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ATWOOD & FORBES.

Editors and Proprietors.

GEORGE M. ATWOOD. A. E. FORBES.

TERMS.—\$1.50 a year in advance.

Advertisements.—All local advertisements

are given three consecutive insertions for \$1.00

per line. Length of columns. Special contracts

made with local, transient and yearly advertisers.

Job Printing.—New type, best presswork,

power, experienced workmen and low prices

combine to make this department of our business

complete and popular.

SINGLE COPIES.

Single copies of the Democrat are four cents

each. They will be mailed on receipt of price by

the publisher. For the convenience of our

readers, copies of each issue have been placed on

sale at the following places: In the County:

South Paris, George W. Smith.

Shelburne, J. H. Smith.

Norway, E. F. Lewis, Postmaster.

Buckfield, E. F. Lewis, Postmaster.

Freeport, E. F. Lewis, Postmaster.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

For One Week Only.

Three Dollars.

For Two Weeks Only.

Five Dollars.

For One Month Only.

Ten Dollars.

For Three Months Only.

Twenty Dollars.

For Six Months Only.

Forty Dollars.

For One Year Only.

Seventy Dollars.

For Two Years Only.

One Hundred Dollars.

For Three Years Only.

One Hundred Fifty Dollars.

For Four Years Only.

Two Hundred Dollars.

For Five Years Only.

Two Hundred Fifty Dollars.

For Six Years Only.

Three Hundred Dollars.

For Seven Years Only.

Three Hundred Fifty Dollars.

For Eight Years Only.

Four Hundred Dollars.

For Nine Years Only.

Four Hundred Fifty Dollars.

For Ten Years Only.

Five Hundred Dollars.

For Fifteen Years Only.

Seven Hundred Dollars.

For Twenty Years Only.

One Thousand Dollars.

For Life Only.

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SOUTH PARIS.

Rev. Mr. Fitz of Bridgton was in town

during the past week, and was cordially

greeted by his many friends.

We are pleased to state that some of

the citizens have been engaged during

the past week in the grand work of

gladdening the hearts of our needy poor

by supplying them with some of the

necessities and comforts of life. May

the good work go on.

The village schools do not keep Fri-

day in order that the scholars might

gain some rest, and better prepare for

the Christmas season.

Capt. Judson N. Cross of the law firm

of Cross, Carleton & Cross of Minneapolis,

was in town last week.

The regular annual meeting of the

W. C. T. U. will be held at Eagle

House, Fri., Saturday evening, Dec. 31st.

All members are requested to be present.

Augustine's Minstrels were here Fri-

day evening and gave a good entertain-

ment.

Child's Coldest!

At the Congregational church on Sat-

urday evening, there was given a very

pleasant and interesting singing of

selections and music, in which the

children, and all connected therewith,

did credit to themselves.

Entertainment of the children,

and many who were not children were

made glad by the distribution of many

beautiful and costly presents. The fol-

lowing program was carried out:

1. Prayer by pastor.

2. Reading of the Bible.

3. Invocation by Pastor.

4. Reading of the Bible.

5. Recitation by Miss Wilson.

6. Singing, "What say the bells?" by four

young ladies: Miss Bennett, Miss

Bennett, Miss Bennett, Miss Bennett.

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NORWAY.

Three runaways this week. No one

injured.

The town clerk, C. G. Mason, is hav-

ing a rush of business.

The church choir, in pronouncing

the best year for holiday trade for

a long time.

For the past week, Fred and John

have been in town for the holidays.

John A. Roberts, Esq., master of the

Norway Grange, attended the State

Grange meeting at Lewiston this week.

Norway Grange stands at the head in

questions of progress.

Frank Noble is book-keeper for C. B.

Cummings & Sons. He will take J. A.

Roberts' place during his absence at

Augusta this winter.

E. K. Hildings, Esq., of Fryeburg was

in town this week.

A. P. Bassett, state detective, has a

very large number of appointments as

large number of individual citizens ask-

ing for his appointment as deputy

sheriff. The sheriff is now engaged

in the suppression of the liquor

traffic and little doubt is entertained as

to Sheriff Little's intention to again

appoint a deputy.

Mrs. J. W. Webb and Miss S. S. Prince

went to Boston this week for medical

treatment.

S. D. Milne has been confined to his

home during the week with serious

illness.

At the annual election of officers of

the Norway Grange, the following officers

were elected:

Commonwealth, Stephen L. Fitch.

Justice, John

What is CASTORIA

Castoria is Dr. Samuel Fitcher's prescription for Infants and Children. It contains neither Opium, Morphine nor other Narcotic substance. It is a harmless substitute for Paregoric, Drops, Soothing Syrup, and Castor Oil. It is Pleasant. Its guarantee is thirty years' use by Millions of Mothers. Castoria destroys Worms and allays feverishness. Castoria prevents vomiting Sour Curd, cures Diarrhoea and Wind Colic. Castoria relieves teething troubles, cures constipation and flatulency. Castoria assimilates the food, regulates the stomach and bowels, giving healthy and natural sleep. Castoria is the Children's Panacea—the Mother's Friend.

Castoria.

"Castoria is an excellent medicine for children. Mothers have repeatedly told me of its good effect upon their children."

**Dr. G. C. Osmond,
Lowell, Mass.**

"Castoria is the best remedy for children of which I am acquainted. I hope the day is not far distant when mothers will consider the real interest of their children, and use Castoria instead of the various quack nostrums which are depriving their loved ones, by forcing opium, morphine, washing sugar and other harmful agents down their throats, thereby sending them to premature graves."

**Dr. J. F. KITCHEN, JR.,
Carmy, Ark.**

Castoria.

"Castoria is well adapted to children that I recommend it as superior to any purgative known to me."

**H. A. ANDERSON, M. D.,
111 So. Oxford St., Brooklyn, N. Y.**

"Our physicians in the children's department have spoken highly of their experience with its outside practice with Castoria, and although we only have among our medical supplies what is known as regular products, yet we are free to confess that the merits of Castoria have won us to look with favor upon it."

**UNITED HOSPITAL AND DISPENSARY,
London, Eng.**

**ALLEN C. SMITH, Pres.,
The Centaur Company, 71 Murray Street, New York City.**

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

The Baby's Own Days Have Come.

But in the well provided house there are small signs of Mel-

authority. Brigs and
Draperies to soften the bleak land-scape, and above
all good Stoves to keep the house comfortable.

CARPETS.

The first thing to decide in getting a carpet is to fix the price you can afford. Then decide whether you want it in light or dark colors. It is well in buying a carpet to get lining as well, for it saves wear on the carpet and helps keep warm. We will start at the bottom and quote you a few prices.

For 20 cents.

For 20 cents a yard, you can buy a Hemp Carpet that would do for back stairs or chamber. If you would prefer a straw matting, we can show you a very good line.

For 25 cents

You can buy a carpet like the above, but of a better grade. You can also buy an Oil Cloth for your kitchen, but the Sheet Oil Cloth will cost you 95 cents and 8 1/4 square yard.

RANGES.

If you are not pleased with your Range buy a Quaker. There is one of the many testimonials which we receive:

WINDCASSET, October 23, 1892.

Mrs. Emerson is perfectly delighted with the "Quaker." Many of our friends have been to see it and they all agree that the Quaker is a magnificent Range.

Very truly,
CHAS. E. EMERSON,
Editor and publisher of the Sheepskin Echo.

Quaker, Jr., at \$25

Quaker Plain, \$27.50.

For 50 cents

We will sell you a Union or a C. C. Carpet. These are good wearing carpets of pretty pattern, and are very popular as chamber and living room carpets. We have a great variety of these.

For 75 cents

We will sell a Lowell Ingrain, a standard carpet of great value. Others from the same mill for the runner and Ogilvie, cost 85 cents and \$1.

For \$1.00

We have some handsome Velvets and Brussels. These carpets are always in demand for parlor and dining room. The finer grades cost \$1.25 and \$1.35, but we can suit you at either price. Among the highest priced carpets are

Wiltons,
Administers,
Moquettes.

PARLOR STOVES

New Tariff, \$30.00.

We have these Ranges in all the various combinations, with or without reservoir, right or left hand.

These Ranges are made for either wood or coal, but in ordering mention which you wish to use.

We are sole agents in Maine for the Quaker, and we guarantee them. Of all the countless ranges, we have sold only what I call these. Our best testimonials are the satisfied words of our ranges.

We supply a liberal assortment of ware with our ranges, and they are the cheapest in the east.

Send for catalogues and price lists.

We Deliver Your Goods at Your Nearest Railroad Station.

A thing of beauty is a joy forever, but if the thing of beauty lets the fire flow out, smokes under the paragon and discharges you a lot of heat.

In Draperies more than in any one thing, the woman's taste should be allowed full sway. Nothing adds so much an air of refinement and luxury to the home as draperies at the doors and windows. A comparatively inexpensive Drapery will bring the appearance of a room completely. We have all styles and at all prices.

For 75 cents a pair

You can get a simple Nottingham Drapery. It is simple yet even these can be easily looped in a draped. We have a much finer line of the same goods at \$1.50; better still at \$2.50, and a very pretty one at \$3.50.

For \$4.50

We can sell you a pretty pair of Irish Point or Swiss Draperies. The patterns of these are very tasty, and unless carefully examined, they would be taken for a higher priced Drapery. Prices on these goods run up to \$5, \$6, \$7, \$8, \$10, \$12, to \$25.

Silk Draperies.

At \$10, \$15, and \$25 a pair.

At your Parlor Stove.

Our stoves give satisfaction in use as well as appearance. Prices from

\$3 to \$35.

**The Bud,
Airtights,
Cosy,
Frankfort,
Octagon,**

and a dozen of other styles, both coal and wood burners.

We will sell you a very good stove for

\$12. to \$14.

Portieres.

We have cheap Portieres for \$3 a pair.

For \$7, \$8 or \$9, we can give a very handsome effect, and for \$12 or \$15 we can give you Imported Chenille and extra wide.

If our branch stores be out of any style that you desire, write to the headquarters direct, and they will supply you.

WE ARE COMPLETE HOUSE FURNISHERS.

THE ATKINSON HOUSE FURNISHING COMPANY

D. W. NAEVEY, Manager.

Headquarters, Portland, ME.

BRANCHES— Auburn, Ro. land, Bangor, Biddeford, Norway, Gardiner, Waterville, Bath and Old Town.

ISAAC C. ATKINSON, **Manager**

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