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Advertisements.

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New Store. New Goods.

I have moved my market and provision store to the Masonic block on State street. The store has been newly fitted for my use, and all the goods are new and fresh. I now have the best appointed market in the city, and will be pleased to welcome all my old patrons and many new ones. My goods are always sure to be fresh and the best the market affords. Hereafter the business will be run on a

STRICTLY FOR CASH BASIS, and the prices will be as low as is consistent with first-class goods.

C. F. DAVIS,

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will not be found in our music store under any circumstances.

Everything is strictly up-to-date, especially our easy payment plan.

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A new lot received. All sizes and prices.
FURNITURE of every description. Everything is new and up-to-date.
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MISS N. F. DRUMMEY,
Public Stenographer
...and Typewriter...
Reasonable Prices. Prompt Service.
Giles' Office, Bank Block, Ellsworth.

Ready for Business.
We beg to announce to the public that we have leased the F. H. Osgood stable on Franklin street. This stable has been thoroughly renovated, and we are now prepared to keep a First-Class Livery, Boarding and Feed Stable.
Horses left in our care will receive prompt and careful attention. Please give us a call.
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EDWIN M. MOORE,
dealer in all kinds of
Fresh, salt, Smoked and Dry
FISH.

Cod, Haddock, Halibut, Bluefish, Mackerel, Oysters, Clams, Scallops, Lobsters and Finnan Haddies.
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BEDDING PLANTS
AT THE
ELLSWORTH GREENHOUSE.
Come and see our Pantries. Telephone connection.

LOCAL AFFAIRS.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS THIS WEEK.

In bankruptcy—Est Earl D Chase.
Probate notice—Est James B Markoe.
Admr notice—Est Frederick A Sweet.
Admr notice—Est Roland C Abbott.
Exec notice—Est Mark Frost.
Probate notice—Est Peter S Moore et als.
C C Burrill—Insurance.
Bank statement—Condition of First national bank.
Staples, Smith & Moody—Musical instruments.
G A Fisher—Apothecary.
Owen Byrn—Clothing.
Reliable Clothing Co—Clothing.
David Friend—Clothing.
C F Davis—Market.
BAR HARBOR:
Joe Emery—Log lost.
BANGOR:
Wood & Bishop Co—Ranges and furnaces.

SCHEDULE OF MAILS
AT ELLSWORTH POST-OFFICE.
In effect June 15, 1903.

GOING EAST—6.15, 7.21 a m, 12.33, 4.29 and 6.11 p m.
GOING WEST—11.56 a m, 2.23, 5.31 and 10.28 p m.
MAIL CLOSURES AT POST-OFFICE.
GOING EAST—7.00 a m, 3.45, 5.30 and 10 p m.
GOING WEST—11.20 a m, 2, 5 and 10 p m.
SUNDAY.
Mail trains arrive from the west at 6.13 a m, 12.52 and 6.11 p m. Leave for the west at 2.23, 5.31 and 10.28 p m. Mail closes for the west at 2, 5 and 10 p m.

THE AMERICAN is on sale in Ellsworth at the news stands of C. H. Leland, J. A. Thompson and H. W. Estey. Single copies, 5 cents; subscription price, \$1.50 per year in advance.

Miss Louise Dutton arrived home from Vassar last Friday.
Miss Elizabeth Dow, of Deer Isle, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. B. T. Sowle.
Miss Elizabeth Crippen, of Boston, arrived home Saturday night for a two weeks' vacation.

The ladies' circle of the Methodist church will meet with Mrs. James T. Cushman Friday afternoon.

Albert W. Cushman, chairman of the board of registration, is seriously ill at his home on Franklin street.

Walter J. Clark, Jr., of this city, has opened his fruit and confectionery store at Contentment Cove for the summer.

Mrs. J. W. Tatley, of Montreal, arrived yesterday to spend the summer with her parents, Col. and Mrs. C. C. Burrill.

John E. Clark, of Bar Harbor, is in the city today on business relating to the work that is going on at the postoffice.

The postponed Children's day concert on account of King day at the Baptist church will be given next Sunday evening.

A regular meeting of Sunrise council, D. of L., will be held to-morrow evening, at which the election of officers will take place.

Evangelist Williams will preach at South Hancock next Sunday morning; at Hancock in the afternoon, and at Mt. Desert Ferry in the evening.

There will be a supper and sale of ice-cream, home-made candies and fancy articles at the Methodist vestry, Thursday afternoon and evening, June 25.

The Shady Nook summer colony is beginning to arrive. John D. Newman and wife, of New York, are already there, and others are expected any day.

Mrs. John Frazier and Mrs. James Frazier have returned from Rockland, where they were called by the sudden death of their sister Susan, wife of Capt. O. M. Grant.

Last Saturday night the fire bell was rung by somebody who wanted to see the firemen get out. There was no blaze or sign of one, and who rang the alarm is a mystery.

Martyn L. Shute, a cadet at the West Point military academy, is home on a furlough. He will remain until August. He has just finished his second year at the academy.

The officers of the Hampden academy alumni association, which was formed last Friday afternoon elected Judge Lucilus A. Emery president, and Chaplain D. H. Tribou one of the vice-presidents.

Harry E. Walker and wife are home from Fort Fairfield, where Mr. Walker is principal of the high school. Mrs. E. McFarland, who spent the winter with them, returned to Ellsworth several weeks ago.

Ellsworth people learned with regret of the death of his home in Dorchester, Mass., last Wednesday, of Rodney F. Suminsby, formerly of this city, at the age of fifty-eight years. He leaves a widow and two married daughters. A brother, Deputy-Sheriff John Suminsby,

of Bar Harbor, survives, and one sister, Mrs. E. L. Curtis, who moved from Ellsworth to Massachusetts a few years ago. Mr. Suminsby was formerly in the dry goods business in Ellsworth and Bar Harbor. He moved to Massachusetts in 1891.

At the annual meeting of the State council of Daughters of Liberty, held in Westbrook June 11, Mrs. Agnes Brown, of this city, was elected State councillor, and Mrs. Florence Merrill, of Bluehill, associate vice councillor.

Miss Edythe M. Swan, of Bangor, has been engaged to sing in the place of Miss Mabel Monaghan at the high school graduation concert to be held in Hancock hall to-morrow evening. Miss Mary P. Hopkins will be the accompanist.

Mrs. Frank W. Brackett and son Carl, of Brookline, Mass., are expected the last of the week. They will spend the summer with Mrs. Brackett's parents, Gideon S. Cook and wife. Mr. Brackett will accompany them for a stay of two weeks.

The return game of baseball between the K. O. K. of Ellsworth and the Y. M. C. A. of Bar Harbor, scheduled for Wyman park last Saturday, which was postponed on account of the rain, will be played next Saturday. The game between these two nines at Bar Harbor the week before was won by the Bar Harbor boys.

Roy C. Haines, of this city, who is a student at Hebron academy, came home last week, and immediately left for Hancock Point where he will conduct during the summer the only store at the Point. In connection with the store are the post-office and the telephone exchange.

The Emerys closed their home, "Firlands," yesterday, and went to Hancock Point. Judge and Mrs. Emery leave July 1 for their trip abroad. Miss Emery is expected to-day, and will go immediately to Hancock Point, and Prof. Harry Emery will arrive for the summer about the 25th.

George W. Young, of Hancock, who has represented Adrians, Platt & Co., of Poughkeepsie, N. Y., in this county for seven or eight years, has opened a warehouse in Ellsworth. He has leased the basement of the Manning building on the north side of Main street, opposite the Manning block.

C. F. Davis has moved his meat-market to new quarters in the Masons' block on State street, which has been vacant since THE AMERICAN moved out in 1899. The store and basement have been newly fitted and painted for his use. An office has also been put in on the first floor. The basement will be used as a store room.

The funeral of Sarah A., widow of Capt. Elisha Wakefield, who died last Friday, was held Sunday at the family residence, Rev. J. P. Simonton officiating. Mrs. Harvard Greely and Miss Fannie Tower sang most acceptably. Four children survive—Gilman and John, and two married daughters. Another son, Frank, was lost at sea a year or two ago.

The Unitarian conference of Maine, held at Bangor last week, was largely attended. Among those from Ellsworth who went were Rev. and Mrs. S. W. Sutton, Mrs. A. F. Greely, Mrs. A. M. Hopkins, Mrs. E. K. Hopkins, Mrs. Sarah Partridge, Mrs. Herman E. Hill, Mrs. S. D. Wiggins, Mrs. F. S. Lord, Mrs. F. L. Kent, Mrs. J. M. Hale, Mrs. D. C. Hale, Mrs. C. I. Welch, and Miss Lizzie M. Osgood.

Friends of Stetson Foster, an old Ellsworth boy, will be interested to learn that his business in Boston has been incorporated under the name of the Foster & Wiley Co., Mr. Foster being president, and Jesse S. Wiley treasurer. The business has also been enlarged; to the regular lines of furniture, draperies and wall paper have been added carpets and rugs. The firm's store is at 39 Franklin street.

In response to requests from several of the out-of-town members of the high school alumni association, who are unable to be in town early in the summer, the annual reunion will be held much later than usual, probably in the first week in August. All graduates and ex-members of graduated classes who have creditably completed one year's work in the school are eligible to membership in the association, and as only members can attend the reunion and banquet it is hoped that all who wish to be present will send their names, and \$1 for life membership, to the secretary, Miss M. A. Greely, without further notice.

Stonington Summer School. As has already been announced, a summer school will be held at Stonington, opening Monday, July 13, and continuing through the week. This will give the teachers along the coast a fine opportunity to take a summer's outing on one of the beautiful islands of Penobscot bay, and at the same time combine business with pleasure by attending lectures given by the best instructors in the country.

Stonington can be reached by steamers "Mt. Desert" and "Vinalhaven" from Rockland, or by steamer "Mt. Desert" from Bar Harbor. The steamer "Cimbrina" and the boats of the Crockett line also touch at the north end of the island.

The boats will furnish excursion rates, and expenses at Stonington will be very small, there being no tuition, and no books required. Rooms should be secured in advance.

For information address the chairman of the entertainment committee, Annie Thurlow, Stonington. The other members of the entertainment committee are Nellie Greenlaw and Myra Mills.

To Cure a Cold in One Day. Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

Illuminated Stage Pictures.

There have been exhibitions of pictures, moving and still, in Ellsworth before now, but nothing so unique in the picture line has ever been presented here as the Byron illuminated stage pictures that were shown in Hancock hall Monday evening, and last evening, and will be shown this evening.

The pictures shown—and there are over 200 of them at each entertainment—are photographs of stage scenes—the striking scenes in a wide range of the most popular of modern plays. Seeing them is the nearest approach to actually witnessing the plays that can be imagined.

The pictures themselves are well worth seeing; they are the largest ever shown here, and the interest in them is enhanced by the admirable description given by George Turner, as they pass in view.

To-night is the last opportunity the people of Ellsworth will have to see this altogether remarkable and unique entertainment. This evening's programme includes scenes from DuBarry, Miss Hobbs, The Prince of Pilsen, Romeo and Juliet, Little Minister, Lovers' Lane, The Merchant of Venice, The Sultan of Sulu and Ben Hur.

These pictures are furnished by Joseph Byron, a master of stage photography; the entertainment is owned by Charles MacGeachy, and is managed by Cauley & Halpin, who are now making their first annual tour of the Maine circuit.

The only criticism of the exhibition that can justly be made was that the pictures were not as distinct as could have been desired. This was due to the fact that as the electric current here was not strong enough, resort had to be had to the calcium light, which though stronger, was not strong enough. More powerful apparatus has been sent for. The managers will remain in Ellsworth until it is ready for shipment the last of this week.

CHURCH NOTES.
UNION CONG'L, ELLSWORTH FALLS.
Rev. J. A. Scheuerle.
Sunday, June 21—Praying service at 10.30 a. m. Sunday school at 11.30 a. m. Evening service at 7.30.
Weekly prayer meeting Friday evening at 7.30.

UNITARIAN.
Rev. S. W. Sutton, pastor.
Sunday, June 21—Morning service at 10.30. Sunday school at 11.45. The lesson will be a continuation of the study of Emerson, with extracts from his writings.
East Lamoine—Service Sunday, June 21, at 3.30 p. m.

BAPTIST.
Rev. David Kerr, pastor.
Sunday, June 21—Morning service at 10.30. Sermon by pastor. Sunday school at 12 m. Junior C. E. at 6 p. m. Concert at 7.
Prayer meeting Friday evening at 7.30.
Trenton—Service Sunday at 2.30 p. m.; Mr. Kerr.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL.
Rev. J. P. Simonton, pastor.
Sunday, June 21—Morning service at 10.30. Sunday school at 11.45. Social meeting at 7 p. m.
Tuesday evening, June 23—Epworth league at 7.30.
Trenton—Service Sunday at 2.30 p. m.; Mr. Simonton.

CONGREGATIONAL.
Rev. J. M. Adams, pastor.
Friday, June 19—Prayer and conference meeting at 7.30. Subject: Ps. 149.50.
Sunday, June 21—Morning service at 10.30. Sunday school at 11.45.

Letter to J. H. Brimmer,
Ellsworth.
Dear Sir: You know all about shoes. How many customers have you who know anything about 'em?
You have bought and sold shoes for years, and have learned what you know by your customers' liking one sort, and not liking another. They find out by wearing 'em.
So with paint; but we go deeper. We are 149 years old in the business; and we make, not buy—we make a good deal of paint.
We paint a good share of the railroad and steamer property in the United States, and may as well paint the private property. Yours as well as anybody else's.
Devote Lead and Zinc is your paint. Costs half as much as mixed put or lead and oil because it takes fewer gallons and wears twice as long.
Beck Bros. & Co., Williamsport, Pa., write: Mr. Ezra Rathmell had used 11 gallons of a well-known mixed paint for his house; he repainted it this year with Devote Lead and Zinc; bought 11 gallons and had 3 gallons left.
Yours truly,
F. W. DEVOTE & Co.,
New York.

WE'VE GOT 'EM;
WE'VE GOT 'EM GOOD!

KENNEDY'S FANCY COOKIES

Just in—16 different kinds. Ellsworth has never before had such a tempting cooky and cracker display, and we'll wager there'll be a brisk munching of these goodies as soon as their coming gets noised around. A wide variety of flavors to choose from—all easy to buy. Try a sample pound

FLOYD & HAYNES,
34 Main street, Ellsworth, Me.

FOUNDED DYNAMITE.

Three Winter Harbor Children Badly Injured.
WINTER HARBOR, June 16 (special)—This morning three children of James Broderick, while playing out of doors, got hold of a dynamite cap one and one-half inches long.

The oldest boy, Byrne, got a hammer and pounded it. The cap exploded, and all three children were badly burned.

Dr. A. E. Small attended them. No serious results are feared.

Mr. Broderick at one time lived in Ellsworth.

LAKEWOOD.
Harry Bennett and Walter Kief, of Hancock, visited friends here last week.

A salmon was recently caught at the outlet of Green lake, which weighed four and one-fourth pounds.

A McC. Howard, a former resident here, now of Rosebud, Montana, met with a serious accident a short time ago, which resulted in the dislocation of his shoulder. His many friends are glad to hear that he is now on the mending band.

June 15. H. A. R.

COMING EVENTS.
Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, June 15, 16 and 17, at Hancock hall—Byron's illuminated stage pictures.

Thursday, June 18, at Hancock hall—Commencement exercises of the class of 1903, Ellsworth high school. Concert and ball in the evening. Music by Monaghan's orchestra.

Fruits of modern philosophy seem to be electric currents.

For the sake of a wager, a remarkable feat of horsemanship was some years ago accomplished by a sporting nobleman in a certain London mansion. He made a bet with a friend that he would ride his pony from the ground floor of the house to the top and down again. His steed required a good deal of persuasion to attempt the task, but it was finally performed, though the damage done to the stair carpets and other things amounted to almost \$1,000, which had to be paid by the winner.

Advertisements.



We have just received a lot of Hair Line Suits that usually sell for \$7.50. We are selling same for the low price of \$6.75.

"Honest Goods at Honest Prices" is our motto.

Reliable Clothing Co.
HARRY E. CONDON, Manager.

Cleaning, Pressing and Repairing Neatly Done.

Geo. A. Parcher,
Wholesale and Retail

DRUGGIST.

Physicians' Supplies and Mail Orders Specialties.

ELLSWORTH, MAINE.

THE ROBIN.

HOT SHOT FROM SOUTH HANCOCK—REPLY TO MR. TIBBETTS.

MR. WOOSTER COMMENTS ON GOVERNMENT REPORTS—FACTS VERSUS SENTIMENT AND ERROR.

SOUTH HANCOCK, ME., June 6, 1903. To the Editor of The American: It would appear from Mr. Tibbetts' letters to THE AMERICAN that he thinks, from his short-sighted point of view, that in bringing forth that cracky old gun he has completely silenced me.

about four years ago, ex-Secretary McKee (who, by the way, as the legislative examination showed, seemed to possess more sentiment than book-keeping ability) gave a copy, in part or whole, in his bird bulletin, of this same report, with his endorsement.

REPORT FALLACIOUS. No, Mr. Tibbetts, I do not want it understood that I think "mere sentiment" alone responsible for all the croakings for the robin, but this I do most distinctly wish to be understood: That this report in question has, directly and indirectly, done more towards giving false impressions to the public concerning the destructive habits of this bird than any other writings that have been given to the public, and the public thereby has been greatly gagged, and by sentiment and error blinded to the truth.

First, after admitting that it is fond of cherries and other small fruits, this report starts out by making the very false statement: "Choice fruit can be readily protected from its depredations;" but it fails to offer the least suggestions how this protection is to be made that have not been fully tested and condemned as worthless.

KILLED FOR SCIENCE. Second, it tells of the examination of 330 stomachs, that were killed, of course, for the purpose of science, which excuses the killing, and public sentiment has no right to comment upon the propriety of, as it is to furnish information for the public benefit, and in no other way can it be

Advertisements.

It's Money in your Pocket to use Martin's Navy NEW ENGLAND PLUG-SMOKE Worth Navy Plug Besides the good taste in your mouth. \$1,000 Cash \$2,000 Premiums to be given away in the State of Maine.

WHY DO SO MANY PEOPLE BUY CLARIONS? In thousands of cases it's because some mother, sister, cousin or neighbor has praised the Clarion so highly that no other kind is thought of. On this foundation of reputation for good work we defy competition.

THE MORNING GUN

Singular that I should be an officer; that I should be marching in the place of a second lieutenant in the rear of the company; that I should be in Santiago de Cuba. I have no remembrance of having been graduated. Yesterday we were marching to and from the mess hall. Yesterday I got befogged in that problem of analytical geometry.

SHIELD THE ROBIN, but while admitting, by this very unfair test that 58 per cent. of the stomach contents was vegetable food and the larger part of that fruit, but only 4 per cent. cultivated fruits, it will admit that 25 per cent. found in June and July was cultivated. It makes no mention of the fact that fruits being much more easily and quickly digested than insects, the proportion of fruits to that of insects found in the stomachs at any time would not give the correct proportion of the different foods it had eaten.

HOW TO BE A SCIENTIST. "By the scientist of that department." Hum! "Scientist!" indeed! To be a true scientist in any department one must first graduate at the school of practical experience; to toil with bare hands under the scorching rays of a mid-day sun; to earn the bread by the sweat of the brow; to know what it is to go to bed nights with a body quite completely tired out with manual labor, and all that which is necessary properly to temper sentiment—and then, if he possesses, naturally, good common sense, and not till then, is he a fit candidate for the school of science, where in due season he should graduate with honors, a diploma of filling a place where true science is required, fully worthy of his hire.

Casey—Av all the close fistled old misers that iver Oi see Dolan's the worst. Cassidy—Oh, 'tis the family trait wid him. Casey—The family trait? Nonsense! Shure, he'd niver trait wan man, let alone a family.—Philadelphia Press.

Vacancy Yawns For Him. "Why don't you have a sponge to moisten your stumps?" queried the man from across the street who had dropped in to use the lawyer's telephone. "Good idea," answered the disciple of Blackstone. "Do you want the job?"—Chicago News.

There Was a Difference. Sockman Buskin—How did you like my Hamlet? Olde Stager—Oh, it was your Hamlet, was it? Well, I did not recognize it as Shakespeare's.—Brooklyn Life.

Echoes of Argument. Dick—Do you ever get the last word with your wife? Charles—Oh, yes, but I have to say it to myself when I get out on the street.—Detroit Free Press.

Genius has ragged cuffs, but talent wears fine linen.

THE MORNING GUN

"Graduated a year ahead." "But what did we come on?" "Lightning express to Tampa, then over the water in a balloon." "Singular."

"Will they yield tomorrow, do you think?" asked a pale faced boy, staggering up to me, "and let us get out of this dreadful country?" "Don't know. I'm suffocating with the heat."

There is that Gatling gun again. Th-r-r-r-r-r-r from left to right, then th-r-r-r-r-r-r from right to left. Now stillness, now a distant grown, an oath, an order, anything, everything—everything that is horrible.

Hear that frightful shriek! Some woman leaving the starving city. She must be Spanish, and some brutal Cuban— "That's fainter, more plaintive. O heavens, it's a baby's cry. What an awful thing is war that even a babe must go down under it! A moan—the mother's doubtless—then stillness—a stillness more awful than the sounds.

All is lively enough now. There are volleys near, volleys far; cannon booming, men shouting, horses neighing, Gatling guns th-r-r-r-ring, all mingled in one gigantic roar.

"Water! Water!" "Oh, God! I'm hit!" I put my canteen to the lips of the man who called for water and cast a glance at the man who was hit, when the captain ordered me to stop those who were trying to go back.

Next I was lying on my back, clutching a wound in my left side. The blood was pouring out like water. A Cuban girl was bending over me holding my canteen to my lips. What a peaceful face! What a contrast with the frightful thing called war! Oh, that those eyes could look into mine forever! Oh, that that tress of hair that has come down and is blown by a breath of air across my cheek might thus lightly touch it during a lifetime!

"Look out!" "What is it?" "A mine! A mine! Run for your lives!" "Boom!"

There is a terrible explosion. I am in my bed in barracks at West Point. The morning gun has just been fired. I am lying on my left side, and my heart is throbbing like a drum. Bob Truman, my roommate, is rubbing his eyes with his fists trying to wake himself up.

"I say, Bob, what a queer dream I've had." "H'm!" "Dreamed we were graduated a year ahead and in the Santiago campaign." "That campaign's an old story now. I should want something fresher." "The Spaniards exploded a mine and blew us all up. It was the morning gun. It awakened me." "That's a trick of dreams. Some incident occupying a second will produce a dream running through a month. It proves conclusively that there's no such thing as time."

ELLSWORTH MARKETS.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 17, 1903. MAINE LAW REGARDING WEIGHTS AND MEASURES. A bushel of Liverpool salt shall weigh 60 pounds, and a bushel of Turks Island salt shall weigh 70 pounds.

Country Produce. Butter. Dairy and creamery butter are both in good supply. We quote: Creamery per lb. 28 Dairy 19.2 Cheese. Best factory (new) per lb. 16.18 Best dairy (new) 16.16 Dutch (imported) 16.10 Neufchatel 16.05 Eggs. Eggs are scarce and firmer; supply limited and demand good.

Vegetables. There is plenty of green stuff in the market—rhubarb, radishes, lettuce, cucumbers, parsley, tomatoes and spinach. We quote: Potatoes, new, per 40 lbs. 01.1/4 Potatoes (new), per 40 lbs. 01.1/4 Spanish onions, per 10 lbs. 01.1/4 Lettuce, per 10 lbs. 01.1/4 Spinach, per 10 lbs. 01.1/4 Squash, per 10 lbs. 01.1/4 Tomatoes, per 12 lbs. 01.1/4

Strawberries are in the market. To-day's price is 15. Groceries. Rice, per lb. 06.08 Coffee, per lb. 16.25 Tea, per lb. 30.65 Sugar, per lb. 05.1/2 Molasses, per gal. 05.00

Lumber and Building Materials. Lumber—per M— Spruce, 1.25 Hemlock, 1.13 Hemlock boards, 1.13 Spruce, 1.13 Spruce floor, 1.13 Pine, 1.13 Matched pine, 1.13 Shingles—per M— Cedar, extra, 2.75 Cedar, clear, 2.35 Cedar, common, 1.85 Cedar, o.e., 1.65 Cedar, n.o., 1.25 Cedar, scots, .75

Provisions. Beef is firmer; there has been a rise of about 15 per cent in wholesale prices. Roasts and corned are higher at retail. Pork, b. 17.00 Ham, per lb. 16.20 Bacon, 13.00 Lard, 12.13

Fresh Fish. Cod and haddock are now in good supply. Mackerel, bluefish and Penobscot river salmon are in the market. Fresh shrimps are in the market at 30 each, or 2 for 50. We quote: Cod, 05.00 Haddock, 05.00 Halibut, 14.18 Clams, qt 20.00 Smelt, string 15 Lobsters, b 20.00 Mackerel, each 25 Bluefish, 12.14 Salmon, 25.00

Fuel. Wood—per cord Coal—per ton— Dry hard, 5.00 Broken, 7.00 Dry soft, 3.00 Stove, 7.00 Roundings per load Eggs, 7.00 Buttings, 1.00 Nut, 7.00 Blacksmiths 7.00

Flour, Grain and Feed. Corn is firmer to buy, but there are no changes in the retail prices here. Flour—per bb— 4.25 5.15 Oats, bu 50.00 Corn, 100 lb bag 1.30 Mixed feed, bag 1.25 1.50 Corn meal, bag 1.30 Middlings, bag 1.00 1.10

KITTERY TO CARIBOU. One Week's Winnings of News, Novelty and Nonsense. A rafter has recently been issued to E. T. Burrows, Portland, for a screen.

Arthur E. Dunning, a Bath boy who is studying music in Germany, has secured the position of organist of the American church in Berlin.

James P. Russell, of Rockland, a graduate of Bowdoin, has been appointed State bacteriologist and enters upon his duties the first of July.

Miss Florence D. White, daughter of Principal and Mrs. Henry K. White, of Bangor, who will be graduated from Mt. Holyoke college this month, will leave in August with Miss Hazel Stewart, for a year's study in France.

Wabash—How long did it take you to do that picture? French Artist (proudly)—I am on stage upon art for sex months! Wabash—Just as I thought. You're dead slow over here. Why, I've saw fellows in Chicago turnin' them things out while ye wait.—Philadelphia Press.

Advertisements.

STORY OF A VIOLINIST. A Brockton Musician Who Found a Real "Spring Medicine."

Friends of Carl F. Edlund Impressed by His Experience with Dr. Greene's Nervura—Everyone Needs a Good Spring Tonic to Tone Up the System During This Month.

Mr. Carl F. Edlund, a well known musician of Brockton, Mass., has had an experience he will not soon forget. He is receiving the congratulations of his numerous friends on his escape.

There are hosts of men and women who are in exactly the same danger. Perhaps they will learn wisdom from his experience.



MR. CARL F. EDLUND, 812 Main Street, Brockton, Mass.

It seems that Mr. Edlund was much "run down" in health and his blood was in an extremely bad condition. This trouble manifested itself, as it so often does, in the spring by unsightly eruptions of the skin.

His face was covered with pimples and other serious symptoms of blood disorder. Such disgusting eruptions are not only annoying but indicate a bad state of health and naturally Mr. Edlund began to look around for some remedy.

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1903 JUNE 1903 calendar grid showing days of the week and dates.

MOON'S PHASES. First Quarter 2 8:24, Full Moon 9 10:08, Third Quarter 18 1:41, New Moon 25 3:11.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 17, 1903.

A New Republic?

Advices received from confidential agents of this country in Colombia indicate that there is considerable likelihood of a revolution there as a direct result of the Panama canal proposition made by this government.

It is reported that if the Colombian Congress fails promptly to ratify the treaty, the states of Panama and Cauca, both of which are on the isthmus, will secede from the main country.

The northern portion of the Andes practically cuts off all communication between these two states and the rest of the country by land, and the Colombian government has no navy.

Moreover, the government is bankrupt, and could hardly raise the funds with which to carry on a war.

The two states named would make the country larger than the republic of Costa Rica, and all of the inhabitants favor the construction of the canal.

As the two states would be virtually divided by the canal zone, there would be almost two countries after the canal was built, and it is probable that a peaceful and prosperous little republic, which could easily meet its necessities with the annuity which this country will pay as rental for the canal, would result from such a revolution.

Servia did up its business of butchering royalty with all possible dispatch. Within a week king, queen, ministers and minor but equally obnoxious personages have been "re-mooved"; a new king chosen and hoisted on to the throne, and affairs proceed as usual.

The absurdity of second-rate royalty is rarely more strikingly illustrated. Servia is about half as large as Maine, with not many more inhabitants; no city of consequence outside of Belgrade, its capital, and not very high standing among the nations.

The death of King Alexander wipes out the dynasty to which he belongs. How long his successor will last is conjectural, and really of no great consequence.

The recent assembling of the governor's council must have been rather picturesque, if newspaper reports are correct. Col. Prescott, of Biddeford, arrived in an automobile, and Judge Chase, of Bluehill, arrived on crutches.

The judge is suffering from rheumatism in his left foot, the malady having suddenly and mysteriously passed from his right arm which has suffered for a long time. The judge received many words of sympathy, especially from Councillor Haines, who has been similarly afflicted.

The latest gubernatorial candidate is B. M. Fernald, of Poland, an ex-senator from Androscoggin county. He is reported to have said that the people of Maine were getting tired of having millionaire governors, not but they have made good chief executives, but that there are many persons who would grace the highest office in the gift of the State whose wealth is not numbered in seven figures.

A newspaper change of interest is that of Thomas F. Murphy, of the Kennebec Journal, who goes to Waterville to edit the Sentinel, which has recently been purchased by Cyrus W. Davis. Mr. Murphy is one of the ablest and best-known newspaper men in Maine.

Judge Emery's address at the centennial celebration of Hampden academy last Friday was a masterful one, brim full of wisdom and learning. THE AMERICAN hopes to find room for it in full at an early day.

COUNTY GOSSIP.

Out of the fifty-six normal school grads at Castine this year, twenty-one of them are Hancock county boys and girls.

Surry is one of the Maine towns whose citizens have the good sense fittingly to celebrate the centennial anniversary of her incorporation. The event is scheduled for August 13.

The county commissioners have decided that the time-honored ferry between Castine and Brooksville must be discontinued until such time as it can be operated according to the terms of its charter, which they find have not been complied with for the past twenty years.

Deer Isle is looking for another R. F. D. route—this one to start from the postoffice at Deer Isle, running to Dow's village, thence over the Reach road to H. P. Smith's, thence to North Deer Isle ferry, thence around the Reach to Campell's Neck, thence through Fish Creek and the Greenland district to the point of beginning.

Special Agent E. P. Boutelle was over the route last week, and will doubtless recommend the establishment of the route. The other route on the island starts from Stonington. It goes in operation July 1, Howard Thurlow, carrier.

Bowdoin wins the college championship at baseball, and a Hancock county boy is captain of the nine—Andy P. Havey, of West Sullivan. Havey had the unusual honor of being made captain in his junior year, and he was unanimously re-elected in his senior year, and he has the unique distinction of twice bringing the championship to Bowdoin.

First base is his position, though he went to short stop last year, to strengthen a weak spot. He is a heavy hitter, and during his whole course has either led the team, or been very near the top of the list. Capt. Havey prepared for college at Kent's Hill. He is a most popular leader, though always strict in discipline.

His younger brother is the star pitcher on the Hebron academy team, which has the first place among the Maine preparatory schools. And there are other Haveys in West Sullivan who know how to play baseball—a little older than these two boys, but "still in the ring".

Correspondence.

No Affinity for the "Sharper". SOUTH HANCOCK, Me., June 15, 1903. To the Editor of The American: I wish it to be distinctly understood, as I have stated before in words to the same effect, that while I am more than willing to discuss the robin question to the final in all its phases, I shall not answer to a drift of purely fabricated follies, which have no connection with the question.

I have neither the time, disposition nor inclination so to impose upon the public. Furthermore, I never had any personal experience with the "sharper", there being no affinity between us, and can only speak from the standpoint of an observer, while it appears far otherwise with these other fellows.

When any of my opponents get so hard pushed that they are obliged to retire from the subject and enter fields of their own operations, I certainly shall not follow them there. They have played themselves out of a game in which they have clearly shown they never had a proper place; and I shall retire them as vanquished, and make no further reply to anything that they may write.

I am still in the field for all other comers who will keep reasonably within the limits of the question.

ROBINS PLENTY ON THE VALLEY FARM. Robins are very plenty on the Valley farm this season. They have increased in numbers each year that we have been in the berry-growing business, till now there are fully fifty to one to what there were some eighteen years ago.

It is by far the most discouraging feature of the business, and unless some means can be devised to protect our fruits of the berry class from their most excessive depredations, the profits will be completely ruined.

During the past two years many articles, by prominent practical fruit-growers, have appeared in the Rural New Yorker. At first this paper, as nearly all agricultural papers have, feeling the general pressure of inexperienced public sentiment, and having little or no practical experience of their own, took sides for the robin, but so much weight of truth from such reliable sources soon began to open their eyes.

The agricultural press, in general, is now aiding the side of the berry-growers. I greatly wish that my robins (on the Valley farm) would behave like Mr. Butler's, of Franklin. He seems to have a kind of an enchanting influence over them. I will give him \$500—I mean it—if he will come down to the Valley farm and so enchant the robins there that they can be trusted to hop through my berry patches during the fruiting season, eating only bugs and worms, and not meddling with the ripening fruit.

Come on now, Mr. B.; here is a chance for you to do much good to the berry-growers of this country, and at the same time get rich by making good use of your powers. If you don't take up with this very generous offer, it will be an illustration of the street slang: "Talk is cheap, but it takes money to buy rum."

Now it seems to me the wisest thing for you fellows, and others, to do, who are so full of the song and sentiment for the robin, is to fit some actions to your words. Take up or shut up! E. W. W.

FROM BAR HARBOR.

Labor Troubles—Broking—Warships Coming—Local News. BAR HARBOR, June 16 (special)—A strike by the organized laborers of Bar Harbor is imminent; in fact, it is understood that the strike order was to have gone into effect Tuesday morning, but such was not the case.

There has been more or less friction between the labor union and the contractors and builders' association for some time, and not long ago the union submitted to the association a request for an eight-hour day.

At a meeting of the builders' association held June 10, it was decided by the contractors that they would not grant the union's request. The association prepared and sent out a circular letter bearing upon the questions at issue. In this letter it stated that if the eight-hour day were the only point at issue, it might be better to yield to the demand rather than have a struggle.

The union, says the letter, demands that only union men be employed, not only on mechanical work but also on common labor; that for Sunday and holiday labor double pay shall be given, and the union also makes other stipulations to which the association cannot yield. The letter asks for the support of the business men and non-residents in their resistance to the demands of the union.

In support of its contentions the union urges that consideration should be given to the fact that high prices prevail in Bar Harbor, and that the cost of living here is much more than in other places.

At a largely attended meeting of the union held Monday evening, the following letter was prepared and sent to the builders' association: "Believing we are at the present time facing a problem which seems impossible to settle between the builders' association and the labor unions, and unless settled at once, must necessarily cause difficulty between the parties, which would be disastrous to the building interest of the place at the present time, and which we are desirous of preventing.

"In your circular letter to the press and public, you admit you are willing to concede an eight-hour day, but other matters of more serious nature are at stake, and appeal to the business men and non-residents to assist you to fight the issue. Now, we ask you, why not submit these other issues to the public by arbitration?"

"We are willing to abide by their decision, whether for or against our cause. Trusting that you will agree to this at once we remain, etc."

It is believed that the builders' association will not grant the request of the union to arbitrate, as it is understood that at the meeting of the association Wednesday it was decided to take no further action, but to let matters take their course.

It is certainly to be hoped for the sake of both parties to the controversy, that some way may be found to heal the breach before it comes to open warfare.

A determined strike would not only be a severe blow to the prosperity of the present season, but would without doubt greatly influence the non-residents in their building plans for the future.

The union here is strong, comprising in its membership about every carpenter, mason, painter and paper-hanger in town.

A thought which more or less occupies the minds of many people at Bar Harbor, and which finds expression dozens of times a day at about this time of year is: "Will the warships be here this summer?"

It is not known yet whether any of the American ships will come to this harbor, but it is an assured fact that ships of the British navy will be here some time early in July.

Last Friday Charles H. Wood received a message from J. B. Keating, British vice-consul at Portland, stating that the British North Atlantic and West Indian squadron, consisting of the flagship "Ariadne", first-class cruiser of sixteen guns and carrying 657 men, second-class cruisers "Retribution" and "Tribune", each carrying about 350 men, would arrive here on the evening of July 5, for a few days' stay.

The officer in command of the fleet is Vice-Admiral Sir Archibald L. Douglas.

It is probable that as an act of international courtesy, if for no other reason, several of our own war ships will be in the harbor at the same time.

This is certainly good news for Bar Harbor, as the presence of the ships always livens up the place in a wonderful manner. Coming early in July their presence will greatly help to fill up the hotels, and start the season with a rush.

The graduating exercises of the grammar school were held at the Baptist church Friday evening. The graduates were: Bernice S. Brewer, Carl S. Cleaves, Bessie C. Dorr, Seth M. Emery, Galette F. Emery, Albert A. Farrell, Katie E. Gauthier, Linwood C. Gray, Harold D. Hamor, George D. Hardy, Vivian M. Hardy, Mabelle Higgins, Walter G. Hill, Samuel Hilleon, Edward Linscott, Shirley M. Liscombe, Ross M. Messer, Gertrude S. Mitchell, Rosa C. Richards, James W. Silk, Warren A. Shaw, Margaretta Snow, Mary F. Tripp, Vera M. Tuttle, Harold P. Whitmore, Marjorie J. Alley.

FIFTY YEARS MARRIED.

Gideon S. Cook and Wife to Celebrate Golden Wedding. Next Friday, June 19, Gideon S. Cook and wife, who have spent all their long wedded life in Ellsworth, will celebrate, at their home at Bayside the fiftieth anniversary of their marriage.

Invitations have been issued, and the worthy couple will be "at home" to their friends from 3 o'clock till 5.

Mr. Cook was born in Waltham in 1830. He is one of twelve children, three of whom, besides Mr. Cook, are living; they reside in the West. Two of his brothers, now dead, well known in this country, were Sewall, of Lamolne, and George W., of Waltham.

With the exception of two years spent in California, Mr. Cook has lived all his life in Waltham and Ellsworth.

Mrs. Cook, whose maiden name was Swan, was born in Franklin in 1833. Her parents moved to Waltham soon after her birth. She was one of six children—two boys and four girls. The sisters are all living; they reside in California. The brothers are dead; one of them was Daniel H. Swan, well known hereabouts. For many years he was a well-known hotel man of Kennebunk.

Mr. and Mrs. Cook came to Ellsworth shortly after their marriage in 1853, and have lived here ever since. Six children have been born to them, all of whom are living, and all of whom are married.

Lester S. lives in San Francisco; Elizabeth is the wife of Frank W. Brackett, of Brookline, Mass.; Harriet C. is the wife of ex-Mayor Henry E. Davis, of this city; Mary J. is the wife of G. Frank Newman, also of Ellsworth; Sadie is Mrs. Frank E. Smith; she lives in Gardiner, and Hervey E. lives in Newton, Mass.

OBITUARY.

MRS. FANNY E. MILLIKEN. Fanny E., widow of Capt. Nathaniel Milliken, died at Stoughton, Mass., June 9, aged seventy-seven years, two months.

Mrs. Milliken was born in Surry, April 11, 1826, and was the last of five children. She leaves five children to mourn a mother's death. They are: Mrs. Frank Davis, of East Boston, Frank Milliken, Mrs. Sarah Waugh, Mrs. Fred Fowler and Mrs. E. Bridget Hayward, of Stoughton, Mass.

Mrs. Milliken went to Stoughton some twenty years ago to make her home with her children. In the years she resided there, she won the love and esteem of many friends. She was a devoted mother, a woman of many virtues, and she preserved in rare measure the qualities that endeared her to her children, who are well known and respected in their adopted home.

The funeral was held at her late home on Porter street, Rev. Mr. Greer officiating. Among the many floral tributes were a pillow with "Mother" from the children, and a large standing wreath with "Grandma" from the grandchildren.

MRS. SUSAN M. GRANT. Susan M., wife of Capt. O. M. Grant, died suddenly on Friday, June 5, at her home in Rockland, of heart failure.

Mrs. Grant was born in Ellsworth January 30, 1843; she was a daughter of the late Wallace E. Moore. She was a member of the Free Will Baptist church.

Besides her husband she leaves one son, Ralph. They have the sympathy of a wide circle of friends. She also leaves two sisters—Mrs. James Frazier and Mrs. John Frazier; one brother—Lewis H. Moore, and a half brother—Samuel Moore, all of Ellsworth.

The funeral was held on Sunday, June 7, Rev. W. O. Holman, a former pastor of the Baptist church in Ellsworth, officiated. Interment was at Achorn cemetery, Rockland.

To put the brake on the wagon going down the hill is a help to the horse, when the wagon is heavily loaded. But what driver would think of applying the brake to a loaded wagon going up hill? If he did, his sensible horses would probably balk. Many a man in the condition of pulling a load up hill with the brake set against him. When his stomach is out of order, and the allied organs of digestion and nutrition impaired in their functions, a friction is set up which has to be overcome in addition to the performance of daily duties. A foul stomach makes a foggy brain, and the man with a disordered stomach has often to grope his way through the day's business like a man in the fog. He forgets appointments. Problems seem presented to his mind "wrong end to." This condition is entirely remedied by the use of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It puts the stomach and digestive and nutritive system into a condition of perfect health, and gives a clear brain, a steady hand and a light step for the day's duties. When constipation clogs the channels of the body Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets will work an effectual cure of that distressing disease.

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FOUND—Last of March. A hound dog, long ears, yellow tan colored face; black and white body; mostly black on back; stood about 19 inches high; had on new collar with a name on it. Finder will be liberally rewarded. Address Box 20, South Brooksville, Me.

Wanted. PAVING CUTTERS—30 good men in motion lift and ritt. T. W. PARKER, Vinalhaven, Me.

For Sale. COTTAGE, Barn, etc., and one and one-half (1 1/2) acres of land at South Hancock, belonging to John Wilken, who is leaving the district. Situated on rising ground, on the west side of road leading to Hancock Point and Mount Desert Ferry, from which it is distant 2 to 2 1/2 miles; has a frontage of upwards of 250 feet on Long creek, with a bath, and a bath, bathing, boating, etc. The rooms are all well finished, and all the buildings in excellent repair; the outbuildings nearly all built within a year. There is an ample supply of clear spring water. Would make a very convenient summer or permanent home. Will be sold on reasonable terms and possession given when desired. Apply to J. W. WILKEN, Hancock, Me., or to the GEO. H. GRANT CO., Ellsworth, Maine.

Legal Notices. To all persons interested in either of the estates hereinafter named. At a probate court held at Ellsworth, Me. on the second day of June, a. d. 1903.

THE following matters have been presented for the action thereupon hereinafter indicated, it is hereby ordered, that notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by causing a copy of this order to be published in three weeks successively in the Ellsworth American, a newspaper published at Ellsworth, in said county, that they may appear at a probate court to be held at Bluehill, in said county, on the seventh day of July, a. d. 1903, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, and be heard thereon if they see cause.

Feier S. Moore, late of Tremont, in said county, deceased. A certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, together with petition for probate thereof, presented by Stanley Moore, the executrix therein named.

Albina H. Dresser, late of Portland, in said county, deceased. It is hereby ordered, that notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by causing a copy of this order to be published in three weeks successively in the Ellsworth American, a newspaper published at Ellsworth, in said county, that they may appear at a probate court to be held at Bluehill, in said county, on the seventh day of July, a. d. 1903, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, and be heard thereon if they see cause.

Charles Francis, late of Eden, in said county, deceased. A certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, together with petition for probate thereof, presented by George Tappan Francis, the executor therein named.

Emma F. Hodgkin, late of Eden, in said county, deceased. Certain instruments purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, together with petition for probate thereof, presented by J. Andrew Wood, the executor therein named.

Henry W. Eaton, late of Cripple Creek, Col. Petition filed by Hosea B. Phillips, a creditor, that Austin T. Stevens or some other suitable person be appointed administrator of the estate of said deceased.

Ralph H. Carter and John H. Carter, minors. Petition filed by Clara A. Carter, guardian, for license to sell real estate of said minors.

National Bank Statements.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK, at Ellsworth, in the State of Maine, at the close of business, June 9, 1903.

RESOURCES. Loans and discounts, \$235,409.91; Overdrafts, secured and unsecured, \$2,000.00; U. S. Bonds to secure circulation, \$1,000.00; Stocks, securities, etc., \$1,000.00; Premiums on U. S. bonds, \$1,000.00; Cash, \$234,222.00; Banking-house, furniture and fixtures, \$10,000.00; Due from approved reserve agents, \$7,300.41; Checks and other cash items, \$1,121.20; Notes of other National banks, \$1,121.20; Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents, \$100.00; Lawful money received, but not yet paid, \$23,672.12; Legal-tender notes, \$11,712.00; Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent. of circulation), \$2,000.00.

Total, \$694,435.60.

LIABILITIES. Capital stock paid in, \$50,000.00; Surplus funds, \$7,000.00; Undivided profits, \$6,816.27; National bank notes outstanding, \$60,000.00; Due to other National banks, \$704.35; Due to trust companies and savings banks, \$3,714.78; Dividends unpaid, \$110.00; Individual deposits for check, \$33,187.64; Demand certificates of deposit, \$17,482.11; Certified checks, \$518.48; Cashier's checks outstanding, \$38.35; Bills payable, including certificates of deposit for money borrowed, \$20,900.00.

Total, \$694,435.60.

STATE OF MAINE. COUNTY OF HANCOCK ss: I, Henry W. Cushman, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. HENRY W. CUSHMAN, Cashier. Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12th day of June, 1903. LEONARD M. MOORE, Notary Public.

Legal Notices. To the Honorable, the Judge of the Probate Court in and for the county of Hancock, Pennsylvania, that James B. Markoe, late of said Philadelphia, died on the twenty-ninth day of November, a. d. 1902.

That at a probate court held on the seventh day of April in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and three, Matilda Campbell Markoe was duly appointed executrix of the will of James B. Markoe and accepted said trust.

That Matilda Campbell Markoe has returned to said probate court, on oath, an inventory of all the property and estate of said deceased that has come into her possession or knowledge.

That your petitioner is informed and believes that certain of said property of said decedent hereinafter mentioned, passing by will or some other legal right, or some interest therein, is subject to the payment of the tax imposed by chapter 146 of the public laws of 1893 and all amendments thereof and additional thereto.

That the names of all the persons who are interested in the succession to said property, and the shares each are as stated in Schedule A, hereunto annexed.

Wherefore your petitioner prays that the actual market value of said property, the persons interested in the succession thereto, and the amount of the tax thereon may be determined by the Judge of probate. Dated this 15th day of May, a. d. 1903. MATILDA CAMPBELL MARKOE.

STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA. PHILADELPHIA COUNTY. Subscribed and sworn to before me, this nineteenth day of May, a. d. 1903. THOMAS S. GATES, Notary Public, L. S.

SCHEDULE A. Name. Residence. Share or interest. Matilda Campbell Markoe, Philadelphia, sole legatee.

STATE OF MAINE. HANCOCK ss:—At a probate court held at Ellsworth, within and for said county, on the first Tuesday in June, a. d. 1903.

Upon the foregoing petition, ordered: That notice be given to all persons interested, by causing a copy of said petition and this order thereon to be published three weeks successively in the Ellsworth American, a newspaper published at Ellsworth, in said county of Hancock, that they may appear at a probate court to be held at the probate court room in Bluehill, in said county, on the seventh day of July, a. d. 1903, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, and be heard thereon if they see cause.

O. CUNNINGHAM, Judge of Probate. A true copy of the petition and order of court thereon. Attest:—CHAS. P. DORN, Register.

THE subscriber hereby gives notice that she has been duly appointed administratrix of the estate of Frederick A. Sweet, late of Biddeford, Maine, deceased, and gives bonds as the law directs. All persons having demands against the estate of said deceased are desired to present the same for settlement, and give bonds as the law directs, at the probate court held at Bluehill, in said county, on the seventh day of July, a. d. 1903. JULIA H. SWEET.

THE subscriber hereby gives notice that she has been duly appointed administratrix of the estate of Roland C. Abbott, late of Hancock, in the county of Hancock, deceased, and gives bonds as the law directs. All persons having demands against the estate of said deceased are desired to present the same for settlement, and give bonds as the law directs, at the probate court held at Bluehill, in said county, on the seventh day of July, a. d. 1903. LILLIA F. ABBOTT.

Bankrupt's Petition for Discharge. In the matter of EARL D. CHASE, In Bankruptcy. To the Hon. Clarence Hale, Judge of the District Court of the United States for the District of Maine.

EARL D. CHASE, of Gouldsboro, in said county of Hancock, and State of Maine, in said district, respectfully represents, that on the 18th day of April, last past, he was duly adjudged bankrupt under the Acts of Congress relating to bankruptcy; that he has duly surrendered all his property and rights of property, and has fully complied with all the requirements of said acts and of the orders of court touching his bankruptcy. Wherefore he prays that he may be discharged from all debts provable against his estate under said bankruptcy acts, except such debts as are excepted by law from such discharge. Dated this 4th day of June, a. d. 1903. EARL D. CHASE, Bankrupt.

Order of Notice Thereon. DISTRICT OF MAINE ss. On this 15th day of June, a. d. 1903, on reading the foregoing petition, it is— Ordered by the court, that a hearing be had upon the same on the 3d day of July, in said district, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon; and that notice thereof be published in the Ellsworth American, a newspaper printed in said district, and in all the newspapers and other persons in interest may appear at the said time and place, and show cause, if any should have, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted. And it is further ordered by the court, that the clerk shall send by mail to all the creditors copies of said petition and order of court, addressed to them at their places of residence as stated. Witness the Honorable Clarence Hale, Judge of the said court, and the seal thereof, at Portland, in said district, on the 15th day of June, a. d. 1903. [L. S.] JAMES E. HEWY, Clerk. A true copy of the petition and order thereon. Attest:—JAMES E. HEWY, Clerk.

ASSESSORS' NOTICE

The assessors will be in session at Aldermen's Room, Hancock Hall, on the 10th of each month. F. B. AIKEN, Chairman.

SALESMEN WANTED.

Salary or commission; no experience necessary; money advanced for expenses; outfit FREE. Solicit orders for our Guaranteed Nursery Stock. Write us at once for terms and secure the best territory. THE R. G. CHASE CO., MALDEN, MASS.

A TOTAL LOSS.

Captain's Wife Drowned—Several of the Crew Badly Injured. The new five-masted schooner "Washington B. Thomas", of Thomaston, was wrecked on Stratton's island in the gale last Friday night.

WINTER HARBOR.

The Water Service—New Blocks—Care of Yachts. The water service of Winter Harbor is unexcelled in purity. The supply is taken from a lake one mile from town; it is brought in through an eight-inch main on a gravity of over eighty feet, finding again its level just this side of Grindstone Point.

SCHOOLS CLOSE.

GRADUATING EXERCISES IN THE GRAMMAR SCHOOLS.

OTHER SCHOOLS ALSO HAVE INTERESTING EXERCISES—DIPLOMAS AWARDED.

The school year in Ellsworth closed last Friday. The usual exercises were held in nearly all the grades. The little ones in the lower grades, dressed in their best bibs and tuckers, spoke their pieces, greatly to the satisfaction of their teachers, their parents and themselves, and this week they are all reveling in the first week of the summer vacation.

The closing of the grammar schools higher up the ladder of learning, is a more serious affair, for here ends, for many of the pupils, the school days, while for those who are to enter the high school the completion of the grammar course is a step to higher things which all seem anxious to take.

EAST SIDE—ROOM 1.

The graduating exercises of the East Side grammar school, room 1, Miss Frances A. Hurley, teacher, took place last Friday afternoon. The room was tastefully decorated, the class colors, red and white, predominating.

The following was the programme: Music—Miss Kathie Hurley Salutatory—Driving Home the Cows, Percival Cushman Story of an Apple—Myrtle Monaghan Sculptor Boy—Harry Jude A Boy's Plea—Lewis Morrison Sailors—Robert Fernald Muso—Sadie Strout Down the Track—Will Lord Hoe out Your Row—Ruth Scott Boys' Hights—Harold Sinclair The Bridge—Fay Mace Boys—Clair Clement Praying for Shoes—Helen Holmes Violin Solo—Myrtle Monaghan Discovery of America—Hudson Duffie The Old School Clock—Carrie Estey His Mother's Song—Ralph Royce Stars and Stripes—Walter Smith Song—Dear Old Stars and Stripes, Goodbye.

School Mother's Fool—Edward Parsons How Scotland was Saved—Valdeletory, Annie Hurley Class motto—Work and Win Class colors—Red and White

FALLS GRAMMAR.

It was on Friday last that the Falls grammar school, over which William F. Jude presides, held its closing exercises. They were interesting throughout. The graduating class was assisted by the class of 1904.

The address to the class was made by Charles H. Leland, of the school board, who, in well-chosen words, gave the youngsters some excellent advice.

Prefaced by appropriate remarks, Supt. George B. Stuart conferred the diplomas. Following was the programme: Music, Prayer—Rev J M Adams Salutatory—A Faithful Engineer, Bert Blaisdell Carliele Recitation, Aunt Tabitha—Adria Gross Recitation, A College Training—Leon Brown Duet—Thomas Jones and Miss Wood Recitation, Grandpa's Soliloquy, Everett H. Flood Recitation, How the Organ was Paid For, Harriet Young Recitation, The Man to Know—Herbert Strout Class History—Harold Henry Cook Music, Lynch's Band Recitation—Eric Moore Recitation—Myra Grace Recitation, On the Shores of Tennessee, Roy Moore

EAST SIDE—ROOM 2.

The graduating exercises at the East Side grammar school, room 2, Miss Annie F. Mullan, principal, were held Monday afternoon. They were very interesting throughout, and reflected great credit upon both teacher and pupils. Where all did so well it would be invidious to particularize. The address to the class was by W. H. Dresser, who kindly consented to fill the place of Rev. Mr. Simonton, who was unexpectedly called out of town.

The programme follows: Music Prayer (a) Salutatory (b) Sandalphon—Longfellow "Rising of '76" Clara E Mullan Willard Day An Incident of War—Kimball Sylvia Gould Music Anna Jordan Mumble's Head—Scott Frances Armstrong A Modest Wit—Anon James Murch Building and Being—From "Geraldine" Beale Brown The Constitution's Fight—Bouve Henry Sargent Orchestra The Mistletoe—Bayle Addie Salisbury Ballad of Ishmael Day—Anon Harold Hooper Legend of Organ Builder—Don Esther Emery A Boy's Wish—Anon Chandler Drummey The Fate of Virginia—Macaulay Frances B Doyle Music, Marie Hurley Jaffar—Carl Thurber Class History, Beatrice Kelley Supposed Speech of Regulus to the Carthaginians Harold Mace (a) Penelope's Christmas Dance (b) Valdeletory, Alice M Mullan Music, Orchestra Address to class, W. H. Dresser Presentation of diplomas, Supt G B Stuart Class colors: Pink and white Class motto: Perseverance

WEST SIDE.

The West Side grammar school held its graduating exercises on Monday afternoon at 2:30. The teachers here are Miss

Mary A. Gaynor and Miss Lizzie Doyle. The manner in which the programme was carried out reflects credit on both teachers and pupils.

The graduates were Mary Agnes Fields, Galen Snow and Richard VanZandt. The programme follows:

- Opening Song—School Sandalphon—Abbie Snow Piano Solo—Helen Nealey Song—Frank Dunleavy Song—Edward Downey Piano Solo—Miss Doyle Song—Lydia True, Ella Hawkes, Helen Breenahan, Bernice Grafam "The Vision of Liberty"—Galen Snow Song—Richard VanZandt "Piano Solo"—Mary A Fields The Night—Julia Barron Address to Class. Presentation of Diplomas, G B Stuart, Supt Closing Song—School Class Motto—Work and Win Colors—Red and White *Excused on account of illness.

PINE STREET INTERMEDIATE.

The graduating exercises of the intermediate school, Pine street, were held last Friday afternoon. The class presented Miss Emery, their teacher, with a beautiful student's lamp, two books, Longfellow's poems and "Red Letter" poems, also a pretty pocket book. Miss Emery appreciated their gifts much, and wished them all a pleasant vacation. The programme was as follows:

- Singing—Welcome, Welcome—Class 1903 Opening address—Alice Dresser A Little Boy's Lament—Arnold Sinclair Four-Leaved Clover—Louise Cushman Solo—My Kitty's Gone to Sleep Erva Giles, 1904 School is Done—Esther Smith The Trouble Borrower—Hervey Phillips Singing—Daisy Song—Class 1903 The Wasp and the Bee—Mildred Rowe The Little Fish—Walter Mason Solo—Little Dolly Driftwood, Jessie Morang, 1904 Vacation—Ida Povlich Rain on the Roof—Carrie Morang The Chicken's Mistake—Sylvia Hurley Singing—Bird Carol—Class 1903 The Death of Lincoln—Margaret Harrigan Closing address, Alice Dresser, Hannah Frances Malone Singing—Good-bye School—Class 1903 Conferring certificates—Miss Emery

PINE STREET SCHOOL.

Interesting closing exercises at the Pine street schoolhouse were held last Friday afternoon. Miss Mary H. Black has charge of the primary grade, and the programme arranged for the little ones was highly entertaining. The room was tastefully decorated, and the recitations and singing were excellent.

The upper grade is taught by Miss Georgia N. Emery, who sends a class of twelve to the grammar school. Here, too, an interesting programme was presented.

GRADUATION.

Graduation Exercises of Ellsworth High School—Concert and Ball.

The high school closed for the summer vacation last Friday. The graduating exercises of the class of 1903 will take place at Hancock hall to-morrow afternoon at 2 o'clock. The concert and ball will take place in the evening. The afternoon programme is as follows:

- Music—Monaghan's Orchestra Prayer—Rev J P Simonton Music Salutatory Essay—Unknown Heroes—Lettie B Moore Essay—The Coal Strike—Fred H Maloney Class History—Addie B James Music Essay—The Trust Problem—Harvard H Lord Essay—Literary and Professional Women, Marlon E Joy Essay—Women of Ancient Rome and American Women of To-day—Annie L Lord Music Essay—Cuba's Future—Leah E Thomas Essay—The Loss of National Character, Grace H Hamilton Essay—Anarchy in the United States, Howard A Rollins Music Prophecy—Leroy E Sweeney Essay—Energy, What it has Accomplished for Women—Bernice I Jameson Essay—Magne's Contribution to her Country, Valdeletory—Linwood T Beckwith Address to the Class—Hon John B Redman Conferring Diplomas—Supt George B Stuart Class Colors—Light Blue and White

The members of the class of 1903, in the several courses, are as follows: English course—Harvard H. Lord, Leah E. Thomas, Bernice T. Jameson, Addie B. James, Marlon E. Joy, Fred H. Maloney, Leroy E. Sweeney. Latin-scientific course—Grace H. Hamilton, Annie Louise Lord. College preparatory course—Howard Andrew Rollins, Lettie B. Moore, Linwood T. Beckwith.

The concert in the evening will be by Monaghan's orchestra, assisted by Miss Edythe M. Swan, of Bangor, soprano. Following is the programme: 1 March—The Sentry—Haskins 2 Selection—L'Ardita—Arditi Miss Edythe M Swan 3 Overture—Medley, Curtain Raiser—Smith 4 Overture—The Feast of Lanterns—Bennet 5 Selection with violin obligato—Starright and Silver Sea—Temple 6 Clarinet solo—La Brillante—Ernest Jordan H F Monaghan 7 Overture—The Ballet Master—Gruenald 8 Selection—An Open Secret—Woodman Miss Swan 9 Selection from the comic opera—When Johnny Come Marching Home—Edwards

The Equitable Life Assurance society makes the interesting announcement that from Jan. 1 to June 1, of this year, twenty-three death claims were paid in Maine amounting to \$88,945

Advertisements.

Rheumatism What is the use of telling the rheumatic that he feels as if his joints were being dislocated? He knows that his sufferings are very much like the tortures of the rack. What he wants to know is what will permanently cure his disease. That, according to thousands of grateful testimonials, is Hood's Sarsaparilla. It promptly neutralizes the acid in the blood in which the disease depends, completely eliminates it, and strengthens the system against its return. Try Hood's.

NEW BOOKS

Recently Received at the Ellsworth Public Library.

Following is a list of new books recently received at the public library in Ellsworth:

- Progressive Taxation, E R A Seligson The English Government, Moran American Political Theories, Merriam American Industrial Problems, W R Lawson American Diplomacy in the Orient, J R Foster Muslim Theology, Jurisprudence, etc., D B Macdonald The Earth's Beginning, Redway The New Basis of Geography, Royce Outlines of Psychology, Butler The Meaning of Education, J Van Dyke Musical Education, Lavignae Cambridge Modern History, vol I History of Puerto Rico, Van Middelburg Fall of Constantinople, E Peck Greater Russia, W Gerrard Barbizon Days, C E Smith The End of an Era, J S Wise The Work of Wall Street, J S Wise The Holy Land, Fullilove and Keiman Studies in Contemporary Biography, Bryce Biography of Queen Victoria, S Lee Biography of Theodore Parker, J W Chadwick Biography of Wm E Channing, J W Chadwick Biography of Oliver Cromwell, J Mosley Story of My Life, H Keller Strange Peoples, F Starr American Indians, F Starr The Old China Book, Moore The Study of Animal Life, Thompson True Tales of Birds and Beasts, D S Jordan How to Name the Birds, H E Parkhurst Birds' Caenders, H E Parkhurst Trees, Shrubs and Vines, L L Hubbard Wood and Parks of Maine, L L Hubbard The Flower Garden, Ida D Bennet A Woman's Hardy Garden, Ery Economics of Forestry, B E Fernow The Woman Who Tolls, Van Vorst Two on Their Travels, E Colquhoun Letters of a Diplomat's Wife, M K Waddington The Quest of Happiness, Hills The Social Urelet, Brooks The Blue Flower, H Van Dyke Episodes in Van Bibber's Life, R H Davis Gordon Keith, T N Page The Four Peabers, E Mason Lady Rose's Daughter, F Norris The Pit, Crawford Cecelia, J J Bell One MacGregor, Fuller Katherine Day, F L Shaw Castle Blair, Barrie The Little White Bird, Zola The Sceptre of Power, C E Craddock The Octopus, F Norris Old Square, Benson Type, Melville From the Book of Myths, Bliss Carmen We Girls, Mrs A D T Whitney The Other Girls, Mrs A D T Whitney Leslie Goldtwa's Life, Mrs A D T Whitney Mother Goose for Grown Folks, Mrs A D T Whitney

The Gay worthys, Odd or Even, Acunty Street, Bonnyborough, Red Rocks, Hitherto, Neighbors' Wives, Cudjo's Cave, Neighbor Jackwood, Farnell's Folly, The Young Surveyor, The Three Scouts, Doing His Best, Jack Hazard and His Fortunes, Fast Friends, The Fortunes of Toby Trafford Coope's Friends, Father Bright hopes, Lawrence's Adventures, A Chance for Himself, Phil and His Friends, His One Fruit, The Sailing Wood Box, The Young Brothers Tide Mill, Peter Budstone, The Little Master, Lion Ben, Charlie Ben, The Ark, The Boy Farmers, The Young Shipbuilders, The Harocarrable, The Spark of Genius, The Whispering Pine, The Turning of the Tide, The Sophomores of Radcliffe, Winning His Spurs, A Stout Heart, Wolf Run, Brought to the Front, Forest Glen, Sowed by the Wind, Black Rifle's Mission, Burying the Hatchet.

Death of Mrs. Albert Kincaid. Laura, wife of Albert Kincaid, whose serious illness was reported Monday morning by THE AMERICAN'S Otis correspondent, died Monday afternoon.

She formerly lived at Ellsworth Falls, and the remains were brought to the home of Fred L. Frazier, where the funeral will be held to-morrow afternoon.

She leaves a husband and one daughter, Blanche, of Massachusetts, who have the sympathy of a host of friends in their bereavement.

Fewer gallons; wears longer; Devoo.

BORN.

DONNELL—At Franklin, June 11, to Mr and Mrs Percy W Donnell, a daughter. [Helen Marie.] GREENE—At Bluehill, June 4, to Mr and Mrs Charles E Greene, a daughter. M'KEOWN—At Tremont, May 5, to Mr and Mrs Henry J McKeown, a son. [Henry Robert.] TRASK—At Tremont, May 25, to Mr and Mrs George Trask, a daughter. TRIPP—At Lamolne, June 9, to Mr and Mrs Alton L Tripp, a son. [Carroll Dana.] WESCOTT—At Ellsworth, June 10, to Mr and Mrs Raymond Wescott, a daughter.

MARRIED.

BROWN—HEATH—At Orland, June 14, by Rev M S Preble, Miss Frankie Brown, of Orland, to Charles W Heath, of Penobscot. LEIGHTON—JOY—At Gouldsboro, June 13, by Rev Wallace Cutter, Miss Gertrude Leighton, of East Steuben, to George Joy, of Gouldsboro.

DIED.

CARTER—At Brooklin, May 6, Mrs Joanna H Carter, aged 68 years, 5 months. CARTER—At Surr, June 12, Mrs Mary E Carter, aged 80 years, 3 months. CRABTREE—At Hancock Point, June 13, Leon Crabtree, aged 19 years. GORDON—At Franklin, June 10, Mrs Eliza A Gordon, aged 78 years, 5 months, 31 days. HOOPER—At Bluehill, June 11, Samuel A Hooper, aged 88 years, 6 months, 9 days. KINCAID—At Orls, June 15, Laura E, wife of Albert Kincaid, of Ellsworth Falls, aged 48 years, 10 months, 15 days. WAKEFIELD—At Ellsworth (Bayside), June 15, Mrs Sarah A Wakefield, aged 67 years, 4 months, 8 days.

Railroads and Steamboats.

MAINE CENTRAL R.R. Commencing June 15, 1903. BAR HARBOR TO BANGOR.

Table with columns for destination, departure times, and arrival times for the Maine Central Railroad.

BANGOR TO BAR HARBOR.

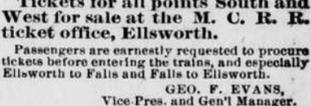
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*Daily. zSundays only. ySundays only steamer leaves Southwest Harbor 2:20 p.m.; Northeast Harbor 1:30 p.m.; Seal Harbor 2:50 p.m. to connect with this train. *Stop on signal or notice to Conductor. These trains connect at Bangor, with through trains on Main Line, to and from Portland, Boston and St. John.

Tickets for all points South and West for sale at the M. C. R. R. ticket office, Ellsworth.

Passengers are earnestly requested to procure tickets before entering the trains, and especially Ellsworth to Falls and Falls to Ellsworth. GEO. F. EVANS, Vice Pres. and Gen'l Manager.

Rockland, Bluehill & Ellsworth Steam' Co.



SCHEDULE IN EFFECT JUNE 1, 1903.

Commencing Sunday, May 31, steamer will leave Rockland (same pier) upon arrival of steamer from Boston (not before 4 a.m.), daily, except Monday, for Dart Harbor, (1) Blake's Point, (2) Dirigo (Butter Island), Eggemoggin, South Brooksville, (3) Herick's, Sargentville, Deer Isle, Sedgewick, Brooklin, South Bluehill, Bluehill, Surry and Ellsworth (transfer from Surry) RETURNING.

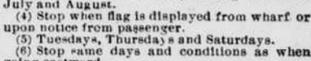
Will leave Ellsworth (transfer to Surry) 7:45 a.m., Surry at 8:30 a.m., daily, except Sunday for Bluehill, (4) South Bluehill, (5) West Tremont, Brooklin, Sedgewick, Deer Isle, Sargentville, (6) Herick's, South Brooksville, Eggemoggin, (7) Blake's Point, (7) Dirigo, Dark Harbor, Rockland, connecting with steamers from Boston.

(1) Wednesdays, Fridays and Sundays. (2) Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays when requested by passenger. (3) Stop when signal is displayed at wharf or upon notice from passenger, during months of June and September; daily during months of July and August. (4) Stop when flag is displayed from wharf or upon notice from passenger. (5) Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays. (6) Stop same days and conditions as when going eastward. (7) Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, when signal is displayed or upon notice from passenger.

Note—This company will comply with above schedule, except in event of unavoidable causes of delay to its steamers. Daily trip schedule in effect June 1 to Oct. 1. O. A. CROCKETT, Manager, Rockland, Me., Rockland, Me., June 1, 1903.

EASTERN Steamship Company.

Mt. Desert Division. Six Trips a Week to Boston.



Commencing Monday, May 4, 1903, steamer "Mt Desert", Capt F L Winterbotham, leaves Bar Harbor at 1:00 p.m. daily, except Sunday for Seal Harbor, Northeast Harbor, Southwest Harbor, Stonington and Rockland to connect with steamer for Boston.

RETURNING. From Boston at 5 p.m. daily, except Sunday. From Rockland at about 5 a.m. daily, except Monday.

All Freight via the steamers of this company is insured against fire and marine risk. E. S. J. MORSE, Agent, Bar Harbor. A. H. HANSCOM, G. P. and T. A., Boston, Mass. CALVIN AUSTIN, Vice-president and Gen'l Mgr., 868 Atlantic ave., Boston.

Advertisements.

DR. BUNKER, OF BAR HARBOR, wishes to announce that hereafter he will give special attention to the treatment of diseases of the Eye, Nose, Throat and Ear. Office equipped with all the modern instruments and appliances for the examination and treatment of these diseases. Easy access to Bar Harbor hospital, where patients receive the best of care at reasonable rates. Subscribe for THE AMERICAN

Recent Postal Changes.

1078. Rockland to Ellsworth. From June 15, 1903, on the days on which Deer Isle postoffice is supplied from Deer Landing, no office, supply North Deer Isle postoffice from same landing without change in distance.

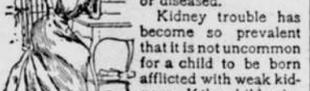
1559. Brooksville to Sargentville. Leave Brooksville daily except Sunday on receipt of mail from Penobscot, but not later than 4 p. m., arriving at Sargentville in one hour and forty minutes. Leave Sargentville daily except Sunday fifteen minutes after arrival, arriving at Brooksville in one hour and forty minutes. Effective, June 25, 1903.

Advertisements.

Women as Well as Men Are Made Miserable by Kidney Trouble.

Kidney trouble preys upon the mind, discourages and lessens ambition; beauty, vigor and cheerfulness soon disappear when the kidneys are out of order or diseased. Kidney trouble has become so prevalent that it is not uncommon for a child to be born afflicted with weak kidneys. If the child urinates too often, if the urine scalds the flesh or if, when the child reaches an age when it should be able to control the passage, it is yet afflicted with bed-wetting, depend upon it, the cause of the difficulty is kidney trouble, and the first step should be towards the treatment of these important organs. This unpleasant trouble is due to a diseased condition of the kidneys and bladder and not to a habit as most people suppose.

Women as well as men are made miserable with kidney and bladder trouble, and both need the same great remedy. The mild and the immediate effect of Swamp-Root is soon realized. It is sold by druggists, in fifty-cent and one dollar sizes. You may have a sample bottle by mail free, also pamphlet telling all about it, including many of the thousands of testimonial letters received from sufferers cured. In writing Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., be sure and mention this paper.



Home of Swamp-Root.

Don't make any mistake, but remember the name, Swamp-Root, Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, and the address, Binghamton, N. Y., on every bottle.

It's a mistake to imagine that itching piles can't be cured; a mistake to suffer a day longer than you can help. Doan's Ointment brings instant relief and permanent cure. At any drug store, 50 cents.—Advt.

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Business Notices.

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When Adam

picked and put on his first fig leaf the men's clothing business was born. The first ready-made garment was a fig leaf. Undoubtedly Adam was not satisfied with the first leaf and thought he would try another. By and by he found one that suited him—cut, material, fit and quality. Adam was shrewd, he looked around. You do as Adam; if you are not fully satisfied with your wearing apparel suppose you look here to-day at our large and entirely new line of Men's, Boys' and Youths' Clothing, Hats, Caps and Furnishing Goods. Everything the very latest and most approved styles and material and at prices which defy all competition.

Our patrons are always satisfied—we make them so by giving them the best goods to be had anywhere for the money. If you have never bought clothing at our store, follow Adam's example and look around. Come here—that is what we are driving at, for, if you come once, you will surely come again.

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COUNTY NEWS.

For additional County News see other pages.

EAST SURRY.

Mrs. Deborah Cole is stopping with Mrs. Henry Phillips for a while.

Mrs. Linwood Philbrook has returned from her visit to Rockland.

Mrs. E. E. Sweet is again at her home. Miss Annie Glass is with her.

Phillip Stinson and wife attended the graduation at Castine Tuesday.

The people are beginning to come to our cool shore retreats for the summer.

Byron H. Chatto is at home from the University of Maine for the summer vacation.

Mrs. R. A. Sinclair has returned from her visit to her son at Auburn, and niece at Harmony.

Misses Susie W. and Anna D. Stinson finished their course at Castine normal school this week.

The rains of late have gladdened the farmers, but they came too late to save the grass on old fields.

Capt. M. D. Chatto has about completed another chicken-house, which he says is the last to be added to his village of ten.

Much sympathy is felt for Edward Withee in his misfortune by falling, as he has a large family depending on him. All hope to see him out soon.

The Stockbridge cottage near the Wild Rose cemetery is nearing completion. Nathaniel J. Moor and John Q. Adams, of Ellsworth, are doing the work.

Capt. Alden Mann lost two houses by fire at Brewer June 3. The same houses were badly damaged by fire last year. The loss falls heavily upon Capt. Mann, as he is a worn-out veteran. The insurance was small.

James F. Carey, of Haverhill, Mass., and his bride, who was Miss Clara Louise Stevens, daughter of Mrs. Sabrina Stevens, of this place, are here for the summer. They are occupying the cottage recently built at Contentment Cove. Mr. Carey is a member of the Massachusetts House of Representatives, and is the leading exponent of socialism in that body.

June 15. C.

SOUTHWEST HARBOR.

A correction: The age of Deacon Benjamin Dodge, who died May 31, was seventy-six years, instead of seventy-two.

Owing to a severe cold which affected the bronchial tubes, Miss Myra Wilson closed the primary school one week earlier than the grammar grade.

Mrs. Ida Wilson, of Bar Harbor, is at Mrs. Edwin Hersey's. She is attending the invalid, Mrs. Lydia Lurvey, whose condition is slightly improved.

E. L. Higgins and wife attended the commencement at the Maine Central institute at Pittsfield last week. Their son Fred was a member of the senior class.

Children's day was observed at the Congregational church Sunday morning, June 14, by an excellent sermon by the pastor. It was especially adapted to the small listeners, and equally applicable to children of a larger growth.

Mrs. A. W. Bee, with her sons and friends, is again at her cottage for the season. Mr. Bee has gone to Bar Harbor to fit up his store there. The family have recently returned from their new California home at Cupertino.

Among the new arrivals are two little girls, who expect to gain a residence here. One found a welcome on Saturday, June 6, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Lawler; the other claimed a home on June 12 with Mr. and Mrs. William Herrick.

Rev. G. H. Hefflon came by the "Mt. Desert" Sunday morning to preach the memorial sermon for Pemetice lodge, I. O. O. F., at its hall. A large attendance and fine discourse was the general verdict. Sunday evening Mr. Hefflon led the Christian Endeavor meeting, when some of the incidents of his recent European trip gave much pleasure to the society.

June 15. SPIRIT.

WALTHAM.

Miss Bertha Haslem, who has been quite ill, is improving.

Mrs. Almon Jellison and daughter Ethel were in town Thursday and Friday.

Mrs. Lettie Willey, who has been visiting relatives at Lisbon Falls, is home.

Ernest Jordan is at the Eastern Maine general hospital at Bangor for treatment.

The anniversary services of the I. O. F. will be held at the church Sunday, June 21.

There will be a benefit dance at town hall Friday evening, June 19. Music by M. K. Haslem and Mrs. Josie Stanley.

Arno Jordan and wife, of Eden, were in town Sunday. Mrs. Jordan will remain for a while with Mr. Jordan's mother.

Court Snyetic, I. O. F., by invitation, visited companion court Sunbeam Thursday evening. A pleasant evening was enjoyed by all. Refreshments were served.

June 17. H.

Ladies and Children Invited.

All ladies and children who cannot stand the shocking strain of laxative syrups, cathartics, etc., are invited to try the famous Little Early Risers. They are different from all other pills. They do not purge the system. Even a double dose will not gripe, weaken or sicken; many people call them the Easy Pills. Bob Moore, Lafayette, Ind., says all others gripe and sicken, while DeWitt's Little Early Risers do their work well and easy. Sold by WIGGIN & MOORE.

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SORRENTO.

Superintendent Mason Whittemore, who is the successor of William H. Lawrence, formerly of the Sorrento land company, is vigorously pushing things. He says many of the former guests are to be here again, and will bring friends who never were here before.

The new manager is a young man, and with an infusion of new blood and energy, Sorrento will, no doubt, hold its own among the Frenchman's bay resorts.

Everything is up to date at Sorrento. The water service, electric lights, streets, paths, hotel and annexes, fire protection, transportation, telegraph, telephone, freight, express and boat service are up to every requirement.

The hotel is being thoroughly repaired, hard pine piazza flooring is taking the place of spruce, and all of the company's holdings are being placed in thorough running order.

The hotel engagements include a full house for all of August, and the most of July.

A crew is at work at the Bennet place doing a big job of lawn grading.

Dr. and Mrs. Proctor, of Boston, who have summered two seasons at Sullivan, will occupy the Dr. Jackson cottage here this year.

A manager for Sorrento farm will be in charge in a few days, and most of the vegetables and farm truck for the hotel will come from here.

Acres of extension are being made on the golf grounds, under the charge of Charles Sargent and a crew of twelve or fifteen men. Forty sheep have been bought, and sixty more are wanted to keep on the grounds to fertilize the land and keep the grass down.

June 15. SPEC.

GOTT'S ISLAND.

Lobster fishermen report lobsters very scarce.

Miss Phebe Gott has been visiting friends at Black Island the last week.

The immense forest fires have kept the island enveloped in a dense cloud of smoke for the last two weeks.

Capt. William E. Gott took a load of lumber from Bass Harbor to the island in his sloop "Gladys," for M. V. Babbidge last week.

Quite a number of men are employed at the Black Island granite quarry, and several cargoes have already been shipped to New York.

Mrs. Edw. M. Joyce, who has been in Rowley since last March, has returned to her home at Atlantic. She has been spending a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Philip Moore.

Capt. Wilder Neal will take passengers and freight from Bass Harbor to the island in his new sloop launch at reasonable rates. He has already made several trips for this purpose. All are glad that so good a connection can be made with the steamer "Cimbria," to and from the island.

June 10. CHIPS.

HANCOCK POINT.

Mrs. George Hopkins made a short visit to relatives here recently.

The lighthouse at Crabtree's ledge is to have a new coat of paint.

Roy C. Haines will open the store here soon. He will also have charge of the postoffice and telephone exchange.

Arthur Crabtree was called home from Bangor on account of the illness and death of his brother Leon.

Leon, elder son of W. A. Crabtree, died at his home here Sunday morning, June 14. He was a young man much liked by all of his associates. He leaves a father, a step-mother, and one brother, Arthur, besides other relatives, to whom much sympathy is extended.

For God has promised in His word, The dying ones to bless, And He will take them in His fold, Where they will be at rest.

June 15. E.

MT. DESERT FERRY.

Llewellyn Dow has moved into the George Moon house.

Evangelist Williams spoke to a large audience here Sunday evening.

Mrs. James Palmer was in town one day last week.

Capt. Redman Grant has returned from the hospital in Bar Harbor. There is little hope of his recovery.

Mrs. Trandy, of South Surry, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Laura Colby. Mrs. Colby has just returned from a visit to her father, Edgar Treworgy, in Surry.

June 15. YANKAPOO.

NORTH LAMOINE.

Miss Emma Graves is home from Boston for a vacation.

Mrs. Edith Beane went this morning to Bar Harbor, where she will be employed for the season.

Mrs. S. J. Young goes to Castine this morning to attend the commencement exercises on Tuesday.

Harvey Eragdon has his sloop launch in running order, and is ready to make regular trips between Lamoine and Bar Harbor.

June 15. Y.

WEST TREMONT.

Roland Stanley and Edna S. Lunt, of Manset, were calling on friends Sunday.

Schooners "Jennie Lynn" and William G. Eadie" were in here during the storm for a harbor.

Mrs. Gardner Lawson spent Sunday with her parents, Lemuel Sprague and wife, of Seal Cove.

Mrs. Gertrude Latty left Wednesday to attend the high school graduating exercises at Ellsworth.

Mrs. S. A. Reed is stopping with her daughter, Mrs. Millie Carver, who has been ill since the death of her husband.

George W. Davis, foreman of the sar-

dine factory, arrived from Boston, where he has been visiting his son Merrill. Young Davis met with quite a serious accident by the falling of an iron shutter from a building and striking his leg, crushing the bone midway between his ankle and knee.

June 15. THELMA.

EAST FRANKLIN.

Beulah, daughter of Clarence Hooper and wife, is seriously ill.

Miss Ioez Donnell has gone to Northeast Harbor to work for the summer.

Miss Mattie Tregilgas spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. John Patten.

Fred G. Hardison is at home from Portsmouth, N. H., for a few days' visit.

Mr. Golden and wife, of Hancock, are visiting Wilfred H. Gordon and wife.

Considerable interest is prevailing in the special meetings in the Free Baptist church.

Mrs. M. A. Noyes, of East Sullivan, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Judson A. Gordon.

Miss Eva, daughter of Nason Springer, who has been attending school in Pittsfield, is home.

Percy Donnell and wife are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter, born June 11.

Rev. S. R. Belyea is expected this week to assist Rev. G. F. Sibley in the special meetings to be held in the Baptist church.

Miss Carrie Springer came from Hancock last Wednesday to be present at the wedding of her friend Miss Luia Wentworth.

A special conference will be held in the Baptist church Saturday afternoon, June 20. On Sunday, the 21st, the ordinance of baptism will be observed at George's pond at 10.30. It is expected that there will be fifteen or more candidates.

Mrs. E. A. Gordon, after an illness with pneumonia of about ten days, died June 10. Thus ended a faithful Christian life. Her death is severely felt by the whole community, especially the Free Baptist church of which she was a member. Three sons and a daughter survive—Thomas, Judson and Wilfred and Mrs. T. M. Blaisdell, besides several brothers and sisters, who were nearly all present at the funeral, at which Rev. Mr. Browne officiated. The choir of the Baptist church sang. Beautiful flowers testified to her worth. Mrs. Gordon's age was seventy-two years, six months and twenty-one days.

June 15. R.

NORTH DEER ISLE.

Howard Buzzell, of Bangor, was here this week.

George H. Holden has gone to Portland and Boston.

A. W. Clark, of Castine, was among those who arrived here Saturday.

The sidewalk society was entertained by Mrs. Carlton Davis Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. George Brown, of South Boston, has been visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Sarah Webster.

Capt. Charles Scott and Whitney Lowe left home Sunday on their way to Bristol, R. I., to join a new yacht.

Mrs. Arthur Russell and Miss Lillian Bray, of Lynn, Mass., arrived here Tuesday to spend the summer with Mrs. Emerald Weed.

Frank G. Woodworth, president of Tougaloo university, of Tougaloo, Miss., with his wife and daughter Miss Bessie, arrived here Sunday and will occupy their cottage at Eggmoggin this summer.

Miss Bessie Scott celebrated the seventh anniversary of her birth Wednesday afternoon. Several of her young friends were invited. Among other dainties which were served to the little ones was a handsome cake.

A tan-colored carrier pigeon was found by Mrs. Davis in her stable on June 9. The bird wears a band made of gold and enamel on which are engraved a letter and a number. The pigeon's tail feathers are all gone.

Miss Bertha, daughter of Carlton Davis, met with a severe accident June 8. She was in the stable when hay was being hoisted on a scaffold. One of the hooks slipped, striking her on the forehead and cutting the flesh to the bone.

June 15. E.

GOULDSBORO.

Dunbar Bros. commenced sawing long lumber at the steam mill last week.

The schooner "Seth Nyman" is receiving a coat of paint. Horace Guptill and Edwin Tracy are doing the work.

Mrs. Georgie Fernald, of Bangor, has been spending the week with her sister, Mrs. Millie Guptill. She returns home today.

Alex. Weatherbee, with his wife and little daughter Julia, who have been spending a few months in Brewer, is at home for a few days.

There were no services in the Methodist church on Sunday afternoon as the pastor, Rev. Wallace Cutter, preached a memorial sermon for the K. of P. lodge at Prospect Harbor.

George Joy, of this place, and Miss Gertrude Leighton, of East Steuben, were married at the home of Mr. Joy's mother, Mrs. Sarah Joy, on Saturday evening, June 13, by Rev. Wallace Cutter.

June 15. JEN.

Advertisements.

Mother's Ear

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BROOKLIN.

A. H. Mayo went to Rockland last week on a business trip.

Charles Allen, who has been ill so long, does not seem to improve.

Mrs. Hiram Bartlett has gone home to live with her aged father, Perley Kane.

Bert Anderson has moved his family into Hiram Bartlett's house for the summer.

Miss Nettie Gott came home from Charleston Saturday, where she has been employed.

Roy A. Kane, who is one of the faculty at Higgins classical institute, is at home on his vacation.

J. C. Weems and family, of Baltimore, are among the first of the summer visitors to arrive at West End.

Mrs. William Freethy returned home Sunday from Lawrence, Mass., where she has been visiting friends.

The "Farther Lights" society will give an entertainment and sociable at the chapel, Wednesday evening, June 17.

The masonic lodge will observe St. John's Day next Sunday at the Baptist church. The sermon will be preached by Rev. J. P. Simonton, of Ellsworth, at 3 p. m.

June 15. ONE FEMME.

SURRY.

Mrs. Nellie Hagerthy has been away several days visiting relatives in Sedgwick.

Mrs. Phebe Milliken, an aged lady living with her daughter, Mrs. E. N. Osgood, is very ill.

Mrs. S. S. Scammon, of Franklin, visited her mother, Mrs. H. C. Young, last week.

The pound party at the Methodist parsonage, announced for last Friday night, was postponed to Monday night on account of the storm.

Capt. F. W. Witham has sold his homestead to Mrs. Clara Carter, of South Surry. The new family moved in Tuesday. Capt. Witham will soon go to San Francisco, Cal., to live, where he already has a brother and two sons.

Edgar C. Withee met with a serious accident last Wednesday afternoon by falling from a staging to the floor. Mr. Withee was tearing down a barn on the North Bend road. The plank on which he was sitting was struck by a rafter, knocking him to the floor, a distance of eighteen feet, striking on his back. Dr. Emery.

June 15. G.

WEST FRANKLIN.

John T. Clark is building a stable on his lot on Pond avenue.

Rev. Mr. Brown, of Brunswick, preached at the union church yesterday.

Eugene Butler is to be freeman on the "Sappho". He expects to begin this week.

Since the last rains, nature has a more cheering aspect. One can now see without the aid of smoked glasses.

Some good pickerel are being caught at the pond. It is surprising how rapidly some of them expand in weight.

Dr. DeBeck has new stilled and raised his stable. He will replace his shed with a larger and more convenient one.

The steam power at the mill is again in active service. Mr. Pierce, of Ellsworth, was here a few days last week making the necessary repairs.

Two of Franklin's citizens, at least, are lost as to Ellsworth's charms; Capt. Asa Dyer has not been there for twenty-three years. Coleman Dyer has not been there but once during the forty-seven years of his life.

June 15. CH'ER.

STONINGTON.

The American express office has a large new gilt sign.

H. Putnam, of Boston, has been in town for ten days buying lobsters.

Ernest Bowditch, manager of Point Lookout club-house at Isle au Haut, arrived with several guests Sunday.

S. P. Mills was in town Saturday, arranging for the summer school for teachers which opens here July 13.

The graduation exercises of the high school took place in the opera house Thursday evening. It was the best one ever seen here, and was appreciated by the large audience.

One of the largest musical entertainments ever given in the village will take place in the opera house on Friday evening, under the leadership of Mr. Littlefield, of Bangor. There will be a chorus of seventy-five voices. Proceeds for the church.

June 15. W.

MANSET.

The Misses Talcott, of Bangor, are at their cottage here for the season.

Mrs. Asher Allen came last week to put the Ocean house in readiness for the summer season.

Miss Grace Morris, who has been employed in Boston for some months, came home Sunday.

The factory run by B. H. Mayo is open again and the usual number of hands are employed in putting up boneless fish.

The Sunday school will have a picnic next Saturday, if pleasant. Capt. W. R. Keene will take them to Cranberry Isles in his steamboat the "Bismarck".

Among the fishing schooners that have discharged recently are the "Vanguard", "Cosmos", "Quirkstep", "Samuel R. Crane", "Iolanthe", "Cosmopolitan."

The fishing business has been unusually good this spring. Capt. James Parker has already bought about 500,000 pounds, which is 100,000 pounds in excess of the same date last year.

June 15. E.

SOUTH HANCOCK.

Your correspondent is informed that John Wilken, on his recent visit to the westward, purchased through the agency

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NORTH CASTINE.

Miss Florence Hutchins returned Monday from Bluehill.

Charles F. Wardwell and family have gone to Vinalhaven to live.

Mrs. Mary L. Leach has returned from Bluehill, after an absence of several weeks.

Miss Grace D. Leach has closed her school in Brewer, and is home for the summer.

Mrs. Augusta Leach is in Portland visiting her daughter Annie, who is teaching there.

Milton Herrick, of South Penobscot, is assisting Manfred Mixer in digging the cellar for his new house.

Frank W. Hutchins came from Vinalhaven Tuesday, in his fishing boat "Inverness", and spent one night at home.

Fréd and Arch Wescott have been in town recently, to visit their father, Capt. George Wescott, who is seriously ill.

Burton Wardwell left Monday for Spruce Head, where he has employment. He has just finished a fine new barn.

Capt. David Dodge, with his family, went to Brooksville Sunday to visit his mother, Mrs. Rufus Dodge, who is very ill.

June 15. L.

Medical.

Why it Succeeds.

Because it's for One Thing Only and Ellsworth is Learning This.

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Doan's Kidney Pills do one thing only. They're for sick kidneys.

They cure backache, every kidney ill. Here is Ellsworth evidence to prove it.

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Sold for 50 cents a box by eleven dealers. Foster Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name, Doan's, and take no substitute.

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BASS HARBOR.

Angus McRae was at home for a day or two last week.

Mrs. Lydia Gott has moved into her new home, and will this season be hostess of a home full of guests.

Mrs. Anna Barron, who had so far recovered from her late severe illness as to be out, is poorly again.

Mrs. Admiral Fairfax, accompanied by her daughter, Miss Josephine Reese, will be at the Dow cottage about the 22d.

Prof. Charles Richards of the Sheffield scientific school, Yale college, will occupy rooms at the Seaside cottage, Mrs. Vesta Gott. Prof. Richards' family will accompany him.

The Leffingwell cottage, Old Rock, has been rented for the season by Mrs. Hattie Murphy. Mr. and Mrs. Baylis have engaged rooms there, and the hours will be well filled.

The alcove on the library-room of Mrs. Vesta McRae has been commenced. This much-needed addition is the gift of the Misses Spear, of Newton, Mass., who will occupy rooms at Mrs. Gott's this season.

The "Marion E. Turner", Capt. Clarence Turner, loaded 100,000 pounds of fish at Parker Bros' wharf this week. Guy Parker brought in a vessel loaded with 70,000 pounds from Outer Long Island the past week, making business lively on this side of the harbor.

The new branch of the Bass Harbor Ye will give a dramatic entertainment on Thursday evening, the 18th. This flourishing young organization has already begun to help out in much-needed improvements to the church and elsewhere, and bids fair to be a recognized helping hand in this community, and has the best wishes of all good citizens.

Mrs. Atherton, of Hotel Atherton, Somerville, with the two sons of George R. Fuller and Miss Gladys Mayo, of South-west Harbor, came from Bangor on the "Cimbria" and landed here Saturday night. The "Cimbria" was obliged to put back to Goose Cove on account of the storm.

June 15. N.

PENOBSCOT.

Repairs are being made on the sidewalks. Col. C. C. Burrill, of Ellsworth, has been in town the past week on business.

Miss Esther Emerson, of Bucksport, is visiting relatives here.

Arthur Bowden, of Freeport, has been visiting in town the past week.

The Penobscot house was reopened June 10, with D. C. Littlefield as proprietor.

Mrs. Frank Dunbar has gone for a few days' visit to Vinalhaven, where she will join her husband.

W. R. Clement shipped a cargo of hay to Nathan Ash, Bar Harbor, this week on the schooner "Henry Chase".

June 15. SUBA.

An Animal Story For Little Folks

The Little Bear's Idea

"Oh, how unhappy we are!" exclaimed Mr. Bear, making a very long face.

"We had better be dead," agreed Mrs. Bear.

But the little bear took a much more sensible view of things and he was convinced that his papa and mamma were wrong for once.

"See here," he cried, "why don't you try to make yourselves happy? Why don't you forget your troubles and look at the bright side of things?"

"How can we do it?" wailed Mr. and Mrs. Bear together.

"Why, simply shake off the ugly feeling you have and make up your minds to enjoy life," replied the little bear.

"Tell us how to do it," they cried.

"Suppose you begin with a dance and a song."

The old bears did not think very much of that, but they agreed to try



FLYING AROUND LIGHT FOOTED AND LIGHT HEARTED.

it. Up they got on their hind legs and began to dance around and sing, while the little bear whistled a tune that he had learned at school.

And the first thing they knew they were flying around light footed and light hearted and feeling ten years younger. They laughed and forgot their troubles and were as happy as a bride and groom. Of course, the little bear was very much pleased with the success of his plan.

"This life is not so dreary, after all," exclaimed Mr. Bear.

"Indeed, it is not," agreed Mrs. Bear. Moral.—You can be happy if you try to be.—Detroit Journal.

A Serious Mistake.

DeWitt's is the Witch Hazel Salve that heals without leaving a scar. It is a serious mistake to use any other. DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve cures blind, bleeding, itching and protruding piles, burns, bruises, eczema and all skin diseases. Sold by WIGGIN & MOORE.

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FROM BUCKSPORT.

Interesting Local Gossip—Penobscot Spiritual Association in August. Warren Kennedy is home from Boston on a vacation.

Dr. H. H. Crane returned Monday from a visit to friends in Milbridge.

Dennis L. Buckley, of Millinocket, was in town this week visiting relatives.

Jay Lee is home from the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, for the summer vacation.

Prof. E. A. Cooper, of the E. M. C. S., has gone to Springfield, Mass., for a visit of a fortnight.

Hon. Parker Spofford has gone to St. Paul, Minn., as a delegate to the supreme lodge A. O. U. W.

Mrs. Harriet Page is home from the winter spent with her son, Louis A. Page, in Worcester, Mass.

Prof. F. M. Davis, of Boston, is building a cottage on Echo park, the new extension to Verona park.

The grammar school closed on Friday. On Friday evening a pleasant reception was held in Emery hall.

The first circus to come to town for a number of years will be here on the 29th when Sawtelle's show comes.

Henry A. Buck and wife are to set up housekeeping in the place on Broadway formerly occupied by William O. Buck.

Henry Courcy has commenced work as news agent of the "City of Rockland", and Ralph Reed on the "City of Bangor".

The schooner "Irving Leslie" will not be fitted out for the Grand Banks this year. She has gone to Sullivan to load stone.

On Sunday Rev. Robert Sutcliffe delivered an eloquent sermon in the Franklin street church before the Odd Fellows and Rebekahs.

Ned P. McCaulder and wife are in town after an absence of a year or more. Mr. McCaulder is port captain for the New York & Porto Rico S. S. Co. at San Juan, P. R.

Supt. Ed. H. Emerson will close his connection with the Bucksport Electric Light and Power Co., on July 1, and will go to Dexter, where he will take charge of a plant there.

The family of James E. Buckley, of Bangor, will spend the most of the summer in the Pond house, formerly a part of the Moses conservatory plant, which has been nicely remodelled.

George Wentworth, for some time employed by Finson & Brown, has resigned and taken a position with R. W. Delano. His place at the former establishment has been taken by Maurice Kennedy.

Mrs. D. R. Hagerthy is home from an extended absence at sea, and will spend the summer in the J. L. Buck house on lower Main street. Capt. Hagerthy will spend the most of the summer in town.

Willard E. Covelle, of the firm of Covelle Bros., of East Orrington, whose tannery was recently burned, has been engaged as boss tanner and superintendent of the Biogdet Indian Point tannery to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Isaac Britton, which will take effect in September.

AT VERONA PARK.

Prospects are bright for a good attendance and a pleasant season at Verona park this year. Nearly all of the cottages on the grounds will be occupied.

The annual meeting of the Penobscot spiritual association will be held from Aug. 1 to Aug. 31. Among the speakers will be Mrs. Kattie M. Ham, of Haverhill, Mass.; James S. Scarlett, of Cambridgeport; J. Frank Baxter, of Chelsea, Mass.; Edgar W. Emerson, Manchester, N. H., and others.

Instrumental music will be furnished by Prof. F. M. Davis and wife, of Boston, and the vocal music will be in charge of Mrs. Marshall Farnum.

A school of philosophy will be in session on the week days. Metaphysical and educational topics will be discussed by Prof. Davis, of Boston, Prof. Porter, of Dixmont, F. W. Smith, of Rockland, and others.

The assignments of speakers for the Sundays are: 21, F. W. Smith; 28, Mrs. Ham; 16th, Mr. Scarlett; 23, Mr. Baxter; 30th, Mr. Emerson.

The Park hotel will open the 15th under the management of A. F. Smith, of Bangor.

Wonderful Things in Heredity.

It is a fact well established by students of heredity that children are apt to inherit not only the physical, mental and moral traits of their parents, but to be influenced by their age as well. Children born of very young fathers and mothers never attain so vigorous a growth of mind or body as those of older men and women, while children of old people are born old.

One of the most surprising cases in medical history is that of Marguerite Cribsonna, who died in 1763, aged 108 years. When ninety-four, she was married to a man aged 105. Three children came of this union, but they had gray hair, no teeth, were stooped, yellow and wrinkle—decrepit in movement and could eat only bread and vegetables.

Walters' Hands.

Many waiters have hands that are more callous than a blacksmith's or ironworker's. The callousness comes from carrying hot plates, coffee-pots and the like. The heat seems to fry their skin and to make a dead surface to keep them from being burned by things that a man with ordinary hands could not stand. It may have puzzled people who go to some restaurants to notice how the waiters hold things in their hands for some time which are too hot for the hands of the people at the tables even to pass to one another. This is the explanation: That the waiter's hands become callous and hard, so that the tough skin at the surface has no more feeling than a piece of horn.

Dear Mr. Wharton—Mr. Charteris told about you and I like you my father was a cavalry officer to and I don't like the

MAGINATIONS OF BOBS

By LOUISE LAMPRAY

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"Why, I don't know, Bobby. What would you like to name him?" From under her filmy gray parasol Fairfax Browne regarded her son with a look grave in its perplexity. Bobs adored his pretty mother because she never laughed at him; also because she had big blue eyes and a mass of fluffy red gold hair precisely like a princess in a fairy tale. Therefore, as a matter of course, the pepper and salt terrier was brought to her to be christened.

"Call him Rags," suggested Captain Frederick Lawton, the navy officer, who chanced that morning to be attendant. This had happened so often of late that dowagers were beginning to suggest in penetrating undertones that if dear Mrs. Browne were really thinking of marrying again she could not do better than to take Captain Lawton, suitable in age, good looking and quite independent of his profession. And every one knew that Mrs. Browne had but little besides that ramshackle old plantation in Louisiana, or was it Maryland?

Bobs had overheard one or two of these suggestions and, revolting them in his seven-year-old brain, had come to the conclusion that something portentous was impending. This or something else made him regard Captain Lawton's suggestion with vague disfavor.

"I don't like that," he said shortly. "It might seem disrespectful, you know."

He turned a sturdy blue back on them and trudged off, with the meek terrier under his arm. Presently came in sight a fresh faced young subaltern.

"Hello, Bobs! Where are you going with—that's his name?"

"He hasn't got any yet," said Bobby soberly. "That old Captain Lawton said to call him Rags, but I shan't. How would he feel if his father had named him Rags, I'd like to know?"

"That is a question which Captain Lawton has probably never considered," answered Charteris gravely. "But you might call this little beggar after General Kitchener."

"Is General Kitchener a great soldier?"

"The greatest next to Bobs," averred the lieutenant. And that settled it. Henceforth it was Bobs and Kitchener to all the American colony.

Meanwhile, as the gossips had surmised, Bobs' mother was pondering in the remote depths of her subconsciousness the question of accepting Captain Lawton. There were times when she felt a longing for the home and position which he could give her. It would be home for Bobby, too—Bobby, who looked at her with his big, honest, adoring gray eyes, so like his father's. But, curiously enough, as often as those eyes met hers she felt a strong distaste for Lawton, with his precise speech and immaculate uniform.

She had no idea that Bobby was also considering the merits of a prospective stepfather, but he was.

"Mr. Charteris," he said one day, "you aren't married, are you?"

Charteris blushed all over his boyish face. "Not yet," he said.

"Because," said Bobby with deliberation, "I've been thinkin' it over, and I believe I'd rather have you for a father than anybody that's here now."

Charteris gasped. "It's very good of you, I'm sure," he said, smothering an impulse to laugh, "but your mother might have something to say about that."

"Pooh! She wouldn't mind," said Bobby superbly. "She'd like you any amount better than that old navy captain. My father was a cavalry officer, and his sword's hangin' up in the library at home. I'm goin' to wear it when I grow up, but I won't be in the navy. A man's no good 'less he can ride."

Bobby's tone was that of long settled conviction, and in his heart Charteris, subaltern of hussars, with a medal won in Africa, may have agreed with him. At any rate, when he made a third that day in a group otherwise consisting of Mrs. Browne and Captain Lawton the latter inwardly cursed the inclination of the subaltern to talk of cross country hunts in England, rough riding on the plains and wild dashes over the African karroo. All the more violent was his emotion as he saw the rare color come into Fairfax Browne's face.

"He was the best rider I ever saw," Charteris said at the conclusion of one of his stories, "a big, kyspy looking chap—one of those men who don't seem to come from any place in particular, though I believe he was born in New York; chap that was always sure to do great things some day, by Jove!"

Charteris' eye had fallen on a paragraph in the paper on his knee.

"What is it?" inquired Mrs. Browne, interested.

"The very man. He's in Brighton—just back from South Africa."

Nobody noticed that as the group separated Bobby secured the newspaper and studied it carefully.

Arrived at the hotel, he begged the clerk for a sheet of paper, an envelope and a stamp and, producing a stubby pencil from his trousers pocket, composed a letter, sitting on the back veranda, while Kitchener made love to the cook. When the letter was done, he addressed it in a scrawly but distinct hand to "Mr. Edward Wharton, Brighton, England."

The letter ran as follows:

Dear Mr. Wharton—Mr. Charteris told about you and I like you my father was a cavalry officer to and I don't like the

navy one bit and I don't want a navy man for my new father

I think Kitchener and I'd rather have you if you like it. I'm sure Mamma and you would be grate friends. Yours with love ROBERT FAIRFAX BROWNE.

"By Jove!" said Wharton, and he threw back his head and laughed—a splendid, ringing laugh that consorted well with the gleam of his white teeth in the dusk of his beard and the flash of his deepest dark eyes. "This is certainly uncommon. It must be Charteris of the hussars, and—let's see; that's a Scheveningen hotel. I'd like to see the boy again. I'll run over there after I've been to London."

Some days later Bobs and Kitchener took it into their heads to play in an empty boat. Kitchener found the boat, and Bobs led the way into it. Then it gently parted company with the land and drifted away. The place was almost deserted at that time of day, and Bobby, half frightened, half elate, held his peace, wondering if it would be manly to call for help. A sudden gust of wind struck the craft, and somehow or other the two went over the side just as Captain Lawton and Mrs. Browne came strolling along the pier.

Mrs. Browne gave a cry of terror. "It's Bobby!" she exclaimed.

A moment's hesitation was all that saved Captain Lawton's immaculate garb, and in that instant a huge, swift moving form went by them, dropped into the water with a tremendous splash and swam with strong, assured strokes toward the dots in the water.

It was all over in a minute, and Mrs. Browne, all regardless of soft silk draperies and floating lace, had Bobby in her arms, and Lieutenant Charteris, who had come running up, was saying: "Pon my word, Bobs, you and Kitchener—"

Then his eye fell upon the rescuer, and he broke his sentence off in the middle to grab the hand of the big, tall, very wet man who had dropped his traveling bag to take an impromptu swim. There were introductions and handshakings and tears. When Bobby heard the name of Wharton, he stared round eyed, and when Wharton heard the name of Bobby he, too, said, "Upon my word!" to himself.

Perhaps all this had something to do with the fact that when on the following evening Captain Lawton came for his final answer to his suit the pretty widow knew her own mind and answered him with a gentle but decided "No."

At about the same time Wharton was confessing frankly to his friend Charteris that he was bowled over for the first time in his life, and would there be any chance for him? That naval officer, you know—

Charteris grinned. "I don't think you need worry about him," said he. "Go in, old chap, and here's luck."

The rapidity of Wharton's courtship shocked the whole place. It was not more than six weeks after his first appearance that he was walking in the twilight with a charming, gay gowned dame, and she was saying in that delicious soft voice of hers:

"But it wasn't all what you did that first day, Edward, though I'd have been friends forever with any one who had saved Bobby's life. It was just that you were you, and—don't you think it was fate?"

"I think," said Wharton, with a twinkle in his eye, "that it was the machinations of Bobs."

And then he told her.

The Lucifer Match.

It is from Mr. Isaac Holden, member of parliament, that we owe the invention of the lucifer match. This discovery was, he himself has told us, the result of a happy thought. "In the morning I used to get up at 4 o'clock in order to pursue my studies, and I used at that time the flint and steel, the use of which I found a very great inconvenience. Of course I knew, as other chemists did, the explosive material that was necessary in order to produce instantaneous light, but it was very difficult to obtain a light on wood by that explosive material, and the idea occurred to me to put sulphur under the explosive mixture. I did that and showed it in my next lecture on chemistry, a course of which I was delivering at a large academy.

"There was," added Mr. Holden, "a young man in the room whose father was a chemist in London, and he immediately wrote to his father about it, and shortly afterward lucifer matches were issued to the world. I believe that was the first occasion that we had the present lucifer match. I was urged to go and take out a patent immediately, but I thought it was so small a matter and it cost me so little labor that I did not think it proper to go and get a patent; otherwise I have no doubt it would have been very profitable."

By One Arm.

"It is a matter of surprise to me," remarked a man who is a keen observer, recently, "that half the children of this country do not grow up minus an arm."

"But wherefore?" asked the person to whom he was speaking.

"Here is an illustration," continued the first speaker. "Do you see that woman walking with a little child? Now, notice her when she crosses the street."

At the crossing the woman lifted the child by one arm. It dangled in the air, and its feet did not touch the earth until it was across the street, when the mother dropped it on the sidewalk.

"Well, the arm held, didn't it?"

"But," continued the philosopher, "I was afraid at one time it would be wrenched from its socket. Now, that is a sight you can witness every hour in the day—mothers dragging children out of street cars, across the streets or up a flight of stairs by one arm. I wonder how the mothers would like it if a being four times as large as themselves should suddenly swoop down and lift them by one arm. I'd like to see it tried once, I just would."

ODD RUSSIAN CUSTOM.

An Annual Assembly For the Promotion of Matrimony.

In compliance with an ancient Russian custom all the young men and women of the mercantile class in St. Petersburg assemble on Whitmonday, the former to stare and the latter to be stared at. The young girls, dressed as richly as their means will allow, are arranged in long rows by the sides of the flower beds in the summer garden, with their mammas standing behind them. The wardrobes of their mothers and grandmothers are laid under contribution, and everything bright and gaudy is carefully brought forward to enrich the drapery, the headdress or the girdle.

Some of the young ladies are so covered with gold and jewelry on these occasions that their natural charms are altogether concealed; indeed the ludicrous excess to which this sort of decoration is sometimes carried goes beyond what has ever been attempted elsewhere. Thus bedizened the blushing damsels, are drawn up in mute rows, while the papas, in flowing caftans and curling beards, parade their sons up and down. Here and there the papas and mammas try to lead the young folks into conversation with one another, in the course of which certain little looks and emotions may arise, pregnant with future circumstances. Eight days or so after this bridal exhibition private family meetings take place, at which those whose hearts are captivated at the grand show are more formally affianced to one another by their parents and relatives.

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Legal Notices.

THE subscriber hereby gives notice that she has been duly appointed administratrix of the estate of Alfred Joy, late of Ellsworth, in the county of Hancock, deceased, and given bonds as the law directs. All persons having demands against the estate of said deceased are desired to present the same for settlement, and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately. ELIZABETH A. JOY, June 2, 1903.

THE subscriber Calvin W. Sprague, of Stockton Springs, in the County of Waldo, and State of Maine, hereby gives notice that he has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Eugene H. Sprague, late of Tremont, in the County of Hancock, deceased, and given bonds as the law directs. All persons having demands against the estate of said deceased are desired to present the same for settlement, and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately. CALVIN W. SPRAGUE, June 2, 1903.

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE.

WHEREAS Charles A. Gordon, of Sullivan, in Hancock county, Maine, by his mortgage deed dated the twenty-first day of January, a. d. 1902, and recorded in vol. 375, page 28, of the registry of deeds for Hancock county, Maine, conveyed to me, the undersigned, a certain lot or parcel of land situated in the western part of said Sullivan, and bounded as described as follows, to wit: Beginning at a point on the west side of town road, near William H. Wooster's house; thence running northwesterly by said town road, about one hundred and seventy feet to the Porcupine road, so-called; thence southerly by said Porcupine road, about one hundred and eighty feet to a rock marked B, thence easterly about one hundred and sixty feet to place of beginning; containing fifty square rods more or less, together with the buildings thereon.

And whereas the condition of said mortgage has been broken, now therefore, by reason of the breach of the condition thereof, I claim a foreclosure of said mortgage.

Dated this 25th day of May, a. d. 1903. JOSIAH H. GORDON.

Special Notices.

Annual and Special Meeting. NOTICE.

PURSUANT to instructions given me by the Vice President of the Frenchman's Bay and Mt. Desert Land and Water Company, and pursuant to a resolution of the board of directors of said company, notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders in said company and a special meeting of the stockholders in said company will be held together at the same meeting, at the office of said company upon the main wharf at Sorrento, Hancock County, Maine, on Tuesday, June 23, 1903, at nine o'clock and thirty minutes in the forenoon, to act upon the following articles, to wit:

Article 1. To see if said stockholders will find that the usual mode of recording said company is inconvenient for the transaction of its business.

To see what action, if any, said stockholders will take, relative to changing its number of directors and amending any of its by-laws accordingly.

Article 2. To see what action, if any, said stockholders will take relative to changing the number of directors necessary to constitute a quorum of the board of directors of said company, and amend any of its by-laws accordingly.

Article 3. To see what action, if any, said stockholders will take relative to repealing, amending or adding to said company's code of by-laws in whole or in part.

Article 4. To see what action, if any, said stockholders will take relative to repealing, amending or adding to said company's code of by-laws in whole or in part.

Article 5. To see what action, if any, said stockholders will take relative to repealing, amending or adding to said company's code of by-laws in whole or in part.

Article 6. To see what action, if any, said stockholders will take relative to the disposition of any or all remaining property and assets of said Frenchman's Bay and Mt. Desert Land and Water Company, or by officers or persons acting or purporting to act for and in behalf of this company.

Article 7. To elect a board of directors and clerk of said Frenchman's Bay and Mt. Desert Land and Water Company.

Article 8. To see what action, if any, said stockholders will take relative to repealing, amending or adding to said company's code of by-laws in whole or in part.

Article 9. To see what action, if any, said stockholders will take relative to repealing, amending or adding to said company's code of by-laws in whole or in part.

Article 10. To see what action, if any, said stockholders will take relative to repealing, amending or adding to said company's code of by-laws in whole or in part.

Article 11. To act upon any other matter which may properly come before said meeting.

CHARLES F. SIMMONS, Clerk, of said Frenchman's Bay and Mt. Desert Land and Water Company. June 9, A. D. 1903.

Legal Notices.

STATE OF MAINE.

HANCOCK ss.—At a probate court held at Ellsworth, in and for the county of Hancock, on the second day of June, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and three.</

COUNTY NEWS.

LAMOINE. Hancock Pomona grange will meet with Lamoine grange, Tuesday, June 22. A good day is anticipated.

Frank L. Hodgkins is in Philadelphia attending the commencement exercises of the University of Pennsylvania. His son Nathan is a member of the graduating class of the dental department.

The Children's day concert last evening was well attended, and was a success. The Lamoine, North Lamoine, and Partridge Cove schools were represented in the exercises, and the efforts of all were appreciated. The music was especially fine. Several songs were rendered by the Cove people in a most pleasing manner. There were a duet by Miss Graves and Miss Jessie Graves, and one by Miss Cordie King and Grace Graves, and by Miss Marion and Lillian Hodgkins which delighted the congregation.

The concert which was billed for last Saturday evening was postponed on account of bad weather. June 18. H.

AUREVA.

Andrew Kelley died last Friday at his home here as a result of the injuries which he sustained a few days ago. He was about sixty-five years of age and had lived here for several years. He is survived by a widow who has the sympathy of the entire community. The funeral services were held at Beddington Sunday. Mr. Kelley was riding near his home last week when the horse took fright at some object, and giving a quick lurch to one side, threw him to the ground. He struck upon the top of his head.

FRANKLIN.

The young Christians of Franklin are showing much enterprise along spiritual lines. Among other things an interesting and practical course of Bible study has been prepared for Thursday evenings throughout the summer months, beginning June 25. Pastor G. F. Sibley, of the Baptist church, is to be the leader. A cordial invitation is extended to all to unite in these studies. June 18. SPEC.

GREAT POND.

Leonard Williams has bought the Moulton farm in Clifton, and has moved there. June 18. SPEC.

Advertisements.

FEAR.

HOW IT MAY BE OVERCOME. Fear is not always a lack of courage. One may be absolutely fearless when facing real danger, but a perfect coward about trifling matters. Many people fear to be in a crowded hall, and frequently, and unnecessarily, leave some enjoyable affair and return home. Thousands fear lightning to such an alarming extent, that during a thunder storm they become ill. Fear of this character is caused by a nervousness brought on chiefly by diseases of the kidneys and bladder.

A further proof that these organs are diseased, is ascertained by depositing a small quantity of urine in a glass tumbler and if after standing twenty-four hours you find itropy or milky in appearance, if it has a sediment, if your back pains you, and you often have a desire to urinate during the night, with burning, scalding pains; it's the strongest kind of evidence that your kidneys and bladder are diseased and the very strongest reason why you should not delay in trying DR. DAVID KENNEDY'S FAVORITE REMEDY, the pathfinder in medicine, for diseases of the kidneys and bladder, liver, rheumatism, dyspepsia and constipation. We are so absolutely certain of the curative powers of Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy, that we will send you a trial bottle, absolutely free, by mail, if you will write to the Dr. David Kennedy Corporation, Rondout, N. Y. Druggists sell it in New 50 Cent Size and the regular \$1.00 size bottles.

Dr. David Kennedy's Golden Plasters strengthen Muscles, remove pain instantly. 25c each.

G. A. PARCHER, APOTHECARY. Ellsworth, Maine.

Advertisements.

COUNTY NEWS.

BLANCHILL. Miss Alice Mayo has returned from Boston.

Miss Stella Hinckley is visiting friends in Boston.

N. E. Holt and wife arrived home from Boston last week.

Mrs. Henderson has opened her cottage on Tenny Hill for the season.

Francis Knutson and family are occupying their cottage at Parker Point.

The woman's relief corps sold ice-cream and cake Saturday evening and realized about \$12.

Rev. Mr. McKay's family, of New York, have come to the John Stevens house for the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex and Mr. Heuser, of New York, have been at the Pendleton house for some days.

Mrs. Hattie Hooper came from Massachusetts to be present at the graduation of her daughter Miss Carol.

Mrs. Ernest Borrell, of Dedham, has been visiting her sister, Mrs. P. S. Parker, and calling on other friends in town.

Children's day was observed at the Congregational church with an appropriate sermon by the pastor in the morning, and a Sunday school concert in the evening, which was a union service.

Mrs. R. P. Stover, who is not in her usual good health, has gone to Cambridge, Mass., to spend a few weeks. Her son's wife, Mrs. Charles Stover, came to accompany her on the journey, and her sister, Mrs. Mirick, takes her home cares here.

Isaac and George Ralph, of Northeast Harbor, Will Ralph, of Waldoboro, and Mrs. Annie Springer, of Ellsworth, came home to attend the graduation exercises, as their sister, Miss Edith Ralph, was among the graduates. Mrs. Springer was accompanied by her daughter Edna.

Mrs. Lizzie Witham and her daughter Alice have been spending a few weeks with Mrs. Ida Snow before going to their home, as Miss Alice has not yet recovered fully from an operation for appendicitis which was performed a short time before they left Massachusetts.

George S. Osgood was found last Friday morning in an unconscious state, having fallen from the floor of the barn to the bottom of the silo. He was severely injured about the head and face, and it was some time before he recovered consciousness. He has been confined to his bed for some days, but is now improving.

The news of the death of Harvey S. Osgood, of Huntington, West Virginia, has been received by his relatives here. His father was John H. Osgood, who has been dead some years; his mother, Mrs. Catherine Wood Osgood, survives him. He leaves also one brother and one sister, a wife and six children. His death occurred June 4. June 18. M.

EAST LAMOINE.

Rev. S. W. Sutton, of Ellsworth, will preach here next Sunday, June 21, at 3:30 p. m.

The United States collier "Hannibal" arrived yesterday at the cooling station with 2,100 tons of coal.

John A. Peters, Jr., and Henry W. Cushman, of Ellsworth, are occupying their summer cottages here.

Mrs. Quinn and daughter, who have been keeping house for Frank Powers, leave to-day for Bar Harbor, where they will be employed for the summer. June 18. H.

NORTH LAMOINE.

Helen B. McFarland, who has been visiting his parents the last few days, has returned to Ithaca, N. Y. Mr. McFarland has been taking a post-graduate course at Cornell university the past year, and will take his degree as master of mechanical engineering on June 18. He will immediately go to Lorain, Ohio, where he has a position in the construction department of the Lorain Steel Co. His many friends feel that his perseverance and sterling abilities will assure him success. June 18. SPEC.

SULLIVAN.

There will be a social dance at K. of P. hall on Friday evening, June 19, under the management of Bradbury Smith and G. A. Joy. Music by Joy and Kelley.

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White Hair

COUNTY NEWS.

For additional County News see other pages.

WEST SULLIVAN.

Beginning last Sunday we are having Sunday meals for the first time.

Herbert Jefferson came from Bar Harbor and spent Sunday night in town.

Miss Mona Blaisdell, of Bar Harbor, is visiting Miss Beatrice Blaisdell.

Miss Lois Banker returned Sunday from a few days' visit in Bar Harbor.

Miss Beale Clark, of Bar Harbor, recently visited relatives at North Sullivan.

Mrs. Taft, of West Gouldsboro, who has been a guest at G. W. Pettengill's, has returned home.

Mrs. C. H. Abbott went to Portland Friday for surgical treatment. Mr. Abbott went Sunday night. June 15. B.

CASTINE.

On Monday of last week the Unitarians of Castine dedicated their new banquet hall. Supper was served in the new building, and there was a good number present to enjoy the occasion. Services were held in the church at 8 p. m., at which Rev. Dr. Elliot, of Boston, president of the Unitarian society, made an able address. The new hall is a credit to the society, commodious and convenient, and admirably adapted to the social needs of the congregation.

The town schools closed last Thursday. The high school graduating exercises took place in the evening.

STANTON'S IRISH STEW.

A Story of the Great War Secretary as Told by His Bodyguard.

An attempt by Secretary of War Stanton to cook an Irish stew while holding the war department office against the removal order of President Andrew Johnson is one of many anecdotes related by Louis Koerth, at the period mentioned the great war secretary's bodyguard.

Feb. 21, 1868, President Johnson appointed General Lorenzo Thomas secretary of war ad interim, but the power of removal having been taken by the tenure of office act from the president, Mr. Stanton refused to resign or to vacate the office of secretary.

He camped in the office, determined to hold it until the result of the impeachment proceedings against the president, should be determined. For sixty days Mr. Stanton held "the fort," and during that period his faithful bodyguard, ex-Sergeant Louis Koerth, then in the United States general service, assigned to the war department, kept him company.

On the day in which Mr. Stanton received the official notification of his removal by the president he made immediate preparations for a siege. He dispatched Sergeant Koerth to Mrs. Stanton for blankets and pillows, but that lady refused to send them, insisting that the secretary should come home and give up the office.

Mr. Stanton smiled on receiving her message and simply said: "Koerth, go to your own house and bring blankets, pillows and such cooking utensils as we may need."

The Irish stew was the first effort of the secretary and his bodyguard. Koerth, being a German, needed instructions in the mysteries of preparing the savory stew, and the secretary named the various ingredients, which he ordered the servant to purchase.

Both men had spent a busy and laboriously exciting day, and both were tired out when the pot was put on the fire to cook the stew.

The consequence was that the great war secretary and his bodyguard fell asleep. The secretary was the first to be awakened by the smell of the burning stew. "Koerth, Koerth! Wake up, man!" shouted Mr. Stanton. "The stew is burning!" Koerth sprang to his feet, but, alas, too late to save Mr. Stanton's Irish stew. It was burned and smoking, while the pot was a glowing red. Ruefully the secretary rolled himself up in his blankets on the sofa and went to sleep for the night supperless.—Washington Post.

Pope Leo XIII has had 262 predecessors in the pontifical chair, and has now passed the longest term of occupancy of any of them, the time boundary whose traversal gives him this distinction having just been crossed. This record is a most remarkable one.

Advertisements.

MRS. DEERING DEAD.

Brewer Woman who was Charged with Killing Her Husband. Mrs. Mary Deering, accused of killing her husband, William A. Deering, by shooting on the night of March 14 at their home in Brewer, died last Monday from cancer.

Mrs. Deering, owing to her condition, had never been removed from her room, although the coroner's jury returned a verdict to the effect that she committed the deed.

The crime with which Mrs. Deering was charged, with all its details, is already familiar to the people of this section. The culmination of a life with her husband of trouble and dissension, the crafty means used by the woman to procure the revolver and cartridges, the long-looked-for opportunity to stagger to the door of her sick room and fire a bullet into the brain of her sleeping husband, are all well known, and made one more chapter in the history of crime in Maine.

Mrs. Deering was never taken into custody more than to be under the surveillance of an officer. It was believed that the woman would not live long, and as there was no demand for immediate justice under the existing conditions, matters were allowed to take their course.

At the time of the crime Mrs. Deering was suffering from a cancer, which originated, she claimed, from a blow received from her husband. It was with the feeling that she might die before her husband, and that he might come into possession of her property that seems to have been the motive of her crime.

She has been slowly sinking under the insroads of the disease, and the end has been expected at any moment since the tragedy. Her relatives are a sister, Mrs. Jones, who has been with her since some time previous to the death of Mr. Deering, also a son, Frank Woodbury, who lives in Brewer.

FORAGE CROPS

To Supplement Summer Pasture and Winter Hay.

Because of the long-continued drouth, the prospects are very unfavorable for the hay crop. While it is to be hoped that before this reaches the eye of the reader the drouth will have been broken by copious rains, many farmers will still need to grow special forage crops to supplement the summer pasturage or the winter's hay.

While Indian corn is the best forage plant for Maine, if a sufficient acreage has not been planted the season is so far advanced that other quicker-growing plants can now be more advantageously used.

The Millet—Hungarian, German, Pearl and Japanese, Rape, and on light warm soils early Soy beans—are the more desirable. The smaller-growing millets can be made into hay, the larger can be fed green or made into silage.

Rape is valuable as a summer and fall feed for cattle, sheep, hogs and poultry. The soy bean is highly nitrogenous, but Maine is so far north as to make it a somewhat uncertain crop. Those who need to plant supplementary forage crops should send to the secretary of agriculture, Washington, D. C., (do not inclose postage as the department has free use of the mails), for the following farmers' bulletins: No. 101. Millets; No. 164. Rape as a Forage Crop; No. 168. Pearl Millet.

Do not send to the Maine experiment station for these publications as the station cannot supply them.

Castine Normals.

The graduating exercises at the normal school at Castine took place last Tuesday. The following graduates are residents of Hancock county:

- Grindle, Fausta M., (advanced class) Penobscot. Perkins, Amy S., (advanced class) Castine. Burrill, Guy A., Dedham. Carter, Harvey L., Hancock (Mt. Desert Ferry). Carter, Herman A., Bluehill. Colby, Minola, Dedham. Hatch, Christina F., Penobscot (North). Houston, Annie B., Bucksport. Morgrage, Russell L., Castine. Moon, Myra A., Hancock. Parker, Sarah A., Sargentville. Peterson, Joseph H., Penobscot. Robinson, Annette E., Castine. Saunders, William H., Deer Isle. Stinson, Susie W., East Surry. Stinson, Anns D., East Surry. Stover, Eleanor I., Castine. Tapley, Millie M., West Brooksville. Tapley, L. Marie, West Brooksville. Workman, Alice M., Sullivan. Young, Annie M., North Lamoine.

Garden-Making For Children.

Garden-making as a part of school work is the subject of a complete manual, "How to Make School Gardens," by H. D. Hemenway, now ready for publication with Doubleday, Page & Co., publishers of Country Life in America.

There is a strong movement in this country to found all nature work on this study—as in Russia and other European countries, where no school can receive state aid unless it has a garden attached.

The author is an authority, and director of the Hartford school of horticulture and he covered all sides of the work from spring to autumn, and even greenhouse growing and grafting are included.

It is almost as difficult for some women to get their hats on in the evening, as it is for some men to get theirs on the next morning.

What is stated to be a spring giving fourth a liquid resembling essence of violets both in perfume and chemical composition, has been discovered in a valley near Millau, Aveyron, France.

The progress of the world is something remarkable. The lady who would never think of leaving the table without using the finger-bowl may be the granddaughter of a man who drank his coffee out of the saucer.

Advertisements.

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Monte Carlo Silk Coats, Silk and Mercerized Petticoats, Shirt Waists.

This sale we inaugurate should be a noteworthy event, and is bound to be of supreme interest to every woman who likes to wear fine and stylish high-class clothes, when the prices are as low as they are with us.

Special Bargains in WALKING SUITS.

\$12.50 Suits for \$10. Cheviots and Venetian Cloth Suits; our

\$15.00 Suits for \$10.00 17.50 " " 12.50 20.00 " " 10.00

Dress and Walking Skirts.

We have bought manufacturers' stock of 250 Walking and Dress Skirts, which we offer at \$5 and \$7.50. Some among them are worth double the price.

Shirt Waist Suits

A full stock of from \$1.50 to \$2.50.

Silk Coats

in Monte Carlos, the new long effects reduced from \$15 to \$10 and \$12.50.

Shirt Waists

washable and silk—the greatest bargains ever offered. We have over 500 of them at \$1, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$2, \$2.50, \$3 and \$3.50, or practically at nearly one-half of their real value.

In connection with our shirt waists we offer Shirt Waist Patterns at 75c., \$1 and \$1.50 per pattern of three yards. In our early spring sale we sold similar goods at \$1, \$1.50, \$2, \$2.50 and \$3. Only about 100 patterns in stock.

Dimities and Wash Dress Goods

we have reduced to a price to close. Also reduced prices on our Gingham, Ducks and Cotton Cheviots.

Fans, Parasols, Silk and Lisle Gloves, Laces and Embroideries, Corsets, Hosiery and Underwear at reduced prices and in large variety.

We are selling everything suitable for mid-summer wear at low prices. Come one and all.

M. GALLERT.

Going at \$3.75

Some of our best suits are going at this low price, others at \$4.00 and \$5.00. The price is way below the actual cost.

Bicycle Suits

at your own price. A good big stock of these goods to select from.

Boys' Long Pants from 59c up

KNEE PANTS AT 19c These goods are for boys, and at this extremely low price they will sell off pretty quick—better get a pair immediately

Our Furnishing Goods

are about all gone, but what's left you can have at your own price.

Don't forget that this is a closing-out sale and that all of our goods are first-class and up-to-date. But they have got to go, hence these extremely low prices

OWEN BYRN, 5 Water St., Ellsworth, Maine.

40 Needles Free

15 large darning and button needles and a paper of 25 Martha Washington Needles

To get this needle book, send us a yellow wrapper from a bottle of "L. F." Atwood's, stating your benefits from the use of "L. F.'s"

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