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THE BURRILL NATIONAL BANK, of Ellsworth, Maine,

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We all know that business conditions are not such as they once were, and we all have to make our dollars count. My prices are fixed to meet the changed conditions. I have a stock from which hundreds of useful and beautiful Christmas presents can be selected. A large stock of

WATCHES

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Brooches from 25c to \$20.00. Pin Sets, 10c to \$2.50. Sleeve Buttons, 25c to \$6.00. Stick Pins, all prices. Fobs, for men or women, 25c to \$5.50. Lorgnette Chains, \$1.00 to \$6.00. Bracelets, all prices.

SILVERWARE What can make a more lasting, useful and satisfactory present than Sterling Silver Ware? I have lots of it, and also Silver Plated Ware. A varied line of Silver Novelties.

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What is more convenient than a fountain pen? One will never know until one uses one. I have the Parker, Waterman's Ideal, Wirt and other makes. I also have a new thing in the fountain pen line-the Parker Jackknife. Can be carried in the vest pocket in any position. Ladies can carry them in their shopping bags. Call and inspect.

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Watches for Men, Women, boys and girls, from \$1.00 to \$35.00

LOCAL AFFAIRS.

Ada S Noyes—Notice of foreclos Bangon, MB: Dr C E Holt-Professional card.

The Hills Co-Girls wanted

The ladies' social circle of the Baburch will serve supper this evening

Frank E. Mace, of Great Pond, and Albert E. Mace, of Aurora, were in Ellsworth Monday.

Harry E. Rowe and wife, who spe Thank-giving in Portland, returned Ellsworth to-day.

Wm. H. H. Rice post, G. A. R., will elect fficers next Monday evening. A large at-endance is desired.

George W. Whiting was taken suddenly ill last week, and is confined to his bed with a spinal trouble.

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There will be a dance at Society hall Saturday evening. Dancing school and extra Tuesday evening.

Mrs. E. J. Walsh will open her annual Christmas exhibition on Tuesday, Dec. 14, at her home on upper Main street.

The Thursday clab of the Congregational church will meet this week with Mrs. Harry'L. Crabtree, Bridge hill.

The Rebekah swing circle is rehearsing

Mrs. J. W. Barnes announces the engagement of her daughter, Ida May Barnes, of Ellsworth, to Walter B. Horton, of Portland.

Abbertigement.

F O Silsoy
Ellsworth Loan & Bullding
Sotice of foreclosure.
Admr notice—Est Georgia I Barton.
In bankruptcy—John L Thurlow.
New England Tel & Tel Co—Petition
Wm J Barter—Notice of foreclosure
Situation as housekeeper wanted.
B C Haines—Holiday sales.
Stanwood—Photographer.
Burrill Nat'l Bank.
E G Moore—Holiday goods.
A W Greely—Holiday goods.
J A Haynes—Cash market.
New England Tel & Tel Co.
Genusus, Ms:

H. W. Dunn, jr., is at home freecollege for a few weeks.

Miss Margaret Bresnahan left Monday or Aiken, S. C., for the winter.

he vestry.

Fred P. Haynes and wife are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son,

A telephone has recently been installed in the residence of Capt. Roland C. Honsey on the Surry road.

The Rebekah sewing circle is rehearsing the play, "Miss Fearless & Co.," to be presented at Hancock hall New Year's eve or early in January.

Irene chapter, O. E. S., will have a sale of aprons, fancy articles and home-made candy at Masonic hall, Friday afternoon, Dec. 17.

The many friends of City Marshal S. C. Fuller were pleased to see him back on duty again Monday, after his long absence on account of illness.

Charles R. Burrill, manager of the Mt. Kebo Spring Water Co., has gone to New York, where he will make his headquar-ters for the winter. Mrs. Burrill is with

The ladies of the Methodist church will hold a fair and sale at the church vestry Thursday afternoon and evening, Dec. 16. Fancy articles and home-made candy will be for sale.

Miss Mary A. Stockbridge opened her annual exhibition of water color pictures and Christmas novelties last Monday in the rooms over J. A. Thompson's book-store on Main street.

Red Cross Christmas stamps are being sold in gratifying quantities, but the agent for this section, Mrs. E. K. Hopkins, hopes that there will be a still larger demand for them.

Eugene Ryder was arraigned in the Ellsworth muncipal court last Wednesday charged with larceny of clothing from Arthur L. Graves, of Bar Harbor. He was found guilty, fined \$10 and costs, and committed to the county jail in default of payment.

A large number of Ellsworth Masons will accept the invitation of Bar Harbor lodge to-morrow evening, when there will be work in the third degree, with Past Master T. E. Hale, of Ellsworth, in the chair. The Masons will leave Ellsworth on the 6.08 train to-morrow evening,

THE LATEST AND BEST

CHRISTMAS PRESENTS

Ideal to Give---Easy to Buy---Things

That Men like.

Cigars by the box, \$1 to \$4. Neat Cigar Cases, .50c to \$1.50. Fountain Pens, 75c to \$3.50.

Combs, 10e to 25e

Brushes, 25c to \$1.50.

Hat Brushes, 25c to 50c.

mas giving, each \$5.

Manicure sets, 75c to \$5.

Mirrors, 25e to \$2.

Perfume Atomizers.

\$1.50.

Fountain pens, all prices

Brush and comb sets, 75c to \$5.

Playing cards, 10c to 50c.; Perfume per bottle, 25c to \$2.50

Fine toilet soaps, 10c to 50c. Toothbrushes, 10c to 50c.

Fenway candy, 10c to \$2 50.

Baby sets, puff and puff boxes. No trouble to show goods.

Military hair-brushes, 75c to \$4. Shaving outfits, 50c to \$1.75

Choice variety of pipes, 25c to \$4. Traveling cases, \$1.50 to \$4.

Razors that we warrant, \$1.50 to \$2.

Gillette safety razors, ideal for Christ-

Razor-straps, 25c to \$1.50. Shaving Brushes and Shaving Soap.

Special for Ladies.

Pocketbooks and purses, 50c to 2.50.

Hand or Shopping bags, \$1 to \$1.50.

Roger & Gallet toilet water, \$1 and

Moore's Drug Store, Corner opp. P. O., the Ellsworth.

Note These Bargains: YOUR

A. W. GREELY, - -

PROTECTION Thirty-six years of

successful banking is one of our greatest assets, and your guarantee of honest, straightforward business methods.

Hancock Co. Savings Bank,

16 State St. MAINE. ELLSWORTH,

Some of Parcher's Special **Preparations**

COMPOUND

CARBOLIC SALVE
For Suppurating Boils and Abscesses, Salt
Rheum and skin diseases generally. It destroys the life of all parasites and disease
germs, both vegetable and animal. PRICE, 25 cents

OUININE PILLS

Many quinine pills are first made into a hard mass and then coated. Such pills will frequently pass undissolved. In our quinine pills the pure dry quinine is enclosed in a him shell of very soluble coating thus insuring beyond doubt their full medicinal action when taken into the stomach.

PRICE, 35 cents

GEORGE A. PARCHER'S Drug Store ELLSWORTH, ME.

Seeded Raisins

JEWELER,

by the case, 7c lb.

"Bluebell" Corn **Tomatoes**

95c per Doz.

Prunes

by the case (25 lbs.) 7clb.

C. W. GRINDAL,

Water St., Ellsworth.

RESTAURANT Everything new and neat. Home cooking.
Own farm. Board by day or week. Meal tickets for sale. Handy for city folks when in a hurry.
Convenient for out of town shoppers. Pure

Wm. H. Butler. Cor. Main and Hancock Sts., -

Now is Chrysanthemum Time AT THE

ELLSWORTH GREENHOUSE.

Big beauteous flowers await your inspe

Telephone 43.

and return Friday noon. Past experience of Bar Harbor's hospitality assures a good

Rev. W. F. Emery will preach in the Methodist church Sunday morning at 10.30 and afternoon from 3 to 4. All are in-

At the poultry show being held this week in Bangor, among the awards in the barred Plymouth Rock class are the following: Cock, 2d; hen, 1st; pullet, 3d; pens, 3d, to Fred P. Haynes, of this city.

Irene chapter, O. E. S., last Friday evening elected officers as follows: Miss Carrie B. Means, W. M.; John B. Redman, W. P.; Mrs. Matilds Friend, A. M.; Miss Mabel Lord, secretary; Mrs. Georgia Leland, treasurer; Mrs. Nellie Lermond, conductress; Mrs. Kate Hooper, associate conductress.

word has been received here of the death on Nov. 25 at Santa Rosa, Cal., of James H. Guptill, formerly of this city. Mr. Guptill was a native of Belfast. He was a veteran of the Civil war, and a member of Wm. H. H. Rice post, G. A. R. He went West about forty years ago. He is survived by a widow, two sone—H. S. and W. H., and one daughter—Grace.

Lineoin Beile, of Milbridge, was brought to Ellisworth yesterday by Deputy Sheriff Fred A. Patten, of Sullivan, for a hearing in the municipal court for drunkenness and disorderly conduct. Boile showed up at West Sullivan drunk, and created a disturbance at the Granite hotel. His arrest followed. He was fined if and costs, and bound over in the sum of 100 to keep the peace for three months. He was committed to the county jail in default of payment.

MERCHANTS' ASSOCIATION.

Ellsworth Business | Men Organize for Mutual Benefit.

The business men of Ellsworth have or-

ganized for mutual benefit and the adganized for mutual benefit and the advancement of the city, under the name of the Merchants Association of Ellsworth. The new organization is in no way in opposition to the existing board of trade, though in many of its interests it must necessarily parallel the interests and objects of the board of trade. Some twenty of the business men of Ellsworth have already enrolled themselves with the new association.

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of the business men of Ells worth have already enrolled themselves with the new association.

The organization was perfected at a meeting at the aldermen's room last evening, when constitution and bylaws vere adopted and officers elected.

The object of the association, as set forth in its constitution, is "to advance the trade, commercial, industrial and public interests of Ellsworth, and furthermore to establish a protective system for our merchants, extending and expanding our present trade, make Ellsworth a practical centre of trade in Hancock county, foster a stronger spirit for home trade, improve transportation and freights and bring matters of interest before the merchants for friendly discussion".

The officers consist of president, vice-president, secretary, treasurer and executive committee. There will be standing committees on trade, commerce, industries, finance, publication, transportation and agriculture. Application for membership is by writing, endorsed by two members. The annual dues shall not exceed \$2, but provision is made for assessment by a two-thirds vote.

A distinct and separate department of the association is the collection agency feature, by which a system of collections for members is undertaken by the association, and means taken to guard against bad accounts. This feature alone should afford sufficient excuse for the organization of this association, and prove of great benefit to members.

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Meetings will be held the third Monday of each month, and there will be an announced subject for discussion at each meeting and social features will from time to time be introduced. The annual meeting will be held the third Monday in January each year.

At the meeting last night the following officers were elected to serve until the annual meeting in January; Hollis B. Estey, president; W. A. Alexander, vice-president; E. F. Robinson, jr., treasurer; Roy C. Haines, secretary; C. L. Morang, C. I. Staples and John A. Lord, executive committee. A special soliciting committee on membership was chosen—H. B. Estey, Roy C. Haines and A. W. Greely.

It was voted to have a merchants' trade carnival Wednesday, Dec. 22, and H. B. Estey and C. L. Morang were appointed a committee to take up the matter of special rates with the Maine Central and Washington County railroads.

The annual meeting in January will be a "smoker", with a program which will incude talks by interesting speakers on subjects of importance to the association. The meeting adjourned to 8 next Tuesday evening.

Grange Fair Committee.

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A meeting is being held at the Hancock house this afternoon of the members of the committee appointed from the granges of the county as a result of the field day meeting in Ellsworth last October.

The members of the committee present are O. W. Foss, Hancock; E. E. McFarland, Lamoine; Daniel G. Hall, Eden; D. W. McKay, Surry; F. A. Noyes, Sullivan; George E. Davis, Ellsworth Falls, and Roy C. Haines, Ellsworth Falls, and Roy C. Haines, Ellsworth The other members of the committee are Thomas Grieve, Bluehill; Daniel Young, Mariaville; George Wood, East Bluehill; S. L. Goss, Orland.

The committee will organize and then take up the question of an annual grange fair in Ellsworth.

The sentiment of the meeting this afternoon is strongly in favor of the project and an organization will doubtless be formed and incorporated.

It will not involve any grange organization but will "be an individual movement.

Mistaken for Rabbit.

Samuel Fickett, of Milbridge, aged forty years, was instantly killed yesterday by William E. Francis, while hunting rabbits. Fickett had gone ahead to scare up rabbits and drive them toward Francis. Francis saw a rabbit, and almost at the same moment saw what he thought was another, and fired. What he took to be a second rabbit was a portion of Fickett's clothing showing through the trees. The charge of buckshot penetrated his heart.

SOUTH SURRY.

Mrs. Nora Young found a dandelion in loom in her yard last week. Eli Smalley and son Bernard expect to occupy Everard Young's house this winter.

Frank Staples, Ralph Witham and Arthur Candage were the lucky deer hunters last week.

Capt. Elmer Hamblen, of Stonington, who has been vigiting his daughter, Miss Evelyn, who is teaching here, returned home Sunday.

Those who have pigs to sell to the butchers are getting twelve cents per pound live weight, which is more than they have ever sold for here.

(After ch	arging o	off 1	olls and o	ders pass	ed Novemb	per 1, 1909.)	
Fund.	Approp		Sundry oredits.	Total credits.	Warrants drawn.	Bal un- derdrawn.	Bal over-
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Bridge	500	00		509 00	424 38	75 64	
Rock crushing	1,000	00	19 50	1,019 50	1,550 01		530 51
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City poor	3,550	00	8 38	3,558 38	2,862 47	895 91	
Insane	1,000	00	17 52	1,017 52	973 58	43 94	
City schools	4,500	00	3,806 93	8,306 93	5,265 59	3,041 34	
High school	2,300	00	980 91	3,280 91	1,767 28	1,513 63	
Text-book	600	00	6 31	606 31	485 15	121 16	
Schoolhouse	500	00		500 00	415 92	84 08	
Supt. of schools	500	00	27 21	527 21	362 49	164 72	
Police	1,200	00		1,200 00	807 95	392 05	
Fire department	2,600	00	38 37	2,633 37	2,173 51	459 86	
City library	800	00	508 80	1,308 80	742 75	566 05	
Interest	3,600	00		3,600 00		3,600 00	
City water	2,000	00		2,000 00	1,000 00	1,000 00	
Electric light	2,265	00	612 20	2,877 20	1,686 14	1,191 06	
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West side road	1,500 (00		1,500 00	1,384 80	115 20	
Hose	250	00	7 25	257 25		257 25	
Overlayings	1,390	80		1,390 08	129 21	1,280 87	
Totals,	\$42,868	08	\$7,568 01	\$50,506 09	\$36,802 23	\$17,109 75	\$3,403 89
Total credits \$59,50			,506 00	Accounts undrawn			\$17.109 75
Total warrants drawn	38,802 23			Accts. overdrawn			3,403 59
		\$13	,705 86				\$13,705 86

13,705 86 Bal. uncol. to date. \$9,573 82 543 09 Uncollected last auditor's report 1899-1904 2,187 50 217 62 18,059 34

14.822 07 1909 3,237 27 630,363 75 \$3,454.89 TREASURER'S REPORT. Paid since last report, Balance on hand last report. Received since last report, 2,187 50

\$2,475 67 December 6, 1909. T. E. HALE, Auditor.

Walter Dunham and Gardiner Milliken each shot a good-sized deer last week. Daniel E. Loweree, who has been here for a two weeks' visit with his family, left Tuesday evening for Boston. Mrs. William P. Moore and family left Tuesday for Brewer to visit several days before going to Gardiner for the winter. Mr. Moore has a position in one of the shoe factories there.

ELLSWORTH FALLS.

Eben M. Jellison and wife have gone for a visit of several weeks among Mrs. Jelli-son's relatives at Perry and vicinity in Washington county. This is Mrs. Jelli-son's first visit to her home town in six-teen years.

The ladies' sewing circle will hold its annual Christmas sale in the vestry Thursday afternoon, Dec. 16. Fancy articles, cooked food and candy will be on sale. There will be a special session of the circle on Thursday afternoon of this week with Mrs. Almond Jellison.

Eddie Maddocks shot a large buck one day recently.

Mrs. Elvira Lewis, of Steuben, is with
Mrs. Elvira Ellis, of this place.

Stonington Schooner Lost.

The schooner Eugenia Borda, owned by Samuel W. Goss, of Stonington, bound from Liverpool, N. S., for Philadelphia with lumber, was abandoned, waterlogged, off the Massachusetts coast last Thursday. The crew was taken off by the steamer Vaderland, bound from New York for Antwerp, which reported the rescue by wireless.

The dwelling-house of Walter B. Estabrook at East Sullivan was burned Thursday evening. The barn was saved through the efficient work of neighbors who quickly gathered. Some of the contents of the lower part of the house were saved. The fire evidently started about the chimney in the upper part of the house and spread rapidly. The loss is partially covered by insurance.

COMING EVENTS. ELISWORTH.

Wednesday, Dec. 8, at Baptist vestry—Supper, 15 cents.

Thursday, Dec. 16, afternoon and evening, at Methodist vestry—Fair and sale.

Friday afternoon, Dec. 17, at Masonic hall—Aprons, fancy articles and home-candy sale by Irene chapter.

Friday evening Ech. 25, at Paul Revent

Friday evening, Feb. 25, at Paul Revere hall, Mechanic's building, Boston—Ells-worth reunion.

Advertisements

UNPAID TAXES WILL BE ADVERTISED.

All real estate upon which taxes remainunpaid will be advertised December 22.

PAY YOUR TAX NOW

to avoid this public advertisement, and the additional costs.

JOHN H. BRESNAHAN, Collector

FOR CHRISTMAS

Cabinet Photographs, only \$2.50 per dozen.

Columbia Graphophones, \$20.00 and up. Ploture Frames, etc.

STANWOOD'S STUDIO, Ellsworth, Me.

Get the Best there is to Eat, But Don't Pay High Prices

Since I started my "best for least" selling plan, I have convinced a surprisingly large number of peo-ple that strictly top-grade goods CAN be had at low prices. If you haven't "found me out" yet, here is a new chance to see how my money-saving plan is good for YOU:

Stickney & Poor's Cream Tartar in bulk, 30c a pound.

Corn Starch in pound pkgs., 5c. White Beans, 10c qt., 73c peck.

Old-fashioned State of Maine Yellow-Eyed Beans, 16c qt. 10c Bottle Ammonia, 5c.

7 bars Lighthouse Soap, 25c. 10 lb. pail Cottolene, (regularly \$1.50) for \$1.30.

You make a proportional saving on all you buy here. Why not do all your trading at this store, and give your cash a chance to do fullest duty?

J. A. HAYNES,

Opposite the Postoffice. ELLSWORTH.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR.

Prayer Meeting Topic For the Week Beginning Doc. 12, 1909. Topic.—"Pilgrim's Progress" series.— XII. Crossing the river.—I Cor. xv. 31-38; Heb. ii, 14-18. Comment by Rev. Sher-man H. Doyle, D. D.

In this subject we see the last of Christian in his pilgrimage toward the Celestial City, for after "crossing the river" he is admitted through the gate into the heavenly city and beholds its gleries and abides in it. The great allegory of Bunyan closes, having traced Christian from the City of Destruction step by step until he en-ters the Celestial City, and in his great work he has in figure described the progressive steps that must be pursued by the sinner today who turns from sin and at the end of life enters into the eternal happiness of heaven. May all who have engaged in or fol-lowed these studies be thereby made better able to meet the trials and tribulations of the Christian's life upon earth and to look upon death not as a dreaded enemy, but as a kindly friend that brings us to the gate of aven, through which we enter by faith in the person and work of our Saviour and Redeemer Jesus Christ. The last incident in Christian's prog-

ress is the crossing of the river. Between him and his companions and the gate "was a river, but there was no bridge to go over; the river was very deep." The pilgrims were stunned at the sight of the river, but those who accompanied them said, "You must go through or you cannot reach the gate." They were told that there no other way to the gate and that the deep water became shallow by increased faith in Christ. Then they plunged in. Hopeful found the easy, but Christian began to sink, and it was only by Hopeful's cheering words that he was able to proceed. He passed through awful experiences, but at last his faith strengthened. He saw Christ and was soon upon firm ground again.

The crossing of the river signifies death, the last enemy of mankind. The thought of it causes even Christians at times to fear, and as they approach it they are often, like Christian, much troubled and distressed. But it should not be so. Christ has overcome death. He died and burst the bands of death asunder. Faith in Him will make the deep places shallow and turn the bridgeless river into a fording place easily crossed. By faith He will be with us. "When thou passeth through the waters I will be with thee," "Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will no evil. for Thou art with me." Faith in Him, who has Himself crossed the river, should remove all fear or dread of death. If we must fear, let us fear life rather than death. It is not death, but life, that determines the destiny of eternity. We may well fear lest we fail in our Christian faith and life, but never death, if we have been faithful unto Him unto death. "Be thou faithful unto death, and I will give thee a crown of life."

But Bunyan in his last words warns us against postponing the salvation of our souls until the last moments of life. He describes such a one crossing the river without fear, but when he reaches the other side instead of entering the gate of the Celestial City he pushed through a door to hell. Deathbed repentances are poor supports to rest upon. From the gate of heaven lost souls may be cast into the place of outer darkness. "Now is the accepted time." Take advantage of it now and risk not the soul's welfare on

BIBLE READINGS.

Ps. xxiii, 1-6; Isa. xxxviii, 1-21; xliii, 1-3; Acts vii, 54-60; I Cor. xv, 12-26; II Cor. iv, 16-18; II Tim. iv, 1-8; Rev. ii,

Peacemakers.

peace and brotherhood.

One of the most interesting sessions of the British national convention held recently in Nottingham was the Inter national Brotherhood meeting presided over by Mrs. Wareing. She said: "In the foreign office there is a button which may be touched at any time of emergency. It signals 'Mobilize forces instantly.' Hitherto the peace offices have had no button for mobilizing their forces." Mrs. Wareing believes that this will be found in Christian Endeavor societies. She has instituted an International Brotherhood of Christian Endeavor with a simple pledge to work for the advancement of

The world's peace is something worth working for. Every Christian Endeavor society should have a peace commit tee, just as it has a missionary commit-The work of such a committee be to provide speakers that rould talk peace topies, circulate peace literature, instruct the society in the past history and present doings of the peace movement and in every way men and women that are working for arbitration in place of war and for all the poble ends of international brotherhood. Christian Endeavor must be eager to lead the van in creating a peace sentiment. We have the organ ization. We encircle the globe. We are already acknowledged brothers, men of every tribe and nation. We Christians; therefore we favor ce. There is no reason why every ember of every society in every country should not pledge himself or her-

Trusting in the Lord Jesus Christ for strength, I will work, as far as I know how, for the furtherance of universal peace, the cessation of all war, the es-cablishment of international arbitration.

Why not? Our King is the Prince of We are ambitious to earn the title in its broadest sense "the peace-"Blessed are the peacemak-

Mutual Benefit Column.

EDITED BY "AUNT MADGE".

Its Motto: "Helpful and Hopeful."

The purposes of his column are succinctly tated in the title and motto—it is for the mutua enedt, and alms to be helpful and hopeful Being for the common good, it is for the com on use-a public servant, a purveyor of communications, and its success depends largely on the support given it in this respect. Com-sunications must be signed, but the name of writer will not be printed except by permissio Communications will be subject to approval of rejection by the editor of the column, but none will be rejected without good reason. Address all communications to THE AMERICAN.

Ellsworth, Me.

I'm too tired to trust, and too tired to pray: Said one as the overtaxed strength gave way. The one conscious thought of my mind pos

Is: Oh, if I could just drop it all and rest. But will God forgive me, do youlsuppose, If I go to sleep as a baby goes Without even asking:Him if I may

Without even trying to trust or pray? Will God forgive you? Why, just think, de

While language to you was an unknown art, Did a mother deny you needed rest, Or refuse to pillow you on her breast?

Oh no, but she cradled you in;her arms, And guarded your slumber against alarms. And how quick was her mother love to see The unconscious yearnings awake in thee. When you've grown too weary to trust o

Then just drop it all and give up to rest,

He knows all about it, the dear Lord knows So just go to sleep as a baby goes, Without even asking Him if you may;

God knows when His child is too tired to pray He judges not solely by uttered prayer,

He knows when the yearnings of love are there. He knows you do pray! He knows you do

And He knows the limits of poor, weak dust. Oh, the wonderful sympathy of Christ For His chosen ones in that midnight tryst,

When He bade them sleep on and take their rest. While on Him the guilt of the whole world

pressed.

You've given your life up to Him to keep; Then don't be afraid, but go right to sleep. -Selected.

I am so glad to copy again the poem "Tired". Glad it has comforted some one as it did me. I saw it first in Zion's Advocate, and it seemed so adapted to my needs I wanted others to enjoy it with me, and so gave it to you for the column and am so glad

I thank God for these minds to compose lines adapted to the needs of us poor, weak mortals. While we could not compose them ourselves, they meet our needs and comfort our hearts. S. S.

Thank you very much, S. S., for copying the poem again, which was called for recently. How little we know what comfort and encouragement have been given by the message, in verse and letter which the different nieces have sent to the column. How many are rich in the treasures

Foley's Honey and Tar is the best and safest cough remedy for children. At the first symptoms of a cold, give as directed, and ward off danger of croup, bronchitis, sore throat, cold in the head, and stuff, breathing. It brings comfort and ease to the little ones. Contains no opiates or other harmful drugs. Keep always on hand, and refuse substitutes. G. A. PARCHER.

Abbertisements.

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scalp gradually takes on a shiny appear-

When this happens there is no

We have a remedy which will, we hon estly believe, remove dandruff, extermiaste the microbe, promote good circule tion in the scalp and around the hair roots, tighten and revitalize the hair roots and overcome baldness, so long as there is any life left in the hair roots.

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of memory, having garnered wheat and stored it in the mind, as they traveled the King's highway. The busy workers have time frequently to save up a couplet or at least a line or a single brief quotation. Even an old proverb belos us out some

Mentioning "time to do things"-Well, erhaps I have alluded to what I am go ng to say now heretofore, but it is this: We all know a great amount of time is spent in dish-washing, and girls as well as mothers often flud it rather a monotonous

nuch pleasure as well as profit can be had by various mental exercises; for instance name alternately ten cities or towns be ginning with A, then B or some other let-ter. Try a bit of mental arithmetic. Let one name an author and the other answer by naming some book or poem of that author, and go on until eight or ten have been named; or reverse and name a book or poem, and let the author be given.

You will see there is no end to subject that can be used, and the trial must be adapted to the ability of the younger helper. Really these "play exercises" could be used any time, and for those still in school it will help fix in the mind many things which will be useful to them, only do not make it a "grind". It is only to be for recreation, and what is learned in that way will not be a strain on the mental

How one thing does remind us of an other! Now it is this: How much time it does take to do the almost nothings of house-work. Given plenty of soap and water, and the wash can be done fairly Given a hot fire and some "flatirons" and the cloths can be ironed in a little while. The cooking is a slower process and a constantly returning one, like weeping and kindred duties, but it is the little things here and there that eat up the time, and the housekeeper has nothing to

It may be that some good methodical housekeepers never have those unexplained portions of time slip away from them, but it is a standing joke on Aint Madge that if she gets the time at 10 o'clock or any other hour, she considers it to be that time (no later) until she has occasion to look at the clock again.

Aunt Madge and M. B.'s:

Thanksgiving morn. What a rain we are having; it just pours. I hope the sisters-yes and Aunt Madge-haven't been disappointed invited to Castine to have a family dinner at my granddaughter's. As we had warning of this yesterday, I prepared our dinner for today, all but the vegetables, so we are sure of a

How very much I have enjoyed the description of Fairview cottage and scenery, also the annual meeting. I wanted to get there, but was unable to. Am hoping to meet with you next year-a long time to look ahead. It is, I am sure, but what a pleasure we take in an-

To our new sister from Deer Isle (I am not sure what you signed your initials), you welcome. We were schoolmates in the to puzzle you out. Thank you. I love to be remembered. You would not recognize me now; I am gray-haired and time has left its

this way of housecleaning - one room at a time-let me say right here, I do, and I did not mean to convey the idea that I did not. I asked who could clean house "one room at a time", and not get them dusty and ready to clean again when you had finished the rest.

M. B. sisters, we have much to be thankful for, and I will close this by giving a poem and wishing you a happy day, Yours as ever,

Let us be thankful for the loyal hand

That love held out in welcome to our own, When love and only love could understand The need of touches we had never known.

et us be thankful for the longing eyes That gave their secret to us as they wept; Yet, in return found, with sweet surprise, Love's kiss upon their lids, and smiling

And let us, too, be thankful that the tears That through them still, for all the coming

years, We may look on the dead face of To-day.

I am very glad that as you could not en-

joy the Thanksgiving dinner with the one microbe lodges in the Sebun, which is the I know personally, you set aside the disappointment and wrote us this good cheery letter and sent the poem.

NORTH BROOKLIN.

Hawley Dow shot a deer last week. Mrs. Percy Carter arrived Friday from

Elmer Pervear is visiting his brother at West Tremont.

Henry Burns, of steamer Pemaquid, is nome with a sprained wrist. The schools here taught by Florentine Hamilton and Everett Hale are closed. George Pervear and wife have the sym-pathy of the community in the loss of their youngest son, William.

youngest son, William.

Fred Hamilton and wife, for Hopedale, Mass., C. S. Hamilton and wife, for Somerville, Mass., and Henry and Florentine Hamilton for Greenfield, Mass., were among the departures last week.

Late Saturday night or early Sunday morning the summer home of Mr. Willikee was broken into by parties unknown and was thoroughly ransacked. Several valuable guns and other booty were carried away.

Nov. 29.

XENOPHON. Nov. 29. XENOPHON.

SEAL HARBOR.

Mrs. John Gatcomb is in Stonington o

Harry Wood, of Cherryfield, has moved into Mrs. John Gatcomb's tenement.

A son was born to Mrs. Earim Clement Nov. 25, and a daughter to Mrs. Thomas McIntyre the same day.

MELVINA.

TRENTON.

Charles Corson has moved to the Whit-more Garland farm.

Benjamin Jordan and wife spent Sun-day Nov. 28, in Bar Harbor. Their son Arthur, who spent a week there, returned home with them.

After exposure, and when you feel a cold coming on, take Foley's Honey and Tar, the great throat and lung remedy. It stops the cough, relieves the congestion, and expels the cold from your system. Is mildly laxative. G. A. PARCHER.

Among the Grangers.

This column is devoted to the Grange, es pecially to the granges of Hancock counts. The column is open to all grangers for the discussion of topics of general interest, and be signed, but names will not be printed ex-cept by permission of the writer. All com-munications will be subject to approval by the editor, but none will be rejected without

BAY VIEW, 267, SALISBURY COVE.

A small but enthusiastic number of members met for the purpose of electing officers for the ensuing year as follows: Julien Emery, master; Harry Stearns, overseer; Mary E. Bates, lecturer; S. N. Rich, steward; Leon L. Smith, assistant steward; Florence Pettingall, chaplain; George Fogg, tressurer; Harry Trott, secretary; Howard Mitchell, gatekeeper; Caroline Bowden, Ceres; Florence Trott, Pomona; Anna Robbins, Flora; Fossill Smith, lady assistant steward.

BAYSIDE, 476, HILLSWORTH.

BAYSIDE, 476, ELLSWORTH.

Bayside grange moved into its new hall last Wednesday. Although it was cold and stormy, quite a number of patrons met in the morning and went to work with good will to clean the hall and arrange the furniture. All was completed during the afternoon. The ladies prepared a good dinner and supper, and assisted in every way possible. In the evening the meeting was called to order by the master, and two candidates were voted upon and accepted. Then the meeting was closed in form and the doors were open to visitors.

District Deputy A. I. Foss, of Hancock, made interesting remarks. Mr. Austin, of Lamoine, and Mr. Jellison, of Hancock, also spoke. A fine program was presented, of singing, reading and recitations, and a farce, "The Kitten's Milk," given by three members of the grange.

LAKE VIEW, 451, HAPPYTOWN.

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Lake View grange held its regular meeting Dec. 4, with Worthy Master Herrick presiding. Twenty-one members and one visitor from New Century grange present. New officers were electes, and one candidate accepted. The officers elected are: Winfield Patterson, master: Leslie B. Johnson, overseer; Addie Gray, lecturer; Willam W. Billings, steward; Roscoe G. Davis, assistant steward; Flora E. Davis, chaplain; Lester P. Crockett, treasurer; Jessie L. Billings, secretary; James Gibbons, gatekeeper; Ida Patterson, Ceres; Josie Harper, Pomona; Ruby Gibbons, Flora; Teresa F. Saunders, lady assistant steward.

EAST BLUEHILL, 252.

Regular meeting of East Bluehill grange was held Dec. 4, with small attendance, as quite a number of our members attended the county grange at North Bluehill. It was voted to postpone election of officers until next meeting. A short program was carried out.

GREEN MOUNTAIN POMONA, 26,

The newly-elected officers of Green The newly-elected officers of Green Mountain Pomona grange are as follows: D. G. Hall, master; H. G. Smallidge, overseer; Roy C. Haines, lecturer; Hervey Scammon, steward; Carl Stratton, assistant steward; Julia Noyes, chaplain; Fred Noyes, treasurer; Clara F. Johnson, secretary; William Guptill, gatekeeper; Addie McFarland, Ceres; Elva Hall, Pomona; Grace Holt, Flora; Myrtle Guptill, lady assistant steward.

BARVEST HOME, 403, WEST ELLSWORTH. Harvest Home grange held its regular meeting Dec. 4, the master, A. K. Guptill, in the charr, with thirty-four members and two visitors from Lake View and Ala-

and two visitors from Lake View and Alamosook granges present.

The following officers were elected: Manuel A. Gaspar, master; Ernest L. Smith, overseer; George M. Cunningham, lecturer; William M. Higgins, steward; Oscar H. Guptill, assistant steward; Henry W. Glass, chaplain; Agnes Cunningham, treasurer; Clara I. Carter, secretary; Ora Carter, gatekeeper; Altie Cunningham, Ceres; Stella Trueworthy, Pomona; Annie G. Carter, Flora; Minnie S. Bryant, lady assistant steward.

SCHOODIC, 420, FRANKLIN.

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Schoodic grange held its regular meeting Thursday evening, Dec. 2, with Worthy Master J. D. Perkins in the chair. As the weather was unfavorable, there were but twenty members present, and it was decided to have election of officers at the next regular meeting, Dec. 16. All members are requested to be present. Cake and coffee will be served.

NICOLIN, 389, NORTH ELLSWORTH.

Nicolin grange held an interesting meet-ing Saturday evening with thirty mem-bers and one visitor present. Two applica-

bers and one visitor present. Two applications for membership were received. Following the election of officers, the lecturer presented a short program, after
which grange closed in form, and a box
sociable and games were enjoyed until a
late hour.

The newly-elected officers are: Charles
C. Camber, master; Harry L. Wheelen,
overseer; Charles G. Moore, lecturer;
Eugene H. Moore, steward; Edmund F.
Maddocks, assistant steward; Louisa
Moore, chaplain; Hoyt E. Austin, treasurer; Bessie L. Patten, secretary; Libeous
D. Patten, gatekeeper; Minnie Danico,
Ceres; Florence M. Beale, Pomona; Hazel
M. Tate, Flora; Hazel McGown, lady assistant steward.

SRDGWICX, 244.

Sedgwick grange held its annual meeting Dec. 3, thirty-eight members present. Officers were elected. The attendance has been good since the summer recess. Three new members have been taken in and another candidate has been accepted. Cake and coffee were served. The officers elected are: Rollo Closson, master; William Closson, overseer; Cora Allen, lecturer; Harvey Torry, steward; John Hooper, assistant steward; Rose Elwell, chaplain; Sadie Allen, treasurer; Inez Page, secretary; H. H. Allen, gatekeeper; Julia Sylvester, Ceres; Annie Grindell, Pomona; Flora Nevella, Flora; Bertha Orcutt, lady assistant steward.

HIGHLAND, 364, NORTH PENOBSCOT.

Highland grange met Friday evening, Dec. 3. The attedance was good. Officers were elected for the ensuing year. An invitation was extended to Castine grange to meet with us on the evening of Jan. 7, and Bro. John Dority was invited to install the officers. Owing to the lateness of the hour the program was omitted. The officers are: E. E. Gross, master; Earl Grindell, overseer; Mrs. Alice Leach, lecturer; H. W. Lowell, steward; Urban Leach, assistant steward; J. B. Wilson, chaplain; A. L. Saunders, treasurer; Delia Saunders, secretary; Malcolm Leach, gate-keeper; Mrs. Dosia Gray, Ceres; Mrs. Nancy Hatch, Pomona; Mrs. Ida Lowell, Flora; Miss Doris Hatch, lady assistant steward. HIGHLAND, 364, NORTH PENOBSCOT.

Mountain View grange held its regular meeting Friday evening with about seventy-four patrons present, including seven visitors. After businesse came the election of officers. As the hour was late, it was voted to wait until the next meeting to elect the executive committee. There

Dr. Daniels' Horse Renovator - for your horse — Makes Blood—gives vim, strength and health. were two applications for membership and two were accepted. The officers are: D. G. Hall, master; S. L. Burns, overseer; Mrs. Augusta Thomas, lecturer; Ernest Hall, steward; Jesse U. Mayo, assistant steward; Mrs. Annie McKay, chaplain; Lorenzo Mayo, treasurer; Luella M. Sargent, secretary; Elmer E. Sargent, gate-keeper; Elva M. Hall, Ceres; Octavia C. Hamor. Pomona; Eva Colson, Flora; Mildred Mayo, lady assistant steward.

PENOBSCOT, 240.

The newly-elected officers of Penobscot grange are as follows: B. E. Varnum, master; A. W. Perkirs, overseer; Carrie L. Perkins, lecturer; George M. Staples, steward; George C. Wardwell, assistant steward; Luella V. Snowman, chaplain; H. E. Hutchins, treasurer; R. F. Leach, secretary; W. B. Wardwell, gatekeeper; Mary J. Varnum, Ceres; Una L. Bridges, Pomona; Flora Littlefield, Flora; Algie Hutchins, lady assistant steward.

MARIAVILLE, 441.

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Mariaville grange met Saturday evening with thirty-eight members. The chief work of the evening was election of officers. The program was omitted. Next Saturday evening will be ladies' night. The officers are: Martin A. Garland, master; Fannie E. Young, overseer; Clara E. Jordan, lecturer; James O. Jordan, steward; Harris M. Turner, assistant steward; Mariam Jordan, chaptain; John A. Warren, treasurer; Lora C. Young, secretary; Rufus H. Webb, gatekeeper; Ethel M. Haalem, Ceres; Nellie Dority, Pomona; Edna Warren, Flora; Tressa M. Moore, lady assistant steward.

RAINBOW, 203, NORTH BROOKSVILLE. Rainbow grange met in regular session Dec. 2, with a large attendance. The chair was filled by the young members, and degrees were worked in an able manner. It was suggested that a shower of post cards be sent to brother N. F. Norton, who is in very poor health. It is hoped he will be remembered by each one. The election of officers will be held Dec. 30, and a full attendance is desired.

NORTH BROOKLIN.

Will Hale is confined to his bed by the

Arthur Cole was home to spend Sunday with his family.

John Kenney and family moved into the Flye tenement Monday. John J. Sexton and wife have returned from Chelsea, Mass., where they have been visiting for the past two weeks. A horse belonging to Herbert Hale be-came cast in his stall Friday night, and was so badly injured that it was necessary

The crack shots of the community were out Thursday and Friday in search of deer. Henry Burns and Everett Holden succeeded in capturing one, as did also Lewis Candage.

At a little family gathering at the home of John Sexton and wife, Friday evening, four generations of the family were present – Mrs. Hannah Giles, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Giles, Mrs. Flora Cole and

her little son Lawrence. XENOPHON. ATLANTIC

Mrs. Delia Trask and Mrs. Freeda Staples are in Rockland for a few days. Miss Lizzie Burns and a party of friends spent a few days with her patents at Atlantic this week.

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A supper was held at Sesside hall Thursday evening, for the benefit of the church. Proceeds, \$14.

Open time for deer at Swan's Island began Dec. 1, for one week. Is it estimated that there are seventy men from out of town in the woods, besides the inhabitants. So far four have been shot. Dec. 4.

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heaters had one common great fault-smoke.

COUNTY NEWS.

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SURRY. OBITUARY.

SURRY.

William Roland Milliken was born in Surry Dec. 27, 1839, a lineal descendant of Judge Edward Milliken, of Scarboro. His father, the late James Augustus Milliken, was for many years prominently engaged in the lumber and stave manufacture in this vicinity. His great-grandfather, Philip Jarvis, came from Boston and in company with Edward, Charles and Leonard Jarvis, opened up a large tract of land for settlement in the vicinity of Patten's and Union river bays.

His mother, Lydia Dutch, was a grand-daughter of Capt. Little, of Beverly, Mass., who gained distinction in the war of the Revolution by an encounter of his merchant vessels with a British man-of-war; two companion merchant vessels struck their colors-when ordered to do so, but Capt. Little refused, and pluckily returned the fire of the man-of-war with a small cannon, and finally managed to elude the enemy under cover of darkness.

Mr. Milliken's education was obtained in the public schools of his time. At an early age he followed the sea, making several voyages to the West Indies. Early in the '60s, when but twenty-one years of age, he crossed the Isthmus and visited California, where he worked at mining and redwood lumbering.

The death of his mother, and the drowning of his eldest sister, Mrs. Sophia A. Kitfield, by the capsizing of a schooner in Union River bay, caused him to return to his old home where he engaged in the mill business with his father for some years, later conducting it himself.

With the decline of lumber production, he devoted his attention to farming. Of late years he exerted considerable influence in the affairs of his town, serving on the board of selectmen and assessors eight consecutive years; on the school board three years, and as a member of the board of health eleven years, being chairman of the board at the time of his death. It was during his service as selectman that the famous litigation case between Surry and Bluehili in which the late Chief-Justice Wiswell and Hon. L. B. Deasy, now president of the Maine Senate

Senate, figured as opposing counsel, was won.

He was a member of Lygonia lodge, F. and A. M., of Ellsworth, forty-one years, and of Acadia R. A. chapter. He was also a member of the A. O. U. W., of Surry, taking a great interest in its welfare, helping to erect its hall, and serving as its master workman two terms. It was while transacting business for this order that he was stricken. He was a member of Arbutus grange, P. of H., of Surry. In politics he was a republican.

No man felt less concern for the fopperies and tinsel trappings of life than he, but with the sterling qualities of probity, justice, kindliness and true fraternalism he was most richly endowed, taking a kindly and active interest in the welfare of his neighbors and friends in the schools and in the general affairs of his town.

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His death will fall like a sad blow to the old guard, who cherished his associations and whose ranks are always thin, and to the younger generation with whom he always kept in touch.

Kindliness and honorable dealings characterized his demeanor toward his fellowmen, and constitute a legacy of tender memories, in which all who knew him have an abundant share.

In 1869 he married Sarah Elizabeth Phillips who died thirteen years ago. Of this union were born three children—Flora Frances Milliken, superintendent of St. Barnabas hospital, Portland; Dr. Howard Augustus, of Hallowell, and Dr. Herbert Elwood, of Waterville. He leave a widow, who was Mrs. Elizabeth Jarvis, and two sisters—Flora, wife of Dr. R. L. Grindle, of Mt. Desert, and Frances, widow of Dr. Chas. H. Leverton, Cataumet, Mass.

SEDGWICK.

Richard Bracy is at home Mrs. Rose Pert is caring for Mrs. L. D.

E. H. Gray is driving the mail stage to Capt. Andrew Newton Cole is at home he winter.

H. A. Small and son Jay arrived Wed-nesday from a week's visit in Boston.

Mrs. J. E. Wilson leaves to-day for Dorchester, Mass., to make her home with her son during the winter.

Columbia chapter, O. E. S., elected officers Friday evening. The date of installation will be announced later.

Misses Florence Morgan, Anna Dority and Madella Small attended county grange at North Bluenill Saturday.

George and William Cooper were in town this week, summoned by the death of their sister, Mrs. Nettie C. Leach.

Pauper Notice.

Having contracted with the City of Ellaworth to support and care for those who may need assistance during the next five years and are legal residents of Ellaworth. I forbid all persons trusting them on my account, as there is plenty of room and secomodations to care for them at the City Farm house.

Mrs. Nettie Cooper Leach died suddenly Thursday, of acute Bright's disease, after a few days' illness. She was but eighteen and will be greatly missed by friends and sacciates. The wife of one week, her death comes as a shock to her husband, her widowed mother—Mrs. Lizzie Cooper, and three brothers—George, of Boston; william, of Bucksport, and Waliace.

Services were held at the chapel Saturday afternoon, Rev. E. Sanderson officiating. Dec. 6. H.

A. H. Mayo was in Rockland last week. Mrs. Amanda Sellers has returned 'to unshine.

Frank Conway, of Sunshine, is visiting his cousin, Oscar Ford.

Will Nutter, of Bluehill, spent Thanks-giving week at home. Mrs. Aunie Blake spent several days in Rockland last week.

Mrs. Selle Blake has opened a dry and ancy goods store in Odd Fellows' block. Misses Gladys Bridges, Rachel Cole and Nellie Cousins are at home from Castine

Lightkeeper E. K. Tapley and wife, have been on a leave of absence, have turned to the light. Charles Stewart and mother, of Swan's Island, spent several days with Miss Mina Stewart on their way to Bar Harbor.

Miss Mina Stewart has gone to Providence, R. I., for the winter. She was accompanied by her father, Capt. R. C. Stewart.

Miss Gertrude McFarland, of this place, and Arvard Nichols, of West Brooksville, were married at the home of the bride Nov. 26. Their many friends extends extend congratulations.

UNE FEMME.

A. E. Farnsworth spent the past week in

J. B. Babson returned from Portland Tuesday. Henry Burns shot a deer at Flye point

Mrs. Moulton Cooper came home from Rockland Saturday.

Will Herrick is home from Portland, where he visited his sister.

Mrs. M. A. Flye, who has been visiting her sister in Roxbury, Mass., is home.

Bert. Young, of Bar Harbor, is working for M. A. Blaisdell in his blacksmith shop.

Misses Gladys Bridges and Nellic Cousins have returned to Castine normal school.

Mrs. Julia Jackson came home from Everett, Mass., Tuesday, where she has been visiting friends.

Rev. E. E. Small leaves to-day for Emery Mills for his family and household goods. He will return next Saturday. High school closed Friday for the Christmas vacation. Miss Wilson, prin-cipal, will spend her vacation with her sis-ter in Portland.

Mrs. Susan Judge, who has been visit-ing her son in Concord, Mass., returned home Tuesday. She will spend the winter with her sister, Mrs. Jackson.

Dec. 6. UNE FEMME.

BLUEHUL.

Miss Mildred Chase has gone to Boston. Miss Jennie A. Grindle is president of

There will be a sale of Christmas articles in the Baptist chapel Thursday evening, Dec. 9.

A candy sale was held at the gramma school room Thursday evening, Dec. 2 Proceeds, \$4.15.

George A. Gray was called from Boston last week by the death of his mother, Mrs. James M. Gray. Mrs. A. M. Herrick, Mrs. O. M. Stover and Miss Ethel Stover were in Bangor

a few days last week.

E. W. Burrill and wife, of Dedham, were the guests of Mrs. Burrill's brother, Levi Maddocks, Dec. 5.

A crew is at work on the White Granite under the superintendence of Welland Clay getting out several hundred tons of random.

The ladies' Congregational circle was entertained in the vestry Dec. 2, by Mrs. R. G. Lord, Mrs. Pearl Atherton and Mrs. Maria Gross. There was a large attendance at the dime supper.

Wallace R. Hinckley, who, with his brother Augustus, went to Boston Nov. 29, underwent a surgical operation at a private hospital in Roxbury Dec. 4, and favorable reports of his condition have been received.

A. T. Cousins has gone to Stonington to work.

Ward Leach was home from Brooksville Sunday.

A daughter was born to Harry Atherton and wife Saturday, Dec. 4.

Frank Webber has moved his family home from West Brooksville.

William Leach shot a deer Thursday, and Ralph Witham and Arthur Candage got one Friday.

Mrs. Frank Bowden, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Richard Ashworth, a few weeks, has returned to Prospect.

EAST SURRY.

E. E. Swett is at home from Bangor for the winter.

Capt. R. A. Sinclair has returned from Rockland.

The union services at Surry village are very interesting.

East Surry Sunday school is preparing for a Christmas concert at Rural hall.

Many fishermen have their tents on the bank waiting for ice to begin smelting. Ernest Moon and Winfield Treworgy have gone to Boston to return in the Storm Petrel.

Alden H. Mann, formerly of Surry, later of Bucksport, has taken his family to Bangor for the winter. A deer walked through this place last week, swam across the bay to Newbury Neck, where it was shot by Frank Sta-

Simon W. Flood, the oldest veteran of the Civil war here, signed his pension pa-pers Dec. 4 without glasses. He is nearly ninety-one years of age, feeble in body, but keen of mind.

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The friends of Mrs. Rose Mann, of Bucksport, formerly of this place, regret to learn that she fell and broke her arm recently, it being the same arm she broke while a resident here.

The many friends in Surry of John B. Dority, of Brewer, sympathize with him in the loss of his foot on the railroad. He was rakeman on a train from Bangor to Vanceboro. Mr. Dority formerly lived here. He is the stepson of Rev. S. O. Whitten. Mrs. Dority was Lillian Freethy, daughter of the late Samuel and Mary Freethy.

Dec. 6. C.

"Had dyspensia or indigestion for years. No appetite, and what I did eat distressed me terr bly. Burdock Blood Bitters cured me.' -J H, Walker, Sunbury, Ohio .- vt.

MORE DANVILLE PROOF Jacob Edanville PROOF

Jacob Rall, 432 South St., Danville, Ill.,
writes: "For over eighteen months I was a
sufferer from kidney and bladder trouble.
During the whole time was treated by several
doctors and tried several different kidney
pills. Seven weeks ago I commenced taking
Foley's Kidney l'ills, and am feeling better
every day and will be glad to tell anyone interested just what Foley's Kidney Pills did
for me." G. A. Parceer.

COUNTY NEWS.

O. F. Fellows and wife, of Bangor, were in town Friday and Saturday.

Frank P. Hamm and wife left Saturday for their home in Everett, Mass.

Mrs. Helen Hagerthy, of Bar Harbor, is visiting her parents, George Chandler and wife.

and wife.

Rev. Frederick Palladino and Rev.
John W. Ratch, of Bangor, were in town
last week on business.

Fort Knox lodge I. O. O. F. will give
a concert, drill and ball Friday evening,
Dec. 10, in Emery hall. The concert will
be by local talent, and music for the ball
by Monaghan's orchestra. The Rebekaha
will hold a fair and sale in the hall during
the afternoon.

he afternoon.

Adelaide, widow of Simeon Jones, died Wednesday evening, Dec. 1, after a long liness, at the age of seventy-five years. She is survived by four children—Albert, Edwin, Fred and Miss Georgia, who have the sympathy of their many friends. The tuneral was held Saturday at 2 o'clock.

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The funeral of John Montgomery was held at his home on MoDonald street Wednesday morning, at 10 o'clock, a large number being present. Rev. E. H. Boynton, of Hampden, a former pastor, officiated. Mr. Montgomery leaves a vidow, one son—John Hincks Montgomery; four daughters—Mrs. Elsie Cohoon, Mrs. Harriette Pierce, Miss Grace Montgomery and Mrs. Sara Page, all of Bucksport; one brother—Alexander, of Boston, and two sisters—Mrs. Elizabeth Larrabee, of Lynn, Mass., and Mrs. Elsie Good, of Newton Centre, Mass.

The fair and sale by the ladies' aid society of the Franklin street Methodist church Thursday and Friday was a decided success, socially and financially, setting the society something over \$200. The different booths were prettily arranged and ably presided over. The program Friday evening under the able management of Mrs. Maud Nichols was as follows: Solo, Miss Flora B. Smith, of Bangor; doil drill, ten little girls; mandolin solo, Mrs. Alfred Barrett; newsboys' chorus, five boys; reading, Eugene Barnes; solo, Miss Smith; sunbonnet chorus, Miss Addie Stilphen and chorus; mandolin solo, Mrs. Barrett; reading, Mr. Barnes; "good night," little Marian Ripley.

Dec. 6.

NORTH SULLIVAN.

Miss Jessie Macomber, of Franklin, was recent guest at Will R. Havey's. Mrs. Madison Gordon, who has b

Will Blaisdell, a law student at Bangor pent Thanksgiving with his family. Miss Hattie Robertson has recently re-urned from a visit in Boston and vicinity. Willis Billings and four children, of Franklin, visited at Arno Wooster's Nov.

John A. Scott, who has been in North Carolina the past three months, has gone to Colorado for the winter.

Everett Jellison has returned from Boston, where he accompanied his mother, Mrs. Elmira Jellison, of Eastbrook. She will visit her son Herbert for some time. Friends here of Augustus H. McCauley, formerly of South Hancock, were grieved to learn of his death by drowning Nov. 19. Sympathy is extended to his parents and relatives.

Some cowardly sneak, prowling through enclosed pastures, recently shot a lamb belonging to George B. Tracy, breaking its leg near the hip. Steps are to be taken to bring the culprit to justice.

Willie Milne has gone to North Jay, where he has employment. Friends of Miss Ethel Bunker will be grieved to learn that she is not gaining

as rapidly as hoped for. Albert Murray, who has been employed at East Franklin as blacksmith for T. M. Blaisdell, has returned home.

Saturday by the serious illness of hasband's father, Zemro S. Hall, 1st. Rev. H. B. Haskell, district superintendent, held the second quarterly conference in the church at North Sullivan Saturday evening, and preached at the various points Sunday.

EAST BLUEHILL. A. I. Long, of Portland, is visiting his arents, E. C. Long and wife.

Howard Greene spent Thanksgiving with his brother Ross in Prospect Ferry. Mrs. Frank Bowdoin, of Prospect, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Richard Ash-

Schooner Ada J. Campbell sailed Friday

S. A. Long went to West Franklin to spend Thanksgiving with his daughter, Mrs. P. W. DeBeck. A. E. Webber has taken the contract to build a wharf on Cook's point for Dr. S. M. Milliken, of New York.

Schools closed Nov. 19 for one week. A fine program was rendered in the evening in the grange hall by the teachers, Irving Sin-lair and wif', and the pupils of both schools. Mrs. Sinclair and son Ronald spent last week at Vinalhaven, and Mr. Sinclair spent the week at his home in Columbia Falls.

BROOKSVILLE.

W. J. Walker and wife are visiting his mother, Mrs. Jane Walker. Mrs. Josephine Sukeforth is spending the winter with Mrs. Morris.

Hon. William E. Morris and wife, of New York, are visiting Mrs. L. T. Morris. Nov. 29.

A daughter arrived at the home of L. O. Fowler Nov. 27. [Agnes Ellen.] Mrs. Clara Conners, of North Brooks ville, is working for Mrs. F. H. Billings. School in district No. 3 commenced Nov 30, taught by Miss Myrtle Tapley, of West Brooksville.

Frank Webber is soon to move his family to East Bluehill, after spending the summer here.

Dec. 1. SOUTH BLUEHILL. Mrs. Omar Eaton is visiting her parents at West Brooklin.

Mrs. Hollis Eaton and little son Charlie are visiting her parents, Avery Anderson and wife, at North Sedgwick. Mrs. Della Cousins, of Brooksville, has been visiting her daughters, Mrs. Ben. Sylvester, jr., and Mrs. Fred Sylvester.

Mrs. Cora Eaton has returned from New York. She was accompanied by her daughter Mildred, who has been very ill. Nov. 29.

NORTH LAMOINE.

The winter term of school began Nov.
29; Myra Springer, of Hancock, teacher.
Frederick Tweedie, of Cambridge, Mass.,
who has spent the past two weeks with
his grandparents, George H. Coggins
and wife, will return home Tuesday.
Dec. 6.

Don't let the baby suffer from eczema, sores or any itching of the skin. Doan's Ointment gives instant relief, cures quickly. Perfectly safe for children. All druggists sell it .- Advt. KITTERY TO CARIBOU.

Burglars entered the postoffice at Hart-land Friday night, and got away with \$400 in cash and \$200 worth of stamps.

Charles L. Hathaway, of Passadumi one of the leading lumber operators of Penobecot county, died Monday, aged seventy-two years.

The first of the thin ice ac Maine was reported from Fort Fairfield last Thursday. Mattie Hopkins, aged sixteen years, was drowned.

The new DeWitt hotel at Lewiston was damaged by fire to the extent of \$40,000 last Wednesday. The fire started in the porter room in the kitchen wing. The famous old Maine racing stallion, Nelson, 2.09, the pride of his owner, C. Horace Nelson, died at Waterville Friday.

Granville Carleton, of Rockport president for several years of the Camden savings bank, and a retired lime manu-facturer, died Friday, sged seventy-nine

tempt to recover his savings from a burn-ing mill boarding-house at Lincoln last

The sale of the Portland Ecening Advertiser to the Evening Express was an-nounced Saturday. The Advertiser is one of the country's oldest newspapers, hav-ing been published over 100 years. The Advertiser will not go out of existence, but its name will be preserved as a part of the title of the paper with which it is to

Tied up Troublesome Trout. A certain honorable secretary of state of one of the states not a thousand miles from Maine is a successful and persistent fisherman, and an all-round sportsman as well. As is well known, close time on trout and land-locked salmon began Oct. 1, but for pickerel, suckers, hornpouts and eels there is no close time. One Saturday afternoon in October

after business hours, the secretary went to a certain lake and indulged in his favorite pastime. A game warden hap-pened that way. He took a large string of suckers and hornpouts and pickerel out of the water, but found no forbidden fish. He walked down the shore of the lake a short distance, and there found a large trout wiggling on a string, weighted down with a stone. with a stone.

The warden asked the secretary what he

was doing with that trout. was doing with that trout.
"That one," said the secretary, "well,
you see, he's been taking my bait all the
afternoon, and I just tied him up thers
until I got through fishing."

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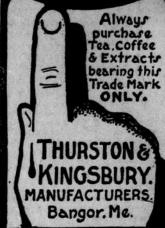
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1 Package of Mother's White Corn Meal.
1 Package of Mother's Wheat Hearts.
1 Package of Mother's Corn Flakes (toasted).
1 Package of Mother's Old Fashioned Steel Cut Oatmeal.
2 Packages of Mother's Granulated Hominy.
2 Packages of Mother's Coarse Pearl Hominy.

This kit can be purchased at your grocer's by simply paying \$1.95. The grocer himself will either redeem your coupons and deliver the \$3.75 Fireless Cooker, or, if you so desire, send the coupons and 89 cents directly to us and we will ship the Cooker to you, express collect.

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On pages 6 and 7 of this issue may be found an extended summary of President Tatt's first annual message.

At the municipal election in Portland Monday, the republicans elected Charles A. Strout mayor, over Oakley C. Curtis, the democratic candidate, by a plurality of about 950. Mayor Strout will have a strong republican board of aldermen and councilmen behind him, seven of the nine aldermen and twenty-one of the twentyseven councilmen being republicans

The present session of Congress will probably see a bitter fight on the question of postal savings banks. This question has been agitated at the capitol for some years, but it has never been put to a vote in either body because the republican leaders in Congress thought it wiser to wait until the sentiment of the country had become solidified, after all had been given an opportunity to study the proposal. The advocates of the measure contend that as it was adopted as a part of the republican platform at Chicago, it is necessary to vote on it at the coming session. There are others, however, who believe that the matter should not be taken up until the monetary comission has made its report to Congress, as the question of the postal savings banks has a direct bearing on the financial system of the country, and as the establishment of such banks might interfere with the full and comprehensive scheme the commission is exin Congress thought it wiser to wait eive scheme the commiss pected to recommend.

COUNTY GOSSIP.

The run of the Barbour steamboat from Bangor to Mt. Desert island will probably be extended next summer to Seal Harbor, with landings at Manset and Northeast Harbor.

Moose appear to be close students of the game laws, for, two days after close time came on, they appeared in Gouldsboro, prowling around barn yards, browsing through wood lots, crossing the main road, and one, waiting patiently while a deer hunter threw his hat at him.

The famous old schooner Polly, which at various times has been owned in Hancock county, has been sold to J. H. Weldon, of Dighton, Mass., for \$1,000 by Captain Walter V. Spencer, of Rockland. The Polly was built at Amesbury, Mass., 105 years ago. She was a privateer in the war of 1812, and captured a number of vessels, and finally was captured herself.

A few weeks ago Harry Stover shot a deer near his home in Orland, which had a strap around its neck with a tag upon it on which was the name of A. D. Gray, Caribou. Mr. Stover has received a letter from Mr. Gray, who requested the return of the strap and tag, saying that his daughter had the deer when it was fawn and made a pet of it. The last time they saw it was on July 12, 1907.

a bob-cat comes from Orland. According to the story, John Bowden and his son Jesse caught in one of their traps last week a young bob-cat. After killing the sat and while taking it from the trap, the mather cat which had not been seen and cat and while taking it from the trap, the mother cat, which had not been seen, suddenly sprang upon Mr. Bowden and fixed are claws in his back and her teeth in his shoulder. Mr. Bowden tried unauccessfully to free himself from the enraged cat by backing against a tree. His calis brought his son, who finally succeeded in ahooting the cat. Mr. Bowden was badly bitten in the shoulder and his son in the calf of the leg.

STORY OF CHRISTMAS STAMPS.

Where American Red Cross Found Its Holiday Idea.

The Red Cross Christmas stamp, doubtless the most prominent little factor in the
holiday activities of the United States today, traces its ancestry back to Boston,
where stamps, or "stickers", were first
sold in this country to raise money for
philanthropic purposes in 1862. The
United States sanitary commission conducted a great fair or bazaar, and used the
money for sick and wounded soldiers in
the Civil war. Some resourceful person
conceived the idea of selling special
stamps as one means of swelling special
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idea spread to many other cities in the
East. It was not long until the stamps
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The Red Cross stamp had its origin in the fall of 1907, when it was issued to raise money for anti-tuberculosis work. The stamp was first tried in an experimental way by the Delaware state branch of the American Red Cross, the sale being confined to Delaware and Philadelphia. Last year the American Cross decided to nationalize the Christmas stamp, and Howard Pyle, a prominent artist, contributed the design. State branches of the Red Cross became general agents of the little red and green stamps with their measures of good will.

With much misgiving an order for a million stamps was placed. But the idea "caught on" and spread like a prairie fire. The Red Cross offices in Washington were designed with orders from all over the country. A second million was ordered. Another printer and then a third was put to work.

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The American Red Cross was fairly amothered under the demand and the printers were awamped. Exasperating delays occurred and good people all over the land lost their tempers because they could not get Christmas stamps and because the Red Cross had not the foresight to prepare for the avalanche.

But there will not be any delays this year, for the Red Cross made its first order \$0.00.000 stamps, and is prepared to turn out many million more on short notice.

In Elisworth these stamps are on sale at J. A. Thompson's, G. A. Parcher's and R. C. Haines'. Mrs. E. K. Hopkins, Ellsworth, is agent for Hancock county.

Special Administrator Secures Possesalon of Estate.

The report of the referees in the so-called Jordan will case has just been received, and opens the concluding chapter of this celebrated case which has occupied the attention of the probate, supreme and law courts during the past two years.

The history of the case has several times been printed in THE AMERICAN. Briefly, it follows:

property among the heirs of Frankie M. Jordan.

The rescript of the referees accompanying the award, signed by all the referees, is as follows:

In making this award we have considered the matter in controversy to be between the estate of Frankie M. Jordan, represented by Charles J. Dunn, administrator, and the estate of Andrew J. Jordan, represented by the Merrill Trust Co., executor. We have not considered what interest the executor or heirs of Andrew J. Jordan may have in the estate of Frankie M. Jordan upon distribution, but leave that question to the probate court.

Further, in making this award we have considered and included in our award what we find to have been received by Andrew J. Jordan for real estate of Frankie M. Jordan soid by him as residuary legates.

We have also deducted from the amount found against the estate of Andrew J. Jerdan 81,250 paid by him to Josiah H. Partridge, his share of the estate of Frankie M. Jordan, and also 83,000 paid by him to Oscar F. Fellows for other heirs of Frankie M. Jordan, and also 83,000 paid by him to Oscar F. Fellows for other heirs of Frankie M. Jordan, and also 87,000 paid by him to Oscar F. Fellows for other heirs of Frankie M. Jordan, and also 84,000 paid by him to Jordan.

ELLSWORTH WATER.

Another Analysis by Director of State Laboratory of Hygiene.

Another analysis has been made of the Ellsworth water by H. D. Evans, director of the Maine laboratory of hygiene at Augusta. The analysis, the figures of which are for parts in 100,000, is as fol-

Date of collection, Nov. 3, 1909; examina-ion, Nov. 5. Appearance — Turbidity, 0; sediment, 0; olor, 3.5.

color, 3.5.
Odor-Cold, none; hot, vegetable.
Residue on evaporation-Total, 3.60; loss ignition, 1.80; fixed residue, 1.80.
Ammonia-Free, 20014; in solution, .0138.
Chlorine-0.275.
Nitrogen-Nitrates, none; nitrites, none.
Oxygen consumed, .66.
Hardness-1.60.
Iron-.028.
Lead-None.
Colon bacillus-None.

In a letter accompanying the analysis Doctor Evans says:

Doctor Evans says:

The analysis of the sample of water from your public supply, sent to me on the 3d in stant, shows the water to be free from all chemical and bacterial evidence of sewage pollution. Like all surface waters at this time of year, this one contains more dissolved vegetable material than it did when it was last examined, but this will in no way affect the drinking qualities of the water. In its present condition the water is a good one to use for drinking, and for all domestic purposes.

MANSET.

Schools closed Friday for the Christma

Mrs. Leslie King has gone to Island Falls to spend the winter. Harry Sprague, of McKinley, spent the

Fred Noyes, who has been in govern-ment employ at Thatcher's Island, is home.

Elmer Conary and family have returned from Monhegan, where they have spent the last two months.

Mrs. Thomas Robinson and little son, who have spent the last month with airs. Robinson's parents, Robert Spurling and wife, have returned to Nash's island. Her brother, Sumner Spurling, accompanied

Nelson Franklin, aged four months, only son of Rev. and Mrs. E. A. Trites, died Friday evening after two-days' illness of crysipelas. Prayers were held at the home Monday morning, Dec. 6, Rev. O. G. Barnard officiating. Interment will be at Brockton, Mass.

Dec. 6.

MAD.

NORTHEAST HARBOR.

The whist club held its regular meeting Wednesday evening with Mrs. Wood, at the home of Clarence Kimball.

The senior class of the high school had a baked-bean supper Friday evening. It was a success socially and financially.

On the evening of November 30 the home of Abram Gilpatrick was the scene of a merry gathering of about forty-five children and adults, it being a birthday party for his daughter Julia. Delicious refreshments of ice-cream and cake were served.

Thursday pight there was a backet ball

Thursday night there was a basket-ball game between the Northeast Harbor first team and a team from Deer Isle, in which the Deer Isle boys won. Saturday night the second Northeast Harbor team played the Bar Harbor team, and the Northeast Harbor team won.

Dec. 4.

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MARIAVILLE.

Fred Moore and wife, of Boston, are visiting Mrs. Moore's mother, Mrs. Mary Marsh.

March.

Frank Dickey and family, of Salisbury Cove, are spending the winter with Mrs. Dickey's parents, Charles Silsby and wife.

The farmers here have raised some good hogs. S. A. Frost killed one weighing 400 pounds and Benjamin Frost one of 403 pounds, and has two more beauties to kill. Dec. 6.

HANCOCK POINT.

The wedding of Miss Ethel Wardwell, daughter of Hoses B. Wardwell and wife, to George A. Martin, jr., of Hancock Point, took pisce Monday evening, at the Wardwell residence in Bangor. It was a very pretty house affair, witnessed by a large and merry party of guests. Rev. Carl F. Henry, of the Universalist church, officiated. Mr. and Mrs. Martin left on a wedding trip to New York on the midnight train.

The New Tariff Board-Influence of

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There are two other Maine men in that seven-term class — Representative D. S. Alexander, of Buffalo, whose boyhood home was at Richmond, and Representative F. C. Stevens, of St. Paul, whose boyhood home was at Bangor. Representative A. B. Capron, of Rhode Island, who was educated at Westbrook, and who is known as the miller of the House, is also a seven-termer.

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Maine's next ranker in continuous service is "Uncle Amos" Allen, of the first district, who is now on his sixth consecutive term. It is a small class numerically, but includes a number of the prominent men of the House. In it is Representative E. W. Roberts, of Chelsea, Mass., who is a native of Madison, in Representative Burleigh's district.

district.

Representatives Swasey and Guerney belong to the rather numerous two-term contingent, which is the largest class in term of service in the House.

Congress quickens Maine interest in af fairs at Washington. It brings the Main-

Abberticements.

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Catarrh can never be cured by taking medicines into the stomach nor by sprays, atomizers or douches.

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of the people in regard to new discoveries.

Catarrh is caused by germs and just as long as these germs thrive in the folds, crevices, nooks and corners of the mucous membrane that line the nose, throat and chest, just so long will you have catarrh.

There is only one way to cure ca-

will you have catarrh.

There is only one way to cure catarrh, and that is to kill the germs.

There is only one remedy that will kill the germs when it gets where the germs are, and that is Hyomei.

Hyomei is made chiefly from Australian Eucalyptus and Eucalyptul combined with other germ-killing antiseptics. Just breath it in through the hard rubber inhaler that comes with each outfit and relief is immediate. Used regularly for a few weeks Hyomei (pronounced High-o-me) will cure chronic catarrh. Complete outfit \$1.00 at G. A. Parcher's and leading druggists everywhere.

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Special Noture

NOTICE.

THE New Eugland Telephone and Telegraph Company respectfully petitions the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of Ellsworth, Maine, for a location for its poles and wires thereon, and the necessary supporting and strengthening fixtures and wires, in the following named streets and highways of said city.

Baid Company agrees to reserve space for one cross arm at the top of all the above poles for telephone, fire alarm and police signal wires, owned by the city and used for municipal purposes. Baid poles to be erected under the supervision of such officers as said city may designate.

Following are the streets and highways above referred to:

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Following are the streets and highways above referred to:

On Birch Avenue, entire length.

Dated Nov. 24, 1909.

NEW ENGLAND TELEPHONE AND TELEPHONE AND TELESHONE, A HOUSTON, General Manager.

City of Ellsworth, Maine, I Board of Aldermen, December 6, 1909.

Upon the foregoing petition, it is ordered that notice thereof be given by publishing a copy of said petition and this order thereon in the Ellsworth American, a newspaper printed in the city of Ellsworth, Maine, and that a hearing thereof be given at the Mayor and Aldermen's room on the twenty first day of December, at 730 o'clock p. m, at which time and place residents and owners of property upon the highways to be affected by the granting of the permit spied for, and all other persons interested, shall have full opportunity to show cause why such permit should not be granted, the last publication of said notice to be at least fourteen (14) days before and hearing.

A true copy of petition, and notice thereon.

Attest:—Thomas E. Hales,
City Clerk.

WE desire to extend our sincere thanks and appreciation to the friends and neighbors who by their kind helpfulness and sympathy assisted in so many ways during our recent bereavement; size to all whose pressions of sympathy were shown by floral offerings.

WILL B. SWAN.
MARY L. CAPULLE.
LAURA B. SMITE.

Ellsworth, Me., Dec. 1, 1909.

Legal Notices

In the District Court of the United States for the Hancock District of Maine.

the Hancock District of Maine.

In the matter of John L. Thurlow, Bankrupt, No. 7679.

To the creditors of John L. Thurlow, of Stonington, in the county of hancock and district aforesaid, a bankrupt:

NOTICE is hereby given that on the 6th day of November, a. d. 1999, the said John L. Thurlow was duly adjudicated bankrupt; and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at my office, in Ellisworth, Maine, on the 29th day of December, a. d. 1909, at 10 o'clock in the forencon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

Referee in Bankruptcy.

Dated Ellsworth, Me., Dec. 7, 1969.

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Legal Notices.

SHERIPP'S SALE. STATE OF MAINE.

follows:

A certain lot or parcel of land with all buildings thereon, situate in Deer Isle, in the county of Hancock, and State of Maine, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a fir tree on the north side of land of the late James Stinson at the shore;

Beginning at a fit tree on the north side of land of the late James Stinson at the shore; the noe south 5 degrees seat forty (4) rots to a spring; thence south 50 degrees east to the shore; thence westerly by the shore to a boil in a ledge near the shore by land of Henry L. Billings; thence northerly and easterly to a stake one rod from the easterly end of the cellar where said Billings house formerly stood; thence northerly and easterly to a boil in a large rock on the shore; thence southerly and easterly to a boil in a large rock on the shore; thence southerly and easterly to a fit tree at the shore, as per deed from William Consay to Moses Stinson dated April II, 1865; thence east ten (10) rode; thence northerly by a ston-wall to a cross in a ledge at the shore; to place of beginning, containing forty (80) acres more or less.

Also another lot situate 'in said iDeer Isle, on Stinson's Neck, so-called, and bounded and described as follows, namely; Beginning at the shore at the northeast of a dwelling house or cellar; thence southwesterly to a large rock with a boil in the same; thence southwesterly eight rods to a stake; thence some course thirty-three (23) rods to a boils in a ledge on the southers side of the point and from said boil to the shore, and by the shore westerly, northerly and easterly to the northwest corner of an ance of land now or formarly of Henry and L. Sillings; thence southerly by said acre of land thirteen rods to take and stones; thence easterly fourteen (14) rods by said land; thence sortherly thirteen (14) rods by said and; thence sortherly thirteen (14) rods by said and the shore, and by the shore easterly to bounds begun at, containing five acres more or less. Being ame lots conveyed to said Arthur L. Consry by said William G. Barter by deed dated October 19. 1865, and recorded in Hancock registry of deeds, book 62, page 283. And whereas the condition of said mortgage, and give this notice for that purpose.

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WHEREAS Nathaniel Noyes, of Sullivan, in the county of Hancock, and State of Mains, by his mortgage deed dated May 26, 1807, and recorded in said Hancock county registry of deeds, book 214, page 486, conveyed to Edward Noyes, of said Sullivan, a certain lot or parcel of land with the buildings thereon situated in said Sullivan, and bourded and described as follows, vis.:

Commencing at the southeasterly corner of said on adjoining land of Henry L. Wooster at a stake; thence running northwesterly following said wooster line fence 200 feet to a stake; thence southwesterly by land of William J. Lord 100 feet to a stake at county radd, thence easterly following said county road 200 feet to a stake; thence southwesterly by land of William J. Lord 100 feet to a stake at county radd, thence easterly following said county road 200 feet to a stake; thence sortheasterly 25 feet to pisce of beginning, cotaining twelve thousand five hundred square feet of land more or less.

And whereas the said mortgage was assigned.

sand five hundred square feet of land more or less.

And whereas the said mortgage was assigned by the said Edward Noyes to Lendail B. Noyes, late of Steuben, Washington county, Malne, deceased, by name of L. B. Noyes by deed dated January 8, 1807, and recorded in said registry, book 44, page 342, and whereas the condition of said mortgage has been broken, now therefore, I, the undersigned, as executrix of the will of the said Lendail B. Noyes, by reason of the breach of the condition thereof claim a foreclosure of said mortgage

Steuben, Me., November 30, 1809.

ADA S. Noyras, Executrix

Of Lendail B. Noyes.

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SHERIPF'S HALE.

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First Lot. All that lot of land with the besings three or course of the same soil, to wit:

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Fitth Lot. A certain lot or parcel of land situated in said Hancock, containing 145 acres more or less, and being the same conveyed to the said Benj. Shate by Severin C. 188, and recorded in said registry of deeds, book 28, page 34, to which deed and the record thereof express reference is here made.

Fitth Lot. A certain lot or parcel of land situated in said Hancock, containing 29 acres she said Benj. Shate by Severin C. 188, and recorded in said registry, to which deed and the record thereof express reference is here made for a particular description of Express reference is here made for a particular description of Express reference is here made for a particular description of Express reference is here made for a particular description of Express reference is here made for a particular description of Express reference is here made for a particular descr

datal June 9th, 1888, and recorded in volume 188, page 284, of the Hancock county registry of deeds to which deed and the record thereof express reference is here made for a particular description.

Second Lot. A certain lot or parcel of land situated in said Hancock and described as follows: Commencing at the Lamoine road on the southwest corner of land owned by 8. Thorson; thence northerly by said Lamoine road on beindred and twenty rods to the county road; thence easterly forty rods to land formerly owned by Nathaniel McFarland's land to land of 83. Thorson; thence westerly by land of said Thorson to the place of beginning, being the same premises conveyed to the said Benjamin Shute by James Brown et als., by their deed dated October 4. 1889, and recorded in said registry, book 289, page 8, to which deed and the record thereof reference is here made.

Third Lot. A certain lot or parcel of land situated in said Hancock, containing fourteen and one half acres, more or less, and being the same conveyed to the said Benjamin Shute by Severin C. Thorson by his deed dated the (hlank) day of (blank) 1891, and acresistry of deeds, book 22, page 84, to which deed and the record thereof express reference is here made.

Fourth Lot. A certain lot or parcel of land situated in said Hancock, containing twenty nine acres, more or less, being the same conveyed to the said Benjamin Shute by Lovina F. Byard, by her deed dated October 18, 189, and registry to the said Benjamin Shute by Lovina F. Byard, by her deed dated October 18, 189, and registry to which deed and the record thereof express reference is here made.

Fifth Lot. Those two lots or parcels of land acress more or less, which was conveyed by the said Benjamin Shute to parcels mentioned under the fifth lot of this deed fourteen and one-half acres, more or less, which was conveyed by the said Benjamin Shute to Parcels mentioned under the fifth lot of this deed and the record thereof express reference is here made for a particular description of said two lots; excepti

THE subscriber, Edwin W. Barton, of West Springfield, Massachusetts, hereby gives notice that he has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of GEORGIA I. BARFON, late of said WEST SPRINGFELD, decreased and sizes hands at the large directs.

deceased, and given bonds as the law directs, and that he has appointed Harry L. Crabtree, of Silisworth, Hancock county, Maine, to he his agent in the State of Maine. 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.

Nov. 15, 1909. EDWIN W. BARTON.

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BLUEHILL FALLS

Millie Eaton has arrived home from Susie Wood is home from Sedgwick for a short stay.

Mame Candage is working for Mrs. Sprague Sweet.
A daughter was born to Sprague Sweet and wife Dec. 3.

Miss Addie Ingalls, of Bluehill, spent last week with Mrs. Harry Conary. Mrs. Angie Bray and daughter Grace left for Dorchester, Mass., Friday to spend the winter.

Dec. 6.

BORN.

ATHERTON-At Bluebill, Dec 4, to Mr and Mrs Harry A Atherton, a daughter. CARTER-At Stonington, Nov 29, to Mr and Mrs Frank M Carter, a son. FOWLER-At Brooksville, Nov 27, to Mr and Mrs Lemuel O Fowler, a daughter. [Agnes

PERT-At Sedgwick, Nov 26, to Mr and Mrs Harry W Pert, a daughter. SWEET-At Bluebill, Dec 3, to Mr and Mrs H Sprague Sweet, a daughter.

MARRIED.

BRAY-FREETHEY-At Bluehill, Nov 28, by Rev W H McBride, Miss Eva C Bray to Guy E Freethy, both of Little Deer Isle. CLARK-DICKEY-At Amherst, Nov 25, by 8 E Nickerson, esq. Miss Olive Clark to Urban Dickey, both of Amherst.

COOMBS-M'GUIRE-4t Rockland, Nov 30, by Rev James A Flynn, Miss Georgie E Coombs to James J McGuire, both of Ston-ington.

ington.

COOPER—GRINDLE—At Bluehill, Dec 2, by
Rev Charles Hargrove, Miss Annie L Cooper
to Horsce A Grindle, both of Bluehill.

HIGGINS—SINCLAIR—At Providence, R I
Nev 2, by Rev Alexander Mitchell, Miss Ida
Leonors Higgins to George Edward Sinclair, both of Blisworth.

WARDWELL—MARTIN—At Bangor, Dec 6,
by Rev Carl F Henry, Miss Ethel A Wardwell, of Bangor, to George A Martin, jr, of
Hancock Point.

WILLEY-SARGENT—At Sedgwick, Dec 1, by Rev Elisha Sanderson, Miss Velma L Willey, of Cherryfield, to Ralph M Sargent, of Sedgwick.

BRIDGES-At Brooklin, Dec 3, Horace W Bridges, aged 75 years, 7 months, 21 days. CLARK-At Franklin, Nov 27, Mrs Elvira Clark, aged 78 years, 11 months, 6 days. CLOUGH-At Bluehill, Dec !, Mrs Annah Clough, aged 52 years, 7 months, 26 days.

COLE—At Prospect Harbor, Dec 2, Miss Lelia
May Cole, aged 19 years, 10 months.

GUPTILL—At Santa Rosa, Cal, Nov 25, James
H Guptill, formerly of Ellsworth, a veteran
of the Civil war.

of the Civil war.

LEACH—At Brooklin, Dec 2, Mrs Nettie Cooper Leach, aged 17 years, 11 months.

LEVI—Drowned at Stonington, Nov 27, Eugenio Francesco Levi, aged 22 years.

MURCH—At Andover, Mass, Nov 29, Mrs Emily J Murch, formerly of Elisworth, aged 30 years, I month.

RICHARDSON—At Mt Desert, Nov 25, Mary E, wife of Clifford B Richardson, aged 62 years, 6 months, 7 days.

TRITES—At Manset, Dec 3, Nelson Franklin, son of Rev and Mrs E A Trites, aged 4 months.

Man-a-lin an Ideal Laxative.

JONES-At Bucksport, Dec 1, Mrs Adelaide F Jones, aged 74 years, 8 days. WAITE—At Stonington, Nov 24, M-s Gertrude Waite, aged 26 years, 1 month, 6 days.

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CITY MEETING.

Isaac Jordan's claim for Bouaty
Money Not Allowed.
The regular meeting of the city government was held Monday evening. Present,
Mayor Simonton, Ald. Stockbridge, Estey,
Hamilton and Small. Rolls of accounts
were passed as follows:

Library.

Dr F F Simonton,
Dr A C Hasperthy,
PA A Killam,
American Book Co,
Atkinson, Mentzer & Grove
Whitcomb, Haynes & Co,
Andrew M Moore,
Edward Haney,
Elmer L DeWitt,
Lyman DeWitt,
Ernest Moore,
Harold E Treworgy,
Leamon P Franklin,
Harold M Spillane,
Martin Alley,
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Martin Alley,
Raymond Camber,
Russell H Nason,
W W McCartney,
Clara I Carter,
Myra F Cottle,
Carrie M Moore,
Simon Garland,
Ernest D Giles,
John A Scott,
Charles E Alexander,
Freeman Smith,
Edward Haney,
Emma B Holt,
Millard P Jordan,
George A Maddocks,
P A A Killam,
Thomas E Hale,
Maynard H Murch,
Henry M Hall,
Loring, Short & Harmon,
L W Jordan,
John H Donovan,
John A Scott,

Supt of schs, Contingent,

Total \$1,525 20 State road TEACHERS' SALARY ROLL.

Common school: \$499 00 High school...... 322 21

High school. \$22 21 \$831 21

Grand total. \$22 21 \$831 21

The report of City Auditor T. E. Hale, printed in full elsewhere in this issue, was credited and ordered filed. Petition of the New England Telephone & Telegraph Co. for right to erect poles and wires full length of Birch avenue was received and hearing thereon appointed for Tuesday, Dec. 21, at 7.30 p. m., at the aldermen's room.

A communication was received from the local board of health calling attention to the fact that several cases of tuberculosis in cattle have been found in Ellsworth, where tests have been made, and urging the board to take measures to have all cat tleitested. No action was taken.

A claim of Fred Moore for five sheep killed by dogs, \$15, was referred to Ald. Hamilton and Hagan as special committee.

Formal petition of Isaac Jordan for \$300 for bounty claimed to be due him for enlistment in the army March 24, 1865, was presented by his attorney, B. T. Sowle. The petition was accompanied \$9 affidavits and depositions supporting the claim.

The board went into executive session for discussion of the matter. Report of the adjutant-general of Maine for the years 1864-5 was referred to, and attention called to that portion of the report relating to State and town bounties. This report called attention to a law enacted Feb. 2, 1864, increasing the State bounty to \$300, and prohibiting all payments of town bounties. By later act the bounty was decreased to \$100. It appears further, however, from the same report, that bounties were subsequently paid by towns but, as the report says, "in violation of law."

In consideration of this report, and acting on advice of counsel, the board voted to indefinitely postpone.

Adjourned.

SOUTHWEST HARBOR. Frank Trundy and wife, of Sorrento, ave been spending a week at Southwest

Pedrick Gilley and wife went to Boston for a week's visit lately, leaving Charlie Ward and wife in charge of the farm and the children.

A good program is being prepared for the evening entertainment of the Christ-mas sale of the Congregational sewing society, Dec. 15. Mrs. John C. Ralph and daughter Carrie went to Portland last week, returning in a few days much relieved to find sur-gical treatment was not necessary in Miss Carrie's case.

A series of meetings commenced at the Congregational church Sunday evening, Dec. 5, under the leadership of the pastor of the two churches here, and will be continued every night excepting Saturday for this week at this church and next week at the Methodist church.

the Methodist church.

Schools closed last Friday. The speaking exercises of the primary grade were held the Friday preceding, that the exercises might not interfere with the treat prepared for the pupils by their teacher on the closing day. Several visitors were present and enjoyed the efforts of the little folks. Miss Beatrice Carroll has had fine success, and is loved by all her pupils. Among the Thankagiving remining, one

fine success, and is loved by all her pupils. Among the Thanksgiving reunions, one of the most enjoyable was at the home of George Gilley, whose sons and daughters, with the exception of Philip, and the respective families helped to eat the big turkey and many other good things prepared by Mrs. Gilley. Flora has returned to her telephone work in Portland, but Rebecca will be at home till the new year, when she will again join her sister in the telephone exchange. telephone exchange

telephone exchange.

Sewing bees have been in favor among the women of this vicinity. The first evening was spent with Mrs. Henry Trundy at the Hotel Holmes, the hostess serving an appetizing lunch. The second of the bees was at the home of Mrs. Julia Gilley, whose hospitality and success in entertaining friends are well known. The third party of busy bees was invited to the home of Mrs. Frank Gilley for the benefit of Mrs. Frank Gilley for the benefit of Mrs. Frank Herrick, whose numerous family requires many stitches. A plearant evening was spent with Mrs. Gilley and many garments finished for the little folks.

Dec. 6. SPRAY. SPRAY.

BLUEHILL

Owing to the rush attendant upon the holiday season, the concert of the Bluebill choral society, announced for New Year's eve, has been postponed until about, Feb. 1. The rehearsal Tuesday evening closed a term of ten weeks which has proved enjoyable and profitable. The members have been faithful in attendance, and have worked hard and enthusiastically, and have, the conductor says, made most gratifying progress. The men members are doing well, but the work of the chorus as a whole would be greatly assisted if the number of men could be increased.

SUICIDE AT BROOKLIN.

Morace W. Bridges Despondent Secuse of III Health.

BROOKLIN, Dec. 6 (special)—Horace W. Bridges, aged seventy-five years, shot and instantly killed himself Friday in the woods where he was chopping his winter's

About 8 o'clock Friday morning he started for the woods. On his way, he called at the home of his son Parker, and asked the loan of a revolver, saying he wished to kill some rabbits, as there were many in the clearing. That was the last seen of him alive. Becoming uneasy about him, the family made search and found his body about half way to the clearing, about 3 o'clock in the afternoon. Despondency due to ill health is supposed to have caused the act.

Mr. Bridges leaves a widow, two daughters—Mrs. E. E. Lurvey and Mrs. Moulton Cooper, and one son—Parker; also two brothers — David and John J., and one sister—Mrs. Eben Kane, all of this town, besides a large circle of relatives and friends by whom he will be greatly missed.

Functor services were hald at his late.

George Rolfe and family have moved from Stanley's point for the winter.

Elisha Bickford and wife, of Winter Harbor, have spent a week with relatives here.

Roy Spurling, Leigh and Harry Coffin each shot a deer last week. The deer shot by Leigh Coffin weighed 205 pounds.

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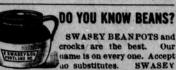
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COUNTY NEWS

Mrs. J. W. Blaisdell will visit in Bang his week.

W. M. Hendee, of Augusta, was in town

Ellery M. Doyle, who has taught at Lexagion, spent a few days there recently.

Friends here of Mrs. Harriet White borr were sadly surprised to learn of her eath recently.

death recently.

Jasper Bragdon left last week for the hospital in Bangor, where he will be operated upon for appendicitis.

Mrs. E. E. Fickett and young sons Harvey and Follett, of Elisworth, are spending a few days at their old home here.

Mrs. Mina Young, of Hancock, who spent a week with her mother, Mrs. Eunice Blaisdell, returned home Thursday.

The many friends of William Lowie are

The many fri nds of William Lowrie are plad to know he is able to leave his room, though he will be confined to the use of trutches for some time.

Principal Foss, of the high school, and Miss Whitten are doing good work this term in the new school building. The at-tendance is large and constant.

Four candidates were adopted into Snyctic tribe, No. 108, Tuesday evening. This tribe will work the chief's degree at the annual pow-wow to be held at Sullivan Friday evening, Dec. 10. New officers are to be nominated at the next regular council, early in January.

LAMOINE.

Miss Mary Covey has employment at Partridge Cove. Miss Lena King returns to Castine normal school Tuesday.

Horace T. Salisbury and wife, of Brewer, visited his brother, W. K. Salisbury, last

Mrs. W. R. King, who has been visiting elatives in Massachusetts, returned home

Chester Norris and wife spent last week with Mrs. Norris' parents, Louis Ander-son and wife.

L. O. Collins and wife went to Franklin Sunday to visit Mrs. Collins' sister, Mrs. Horatio Hardison.

Wesley Smith, who is working at Bay-ide, spent Sunday at home. He was ac-companied by Miss Eunice Milliken.

The pig raised at the cealing tation was recently killed, and dressed 30 pounds. Who can beat this record? There will be an entertainment in the schoolhouse Friday, Dec 10, given by the pupils of the Jordan river school. Candy will be on sale.

The drama, "Tommy's Wife," was pre-sented in the grange hall Thursday even-ing. The parts were well taken. A nice

supper was served. The Forest Hill cemetery corporation will hold a business meeting in the Christian Endeavor hall Saturday evening, Dec. 11. The members and all others who are interested in the improvement of the cemetery are requested to be present.

Dec. 6. HANCOCK.

School in this district began Monday; Harry Rollins, teacher.

. E. McFarland and wife were guests of W. Johnson and wife Saturday.

Miss Hazel Merchant is home from Cas-tine normal school for the Thanksgiving

Mrs. C. H. Abbott and son Theodore James C. Worthen and wife, of Melrose, lass., were recent guests of O. W. Foss

Mrs. Ellen Crabtree is at Bar Harbor, the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Alma Eldridge.

The ladies' aid society will hold a Christ-mas sale at the town hall Monday, Dec. 20. The ladies will serve a clam stew, and home-made candy will be for sale. A pleasing program will be presented in the

Foley's Kidney Remedy. It cured me of a severe case of kidney trouble of several years standing. It certainly is a grand, good medicine, and I heartly recommend it." .. Harbor. A Parenge. H. .. H.

PROSPECT HARBOR.

Luis Bunker has gone to Winter Har-here her school opens this morning.

Miss Lethia Temple has been quite ill of appendicitis. As soon as she has re-covered sufficiently her parents will take her to the hospital in Bangor,

Ernest Hamilton Cole, of Waterville, ho is recuperating from an attack of phoid fever, is spending a few weeks th relatives here and at Winter Harbor. With relatives here and at winter harbor. Winnetka Council, D. of P., had a merry time at its last meeting, in celebrating the birthday of two of its members. The date of the meeting fell upon Capt. Over's natal day, and Mrs. L. S. Ray's coming the following day, the order celebrated both in appropriate manner. Capt. Over was given a tutti-frutti shower, which created much mirth, and with the entertainment provided, together with a nice treat, the evening left nothing to be desired.

The death on Thursday, Dec. 2, of Lelia, daughter of J. W. Cole and wife, after a long illness, though not unexpected, brought sorrow to a large family connection and a host of friends. The loss of this winsome young lady will be felt in the village, and her death will touch its activities, especially every gathering of young people, where she was a favorite. After finishing school in the village she attended Coburn classical institute, Waterville, until failing health caused her to leave.

Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon from Union church. Rev. G. W. M. Keyes officiated, and the choir sang three selections.

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Had the deceased lived until February, she would have been twenty years old. As she lay in her white casket, covered with flowers, no one who knew of her suffering, could wish her back. Winnetka council, Degree of Pocahontas, attended the services in a body.

The family has the sympathy of all, and especially the mother who has been untiring in her devotion and who buried her eldest daughter less than two years ago.

Dec. 6.

SOUTH HANCOCK. S. E. Gould and wife have moved home from Hancock Point.

Ira Colwell and George Merchant went to Lake View Friday, for employment. L. W. Bunker, of Eastbrook, has been in town a few days, calling on friends.

George Merchant recently shot a wild goose on the wing with a Winchester rifle. C. Y. Wooster and H. M. Hodgkins are atching flounders for Boston and New

A. C. McCrellis and wife, of Norway, rho have spent two weeks with their aughter, Mrs. C. S. Colwell, will return

home Tuesday.

The following officers of Leonard Wooster lodge, I. O. G. T., were installed Nov. 23 by L. S. Jordon, D. G. C. T.: H. M. Hodgkins, C. T.; Leach Scammon, V. T.; Emma Hodgkins, secretary; Martha Walker, assistant secretary; Ora Jordan, F. B.; Frank Foss, treasurer; Amy Stratton, chaplain; George Merchant, M.; Celia Grass, D. M.; Bertha Merchant, guard; Ray Moon, sentinel; J. P. Walker, P. C. T.; Susie Mitchell, S. J. T.

Dec. 6. W.

SULLIVAN HARBOR. Charles Allen is home for a few weeks.

Rae Carleton is teaching at Bridgham hill, East Sullivan.

Mrs. Frank Carleton and daughter Bessie have returned from Boston.

District Superintendent H. B. Haskell preached an interesting sermon Sunday afternoon.

Ruth Allen has finished teaching in Steuben and left to-day for Farmington to attend normal school, in company with Vera Smith. This community extends sympathy to Walter Esterbrook in the loss of his home by fire Thursday night. Mr. Esterbrook and family are at George Patten's for the

Funeral services were held for Mrs. Francis X. Corr at the home of her mother,

Abbertisements

COUNTY NEWS.

One of our smart four-year-old boys, while at church with his father, seemed very much interested in a bald head just in front of him. After looking awhile he whispered to his father: "Papa, won't you cut my hair like his?"

EAST FRANKLIN.

Lester Wentworth has employment in

Enoch Stover has moved to John Went

Mrs. T. M. Blaisdell has been visiting relatives in Sullivan the past week.

Jere Wentworth is in poor health. His daughter, Mrs. Julia Reed, was home from Hancock a few days last week. Miss Marcia Springer has gone to Castine to attend normal school. Her sister Eva accompanied her as far as Bangor.

TREMONT.

Capt. John P. Dix, formerly of Tremont, died at his home in Philadelphia Friday, Nov. 26, aged seventy-six years, of Bright's disease. Capt. Dix retired ten years ago after an experience of half a century as captain in the merchant service. He is survive by a widow, two sons and three daughters. Capt. Dix moved from Tremont with his family, some thirty years ago, to Philadelphia, where he had since resided. He was a brother of the late Capt. C. B. Dix, of Brooklyn, N. Y., who was the builder of the Peary Arctic steamer Roosevelt.

OAK POINT

Myra Walls is in Seal Harbor for a few

Fred Murch, who has been ill some time, is improving slowly.

Andrey Alley and wife, of Seal Harbor, are visiting Mrs. Alma Alley.

Mrs. Gustie Dyer and J. H. Galley, of Bangor, have returned home.

Edgar Gordon and wife entertained party of friends Friday evening.

Dec. 6. C.

PARTRIDGE COVE.

Miss Mary Corr is employed at James

William Kellen picked a strawberry lossom Sunday, Dec. 5. Lee Smith, who is employed at Bar Har-bor, spent a few days last week at home. E. E. McFarland and wife attended the county grange at East Sullivan last Fri-

WEST TREMONT. Myra Kent, of Swan's Island, is visiting

Herbert and Dalton Reed, firemen on tug E. D. Haley, of Bangor, are home, the tug being hauled up.
Charles Carver, of Owl's Head, spent Thanksgiving week in this vicinity with relatives and friends.

Nov. 29.

THELMA.

OCEANVILLE.

Frank Gross is painting his house. Mrs. F. M. Stinson has gone to Boston to visit friends.

Solomon Gross is having a house built on Main street. School has closed for two weeks. Miss Bartlett will return for the winter term.

MARLBORO.

Elmer Hodgkins last Friday caught 500 pounds of cod and haddock. deorge Treadwell and wife, who have no visiting in Boston, are home.

Mrs. George King, of Lamoine, spent Saturday and Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Clara Ford, who is ill. Dec. 6.

BAR HARBOR.

John McEachern, superintendent in charge of the construction of the Francis Burton Harrison cuttage, dropped dead Friday at the cottage. Mr. McEachern had been suffering with heart desease for some time, and had been seriously ill all the fall. He was compelled to go home for some little time about Thanksgiving, and had only recently returned. had only recently returned.

BOUTH PENOBSCOT.

Edward Beal and family are keeping ouse in Lou Bridges' house. P. S. Real is ill.

Bertha Perkins has returned from Providence, where she has been for an operation. School began Monday, taught by Mrs. Dec. 6.

TREMONT.

Mrs. Rosanna Rich has returned to Bear Island light station after a week's visit with friends here.

Charlie Rich, while with three others on a hunting trip to Swan's Island Thursday, brought down a fine buck weighing about 200. Charlie, though a lad of only eighteen, can compete with many of our old hunt-

KIN.

NORTH ORLAND.

J. Saunders shot a deer Friday. Leslie Johnson shot a buck last Tues-lay which weighed 235 pounds.

Mrs. Mina Colby is taking care of Mrs. Addie Clair, of Santiago, who is quite ill. Walter Douglass, who has been working in the woods in Shirley, has returned home with an abscess on his hand. Dec. 6.

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MESSAGE READ TO CONGRESS

No Tariff Revision For the Present.

NICARAGUAN TROUBLE.

Irresponsible Nations Not Protected by Monroe Doctrine.

DEFICIT OF \$73,075,600

Legislation Urged Against Injunctions Without Notice.

Washington, Dec. 7.-In his annua message, read to congress, President Taft said To the Senate and the House of Rep

resentatives: The relations of the United State with all foreign governments have conand good understanding and are very

generally satisfactory.

The American rights (in the fisheries on the north Atlantic coast] under the fisheries article of the treaty of 1818 have been a cause of difference be-tween the United States and Great Britain for nearly seventy years. The interests involved are of great importance to the American fishing industry. and the final settlement of the contro versy [by the permanent court of ar bitration at The Haguel will remove a source of constant irritation and com-plaint. This is the first case involving great international questions which has been submitted to the per manent court of arbitration at The

Negotiations for an international conference to consider and reach an arrangement providing for the preser vation and protection of the fur seals in the north Pacific are in progress with the governments of Great Britain Japan and Russia. The attitude of the governments interested leads me to hope for a satisfactory settlement of this question as the ultimate outcome of the negotiations.

The Near East.

quick transition of the govern ment of the Ottoman empire from one of retrograde tendencies to a consti tutional government with a parlia ment and with progressive modern policies of reform and public improvement is one of the important phenor na of our times. Constitutional gov ernment seems also to have made events have turned the eyes of the world upon the near east. In that quarter the prestige of the United tates has spread widely through the peaceful influence of American schools, is every reason why we should obtain a greater share of the commerce of the near east since the conditions are more favorable now than ever before.

Latin America.

One of the happiest events in recent pan-American diplomacy was the pa-citi, independent settlement by the governments of Bolivia and Peru of a undary difference between them which for some weeks threatened to cause war and even to entrain imrments affecting other republica less directly concerned.

Our Citizens Abroad.

This administration, through the de partment of state and the foreign service, is lending all proper support to legitimate and beneficial American enterprises in foreign countries, the degree of such support being measured by the national advantages to be expected. A citizen himself cannot by ntract or otherwise divest himself of the right, nor can this government escape the obligation, of his protec-tion in his personal and property rights when these are unjustly infringed in a foreign country. To avoid ceaseless vexations it is proper that in considering whether American enterprise should be encouraged or support ed in a particular country the government should give full weight not only to the national as opposed to the individual benefits to accrue, but also to the fact whether or not the govern ment of the country in question is in its administration and in its diplomacy faithful to the principles of moder tion, equity and justice upon which alone depends international credit in diplomacy as well as in finance.

The Monroe Doctrine.

The pan-American policy of this government has long been fixed in its principles and remains unchanged. With the changed circumstances of the United States and of the republics to the south of us, most of which have

prehension which gave rise to the Monroe dectrine may be said to have nearly disappeared, and neither the doctrine as it exists nor any other doctrine of American policy should be permitted to operate for the perpetuation of irresponsible government, the escape of just obligations or the inadious allegation of dominating ambitions on the part of the United States.

My meeting with President Dias and

My meeting with President Dias the greeting exchanged on both As ican and Mexican soil served, I be to signalize the close and cordial rela-tions which so well bind together this republic and the great republic imme-diately to the south, between which there is so vast a network of material

I am happy to say that all but one of the cases which for so long vexed our relations with Venezuela have been settled within the past few ened regime now directing the govern ment of Venezuela, provision has been made for arbitration of the remaining

On July 30, 1909, the government of Panama agreed, after considerable nethe American officers and sailors who were brutally treated, one of them having, indeed, been killed by the Panaman police this year.

This government was obliged to in tervene diplomatically to bring about arbitration or settlement of the claim of the Emery company against Nica-ragua, which it had long before been agreed should be arbitrated. A settlement of this troublesome case was reached by the signature of a protoco on Sept. 18, 1909.

Many years ago diplomatic intervention of the interests in the American claim of Alsop & Co. against the government of Chile. The government of Chile had frequently admitted obligation in the case and had promised this government to settle it. There had been two abortive attempts to do so through arbitral commissions, which failed through lack of jurisdiction. Now, happily, as the result of the recent diplomatic negotiations, the gov-Chile, actuated by the sincere desire to free from any strain those cordial and friendly relations upon which both set such store, have agreed by a protocol to submit the controversy to defin itive settlement by his Britannic majes ty Edward VII.

The Nicaraguan Trouble

Since the Washington conventions of 1907 were communicated to the government of the United States as a consulting and advising party this government has been almost continuously called upon by one or another and in turn by all of the five Central American republics to exert itself for the maintenance of the conventions. Nearly every complaint has been against the Zelaya government of Nicaragua which has kept Central America in constant tension or turmoil. The responses made to the representations of Central American republics as due from the United States on account of its relation to the Washington conventions have been at all times conservative and have avoided, so far as possi ble, any semblance of interference, although it is very apparent that the considerations of geographic proximity to the canal zone and of the very substantial American interests in Central America give to the United States a special position in the zone of these republics and the Caribbeau sea.

efforts of this government to promote peace and welfare among these reciated by the majority of them who are loyal to their true interests. It would be no less unnecessary to re hearse here the sad tale of unspeakable barbarities and oppression alleged to have been committed by the Zelaya were put to death by order of Presi-dent Zelaya himself. They were offi-cers in the organized forces of a revolution which had continued many weeks and was in control of about half of the republic, and as such, according to the modern enlightened practice of civilized nations, they were entitled to be dealt with as prisoners

At the date when this message is printed this government has terminated diplomatic relations with the Zelaya government for reasons made public in a communication to the former Nicaraguan charge d'affaires and is intending to take such future steps as may be found most consistent with its dignity, its duty to American in-terests and its moral obligations to Central America and to civilization. It may later be necessary for me to bring this subject to the attention of the congress in a special message.

In the Far East

In the far east this government pre serves unchanged its policy of support-ing the principle of equality of opportunity and scrupulous respect for the integrity of the Chinese empire, to which policy are pledged the interested powers of both east and west.

By the treaty of 1903 China has un-dertaken the abolition of likin with a moderate and proportionate raising of the customs tariff along with current reform. These reforms being a manifest advantage to foreign commerce as well as to the interests of China, this government is endeavoring to facilitate these measures and the needful acquiescence of the treaty powers. When it appeared that Chinese likin revenues were to be hypothecated to foreign bankers in connection with a great railway project it was obvio that the governments whose nationals held this loan would have a certain direct interest in the question of the carrying out by China of the reforms in question. The administration deemgreat natural resources, stable government ed American participation to be of perative governmental necessity. The ment and progressive ideals, the apgreat national interest. Happily, when result has been, as I am advised by

it was as a matter of broad policy to It was as a matter of broad policy as gent that this opportunity should as be lost, the indispensable instruments, ity presented trasif when a group of American bankers of international reputation and great resources agreed at once to share in the loan upon preat once to share in the loan upon pre-cisely such terms as this government should approve. The chief of those terms was that American railway me-terial should be upon an exact equality with that of the other rationals join-ing in the loan in the placing of oring in the loan in the placing of or ders for this whole railroad system. After months of negotiation the equal participation of Americans seems at

inst assured.

In one of the Chinese-Japanese conventions of Sept. 1 of this year there was a provision which caused considerable public apprehension in that upon its face it was believed in some en railroads and thus to exclude Americans from a wide field of enter-prise, to take part in which they were treaty with China entitled. After a thorough examination of the conven-tions and of the several contextual documents the secretary of state reached the conclusion that no such monopoly was intended or accomplished. This government made inquiry of the imperial Chinese and Japanese gov-ernments and received from each official assurance that the provision had no purpose inconsistent with the policy of equality of opportunity to which the signatories, in common with the United States, are pledged.

Our traditional relations with the Japanese empire continue cordial, as usual. The arrangement of 1908 for a co-operative control of the coming of laborers to the United States has proved to work satisfactorily. The treaty between the United States and Japan which is terminable in 1912 is already receiving the study of both

The Department of State

I earnestly recommend to the favor-able action of the congress the estimates submitted by the department of state and most especially the legisla-tion suggested in the secretary of state's letter of this date whereby it will be possible to develop and make permanent the reorganization of the department upon modern lines in a Scient instrument in the furtherance of our foreign trade and of American

Under a provision of the act of Aug. 5, 1909. I have appointed three officials to assist the officers of the government in collecting information necessary to a wise administration of the tariff act of Aug. 5, 1909. As to questions of customs administration they are cooperating with the officials of the treasury department and as to matters of the needs and the exigencles of our manufacturers and exporters with the department of commerce and labor in its relation to the domestic aspect of

the subject of foreign commerce As a consequence of section 2 of the tariff act of Aug. 5, 1909, it becomes the duty of the secretary of state to conduct as diplomatic business all the negotiations necessary to place him in a position to advise me as to whether or not a particular country unduly discriminates against the United States in the sense of the statute referred to.

Government Expenditures and Revenues. Perhaps the most important question presented to this administration is that of economy in expenditures and

sufficiency of revenue. The report of the secretary shows that the ordinary expenditures for the current fiscal year ending June 30, 1910, will exceed the estimated receipts by \$34.075.620. If to this deficit are added the sum to be disbursed for the Panama canal, amounting to \$38,-000,000, and \$1,000,000 to be paid on the public debt, the deficit of ordinary receipts and expenditures will be increased to a total deficit of \$73,075,620. This deficit the secretary proposes to meet by the proceeds of bonds issued to pay the cost of constructing the Panama canal. I approve this pro-

The Panama Canal.

The policy of paying for the con-struction of the Panama canal not out of current revenue, but by bond issue, was adopted in the Spooner act of 1902, and there seems to be no good reason for departing from the principle by which a part at least of the rden of the cost of the canal shall fall upon our posterity, who are to enjoy it, and there is all the more reason for this view because the actual cost to date of the canal, which is now half done and which will be completed Jan. 1. 1915, shows that the cost of engineering and construction will be \$297,766,000 instead of \$139,705,200, as originally estimated. In addition to engineering and construction, the other expenses, including sanitation and government and the amount paid for the properties, the franchise and the privilege of building ithe canal, increase the cost by \$75,435,000 to a total of \$375,201,000. The increase in the cost of engineering and construc-tion is due to a substantial enlargement of the plan of construction by widening the canal 100 feet in the Cu-lebra cut and by increasing the dimensions of the locks, to the undermensions of the locks, to the underestimate of the quantity of the work
to be done under the original plan and
to an underestimate of the cost of labor and materials, both of which have
greatly enhanced in price since the
original estimate was made.

Government Econor

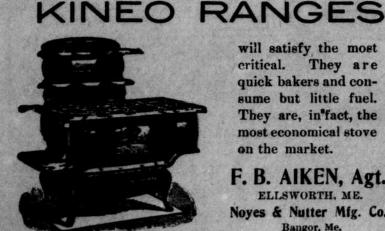
In order to avoid a deficit for the ensuing fiscal year I directed the heads of departments in the preparation of their estimates to make them as low as possible consistent with im-

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EECHAM'S PIL

ecretary of the treasury, that the mates of the expenses of the gov-ment for the fiscal year ending 30, 1911-that is, for the next year-are less by \$55,663,000 the total of appropriations for current fiscal year and less 000 than the estimates for that So far as the secretary of the tin the year ending June 30, 1911, small surplus of \$712,000.

the purpose of securing informa-which may enable the executive the legislative branches to unite an for the permanent re on the treasury department has midd an investigation by one of most skilled expert accountants in United States. The object of the digation is to devise means to insert the average efficiency of each oyee. There is great room for imment toward this end, not only be reorganization of bureaus and riments and in the avoidance of the treasure.

appens that two employees receive mme salary when the work of one r more difficult and important and ding than that of the other. Su-or ability is not rewarded or en-

Civil Pensions the degree of efficiency in all the ments is much lessened by the reof old employees who have out their energy and usefulness it pensable to any proper system onemy that provision be made so their separation from the service be easy and inevitable. It is imto make such provision unless is adopted a plan of civil pen-We cannot, in view of the adreduction in the standard ries paid. Indeed, if any change de in that regard an increase than a decrease will be neces and the only means of economy be in reducing the number of loyees and in obtaining a greater rage of efficiency from those re-ted in the service. uds In the Collection of Customs.

regret to refer to the fact of the extensive frauds in the of the customs revenue at York city, in which a number of subordinate employees in the ig and other departments were concerned and in which the iaries were the American Sugar g company and others. onsisted in the payment of duunderweights of sugar. The gov-nt has recovered from the Amer-Sugar Refining company all that hown to have been defrauded of. um was received in full of the dary of the fraud, but there was ss reservation in the contract not interfere with or prevent iminal prosecution of every one was found to be subject to the

inal prosecutions are now pro ng against a number of the gov ent officers. The treasury ent and the department of jus are exerting every effort to disall the wrongdoers, including the s and employees of the compawho may have been privy to the d. It would seem to me that an tigation of the frauds by conat present, pending the probing he treasury department and the tment of justice, as proposed, t by giving immunity and otherg conviction of the guilty parties. and Minimum Clause In

o features of the new tariff act for special reference. In order the maximum duty shall be charggainst the imports from a country becessary that the executive shall on the part of that country not discriminations in its laws or the e under them against the trade United States, but that the disations found shall be undue-s, without good and fair reason. e is seeking a tariff war or a con in which the spirit of retaliation e aroused.

Tariff Readjustment.

new tariff law enables me to apa tariff board to assist me in con on with the department of state in dministration of the minimum and num clause of the act and also to officers of the government in the nistration of the entire law. I be-that the work of this board will f prime utility and importance ever congress shall deem it wise to readjust the customs duties. facts secured by the tariff board such a character as to show gen-that the rates of duties imposed present tariff law are excessive the principles of protection as bed in the platform of the sucul party at the late election I not hesitate to invite the attencongress to this fact and to the sity for action predicated there-Nothing, however, halts business atterferes with the course of prosso much as the threatened revi-of the tariff, and until the facts hand, after careful and delibervestigation, upon which such re-can properly be undertaken, it to me unwise to attempt it.

War Department. the interest of immediate econ-I have required a reduction in imates of the war departme the coming fiscal year which the total estimates down to an at forty-five millions less than

the corresponding estimates for last year. This could be accomplished only by cutting off new projects and susnding for the period of one year all progress in military matters. For the same reason I have directed that the army shall not be recruited up to its present authorized strength. These measures can hardly be more than temporary, for I am sure that the interests of the military establishment are seriously in need of careful con-

The secretary of war calls attention to a number of needed changes in the army, in all of which I concur, but the point upon which I place most em-phasis is the need for an elimination phasis is the need for an elimination bill providing a method by which the merits of officers shall have some ef-fect upon their advancement and by which the advancement of all may be accelerated by the effective elimination of a definite proportion of the least

The military and naval joint board The military and naval joint board have unanimously agreed that it would be unwise to make the large expenditures which at one time were contemplated in the establishment of a naval base and station in the Philippine Islands and have expressed their judgment, in which I fully concur, in favor of making an extensive naval base at Paril Harbor near Honolyin and at Pearl Harbor, near Honolulu, and not in the Philippines.

The return of the battleship fleet from its voyage around the world in more efficient condition than when it started was a noteworthy event of interest alike to our citizens and the naval authorities of the world. The marked success of the ships in steaming around the world in all weathers on schedule time has increased respect for our navy and has added to our na-

It is a regrettable fact that the higher officers are old for the responsibilities of the modern navy, and the admirals do not arrive at flag rank young enough to obtain adequate training in their duties as flag officers.

Owing to the necessity for economy in expenditures, I have directed the curtailment of recommendations for naval appropriations so that they are thirty-eight millions less than the corresponding estimates of last year, and the request for new naval construction is limited to two first class battleships and one repair vessel.

The secretary of the navy has inaugurated a tentative plan involving certain changes in the organization of the navy department, including the navy yards, all of which have been found by the attorney general to be in accordance with law. I have approved the execution of the plan proposed because of the greater efficiency and economy it promises.

Department of Justice-Expedition In Legal Procedure.

The deplorable delays in the administration of civil and criminal law have received the attention of committees of the American Bar association and of many state bar associations as well as the considered thought of judges and jurists. In my judgment, a change in public procedure, with a view to reducing its expense to private litigants in civil cases and facilitating the dispatch of business and final decision in both civil and criminal cases, constitutes the greatest need in our American institutions. I do not doubt for one moment that much of the lawless lence and cruelty exhibited in lyuchings are directly due to the uncertain-

delays in trials, judgments and the exe-

cutions thereof by our courts.

I therefore recommend legislation providing for the appointment by the president of a commission with authority to examine the law and equity procedure of the federal courts of first instance, the law of appeals from and to the supreme court and the costs imposed in such procedure upon the private litigants and upon the public treasury and make recommendation with a view to simplifying and expediting the procedure as far as possible and making it as inexpensive as may be to the litigant of little means.

The platform of the successful party in the last election contained the fol-

Injunctions Without Notice. "We believe that the rules of proce dure in the federal courts with respect to the issuance of the writ of injunction should be more accurately defined by statute and that no injunction or temporary restraining order should be issued without notice, except where irreparable injury would result from

delay, in which case a speedy hearing thereafter should be granted." I recommend that in compliance with the promise thus made appropriate legislation be adopted. Moreover, every such injunction or restraining order ssued without previous notice and opportunity by the defendant to be heard should by force of the statute expire and be of no effect after seven days from the issuance thereof or within any time less than that period which the court may fix unless within such seven days or such less period the in-junction or order is extended or renewed after previous notice and opportunity to be heard.

Anti-trust and Interstate Commerce

Laws. The jurisdiction of the general government over interstate commerce has led to the passage of the so called "Sherman auti-trust law" and the "in-terstate commerce law" and its amendments. The developments in the operation of those laws call for a discussion and some suggestions as to amendments. These I prefer to em-body in a special message.

Postoffice Department - Second Class Mail Matter.

The deficit every year in the post-instance department is largely caused by

pound charged on second class mail matter, which includes not only newspapers, but magazines and miscella seous periodicals. The actual loss grow second class mail matter at 1 cent pound amounts to about \$63,000,000 a The average cost of the transportation of this matter is more than 9 cents a pound. The statistics of 1907 show that second class mail matter constituted 63.91 per cent of the weight of all the mail and yielded

show the payment by the government of an enormous subsidy to the news-papers, magazines and periodicals. A great saving might be made, amount-ing to much more than half of the loss, by imposing upon magazines and periodicals a higher rate of postage.

Postal Savings Banks.

I believe postal savings banks to be necessary in order to offer a proper inducement to thrift and saving to a great many people of small means who do not now have banking facilities and to whom such a system would offer an opportunity for the accumulation of substitute, based on sound principle and actual successful trial in nearly all the countries of the world, for the system of government guaranty of deposits now being adopted in several to those who advocate it, seems to me to have in it the seeds of demoralization to conservative banking and certain financial disaster.

Ship Subsidy.

Following the course of my distin-guished predecessor, I earnestly recommend to congress the consideration and passage of a ship subsidy bill.

Interior Department-New Mexico and Arizona.

The successful party in the last election in its national platform declared in favor of the admission as separate states of New Mexico and Arizona, and I recommend that legislation appropriate to this end be adopted.

Alaska.

With respect to the territory of Alas ka, I recommend legislation which shall provide for the appointment by the president of a governor and also of an executive council, the members of which shall during their term of office reside in the territory and which shall have legislative powers sufficient to enable it to give to the territory local laws adapted to its present growth. I strongly deprecate legislation looking to the election of a territorial legislature in that vast district.

Conservation of Natural Resources.

In several departments there is presented the necessity for legislation looking to the further conservation of our national resources, and the subfect is one of such importance as to require a more detailed and extended discussion than can be entered upon in this communication. For that reason I shall take an early opportunity to send a special message to congress

The White Slave Trade.

There is urgent necessity for additional legislation and greater executive activity to suppress the recruiting of the ranks of prostitutes from streams of immigration into this country-an evil which, for want of a better name, has been called "the white slave trade."

Bureau of Health.

There seems to be no reason why all the bureaus and offices in the general government which have to do with the public health or subjects akin thereto should not be united in a bureau to be called the "bureau of pub-

Political Contributions.

I urgently recommend to con that a law be passed requiring that candidates in elections of members of the house of representatives and committees in charge of their caudidacy and campaign file in a proper office of the United States government a state-ment of the contributions received and of the expenditures incurred in the campaign for such elections and that similar legislation be enacted in respect to all other elections which are constitutionally within the control of

Conclusion

Speaking generally, the country is in a high state of prosperity. There is every reason to believe that we are on the eve of a substantial business expansion, and we have just garnered a harvest unexampled in the market value of our agricultural products. The high prices which such products bring mean great prosperity for the farming community; but, on the other hand, they mean a very considerably increased burden upon those classes in the community whose yearly compensation does not expand with the improvement in business and the general prosperity Various reasons are given for the high prices. The proportionate increase in the output of gold, which today is the chief medium of exchange and is in some respects a measure of value, furnishes a substantial explanation of at least part of the increase in prices. The increase in population and the more expensive mode of living of the people, which have not been accompanied by a proportionate increase in acreage production, may furnish a fur-ther reason. It is well to note that the increase in the cost of living is not confined to this country, but prevails the world over, and that those who would charge increases in prices to the existing protective tariff must meet the fact that the rise in prices has taken place almost wholly in those products of the factory and farm in respect to which there has been either no increase in the tariff or in many instances a very considerable reduc-

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Legal Notices.

FORECLOSURE OF MORTGAGE.

WHEREAS George W. Bridgham, of Lamorine, Hancock county, Maine, by his mortgage deed dated December 9, 1907, and recorded in Hancock registry of deeds, book 446, page 207, conveyed to me, the undgræigned, a certain parcel of real estate situated in said Lamoine, with all buildings thereon, bounded and described as follows:

Bounded on the south by the road leading from Blunt's Pond in Hancock through Marlboro; on the cast by line of land of George Hamor; on the morth by land of Chester Hodgkins and on the west by land of Perry Hodgkins, land of George Glipatrick and land of Mrs. Glibert Bragdon, containing twenty-seven acres, more or less, and being all the lot described in deed from Edward Hodgkins to John F. Hodgkins to John F. Hodgkins and said road and also being the same premises conveyed by John F. Hodgkins et al. to George N. Sheha, dated November 3, 1894, and recorded in said registry, book 344, page 73.

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

Ellsworth, Maine, November 22, 1908.

By J. A. Peters, his attorney.

SHERIFF'S SALE. STATE OF MAINE.

COUNTY OF HANCOCK 88.

November 26, 1909.

TAKEN this 26th day of November, nineteen bundred and nine, on execution
dated November 15, 1909, issued on the judgment rendered by the supreme judicial court
for the county of Hancock at the term thereof
begun and held on the second Tuesday of October, nineteen bundred and nine, to wit, on
the twenty-eighth day of October, nineteen
hundred and nine, in isvor of Vernon G Wasgait, of Eden, in said county, against Fountain Rodick, M. C. Morrisou, Hoyt C. Hodgkins, Harry C. Hodgkins, W. J. Ensor and
Stephen L. Kingsley, all of said Eden, for
twelve hundred and seventy-five dollars and
twenty three cents, debt or damage, and fittytwo dollars and forty-seven cents, outs of
sait, and will be sold at public sanction at the
office of the sneriff in Ellsworth, in said county, to the highest bidder on December 3, 1809,
at three o'clock, p. m., the following described
real estate and all the right, title and interest
which the said Fountain Rodick, one of said
execution debtors, has and had in and to the
same on the fourth day of May, nineteen hundred and six, at 9.10 o'clock, a m., the time
when the same was attached on the writin the
same sait, to wit:

1. A certain lot of land situated in easid Eden.

Nathan Ash to Fountain Rodick, dated September 29, 1901, recorded in said registry in book 412, page 246.

4. A lot in Bar Harbor, in the said town of Eden, described as follows: Beginning at a stake on the south side of a town way leading Strawberry hill westerly to the Red Rock Spring property and on the east line of land of Charles T. and John B. How; thence south six degrees and thirty minutes west, but everywhere following said east line of said Charles T. and John B. How; thence south six degrees and thirty minutes west, but everywhere following said east line of said Charles T. and John B. How; thence easterly by the said north line of said mesdow lot of heirs of Tobias Roberts; thence easterly by the said north line of said mesdow lot 215 feet, more or less, to the west line of land formerly of F. and S. H. Rodick, now of the Rodick Reality Company; thence northerly parallel with the first-mentioned line, but everywhere following the said west line of land of the R dick Reality Company; 1,255 feet, more or less, to the south side of the said town way; thence westerly, but everywhere following the said south side of said town way 215 feet, more or less, to the place of beginning, containing six and two tenths acres, more or less.

5. A certain lot or parcel of land, being a part of what is known as the Southwest valley tract, situated in said Eden, bounded and described as follows: Lot numbered seven (7) beginning at a point in the westerly shore of Eagle lake; thence northerly by the shore of said lot; thence east course two hundred and sarrey and plan made by Andrew P. Goodell in the month of October, 1880. Together with a right of way appurtenant to the same. Reference is made to deed from Preston H. Joy to Fountain Rodick, dated February 10, 1904, recorded in said registry in book 405, page 19.

6. A certain lot or parcel of land situated in said Eden, bounded and described as follows, to wit: Beginning on the southwest corner of the Stephen Higgins back lot and follows to wit: Beginning on the south

book 405, page 19.
6. A certain lot or parcel of land situated in said Eden, bounded and described as follows, to wit: Beginning on the southwest corner of the Stephen Higgins back lot and follows said Higgins' south line south eighty-four and one half degrees east twelve and three-quarters rods to a stake; thence south five and one-half degrees west thirty-six rods to the north line of lot owned by the heirs of Tobias Roberts; thence on said north line north eighty-four and one-half degrees west twelve and three-fourths rods to a stake in the east line of George W. Hamilton's lot formerly owned by Reuben Salisbury; thence on said east line north five and one-half degrees east thirty-six rods to place of beginning, containing two screes and one-half degrees east thirty-six rods to place of beginning, containing two screes and one half degrees east thirty-six rods to place of beginning.

7. A certain lot of land lying at the east end of Northeast creek bridge in Eden, aforesaid, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at the west corner of a lot of land formerly owned or occuped by Thomas W. Hadley at the town road and follows the line of said lot south forty-seven degrees east twenty-six and two-thirds rods to a stake and stone in range of back line of lot formerly occupied by Thomas W. Hadley; then follows same course of said Hadley line southwesterly to Northeast creek and mill stream; then

same course of said Hadley line southwesterly to Northeast creek and mill stream; then down said mill stream to the Northeast creek bridge; then northeasterly along the county road to the place of beginning, containing six acres, more or less.

FORREST O. SILSBY, Sheriff.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

COUNTY OF HANCOCK as:—November 22, 1909.

TAKEN this twenty-second day of November 22, 1909.

TO ber, a. d. 1909, on execution dated the second day of November, a. d. 1909, issued on a judgment rendered by the supreme judicial court, for the county of Hancock aforesaid, at the term thereof begun and held on the second Tuesday of October, a. d. 1909, to wit, on the twenty-eighth day of October, a. d. 1909, in favor of J. M. Bray, of Orland, in the second Tuesday of October, a. d. 1909, to wit, on the twenty-eighth day of October, a. d. 1909, in favor of J. M. Bray, of Orland, in the second Tuesday of October, a. d. 1909, to wit, on the twenty-eighth day of October, a. d. 1909, in favor of J. M. Bray, of Orland, in the second of J. M. Bray, of Orland, in the second of J. M. Bray, of Orland, in the county of Hancock and State of Mainer, against Guy W. Richardson of Bucksport, in an aid county and State, for fiftee hundred and eighteen dollars and eighty cents, debt or damage, and nineteen dollars and nieteen contast, costs of suit, and will be sold at public auction at the office of W. C. Conary in Bucksport, and the contast of the county of Hancock, to the bridge and pond known as the Card Machine Pond, and beginning on said stream about four rods northerly for the prodict of the same was attached on the writ in the same was attached o

HANCOCK 88 .: - Nov. 19, a. d. 1909

HANCOCK SS.:—Nov. 19, a. d. 1909.

E, the undersigned, having been duly appointed by the Honorable Edward E. Chase, Judge of probate within and for said county commissioners to receive and decide upon claims of the creditors of Charles E. Doyle, late of Elisworth, in said county of Hancock, whose estate has been represented insolvent, hereby give public notice agreeably to the order of said judge of probate, that six months from and after Nov. 2, 1909, have been allowed to said creditors to present and prove their claims, and that we will attend to the duly assigned us at the office of Fred L. Mason, in the First National Bank Building, in Ellsworth, Maine, on Wednesday, Dec. 22, 1909, and on Tuesday, May 2, 1910, at ten of the clock in the forenoon of each of said days.

EDMOND J. WALSH,
FRANK S. CALL,
Commissioners.

way; thence following said westerly, 72 ft. to the cuive the junction of said highway

hat purpose.
Dated November 28, a. d. 1908.
TREMONT SAVINGS BANK OF TREMONT,
By Chas. H. Wood, its attorney,

SHERIFF'S SALE. COUNTY OF HANCOCK SS.:—November 23, 1909.

Taken this twenty-third of November, a. d. 1909, on execution dated the thirtieth day of October, a. d. 1909, issued on a judgment rendered by the supreme judicial court, for the county of Hancock afore-said, at the term thereof begun and held on the second Tuesday of October, a. d. 1909, in favor of J. M. Bray, of Orland Hancock county, Maine, against Elias Bowden, of Orland, in said county and State, for one hundred twenty-nine dollars and ninety four cents, debt or damage, and eleven dollars and eighty-three cents, costs of suits, and will be land, in said county and State, for one hundred twenty-nine dollars and nincy-four cents, debt or damage, and eleven dollars and eighty three cents, costs of suits, and will be sold at public auction at the office of W. C. Conary, in Bucksport, said county of Hancock, to the highest bidder, on the twenty-eighth day of December, a. d. 1909, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, the following described real estate, and all the right, title and interest which the said Elias Bowden has and had in and to the same on the twenty seventh day of May, s. d. 1909, at two hours and lifteen minutes of the clock in the afternoon, the time when the same was attached on the writ in the same suit, to wit: A certain lot or parcel of land, with the buildings thereon, situated in said Orland, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by the range line; southerly by land formerly of James Cook, now in possession of Fred B. Gross, and westerly by land of James Cook and Joseph Gray formerly. It being the lot known as the Charles T. Bowden homestead and premises conveyed to said Elias Bowden by Am and a H. Bowden, by deed dated April 17, a. d. 1875, and recorded in Hancock records, book 151, page 190.

Also another certain lot or parcel of land

recorded in Hancock records, book 151, page 190.

Also another certain lot or parcel of land situate in said Orland, and bounded and described as follows, to wit: Beginning at a stake and stones on the northwest corner of land occupied by Frank D. Soper, near the western line of lot No. 53, according to the plan of Orland; thence north eight degrees east about one hundred forty rods to the range line; thence south thirty-two and one-half degrees east by said range line ninety-four and two-fifths rods; thence southwest-erly by a large ledge of rocks about one hundred rods to line of lots Nos. 58 at d.9; thence by said line to southeast corner of said Soper's land; thence north fifteen degrees west one hundred rods to stake and stones; thence south fifty-seven and one-half degrees west eighty rods to point of beginning, containing forty-five acres, more or less.

FRANK C. PFRKINS, Deputy Sheriff.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

COUNTY OF HANCOCK 88 .- November 22, 1909 Taken this twenty-second day of November, a. d. 1999, on execution dated the 30th day of October, a. d. 1903, issued on a judgment rendered by the supreme judicial judgment rendered by the supreme judicial court, for the county of Hancock aforesaid, at the term thereof begun and hid on the second Tuesday of October, a. d. 19 9. to wit, on the twenty-eighth day of October, a. d. 1990, in favor of J. M. Bray, of Orland, Hancock county, State of Maine, against G. W. Richardson, of Bucksport, said county and State, for two hundred nine dollars and forty-seven cents, debt or damage, and sixten dollars are seven cents, debt or damage, and sixten dollars.

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE.

W HEREAS Martha L. Hodgeins, of Lamoine, Hancock county, hinine, by her mortgage deed dated March 16, 1900, and recorded in the registry of deets for Huncock county, vol. 888, page 385, com y d to M. E. Maloney, of Elisworth, Hancock county, Maine, a certain parcel of land situated in said Lamoine, at the intersection of the Lamoine and Marlboro roads, containing three acres, more or less, and bounded by said coads and land of Berry, and a fee cer and whereas said Maloney assigned said mortgage and the note thereby secured to the uncersisted, by her assignment dated November 11, 1442, and recorded in said registry, vol. 465 page 212; and whereas the conditions of 8-d mortgage have been broken, now therefore, by reason of the breach of the condition the cof, we claim a foreclosure of said mortgage (CHARLES H. CURTIS, J. M. HIGGINS, AS CHARLES H. CURTIS & CO. Ellisworth, Me., Dec. 1, 1892.

THE subscriber, Edward F. Will catt thereby gives notice that he has been duity appointed executor of the last will and resament of LYMAN D. WILLCUTT, late of COHARSET, in the country of Norfolk. Commonwaith of Massechusetts, deceased, and given bonds as the law directs. Not being a resident of said State of Maine, he has appointed Pearl T. Parker, whose address is Bluebin, Maine, his agent in said State of Maine. All persons having demands against the estate of said deceived are desired to present the saie for sertiment, and all indebted there of are requested to make payment immediately.

EDWARD F. WILLCUTT, EXE. November 2, 1998.

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