon his name in the directory, where the humiliating truth stood revealed. Both the girls were highly disgusted and indignant—especially Miss Amy Annerly, the younger sister; for to tell the truth, she had rather encouraged Mr. Markby's attentions when they were abroad. Mrs. Annerly hastened to atone for her indiscretion by writing a second letter to the young man, stating that the invitation had been sent under a misapprehension, and declining to renew their acquaintance. She took care to express herself in the clearest terms, without much regard for his feelings, and by way of avoiding any misunderstanding in the future, she and her daughters cut Mr. Markby dead when they chanced to meet him in the street shortly afterward.

There is no doubt that Sam Markby had just cause to complain of the Annerlys' conduct; but, on the other hand, he had been guilty of deception. He was a good-looking young fellow, of pleasing manners and appearance, but, being snobbish enough to feel ashamed of his business, he always endeavored to convey the impression that he was a gentleman at large. Though he told the Annerlys no lies about himself, he carefully concealed the fact that he was a retail tradesman, and never even hinted that he was in business of any kind.

But Sam would by no means admit that he was in any way to blame for the unpleasantness that had occurred. His rage and indignation was unbounded, the more especially as he considered that Miss Amy had trifled with his affections. He resolved, therefore, to be revenged upon the Annerlys for the slight they had put upon him, and, after being cut by them in the street, he took the earliest opportunity of calling upon his friend, Mr. Jonah Montagu, the fashionable money-lender, on the chance of picking up a little information that might be useful to him.

Mr. Jonah Montagu was a student of human nature on a vast scale, and having interested motives he followed his pursuit with keenness and ardor. There was hardly a prominent individual in London society whose affairs he did not know something about, and Sam not unreasonably hoped that he might have some knowledge of the Annerlys. Mr. Montagu received him in a perfectly easy and natural manner, for Sam was in the habit of entrusting him with his spare cash to invest on profitable terms, as his father had done before him.

"Well, Sammy, my son, what brings you here?" inquired the great man, patting his visitor affectionately on the shoulder with his bejeweled hand.

"Not business this time, Mr. Montagu. I want to have a little chat in a friendly way."

"By all means, my boy. What is it?" said Mr. Montagu, cordially.

"Do you know any one of the name of Annerly?"

"Annerly! Annerly. There was a young Annerly who came here once to renew a small bill he had backed. He paid up all right. I believe he is now in India with his regiment," said Mr. Montagu.

"That is the family I mean. I know the son is in India," said Sam. "But I want to find out all about the old people. Old Annerly lives at Lancaster-gate, and is somewhere in this city."

"Oh, he is all right! Good for any amount! You needn't be afraid," said Mr. Montagu, reassurance.

"You don't know anything against him, then?" said Sam, biting his nails.

"No I don't," returned Mr. Montagu, looking surprised; "nor any of his family, for that matter. By-the-by, you know who Mrs. A. was, of course?"

"Mrs. Annerly! No! Who was she?" inquired Sam, quickly.

"She was the daughter of old Tom Rogers, who kept the 'Silver Grid' in Fenchurch street years ago. You wouldn't think it, would you? I'm told the Annerlys move in tip-top society. But her father died when she was quite a child, so I suppose she has cut the connection."

"Then, it seems she hasn't got much to be proud of, after all," said Mr. Markby, spitefully. "Only a publican's daughter! She gives herself the airs of a duchess."

"They mostly do, my boy, when they come from nothing. By-the-by," added Mr. Montagu, thoughtfully, "she had a brother once—a regular bad lot. The last I heard of him was that he was quilled for forgery, and I believe he is still alive."

"You don't say so?" exclaimed Sam, exultingly.

Mr. Montagu seemed a good deal surprised at his young friend's evident satisfaction; but he asked no questions, and Sam shortly afterward took his departure with radiant countenance. He was a vindictive little man, and he hurried off to concoct some scheme of revenge based upon the discovery he had made. But though the secret of Mrs. Annerly's origin seemed at first sight to furnish promising material to work upon, he found a difficulty in utilizing it to his satisfaction. The Annerlys had attained too firm a footing in society to be easily assailed, and though it would do them no good to have it spread about that Mrs. Annerly was the daughter of a publican and the sister of a returned convict, the scandal was hardly likely to affect their position materially. The consequence was that Sam gloated over the compromising secret for some months, while waiting for an opportunity to turn it to account. Meanwhile he cherished his resentment, for he was one of those morbid-minded individuals who brood over their wrongs, and never forgot an injury.

At length the newspapers announced the engagement of Miss Amy Annerly with young Lord Revely, the Earl of

Bestwood's son. As Sam's vindictiveness was intensified by a thrill of jealousy, he perceived that the time had come to discharge his venom. The occasion was promising, for it was hardly likely that Lord Revely could be aware of Mrs. Annerly's antecedents. As for the Earl, Sam was convinced, from what he had heard of him, that he would never consent to his son making such a *mesalliance*. The prospect of breaking off the match, thereby aiming a blow at the Annerlys in general and at Miss Amy in particular, while at the same time giving circulation to scandal, filled him with savage satisfaction. He was the more eager to avail himself of the opportunity, because he realized that, if the marriage took place, the Annerlys' social position would be so strengthened that his precious secret would be valueless.

His first impulse was to communicate direct with Lord Revely, or his father, but he naturally preferred to keep in the background. A more effectual, and, at the same time, a safer plan seemed to be to work his revenge through some influential third person, and with this reflection the name of Lord Algernon Todd, the Earl of Bestwood's brother, naturally occurred to him.

Lord Algernon was well known among money-lenders at the west end of town, and he had also been mixed up in many shady transactions east of Temple Bar. Always impetuous, and by no means over-scrupulous, Lord Algernon was a ready tool of company promoters, and, though his aristocratic name had long since lost its alluring influence with the knowing portion of the British public, he still found it a marketable commodity. With his family, however, Lord Algernon had always contrived to remain—outwardly, at least—upon good terms, having a keen eye to their own interests. But for this circumstance his reputation would hardly have survived his moral delinquencies. As it was, many of the best houses were closed against him, but in clubland, on the turf, and, in fact, on neutral ground he was rather popular than otherwise, on account of his genial manners and his imperturbable good humor.

It occurred to Sam Markby that Lord Algernon might easily be prevailed upon to open the eyes of his brother, the Earl, and generally to make things unpleasant for the Annerlys. He knew there was no love lost between him and his nephew, so that the prospect of interfering with the lad's happiness would not be likely to deter him. Moreover, it was notorious that Lord Algernon was the most obliging man in the world when properly managed, and Sam was sufficiently well acquainted with him to feel no hesitation about paying him a visit.

Lord Algernon always made a point of being pleasant and affable to gentlemen of Sam Markby's peculiar line of business. When he called he received him in his bed-room, where he was undergoing the process of shaving, and he greeted his visitor as familiarly as though he had been his dearest friend. At a sign from his master, the well-trained valet placed a box of cigars and a liquor stand at Sam's elbow and disappeared.

"What is in the wind, Mr. Markby?" inquired his lordship, affably.

"I called to make a communication of a private nature to you, my lord," said Sam, with a shade of embarrassment.

"Oh!" said Lord Algernon, glancing approvingly in the looking-glass at the reflection of his valet's handiwork.

"Well, take a cigar and a glass of curacao, and fire away."

"I hear your nephew, Lord Revely, is going to be married," remarked Sam, as he availed himself of Lord Algernon's hospitality. "Miss Annerly is the young lady's name, I'm told."

"I don't know much about my nephew's affairs, but I believe that is so," said Lord Algernon, lighting a cigarette.

"I suppose Lord Bestwood is not aware that the young lady's mother is the daughter of a publican and the sister of a convict," said Sam, endeavoring to look unconcerned.

"No, by Jove!" exclaimed Lord Algernon with genuine surprise. "You don't say so!"

Sam proceeded to give Lord Algernon all the information he possessed, and, as he had taken the trouble to verify Mr. Montagu's statement, he was able to convince his lordship of the accuracy of his assertion.

"Well," remarked Lord Algernon, coolly, when he had finished, "all I can say is, it is devilish lucky for the young lady that my brother knows nothing of all this."

"I suppose the Earl would forbid the marriage," said Sam, eagerly.

"Most certainly; and I don't think that Revely would come up to the scratch either," said his lordship, stroking his dyed mustache thoughtfully.

"I felt it my duty to tell your lordship," remarked Sam, rather crestfallen at Lord Algernon's demeanor, "before it was too late."

"Too late! Oh! you think I ought to interfere, eh?" said Lord Algernon, with a curious smile.

"Of course, I don't presume to advise or to suggest; but I imagined you might consider it advisable to do so, my lord," said Sam, endeavoring in vain to hide his eagerness. "After all, the Annerlys are marrying into your family under false pretences, as it were."

"Perhaps you are right. In fact, upon reflection, I think I ought to open my brother's eyes. One owes some thing to one's family, after all," remarked Lord Algernon, sententiously.

"Quite so, my lord. Besides, it would serve the Annerlys right to be reminded of their proper position," said Sam.

"Yes. It would be impossible to conceal the reason for breaking off the match," said Lord Algernon, with a meaning glance. "I suppose I may take it that I should be rendering you a service also, Mr. Markby," he added pleasantly.

"Well, my lord, I don't mind owing, between you and me, that I owe the Annerlys a grudge," acquiesced Sam, rather unwillingly. "But the informa-

tion I have given your lordship is true, nevertheless, and I thought you might be glad to know it."

"I am, Mr. Markby. The more I reflect, the more obvious my duty appears to be. As for the Annerlys, it is like their infernal impudence," said Lord Algernon gravely, though Sam fancied he detected a grin about the corner of his mouth. "However, you may safely leave the matter in my hands. By the bye, Markby," added his lordship, in an off-hand tone, "oddy enough I was coming to see you. Just look at that picture on the sofa there. I am told it's worth £500."

"Your lordship mustn't believe all you are told," said Sam recognizing the work of art referred to as an old acquaintance. "I suppose you took it instead of cash?"

"I had to. That little thief Isaac insisted. Of course, it isn't worth half what he says," laughed Lord Algernon, good-humoredly. "I'll tell you what, though, Markby, you shall have it for £200."

Sam was not unprepared for something of this kind. He had brought his cheque book with him, knowing that Lord Algernon never rendered a service without some equivalent. He raised a faint protest, but ultimately yielded with good grace. The picture was, intrinsically, almost valueless; but he did not object to pay for luxury of revenge, and he perceived that Lord Algernon needed some incentive. He, therefore, wrote a check, and arranged to send for the picture—Lord Algernon volunteering to look in the course of a day or two and let him know the result of his mission.

His lordship was better than his word, for the very next afternoon he strolled into Sam's shop and accosted him in his sanctum.

"I lost no time, you see. It was a devilish unpleasant business," he said mysteriously. "My brother was a good deal cut up for the youngster's sake; but the marriage is off. Revely, I hear, is awful indignant with old Annerly. The fact is, I think Annerly behaved devilish deceitfully and so do other people, as he will find out. I shouldn't wonder if the Annerlys were cold-shouldered next season."

"Oh! it is known already?" said Sam, highly delighted.

"Well, it is known in a quiet way. I've mentioned it to several mutual friends, with my brother's consent. In fact, in self-defence, we are bound to publish the reason for Revely backing out."

"Naturally. Then, I suppose it is no longer a secret," said Sam, exultingly.

"About the engagement being broken off? Not the least. As regards the other thing, we don't want it to get into the papers for our own sakes. But the Annerlys will soon find people know about it."

Sam felt strongly tempted, when Lord Algernon had departed, to write a letter of mock condolence to Miss Annerly, but he had sufficient sense of decency to refrain. His satisfaction was complete when he heard the Annerlys had left town, and he considered he had effectually revenged himself. It never crossed his mind that Lord Algernon had played him false, and, consequently, the announcement which appeared in the papers shortly afterwards of the marriage of Lord Revely and Miss Amy Annerly came upon him like a thunder-clap.

The ceremony had taken place down in the country, and among the guests present at the wedding Lord Algernon Todd's name was conspicuous. Before he could realize the meaning of his lordship's conduct, he received the following note from Mr. Montagu, which clearly explained the situation:

"DEAR SAM: If you know where to lay your hand on any of Lord Algy Todd's paper, buy it immediately, either on your own account or on mine. I hear on the best authority that Mr. Annerly, whose daughter was married the other day, is going to pay his debts. Between you and me I fancy Lord Algy must have got hold of that scandal about Mrs. A., and done a good stroke of business. Ever true."

In the vast amount of business transacted at the Baltimore, Md., Postoffice, Mr. M. V. Bailey, Superintendent of the Mails, is kept exceedingly busy, but somehow he finds a spare hour or day to go fishing, and from his experience he gives his testimony, that St. James' Oil is the best remedy in the world for rheumatism, sore feet and joints, bruises, etc. It is the remedy for fishermen and gunners, who should always keep a bottle on hand.

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Mrs. Fisher is a lady of character and means what she says. Grateful patients are common. Dr. Kennedy is daily in receipt of letters from them expressing similar sentiments. These letters are spontaneous and true, and they are the best evidence of the value of the FAVORITE REMEDY for many forms of disease. Perhaps the best of these you have been looking for. Is your Liver disordered? Have you derangement of the Kidneys or Bladder associated with Constipation of the Bowels? If so, you want Kennedy's FAVORITE REMEDY. Dr. Kennedy practices medicine and surgery in all his branches, write and state your case frankly. Letters promptly answered. Address Dr. David Kennedy, Rondout, N. Y.

What Struck an Old Soldier.

"It will soon be twenty years since the war closed."

Under the hot sun of August, 1882, the village of Dover, N. J., lay still as the sphinx in Egypt, while Elijah Sharp, of that place, slowly and softly spoke of the past. "Yes," he said "I was in the army and saw many sights of those fearful years, I was finally discharged from disability, resulting from sunstroke, I came home, miserable in mind and spirit; so feeble that I took cold on the slightest exposure. Life seemed worthless to me; I lived only in memory."

"That was sad enough," I said, dividing my last two cigars.

"That was," responded Mr. Sharp; "but I got over it. Outgrew it? Not exactly. When in that condition I began taking PARKER'S TONIC, and my health began to improve right away. I was astonished at it, and so was my wife. I piled on the flesh and could stand to business, and now—excepting that I have to take care about exposing myself to the hot sun—I am as well as I was the day I enlisted. The differences there are in things—guns and bayonets kill; PARKER'S TONIC saves."

This preparation, which has been known as PARKER'S TONIC, will hereafter be simply PARKER'S TONIC. As unprincipled dealers are constantly deceiving their customers by substituting inferior articles under the name of PARKER'S TONIC, it is really an important ingredient, we drop the misleading word.

There is no change, however, in the preparation of the bottles remaining in the hands of the dealers, wrapped under the name of PARKER'S TONIC, contain the genuine medicine, it is the fact of the change of the name of the bottle, at the bottom of the outside wrapper.

The Oldest Woman in the World.

London Lancet.

At Aubertine-on-Royans, a village in the Dauphine, situated between Valence and Grenoble, may be seen an old woman living in a hut in a narrow street who has reached the extraordinary age of 123 years. She has no infirmity except slight deafness, being in full possession of her mental faculties.

According to her marriage certificate, she completed in January last her 100th year since marriage. She was a "canniere" under the first empire, and had two sons killed at the battle of Friedland and in Spain. She is supported entirely on the alms given her by visitors, who go from great distances to see her as an object of curiosity, and her neighbors help her to do the household.

She lives almost exclusively on soup made with bread, to which is added a little wine and sometimes a little brandy.

Dr. Bonne, who practices in the neighborhood, states that she is never ill. Her skin is like parchment, but she is comparatively upright, and is of scrupulously clean habits.

HIS SON'S ADVICE.

I have been troubled for over twelve years with a weakness of the kidneys and bladder, which the doctors said was diabetes. I could not at times stand up, and would have to continually use the urinal both day and night, with intense pains in my back and sides; there was brick-dust deposits in my water; I could not rest well or lie easily in bed in any posture. I was at that time employed by the Maine Central Railroad, and had to give up work for a time. Fearing that it would sooner or later turn to that dreaded Bright's disease, I called in my son in Lewiston, who is in the drug business, and after consulting with me, he advised me to use Hunt's Remedy as he knew of so many successful cures that it had made in Lewiston and vicinity. I at once commenced using it, and began to improve. I had less pain in my back and sides, my water was passed naturally with less color and no pain, and after using several bottles found that my pains were all gone and the weakness of the kidneys and bladder were cured, and I have no trouble with them now, and can attend to my business; and for one of my years I am enjoying good health, and thanks to Hunt's Remedy for it, and I consider it a duty and pleasure to recommend so good a medicine as Hunt's Remedy, and I have taken pains to recommend it to others in this vicinity.

You are at liberty to publish this acknowledgment, hoping it may be the means of helping suffering humanity.

E. B. CLARK, Furniture Dealer, Formerly with Maine Central Railroad, Newport, Me., May 17, 1883.

SHERIFF'S STATEMENT.

Within the past three years I had occasion to use in my family a medicine for dropsy, as the physician seemed baffled in the case, and the case was a severe one of bloating, and one of the physicians recommended tapping, and I, as well as one of the attendants, was opposed to it. Hunt's Remedy was recommended by some friend, and the first few doses relieved the pain, and a wonderful improvement took place at once; and I can truly say that Hunt's Remedy is a wonderful medicine. Several bottles were used, and it proved all that was recommended, and I cordially recommend its use to those suffering from dropsy or kidney troubles.

Geo. B. ROBERTSON, Deputy Sheriff, Bangor, Me., May 18, 1883.

Don't judge a man by the clothes he wears. God made one and the tailor the other.

Be Your Own Doctor.

It won't cost you one-half as much. Do not delay. Send two 5-cent stamps for postage, and we will send you Dr. Kaufmann's great work, fine colored plates from, on disease, its causes and home cure. Address A. P. Ordway & Co., Boston, Mass.

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Marine Department.

Sch. Leonessa, Gray, arrived home from Salem Saturday.

Sch. Fannie Whitmore, Whitmore, has just been coppered at Boston.

Sch. J. P. Ames, Hewitt, is lying at the Ames privilege, North-end.

Sch. American Chief, Snow, has loaded lime for New York for A. C. Gay & Co.

A barkentine, with a jack up at the fore for a pilot, was in our harbor yesterday.

Sch. Luella Snow, Snow, sailed Friday for Halifax to load as reported last week.

Sch. Sardinian, Holbrook, has arrived home and is loading lime for the Cobb Lime Co.

Sch. Martha Weeks, Kennedy, has loaded lime for New York for J. M. Kirkpatrick.

Sch. Ella Pressey, Prassey, is loading lime for New York for G. L. Snow and A. F. Crockett & Co.

Capt. C. J. Jameson has gone to New York for the sch. Ella Ann, recently bought by himself and others.

Sch. A. J. Fahens, Peck, is at Portland loading lumber for Harlem, at \$2.25 per M. Capt. Peck is at home.

Sch. Ada A. Kennedy, Kennedy, male the run from Bath to New Orleans in the unusually quick time of 14 days.

Sch. Charlotte T. Shibley, Bartlett, of Belfast, arrived here Saturday and is loading lime at the Point for Jacksonville, Fla.

Sch. Laura E. Messer now on the South Railway, is having a full set of stanchions and walrus put in place of her fly-rail.

Capt. Thomas Dermot of the Bark Will W. Case is here on a short visit. His vessel is at New York for the South American.

Sch. H. C. Hagins, Fales, at Boston, is chartered to load plaster at Windsor for Baltimore or Alexandria, at \$1.75 per ton.

Sch. Cora Etta, Fales, arrived here Sunday evening. She is chartered to load paving and platforms at Frankfurt for New York.

Capt. Zed Brewster has taken the sch. Gen. Adelbert Ames, until Capt. Jameson sufficiently recovers his health to resume command.

Sch. Ella Francis, Hall, has arrived home and is lying at the Farrand & Spear wharf. She will probably load lime for New York.

Capt. Chas. Williams has left the sch. Helen and Capt. T. M. Bunker has taken charge of her. She has loaded lime for New York for H. O. Gurdy & Co.

Steam sch. Walker Armstrong, Smith, arrived in Boston last Friday after a 37 days voyage from Philadelphia to Porto Rico and back to Boston.

Sch. Archer & Reeves has been chartered to take forward the cargo of paving from Boston to Baltimore for sch. Manly, which was sunk at Chatham and recently raised and taken to Boston. The Manly will receive temporary repairs at B. and be taken to Vinhaven and put in order.

Sch. D. B. Everett, McLain, loading lime for account of Joseph Abbott at the Old Crockett privilege, was discovered to be on fire last Wednesday. She was plastered to exclude the air and on the next high tide removed to the Atlantic wharf, where no signs of fire has since been seen, and it is supposed to be smothered out and the damage slight.

Rev. steamer Woodbury was in our port for a short time yesterday on a cruise east. The steamer has been put in the best of order for the coming season, and Capt. Abbey and his efficient officers and crew entered upon the winter's work in the best of spirits. Our on-coming people are heartily glad to welcome them back on the coast, gracefully remembering their gallant and efficient services of last winter.

The sch. Edward Lameyer has been placed upon a crab and hauled on the bank near the Atlantic wharf, where she is now undergoing extensive repairs. The hauling out of a vessel of this size in this way, is frequently done at other places where there are no railroads, but it is a new exhibition of mechanical skill for Rockland, and was done under the superintendence of John Master John Mehan, who is competent to do anything in that line that is possible.

Bark Fairy Bell, 646 tons, built at Quebec in 1871 and sailing from Liverpool, now at New York, was sold by U. S. Marshall, late on Nov. 8, for \$9800, to A. Dubrell of Brooklyn, N. Y., for account of the original owner.

This vessel has for the past few years, been commanded by Capt. Fred S. Hayden of South Thomaston. On her last passage from Batavia and Padang, she put into Cape Town in distress and was there some two months repairing and finally reached New York, where it was found the owner had become insolvent and Capt. Hayden was obliged to libel the vessel for his wages, which it is supposed is the reason for the sale.

New York.—Our correspondent writes under date of November 10:

Coal freights continue as reported for past two months, although on a few small orders a slight advance is noted. Coal to Boston, \$1.05 to \$1.10; Portland, \$1.15 to \$1.20; Portland, 80c, and discharged....The arrivals were:—Schs. Emerson Rokes, Mary, Carrie L. Hix, Evie B. Hall, Mabel Hall, Franklin, Rival, Maggie Bell, Fleetwing, Richmond, Mary Brewer, Silas McLain, Jennie G. Pillsbury, Ann Eliza, Alfred Keene, Sinbad, John Bird, Susan, Millie Trim, Geo. E. Prescott, and Veto....The charters—schs. J. G. Pillsbury, pig iron, hence to Boston, \$1.55; Mary Brewer, coal, hence to Portland, reported 90c, and discharged—Addie Wessels, Maggie Bell, Richmond, Silas McLain, Ann Eliza and Mary, corn, hence to Bangor, 3-4c.—Fleetwing, clay, Northport, L. I., to Charlestown, \$1.60—W. M. Snow, coal, hence to Rockport, Me., \$1.05—D. H. Ingraham, cement, Rockport to Boston, 20c—John Bird, coal, Amboy, to Portsmouth, \$1.25.

AN OLD SHIP GONE.—Many of our readers will recall the ship Bethiah Thayer, built at South Thomaston in 1850 by the late Wm. McLain. She registered 896 tons according to the old records. After sailing many voyages and making much money for her owner, the ship was sold abroad, many years ago. After passing through many hands she finally turned up in New York last month from Calcutta under the name of "Margaria," her rig meanwhile having been altered to that of a bark, and being owned in Liverpool. While loading with oil and naphtha at the docks she caught fire last Thursday evening and was totally destroyed, together with a cargo of 1,375 barrels of naphtha and 2000 barrels of refined petroleum. The tug Standard took the burning ship in tow and grounded her on the Staten Island side of the channel, where she burned throughout the night. By daybreak the masts and decks had been destroyed, together with much of the naphtha, and the flames had taken hold of the heavier oil underneath. The heat of the fire caused the barrels to explode, one after another, leaving the oil free in the vessel's hold. The bark itself was soon reduced to a shell, and as there was danger that it would float away and do serious damage, the tug Standard ran against it at full speed, and knocked a hole through it. Into this the water poured, and shortly before noon the bark sunk. As she went down a large quantity of burning oil floated on the surface of the water and sent a ruddy mass of flames 200 feet into the air. The cause of the fire was said to be due to the tricks of a pet monkey belonging to the mate of the Margaria. The animal perished in the flames. A correspondent calls attention to the sentimental side of the case, that the Bethiah Thayer, after so many years of buffeting the waves of all waters, returned to lay her bones so near the place where she began her watery career.

NEW SCHOONER GEORGE BIRD.—The fine three-masted sch. George Bird is to be launched Thursday from the yard near foot of Water street. The schooner's dimensions are: length of keel 100 feet; beam 28 feet; depth, 9 1/2 feet; length from knight-heads to tailfin 116 feet. She measures 212 tons government. She is built after a handsome model made by John McLain, who was also master-builder. Her frame is the best Virginia white oak, and was cut by Jackson Whitehouse. She is poised forward to the main-batch, but no deck is laid on the main deck beams beneath, making a

very spacious hold. Her masts are white pine from Bangor, and are 76, 75 and 74 feet in length. The masting and rigging were done by Andrew Roseland. The sails, spreading 2000 yards, were made by Horace Perry. The outside painting was done by Joseph Ham, and iron work by Z. O. Bragg. A handsome set of blocks was furnished by G. F. Kaler & Co. The vessel has a gilded moulding on her stern and handsome rail-boards forward, the work of J. E. Verrill. The accommodations for the crew are in the port side of the forward house, consisting of four berths. On the starboard side is the galley, with a door opening forward into the cook's room. The cabin is a double one and very large for this class of vessel, being 19 feet long. It is finished in ash and black-walnut, got out by Ed. Knowlton of South Hope. It was put in by W. H. Coombs, who did the joiner work on the vessel. The polishing, etc., was done by Chas. B. Emery. The captain's berth occupies an alcove on starboard side of the after cabin. Forward on the same side are two state-rooms. On the opposite side are the pantry and mate's room. Her boat, a very fine one, was built by N. F. Albee. John Mehan does the work of launching. The schooner has been constructed under the personal superintendence of Capt. William Spear, who has purchased all the materials and had everything done by the day, and nothing has been spared to have everything first class. She cost about \$16,000. The vessel is named for a young gentleman of Boston, whose mother is one of the owners, and was a former resident of Rockland. Her other owners are principally of Rockland. She will be commanded by Capt. Spear, and will be used for general freighting and as a frigate.

Port of Rockland—Foreign Arrivals.

At Nov 7, sch Sabine, Holder, Bellevue Cove, N. S., wood, Cobb Lime Co.

At 9, Princess, Rion, Port Gilbert, do, wood to Cobb Lime Co.; Willie A. Robichau, Metighan, do, do; Billow, Norton, St. George, NB, wood to R. W. Messer; M & J. White, Haley, Bellevue Cove, N. S., wood to Cobb Lime Co.; Lottie B. Cosman, St. John, NB, do, do.

At 10, Mary Elizabeth, Everett, Port Gilbert, NS, wood to Cobb Lime Co.; Sarah Beach, Glass, St. Andrews, NB wood to Cobb Lime Co.

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